



OFFICE OF THE LEADER OF THE HOUSE OF PARLIAMENT

The Committee on Parliamentary Business approved the following Programme of Business for the Second Sitting Week of Parliament from Tuesday, the 21st to Friday, the 24th of October 2025 at its meeting held on 10.10.2025:—

(1) October 21st Tuesday, 2025

- 9.30 a.m. – 10.00 a.m. **Business of Parliament as per of Standing Order 22(1) to (6) of the Parliament**
- 10.00 a.m. – 11.00 a.m. **Questions for Oral Answers**
- 11.00 a.m. – 11.30 a.m. **Questions under Standing Order 27(2) of the Parliament**
- 11.30 a.m. – 5.00 p.m. (i) **Regulations under the National Medicines Regulatory Authority Act — To be Approved**
(The above Regulations published in the Extraordinary Gazette No. 2446/34 dated 21.07.2025, presented to Parliament on 07.10.2025 and the relevant Motion is to be published in the Addendum No. 12 to the Order Book No. 2 of Parliament to be issued on 10.10.2025 in terms of the provisions of Standing Order 27(3) of the Parliament.)
- (ii) **Personal Data Protection (Amendment) Bill — Committee**
*(Vide Item No. *75 of the Order Paper of Parliament No. 90 of 10.10.2025.)*
- 5.00 p.m. – 5.30 p.m. **Adjournment Motion (Opposition)**
(Lunch Interval is from 12.30 p.m. to 1.00 p.m. on this day.)

(2) October 22nd Wednesday, 2025

- 9.30 a.m. – 10.00 a.m. **Business of Parliament as per of Standing Order 22(1) to (6) of the Parliament**
- 10.00 a.m. – 11.00 a.m. **Questions for Oral Answers**
- 11.00 a.m. – 11.30 a.m. **Questions under Standing Order 27(2) of the Parliament**
- 11.30 a.m. – 4.30 p.m. (i) **Order under the Special Commodity Levy Act — To be Approved**
(The above Order published in the Extraordinary Gazette No. 2451/10 dated 25.08.2025, due to be presented on 21.10.2025.)
- (ii) **Rules under Excise Ordinance (Chapter 52) — To be Approved**
(The above Rules due to be presented on 21.10.2025.)
- 4.30 p.m. – 5.30 p.m. **Motion at the Adjournment Time**
(Lunch Interval is from 12.30 p.m. to 1.00 p.m. on this day.)

(3) October 23rd Thursday, 2025

9.30 a.m. – 10.00 a.m.	Business of Parliament as per of Standing Order 22(1) to (6) of the Parliament
10.00 a.m. – 11.00 a.m.	Questions for Oral Answers
11.00 a.m. – 11.30 a.m.	Questions under Standing Order 27(2) of the Parliament
11.30 a.m. – 5.30 p.m.	Adjournment Debate on a National Program to Eradicate Drugs and Organized Crime and Strengthening the Legal Framework (Government)

(Lunch Interval is from 12.30 p.m. to 1.00 p.m. on this day.)

(4) October 24th Friday, 2025

9.30 a.m. – 10.00 a.m.	Business of Parliament as per of Standing Order 22(1) to (6) of the Parliament
10.00 a.m. – 11.00 a.m.	Questions for Oral Answers
11.00 a.m. – 11.30 a.m.	Questions under Standing Order 27(2) of the Parliament
11.30 a.m. – 5.00 p.m.	Votes of Condolence on the Late Honourable EX Members of Parliament— (i) Lohan Ratwatte (ii) Heenmahatmaya Liyanage (iii) Dixon J. Perera (iv) (Dr.) Mervyn D. de Silva (v) Y. G. Padmasiri (vi) R. M. R. Chula Bandara (vii) Manicavasagar Kanagasabapathy Eelaventhan

5.00 p.m. – 5.30 p.m. **Motion at the Adjournment Time (Opposition)**

(Lunch Interval is from 12.30 p.m. to 1.00 p.m. on this day.)

N.B.: *Above Time allocations from 9.30 a.m. to 11.30 a.m. will be adjusted with the Time allocated for the Main Business of the day with the time unspent on the scheduled items during that time period.*

Secretary to the he Leader of the House of Parliament
10.10.2025