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- (5) to amend the Development Fund Ordinance, 1958,
- (6) to create common tariffs for Malaysia and to provide for matters incidental thereto,
- (7) to amend the Insurance Act, 1963,
- (8) to ratify and give legal sanction to the provisions of the Convention on the Settlement of Investment Disputes,
- (9) to repeal the Laws of the States of Kedah, Negri Sembilan, Pahang, Perak, Perlis, Selangor and Trengganu relating to suits against the Ruling Houses of those States,
- (10) to establish a corporate body by the name of the Majlis Amanah Ra'ayat and for the purposes connected therewith,
- (11) to amend the Prevention of Crime Ordinance, 1959,
- (12) to consolidate the laws relating to the possession and production of travel documents by persons entering or leaving, or travelling within, the Federation and to provide for matters connected therewith,
- (13) to amend the Immigration Ordinance, 1959,
- (14) to amend the Divorce Ordinance, 1952, of the States of Malaya,
- (15) to amend the Penal Code,
- (16) to provide for the reconstitution of the Rubber Research Institute of Malaya and for matters incidental thereto,
- (17) to amend the Pineapple Industry Ordinance, 1957, and the Pineapple Industry (Amendment) Act, 1964,
- (18) to establish the Malaysian Timber Export Industry Board for the purposes of regulating and improving the timber export industry and to provide for matters connected therewith,
- (19) to repeal certain legislation relating to Mui Tsai,
- (20) to amend the Employment Ordinance, 1955,
- (21) to amend the Co-operative Societies Ordinance, 1948,
- (22) to incorporate the National Land Rehabilitation and Consolidation Authority to be charged with the responsibility for the rehabilitation and development of any areas within the States of Malaya,
- (23) to apply sums out of the Consolidated Fund for additional expenditure for the service of the year 1965 and to appropriate such sums for certain purposes,
- (24) to apply a sum out of the Consolidated Fund to the service of the year 1966 and to appropriate that sum and such other sums as have been authorised to be issued for the service of that year,
- (25) to provide for the appointment of places of safety for the purposes of the Laws in force in different parts of the States of Malaya for the Protection of Women and Girls,
- (26) to amend and consolidate the law relating to registration of societies,
- (27) to amend the Road Traffic Ordinance, 1958,
- (28) to amend the Merchant Shipping Ordinance, 1952, in order to give legal effect to an International Convention for the Safety of Life at sea signed in London on 17th June, 1964, and to International Regulations for Preventing Collisions at sea, 1960 and to enable Malaysian vessels exclusively employed in the fishing industry to be exempted from the provisions of Part III of the Ordinance,
- (29) to establish a body corporate to be called the National Productivity Council and to provide for matters connected therewith.

without amendment.

(Sgd.) DATO' HAJI ABDUL RAHMAN,
President "

ASSENT TO BILLS PASSED

Mr Speaker: Honourable Members, I wish to inform the House that His Majesty the Yang Di-Pertuan Agong has assented to the following Bills which were passed recently by both Houses of Parliament:

- (1) Turnover Tax Bill, 1965.
- (2) Income Tax Laws (Malaysia) (Amendment No. 2) Bill, 1965.
- (3) Insurance (Amendment) Bill, 1965.
- (4) Excise (Amendment) Bill, 1965.
- (5) Supplementary Supply (1965) (No. 2) Bill, 1965.
- (6) Supply (1966) Bill, 1965.
- (7) Development Fund (Amendment) Bill, 1965.
- (8) Penal Code (Amendment) Bill, 1966.
- (9) Divorce (Amendment) Bill, 1966.
- (10) Women and Girls (Appointment of Places of Safety) Bill, 1966.
- (11) Road Traffic (Amendment) Bill, 1966.

- (12) Pineapple Industry (Amendment) Bill, 1966.
- (13) Prevention of Crime (Amendment) Bill, 1966.
- (14) Immigration (Amendment) Bill, 1966.
- (15) Federal Statute Law Revision (Suits against the Ruling Houses) Bill, 1966.
- (16) Employment (Amendment) Bill, 1966.
- (17) Mui Tsai (Repeal) Bill, 1966.
- (18) Ministers, Assistant Ministers and Parliamentary Secretaries (Remuneration) (Amendment) Bill, 1966.
- (19) Malayan Timber Export Industry Board (Incorporation) Bill, 1966.
- (20) Societies Bill, 1966.
- (21) Convention on the Settlement of Investment Disputes Bill, 1966.
- (22) Merchant Shipping (Amendment) Bill, 1966.
- (23) Rubber Research Institute of Malaya Bill, 1966.
- (24) Co-operative Societies (Amendment) Bill, 1966.
- (25) National Productivity Council (Incorporation) Bill, 1966.
- (26) Majlis Amanah Ra'ayat Bill, 1966.
- (27) Passports Bill, 1966.
- (28) National Land Rehabilitation and Consolidation Authority (Incorporation) Bill, 1966.
- (29) Customs (Malaysian Common Tariffs) Bill, 1966.

DEATH OF THE HONOURABLE ENCHE' ABDUL RAUF BIN A. RAHMAN, K.M.N., P.J.K.

Mr Speaker: I regret to inform the House of the death of the Honourable Enche' Abdul Rauf bin A. Rahman, Member for Krian Laut, and I desire on behalf of the House to express our sense of the loss we have sustained and our sympathy with the relatives of the Honourable Member.

INTRODUCTION OF THE CONSTITUTION (AMENDMENT) BILL BY THE HONOURABLE DR LIM CHONG EU

Mr Speaker: Honourable Members will recall that this House, at its previous sitting, granted leave to the Honourable Member for Tanjong to introduce a Bill to be called "Constitution Amendment Bill" to amend Article 159 (3) of the Constitution of Malaysia. I now have to inform the House that I have received from the Honourable the Prime Minister the report specified under Standing Order 49 (4) with regard to this Bill. The report reads as follows:

"Tuan Yang di-Pertua Dewan Ra'ayat,

THE CONSTITUTION (AMENDMENT) BILL

Pursuant to Standing Order 49 (4) of the Standing Orders of the Dewan Ra'ayat, I have the honour to make the following report on the above Bill introduced by the Honourable Member for Tanjong. I have considered the Bill, and I can find nothing objectionable in its phrasing in form. As the Bill seeks to amend the Constitution, the provision of Article 159 of the Constitution will have to be complied with.

Saya dengan hormat-nya,

TUNKU ABDUL RAHMAN PUTRA AL-HAJ,
Perdana Menteri "

ORAL ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS

PRIME MINISTER'S VISIT TO SARAWAK—RETINUE

1. Dr Tan Chee Khoon (Batu) asks the Prime Minister if he is aware that during his recent visit to Sarawak a number of UMNO officials, Members of Parliament and political leaders were in his retinue; if so, to state who paid for the travel expenses, including plane fares, etc., of these UMNO officials, Members of Parliament and political leaders; if these were paid from public funds, under what head of expenditure were these funds drawn.

The Minister of Finance (Enche' Tan Siew Sin): Mr Speaker, Sir, state that those who accompanied the