



**HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY
BERMUDA**



**Sitting No.20-Friday, 7th November, 2025
Order of Business
(Standing Order 14)**

(a) 10:00 a.m. HOUSE CONVENES

(b) PRAYERS

(c) CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES- Minutes of the 26th September, 2025 to be confirmed.

(d) MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

(e) ANNOUNCEMENTS BY THE SPEAKER OR MEMBER PRESIDING

Members: His Honour the Speaker, Mr. Neville S. Tyrrell and the Hon. L. Craig Cannonier will be absent from the House of Assembly proceedings.

Office of the Auditor General- Ministerial Travel, Meal and Hospitality Expenses Report of the Auditor General Bermuda

(f) MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

(g) PAPERS AND OTHER COMMUNICATIONS TO THE HOUSE

“Bermuda Hospitals Board-Annual Report 2022” lay for the information of the House of Assembly - The Hon. Kim N. Wilson, Minister of Health

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“Regulatory Authority of Bermuda-Annual Report 2019-2020” lay for the information of the House of Assembly - The Hon. Alexa. N. H. Lightbourne, Minister of Home Affairs

“The Affordable Bermuda Agenda- Building a Strategy to Address the Cost of Living, October 2025” lay for the information of the House of Assembly- The Hon. Alexa. N. H. Lightbourne, Minister of Home Affairs

“Road Traffic (Approved Speed Detection Devices) Order 2025” lay for the Information of the House of Assembly - The Hon. Owen K. Darrell, Minister of Tourism, Transport, Culture and Sport

“Clean Air Amendment Regulations 2025” lay for the Information of the House of Assembly - The Hon. Jache A. K. Adams, Minister of Public Works and Environment

(h) PETITIONS

(i) STATEMENTS BY MINISTERS AND JUNIOR MINISTERS

“Hurricane Melissa Relief Effort”- The Hon. E. David G. Burt, Premier and Minister of Finance

“Update on Progress to Address Bermuda’s Housing Crisis”- The Hon. Zane J. S. DeSilva, Deputy Premier and Minister of Housing and Municipalities

“Hurricane Response 2025”- The Hon. Michael A. Weeks, Minister of National Security

“Supporting Bermudian Workers”- The Hon. Jason P. Hayward, Minister of Economy and Labour

“Keeping Our Community Protected from Leptospirosis”-The Hon. Kim. N. Wilson, Minister of Health

“The Affordable Bermuda Agenda: Cost of Living Report”- The Hon. Alexa N. H. Lightbourne, Minister of Home Affairs

“Update on the Landlord and Tenant Act 2025”- The Hon. Alexa N. H. Lightbourne, Minister of Home Affairs

(j) REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

(k) QUESTION PERIOD

The Hon. E. D. G. Burt, Premier and Minister of Finance, to provide Written Responses to Parliamentary Questions from Dr. Douglas S. J. De Couto:

1. Will the Honourable Premier and Minister of Finance please provide for this Honourable House the aggregate amount of the first instalment CIT payments for the largest 5, 10, 25, and 50 CIT payers, where ‘largest’ is with respect to the size of each CIT payers first instalment payment, expressed as a percentage of the total aggregate first instalment payments received?
2. Will the Honourable Premier and Minister of Finance please provide for this Honourable House the percentage of the total of the first instalment of CIT payments, broken out by industry of the CIT payer, where industry is indicated on each CIT Payer’s Annual Declaration to the Registrar of Companies?

The Hon. Zane J. S. DeSilva, Deputy Premier and Minister of Housing and Municipalities, to provide Written Responses to Parliamentary Questions from the Hon. Michael M. Fahy:

1. Will the Honourable Minister please advise this Honourable House of the number of units at Bermudiana Beach Residences (broken down by each size of apartment i.e. studio, one bedroom, two bedroom, three bedroom) that are leased to Bermudians?
2. Will the Honourable Minister please advise this Honourable House of the number of units at Bermudiana Beach Residences (broken down by each size of apartment i.e. studio, one bedroom, two bedroom, three bedroom) that are leased and have been leased to non-Bermudian Government and non-Bermudian quango contractors, consultants and Public Servants?
3. Will the Honourable Minister please advise this Honourable House of the number of units at Bermudiana Beach Residences (broken down by each size of apartment i.e. studio, one bedroom, two bedroom, three bedroom) that are leased and have been leased to non-Bermudian Government and non-Bermudian quango contractors, consultants and public servants where the lease is or was subsidized or paid for by the Government of Bermuda or quango by way of a housing allowance, bonus or other contractual arrangement?

The Hon. Michael A. Weeks, Minister of National Security, to provide Oral Response to Parliamentary Question from the Hon. L. M. Robert King:

- *1. Will the Honourable Minister please inform this Honourable House what are the projected start/completion dates for the repair of the HM Customs and Immigration Dock located on Ordinance Island in St George’s, which has been unusable since 2024 as the Minister was informed by his technical staff in October 2024?

The Hon. Diallo V. S. Rabain, Spokesperson for Education, Minister for the Cabinet Office and Digital Innovation, to provide Written Responses to Parliamentary Questions from Mr. Ben A. Smith:

1. Will the Honourable Minister please provide a list of all public preschool, primary, middle, and senior schools along with the number of full-time guidance counsellors, occupational therapist and behavioural support staff currently assigned to each school?
2. Will the Honourable Minister please provide this Honourable House with the number of teachers, school leaders, and support staff who have received formal training in restorative practices and trauma-informed care as required under the 2025 Code of Conduct, including the type of training provided, the date(s) it was conducted, and the number of hours involved?
3. Will the Honourable Minister please provide this Honourable House with the current student-to-guidance counsellor, student to occupational therapist and student-to-behavioural support staff ratios for each school in the Bermuda Public School System?

The Hon. Jache A. K. Adams, Minister of National Security, to provide Written Response to Parliamentary Question from the Hon. L. M. Robert King:

1. Will the Honourable Minister please provide this Honourable House with a listing of the complaints the Ministry has received regarding noxious smells and sewage run off from the Greenland Farm operation, including sewage run off onto the Railway Trail which abuts the property and other neighboring properties, and sewage run off entering the interior of some homes, since the current operators (the Almeidas) took over the farm operation, broken down by date?

The Hon. Owen K. Darrell, Minister of Tourism, Transport, Culture and Sport, to provide Oral Responses to Parliamentary Questions from Mr. Dwayne V. Robinson:

- *1. Will the Honourable Minister please inform this Honourable House when a new National Road Safety Plan will be rolled out to the public?
- *2. Will the Honourable Minister please inform this Honourable House about any legislative or policy changes that have been recommended by the Bermuda Road Safety Council between October 2022 and October 2025?
- *3. Will the Honourable Minister please inform this Honourable House on the Government's strategy to reduce impaired driving in Bermuda?

The Hon. Owen K. Darrell, Minister of Tourism, Transport, Culture and Sport, to provide Oral Response to Parliamentary Question from Dr. Douglas S. J. De Couto:

- *1. Given the recent Pink Ferry breakdowns since the last session, will the Honourable Minister please advise this Honourable House whether or not the Ministry has a specific plan to modernize the Pink Ferry Service?

(I) CONGRATULATORY AND/OR OBITUARY SPEECHES

(m) MATTERS OF PRIVILEGE

(n) PERSONAL EXPLANATIONS

(o) NOTICE OF MOTION FOR THE ADJOURNMENT OF THE HOUSE ON MATTERS OF URGENT PUBLIC IMPORTANCE

(p) INTRODUCTION OF BILLS:

(I) GOVERNMENT BILLS

"Companies (Prohibition of Bearer Shares and Nominee Directors) Amendment Act 2025"- The Hon. E. David G. Burt, Premier and Minister of Finance

(II) OPPOSITION BILLS

(III) PRIVATE MEMBERS' BILLS

(q) NOTICES OF MOTION:

(r) ORDERS OF THE DAY:

- 1) Second Reading of the "Revenue Amendment Act 2025"
[Minister of National Security]
First Reading: 26th September 2025
- 2) Second Reading of the "Charities Amendment Act 2025"
[Minister of Youth, Social Development and Seniors]
First Reading: 26th September 2025
- 3) Second Reading of Opposition Bill "Absentee Voting Act 2025"
[Mr. Dwayne V. Robinson]
First Reading: 26th September 2025
- 4) Motion to be moved by Dr. Douglas S. J. De Couto notice of which was given on 26th September, 2025.

"That this Honourable House do take note of the opportunities, challenges, and risks to Bermuda arising from Bermuda's Corporate Income Tax."

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