



# **THE SENATE OF BERMUDA**

**(SESSION OF 2025 – 2026)**

## **ORDER OF BUSINESS**

**Sitting No. 15 – Wednesday, 26<sup>th</sup> November 2025**

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**SENATE CONVENES (10:00am)**

**1. PRAYERS**

**2. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES** – Minutes of 12<sup>th</sup> November 2025 to be confirmed

**3. MESSAGES**

**4. REPORTS OF COMMITTEES**

**5. ANNOUNCEMENTS**

“2021 Bermuda Hospitals Board Annual Report” – Senator Lauren F. Bell, Junior Minister of Health

“Fairmont Southampton Hotel and Resort Master Plan (Southampton Parish) Special Development Order 2025” – Senator Mischa G. Fubler, Junior Minister of Tourism, Transport, Culture and Sport

**6. NOTICES OF MOTION**

“Clean Air Amendment Regulations 2025” – Senator Mischa G. Fubler, Junior Minister of Public Works and Environment

**7. PETITIONS**

**8. STATEMENTS**

“Introduction of the Atlantic Child Advocacy Alliance” – Senator Lindsay K. Simmons, Junior Minister of Youth, Social Development and Seniors

**9. INTRODUCTION OF BILLS**

## **10. FIRST READING - PUBLIC BILLS**

“Companies (Prohibition of Bearer Shares and Nominee Directors) Amendment Act 2025”\*\*

## **11. FIRST READING - PRIVATE BILLS**

## **12. QUESTIONS/QUESTION PERIOD**

**Senator the Hon. Crystal C. Caesar, Spokesperson for Finance, to provide Written Response to a Parliamentary Question by Senator Victoria J. Cunningham.**

1. Can the Honourable Minister please provide the Senate a list broken down by public school listing the number and grade level of classes that are currently: (a) without a permanent teacher, (b) being taught by a long-term or short-term substitute, (c) being covered by other school staff outside their substantive role, or (d) combined with another class; and for each school, how long this arrangement has been in place, including the longest period any class has remained without a permanent classroom teacher?

**Senator the Hon. Crystal C. Caesar, Spokesperson for Finance, to provide Oral Response to Parliamentary Questions by Senator Victoria J. Cunningham.**

\*1. While Gifted & Talented Education is being reignited, can the Honourable Minister please provide the Senate an outline of the resources that are currently being invested to stabilise classroom teaching across the entire primary school system, given the widespread reports of prolonged vacancies, rotating substitutes, and classes without permanent teachers, issues that directly undermine students’ ability to meet grade-level expectations?

\*2. Can the Honourable Minister please inform the Senate what protections are being put in place for primary school students who may be falling behind because repeated teacher turnover and long-term reliance on substitutes have become systemic issues, resulting in inconsistent instruction across multiple schools?

## **13. ORDERS OF THE DAY**

[\*\*Items that may be considered under the Provisions of S.O. 25 or Suspension of S.O. 71(2)]

(1) Second Reading of the “Charities Amendment Act 2025” – Senator Lindsay K. Simmons, Junior Minister of Youth, Social Development and Seniors

(2) Second Reading of the “Companies (Prohibition of Bearer Shares and Nominee Directors) Amendment Act 2025” – Senator the Hon. Crystal C. Caesar, Minister of Education and Spokesperson for Finance

(3) Consideration of the “Clean Air Amendment Regulations 2025” – Senator Mischa G. Fubler, Junior Minister of Public Works and Environment

## **14. MOTIONS**

## **15. CONGRATULATORY &/OR OBITUARY SPEECHES**

## **16. ADJOURNMENT**