

BELIZE

No. 23/1/13

SENATE

Friday, 17th August 2018

9:33 A.M.

Pursuant to the direction of Mr. President, in writing, dated 8th August 2018, the Senate met in the National Assembly Chamber in Belmopan on Friday, 17th August 2018, at 9:33 A.M.

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Members Present:

Senator, the Honourable Lee Mark Chang – President
Senator, the Honourable Godwin Hulse – Leader of Government Business and Minister of Agriculture, Forestry, Fisheries, the Environment, Sustainable Development and Immigration
Senator, the Honourable Dr. Carla Barnett – Vice-President and Minister of State in the Ministry of Local Government, Labour and Rural Development
Senator, the Honourable Macario Coy Sr.
Senator, the Honourable Stephen Duncan
Senator, the Honourable Michel Chebat – Temporary Senator
Senator, the Honourable Elena Smith

Members Absent:

Senator, the Honourable Michael Peyrefitte – Attorney General
Senator, the Honourable Aldo Salazar
Senator, the Honourable Eamon Courtenay
Senator, the Honourable Valerie Woods
Senator, the Honourable Paul Thompson
Senator, the Honourable Markhelm Lizarraga
Senator, the Honourable Elena Smith
Senator, the Honourable Rev. Ashley Rocke
Senator, the Honourable Osmany Salas

MR. PRESIDENT *in the Chair*.

PRAYERS *by Senator Macario Coy Sr.*

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE OF A NEW SENATOR

The Clerk administered the Oath, in accordance with section 65 of the Belize Constitution, to the new Senator, the Honourable Michel Chebat.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE PRESIDENT

Mr. President made the following announcement:-

“Honourable Members, before we proceed to the Adjournment, I would like to inform you, Honourable Senators, that it has been indicated to me that it is the wish of the Honourable House of Representatives that the Honourable Senate join the House, this morning, for an address by Her Excellency Dr. Tsai Ing-Wen, President of the Republic of China (Taiwan).”

MOTION RELATING TO THE BUSINESS OR SITTINGS OF THE SENATE

The Leader of Government Business and Minister of Agriculture, Forestry, Fisheries, the Environment, Sustainable Development and Immigration moved that, at its rising, the Senate adjourn to a date to be fixed by the President.

Question put and agreed to.

ADJOURNMENT

The Leader of Government Business and Minister of Agriculture, Forestry, Fisheries, the Environment, Sustainable Development and Immigration moved that the Senate be adjourned.

Question was put and agreed to.

The Senate adjourned at 9:35 A.M. to a date to be fixed by the President.

PRESIDENT

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