

**BELIZE**

**No.7/1/15**

## **SENATE**

**Tuesday, 16<sup>th</sup> December 2025**

**9:00 A.M.**

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### SUPPLEMENTARY

### ORDERS OF THE DAY

**4. Bills brought from the House of Representatives.**

1. *Justices of the Peace (Amendment) Bill, 2025; and*
2. *Domestic Violence (Amendment) Bill, 2025.*

*(Leader of Government Business)*

**6. Papers.**

- No. 20/1/15 - Senate (Amendment) Standing Orders, 2025.
- No. 21/1/15 - Supplies Control (Price) (Amendment) (No.34) Regulations, 2025.
- No. 22/1/15 - Supplies Control (Price) (Amendment) (No.35) Regulations, 2025.
- No. 23/1/15 - Supplies Control (Price) (Amendment) (No.36) Regulations, 2025.
- No. 24/1/15 - Report of the Auditor General for the year April 2015 to March 2016.
- No. 25/1/15 - Customs and Excise Duties (Amendment of Schedule I) Order, 2025.

*(Leader of Government Business)*

**7. Presentation of Report from Select Committee.**

- No. 26/1/15 - Report from the Women's Parliamentary Caucus Standing Committee for the period July 2025 to December 2025.

*(Senator Janelle Chanona)*

**14. Public Business.**

**A. GOVERNMENT BUSINESS**

**I MOTIONS** *(For Text of Motions see  
Notice Paper attached)*

1. Amendment of Standing Orders of the Senate Motion, 2025.

2. Resolution to Adopt the Parliamentary Logo for the National Assembly of Belize Motion, 2025.

*(Leader of Government Business)*

**II BILLS FOR SECOND READING**

**III COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE SENATE ON MOTIONS AND BILLS**

**IV BILLS FOR THIRD READING**



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### **NOTICES OF QUESTIONS AND MOTIONS**

#### **MOTIONS**

**1. Amendment of Standing Orders of the Senate Motion, 2025.**

**WHEREAS**, on 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2021 by Statutory Instrument No. 34 of 2021, the Standing Orders of the Senate were amended to allow for the Senate to meet virtually in the interest of public health, public safety, national security or public emergency;

**AND WHEREAS**, in view of the increasing workload of Senate Committees and the attendant need to ensure flexibility and efficiency in the discharge of parliamentary functions, it is necessary to enable the Senate and its Committees to convene virtually for reasons of expediency;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that this Honourable Senate approves the amendment to the Standing Orders proposed in the draft Statutory Instrument annexed hereto and the Standing Orders of the Senate shall be and are hereby amended accordingly.

**2. Resolution to Adopt the Parliamentary Logo for the National Assembly of Belize Motion, 2025.**

**WHEREAS** the National Assembly of Belize is the cornerstone of the nation's democratic system and the embodiment of the people's will, and as the legislative branch of the Government of Belize, it is to be represented with the highest levels of dignity, authority and respect;

**AND WHEREAS** a new Parliamentary Logo has been created for the National Assembly of Belize to reflect the authority and identity of the country's legislative body;

**AND WHEREAS** Brand Manual Guidelines have been developed to establish a clear and consistent framework for the use of the National Assembly's logo, typeface, colours, and brand identity across all communications, ensuring integrity, professionalism, credibility and national representation;

**AND WHEREAS** the Cabinet Secretary, His Excellency Stuart Leslie, has advised the Speaker of the House of Representatives and Chair of the National Assembly Staff Committee, Honourable Valerie Woods, of the Honourable Prime Minister's and Cabinet's approval of the new logo and their support for its formal adoption;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that this Honourable Senate adopts the logo annexed to this Motion to be designated as the official Parliamentary Logo of the National Assembly of Belize;

**AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Clerk of the National Assembly shall be responsible for the management, safeguarding and authorised use of the Parliamentary Logo.

*(Leader of Government Business)*

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ANNEX

