## 4th SITTING OF THE 12TH SESSION ON FRIDAY, THE 14TH MARCH, 1997.

## Present

Pu Vaivenga, Speaker at the Chair, Chief Minister, 15 Ministers and 16 members were present.

## Question

 Questions entered in separate list to be asked and oral answers given.

Private Members' Business

Resolution

SPEAKER :

Defend the cause of the weak and fatherless, maintain the rights of the poor and opressed, Rescue the weak and needy, deliver them from the hand of the wicked.

Psalm 82:3-4

We shall take questions. Starred question No. 41 by Pu F. Malsawma and B. Lalthlengliana.

<u>PU</u> <u>B. LALTHLENGLIANA</u>: Pu Speaker, I ask starred question No. 41 Will the Hon'ble Minister in-charge Food and Civil Supplies Department be pleased to state-