

MIZORAM LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

BULLETIN PART I

(Brief Record of Proceedings)

(To supplement Bulletin Part I issue No. 15 dated 28.2.80)

Friday, the 29th February, 1980.

In Bulletin Part I issue No. 15 dated 28th February, 1980 the following items should be added-

“1 (A) Unstarred Question

Replies to Unstarred Question No.2 were laid on the Table.

4. Official Resolution

The Deputy Speaker who was in the Chair declared under sub-rule (2) of rule 125 of the Rules of Procedure that the Official Resolution standing in the name of Brig. Thenphunga Sailo, Chief Minister stood withdrawn as the Minister-in-charge was absent.”

L.C. THANGA
UNDER SECRETARY.

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10:30 A.M.

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1. Starred Question

Starred Questions Nos. 40 to 56 with supplementaries thereto were orally answered.

2. Unstarred Question

Replies to Unstarred Question No.3 were laid on the Table.

3. Message from Administrator

The Speaker read out a letter dated 28th Feb, 1980 from the Lieutenant Governor (Administrator) conveying his thanks to the Speaker and Members of the House for adopting his Address which he had delivered to the House on 22nd February, 1980.

4. Statement by a Minister

- (i) Brig. Thenphunga Sailo, Chief Minister made a statement in response to a call made by Pu Joe Ngurdawla under rule 57 of the Rules of Procedure on 27.2.80 on the relief measures to be taken by the Government for drought victims in Mizoram.
- (ii) Brig. Thenphunga Sailo, Chief Minister made a statement under rule 58 of the Rules of Procedure on the firing that occurred near

Kawnpui Villae on the 27th February, 1980 where six persons including one minor were killed and four others were injured.

5. Announcement by the Speaker

The Speaker enumerated and announced the number of Questions (Starred, unstarred and short notice) received, admitted and replied on the floor of the House. Under rule 50 A of the Rules of Procedure Ministers concerned explained on the floor of the House the reasons for not sending replies to some questions.

6. Private Members' Business (Resolution)

(i) Pu Ngurchhina moved the following resolution-

“This Assembly is of the opinion that a separate Service to be known as Mizoram Police Service be created in Mizoram”.

The following members took part in the discussion-

(1) Brig. Thenphunga Sailo, Chief Minister

(2) Pu F.Malsawma, Minister

(3) Pu K.Lalsanga.

(4) Pu Bualhranga

(5) Pu Sainghaka

The motion was put to the vote of the House and was adopted unanimously.

(ii) Pu c.Vulluaia moved the following resolution-

“This Assembly recommends that the Community Hall now under construction on the site of the Aizawl Theatre Hall be called after Vana Pa, one of the most honoured heroes among Mizos and henceforward be named “VANA PA HALL.”

Pu Saikapthianga in course of the debate proposed amendment that the words “VANA PA HALL” be amended as “VANA PA RUN”.

The following members took part in the discussion-

- (1) Pu J.H.Rothuama
- (2) Pu Ellis Saidenga
- (3) Pi L.Thanmawii
- (4) Pu Bualhranga
- (5) Pu J.Thankunga
- (6) Pu C.L.Ruala
- (7) Pu L.Piandenga
- (8) Pu B.Lalchungnunga
- (9) Pu P.Lalupa

The motion was put to the vote of the House and was adopted without amendment.

(iii) Pu J.Thankunga moved the following resolution-

“This Assembly is of the opinion that Phaitlang Ram be taken up by Agriculture Department under integrated Rural Development Scheme for permanent cultivation from 1980-81 financial year”.

Pu J.Thankunga moved an amendment as follows-

“This Assembly is of the opinion that Phaitlang Ram be taken up by Agriculture Department for permanent cultivation from 1980-81 financial year.”

The following members took part in the discussion-

- (1) Pu Lalthanzauva
- (2) Pu C.L.Ruala
- (3) Pu P.B. Rosanga, Minister
- (4) Pu J.H.Rothuama
- (5) Pu C.Vulluaia
- (6) Pu Ngurchhina
- (7) Pu Lalhmingthanga, Minister.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and adopted in an

- (iv) Pu Lalthanzauva moved the following resolution/form

“This Assembly resolves that construction of Hospital Building be taken up with immediate effect at Kulikawn, Aizawl, on the site acquired for the purpose by the Government of Mizoram.”

Pu Sainghaka proposed an amendment as follows-

“This Assembly resolves that construction of Regional Institute for Physically Handicapped be taken up by N.E.C. with immediate effect at Kulikawn, Aizawl, on the site acquired for the purpose of convalescence Home by the Government of Mizoram.”

The following members took part in the discussion-

- (1) Pu P.B.Rosanga, Minister
- (2) Pu C.L.Ruala
- (3) Pu J.Thankunga
- (4) Pu Lalhmingthanga, Minister
- (5) Pu C.Vulluaia.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and was adopted in the following amended form-

“This Assembly resolves that construction of Regional Institute for Physically Handicap be taken up with immediate effect at Kulikawn, Aizawl, on the site acquired for the purpose of Convalescence by the Government of Mizoram.”

(v) Pu C.Vulluaia, owed the following resolution-

“This Assembly recommends that a special fund under a separate head be made available for meeting the requirements of youths, for example, recreational halls, purchase of musical instruments, petromax, etc., so that their leisure may be utilized for creative indoor and outdoor activities for the gifted youths to improve their talents further”.

Pu C.Vulluaia moved an amendment as follows-

“This Assembly recommends that more fund be made available for meeting the requirements of youths, for example, recreational halls, purchase of musical instruments, petromax etc., so that their leisure may be utilized for creative indoor and outdoor activities for the gifted youths to improve their talents further”.

The following members took part in the discussion-

- (1) Pu Sainghaka
- (2) Pu J.Thankunga
- (3) Pu L.Piandenga
- (4) Pu Saikapthianga
- (5) Pu c.L.Ruala
- (6) Pu F.Malsawma, Minister.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and was adopted in an amended form as follows-

“This Assembly recommends that more fund be made available for meeting the requirements of youths, for example, recreational halls, purchase of musical instruments, petromax, etc., so that their leisure may be utilized for creative indoor and outdoor activities for the gifted youths to improve their talents further.”

(vi) Pu L.Piandenga moved the following resolution-

“This Assembly is of the opinion that an appeal be made to the Government employees, greet and shall and at the same time impress them to work dutifully and honestly in their respective responsibilities so that the development works proposed by the Government may be done expeditiously.”

The following members took part in the discussion-

- (1) Pu C.L.Ruala
- (2) Pu Sainghaka
- (3) Pu F.Malsawma, Minister
- (4) Pu Saikapthianga
- (5) Pu Ngurchhina
- (6) Pu C.Vulluaia
- (7) Brig. T.Sailo, Chief Minister
- (8) Pu Hiphei
- (9) Pu P.B.Rosanga
- (10) Pu Lalhmingthanga, Minister
- (11) Pu J.Thankunga
- (12) Pu P.Lalupa
- (13) Pi K.Thansiami

Leave having been granted by the House, the resolution was withdrawn by the mover.

(vii) Pu J.Thankunga moved the following resolution-

“This Assembly is of the opinion that whereas under Article 46 of the Constitution of India, the State shall promote special care, among other matters, the economics interest of the weaker section of the people and in particular of the Scheduled Tribes;

And whereas, the Government of Assam had been allowing certain concession in regard to the settlements of contracts, permits, fisheries, ferries, forest mahals, toll, supply of all materials and

articles to Government etc. to safeguard the economic interests of the Scheduled Tribes;

And whereas, the Government of Mizoram has in their order No. HG. 61/73/12 dated 5th December, 1973 continued such concessions with certain modifications;

And whereas, the said order is not very clear in certain respects;

Now, therefore, this House resolves that;

- (1) In respect of auction or tenders which are settled at the lowest bid the auction or tender may be settled on a Scheduled Tribe 12 percent above the lowest bid, and
- (2) In the case of auctions or tender, settled on the highest bid the auction or tender may be settled on Scheduled Tribes at 12 percent below the highest bid.
- (3) Paragraph 3 of the said order relating to persons registered outside may be omitted”.

Pu J.Thankunga moved an amendment as follows-

“This Assembly is of the opinion that whereas, under article 46 of the Constitution of India, the State shall promote special care, among other matters, the economic interest of the weaker section of the people and in particular of the Scheduled Tribes;

And whereas, the Government of Assam had been allowing certain concession in regard to the settlement of contracts, permits, fisheries, ferries, forest mahals, tolls etc. to safeguard the economic interests of the Scheduled Tribe;

And whereas, the Government of Mizoram has in their Order No.HG. 61/73/12 dated 5th Dec. 1973 continued such concessions with certain modifications;

And whereas, the said order is not very clear in certain respect;

However, therefore, this House resolves that-

- (i) The existing concession by which the Schedule Tribes are required to deposit only 50 percent of the prescribed Earnest money will continue.
- (ii) (a) In respect of works and contracts when they are settled on the basis of tender quotations they should be settled with candidates belonging to Scheduled Tribes upto a limit of 12 percent above the lowest tender/offers in any such case, subject to suitability of the person and his ability to perform the task satisfactorily.

(c) In case of carriage contracts the limit of preferential treatment as stipulated in
(ii) (a) above, will be 10 percent.

2. All persons who are not permanent resident of Mizoram will be required to have a registered office/sub-office in Mizoram and the person in-charge of the local office will have all the necessary powers of attorney from the proprietor so that in case of any dispute, it is settled in the local court”.

The following members took part in the discussion-

- (1) Pu Lalthanzauva
- (2) Pu Ngurchhina
- (3) Pu Lalhmingthanga, Minister

The motion was put to the vote of the House and was adopted in an amended form.

4:35 P.M.

The Chairman adjourned the House sine die.

L.C.THANGA
Under Secretary.