



BERMUDA HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY

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Sitting No. 14 -- Friday, 9th March, 2012

Order of Business

(c) Prayers

(d) Oath or Affirmation of New Member

(e) Confirmation of Minutes

*Confirmation of Minutes- 5th March, 2012
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(f) Messages from the Governor

(g) Announcements by the Speaker or Member presiding

News Release by Commonwealth Parliamentary Association on International Women's Day.

(h) Messages from the Senate

(i) Papers and other communications to the House

(j) Petitions

(k) Statements by Ministers and/or Junior Ministers

Benefits of Health Screening – Hon. Z. DeSilva – Deferred.

(l) Reports of Committees

(m) Question Period

*Written responses from Hon. M.A. Weeks concerning GP cars.
Written responses from Premier- Hon. P.A. Cox concerning consultants in the
Ministry of Finance*

(n) Congratulatory and/or Obituary speeches

(o) Matters of Privilege

(p) Personal explanations

(q) Notice of motions for the Adjournment of the House on matters of urgent public importance

(r) Introduction of Bills

(i) Government Bills

(ii) Opposition Bills

(iii) Private Member's Bills

(s) Notices of Motion

(t) *ORDERS OF THE DAY*

1. Resumption in Committee of Supply for further consideration of the Estimates of Revenue and Expenditure for the Year 2012/2013.

[Premier/Minister of Finance]

Tabled: February 24, 2012

2. Second Reading:

The Land Tax Amendment Act 2012

[Premier/Minister of Finance]

First Reading: March 5, 2012

(Governor's Recommendation Signified)

3. Second Reading:

The Stamp Duties Amendment Act 2012

[Premier/Minister of Finance]

First Reading: March 7, 2012

(Governor's Recommendation Signified)

4. **Consideration of Supplementary Estimate No. 3 for Financial Year 2010/2011
[Premier/Minister of Finance]
Tabled: March 7, 2012**

5. **Motion to be moved by Mr. G. A. Blakeney, notice of which was given on 17th
February, 2012:**

“That this Honourable House take note of whether shared parenting legislation should be introduced in Bermuda to strengthen families which would be based upon balanced criteria and appropriately address the concerns and rights of parents and their children.”

6. **Motion to be moved by Mr. E. T. Richards, notice of which was given on 25th
November, 2011:**

“That this Honourable House take note of the significant finding highlighted in the Business Bermuda Report entitled “U.S. – Bermuda Economic Relations: Economic Impact Study 2011 and the implications for Bermuda’s workforce, economy and long-term sustainability.”

7. **Motion to be moved by Mr. H. K. E. Swan, notice of which was given on 18th
November, 2011:**

“That this Honourable House take note of the diminished open spaces in Bermuda and resolve to develop strategies that will reverse the current trend to ensure that future generations enjoy a greener Bermuda that is far more environmentally healthy.”

8. **Motion to be moved by Mr. H. K. E. Swan, notice of which was given on 2nd
December, 2011:**

“That this Honourable House take note of the merits of our Parliament adopting a Code of Conduct and the role that a political Ombudsman could play in Bermuda.”

9. **Motion to be moved by Mr. H. K. E. Swan, notice of which was given on 2nd
December, 2011:**

“That this Honourable House take note of the benefits of establishing a Truth and Reconciliation Commission to address the existence of racism and encourage the people of Bermuda to work towards overcoming the legacy of our past.”

10. **Motion to be moved by Mr. C. F. B Swan, notice of which was given on 10th February, 2012:**

That this Honourable House take note of the Special Report by the Ombudsman entitled “Today’s Choices: Tomorrow’s Costs: The Ombudsman for Bermuda’s Systemic Investigation into the Process and Scope of Analysis for Special Development Orders.”