

TENTH KERALA LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

RESUME
OF
BUSINESS TRANSACTED
DURING THE
FOURTEENTH SESSION

2/1605/2001/MC.

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Speaker:

Shri M. Vijayakumar

Deputy Speaker:

Shri C.A. Kurian

Council of Ministers:

Shri E.K. Nayanar (Chief Minister)
,, V.P. Ramakrishna Pillai (Minister for Irrigation and Labour)
,, E. Chandrasekharan Nair (Minister for Food, Tourism and Law)
,, K.E. Ismail (Minister for Revenue)
,, P.J. Joseph (Minister for Education and Works)
,, Paloly Mohammed Kutty (Minister for Local Self Government
Department)
,, K. Radhakrishnan (Minister for Welfare of Backward and
Scheduled Communities)
,, Krishnan Kaniyamparambil (Minister for Agriculture)
,, T. K. Ramakrishnan (Minister for Fisheries and Rural
Development)
,, C. K. Nanu (Minister for Forests and Transport)
,, V. C. Kabeer (Minister for Health and Sports)
,, T. Sivadasa Menon (Minister for Finance)
Smt. Suseela Gopalan (Minister for Industries and Social Welfare)
Shri S. Sarma (Minister for Electricity and Co-operation).

Leader of the House:

Shri E. K. Nayanar

Leader of Opposition:

Shri A. K. Antony

Secretary (In-charge):

*Shri K. Gopalakrishnan Unnithan

*Retired on 30-6-2000 and Dr. N. K. Jayakumar took charge as
Secretary w.e.f. 30-6-2000 A.N.

TENTH KERALA LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

Date of commencement	:	June 19, 2000
Date of Adjournment	:	July 17, 2000
Date of Prorogation	:	July 22, 2000 (At the conclusion of the sitting)
Number of Sitzings	:	9 days (Nine)

Party position as on June 19, 2000

Communist Party of India (Marxist)	..	40
Indian National Congress	..	36
Communist Party of India	..	18
Muslim League	..	13
Kerala Congress	..	6
Kerala Congress (M)	..	5
Janatha Dal	..	4
Nationalist Congress Party	..	3
*Revolutionary Socialist Party (Baby John)	..	3
Revolutionary Socialist Party	..	2
Kerala Congress (Jacob)	..	2
Kerala Congress (B)	..	1
Janadhipathya Samrakshana Samithi	..	1
Independents	..	6
		140
Speaker	..	1
Total:	..	141

*Recognised as Revolutionary Socialist Party of Kerala (Bolshevik) on June 20, 2000.

**RESUME OF BUSINESS TRANSACTED DURING THE
FOURTEENTH SESSION OF TENTH KERALA
LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY**

The summons for the Fourteenth Session of the Tenth Kerala Legislative Assembly was issued on 3-6-2000. The Session commenced at 8.30 a.m. on June 19, 2000 and adjourned sine-die at 1.15 p.m. on July 17, 2000. During the Session Assembly met on the following days: June 17, 20, 21, 22, 23, 26, 27, 28, July 17, 2000 (9 days). The House transacted business for 18 hours 32 mts.

On June 28, 2000 Shri E. K. Nayanar, Chief Minister and Leader of the House suggested that the policy of opposition from the commencement of the session is that of obstructing the proceedings of the House and hence the House may adjourn for the day and reassemble on July 17, 2000. The suggestion was accepted by the House, on July 17, 2000. When the Thirty-third Report of the BAC was taken up for consideration, the members belonging to the opposition continued the shouting of slogans in the well of House. As it was not possible to conduct the Business of the House as per the schedule of the BAC, the House adopted the following resolution moved by the Chief Minister:

“നിയമസഭാ നടപടികൾ സുഗമമായി നടത്തിക്കൊണ്ടുപോകുന്നതിന് സഹായകമല്ലാത്ത സ്ഥിതിവിശേഷം സംജാതമായിരിക്കുന്നതിനാൽ സഭ അംഗീകരിച്ച കാര്യോപദേശക സമിതിയുടെ മൂപ്പത്തിമൂന്നാമത് റിപ്പോർട്ടിലെ ശുപാർശകൾ ഭേദഗതി ചെയ്ത് ഉപധനാഭ്യർത്ഥനകൾ ഉൾപ്പെടെയുള്ള ധനകാര്യബിസിനസ്സുകൾ ഇന്നുതന്നെ പരിഗണനയ്ക്കെടുത്ത് പാസാക്കുന്ന തിനാവശ്യമായ നടപടികൾ സ്വീകരിക്കണമെന്ന് ഈ സഭ തീരുമാനിക്കുന്നു.”

Subsequently, all the remaining Demands were guillotined and the Kerala Appropriation (No. 2) Bill, 2000 and the Kerala Appropriation (No. 3) Bill, 2000 were introduced, taken up for consideration and passed. The Kerala Finance Bill, 2000 was also taken up for consideration and passed. The House then adjourned sine-die.

Panel of Chairman:

The following members were nominated to the panel of Chairmen for the session:

Shri K. Narayanakurup
" T. K. Balan
" K. Prakash Babu

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Questions:

Details regarding the number of questions received, number of questions answered on the floor of the House etc. are given in Appendix I.

Adjournment Motion:

No adjournment motion was admitted during the Session. Details of adjournment motions in respect of which consent was withheld after hearing the views of the Ministers concerned on the floor of the House are given in Appendix II.

Calling Attention:

During the session two statements were made by Ministers Under Rule 62, details of which are given in Appendix III.

Papers Laid on the Table:

Details of papers laid on the Table are given in Appendix IV.

Presentation of Reports:

The following Reports were presented on the dates noted against each:

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|---|-----------------|
| 1. Fifth Report of the Subject Committee I to X on the Scrutiny of Demands for Grants | : June 19, 2000 |
| 2. Thirty fifth Report of the Committee on Private Members' Bills and Resolutions | : June 22, 2000 |
| 3. Thirty third Report of the Business Advisory Committee | |
| 4. Select Committee Report on the Kerala Sports Bill, 1999 | |
| 5. Subject Committee Report on the Kerala Motor Transport Workers Welfare Fund (Amendment) Bill, 2000 | July 17, 2000 |
| 6. Periodical Reports of the Subject Committee I to X for the year 1998-99 | |
| 7. Fifty eighth Report of the Committee on Public Undertakings | |
| 8. Nineteenth Report of the Committee on Petitions | |

Consideration of Report:

On July 17, 2000 the Thirty third Report of the Business Advisory Committee was adopted by the House.

Recognition of the Revolutionary Socialist Party of Kerala (Bolshevik) Legislature Party:

On June 20, 2000 the Speaker informed the House that the Revolutionary Socialist Party (Baby John) Legislature Party has been recognised as Revolutionary Socialist Party of Kerala (Bolshevik) Legislature Party.

Starred Questions and their answers in Legislature Secretariat domestic website:

On July 17, 2000 Speaker informed the House that Starred Questions and their answers had been made available in the Legislature Secretariat domestic website.

Statement Under Rule 300:

On June 26, 2000. Shri Paloli Mohammed Kutty, Minister for Local Self Government Department laid on the Table a statement Under Rule 300 regarding the achievements secured under the Peoples' Plan.

On July 17, 2000 Shri E. K. Nayanar, Chief Minister laid a statement Under Rule 300 on the Report of R. Gopalakrishna Pillai Commission of Inquiry regarding communal clashes on May 14 and July 10, 1995 at Vizhinjam and the action taken by the Government thereon.

Motion for extension of time:

On July 17, 2000 Shri V. C. Kabeer, Minister for Health and Sports moved that the time for the presentation of the Report of the Select Committee on the Kerala Sports Bill, 1999 be extended till July 17, 2000.

Suspension of Rule for the consideration of the Kerala Finance, Bill, 2000:

On July 17, 2000 the House adopted the following resolution moved by Shri T. Sivadasa Menon, Minister for Finance, with the consent of the Speaker.

“2000-ലെ കേരള ധനകാര്യബില്ലിന്റെ കാര്യത്തിൽ കേരള നിയമസഭയുടെ നടപടിക്രമവും കാര്യനിർവഹണവും സംബന്ധിച്ച ചട്ടങ്ങളിലെ 76-ാം ചട്ടം സസ്പെൻഡ് ചെയ്യണമെന്നുള്ള പ്രമേയം 313-ാം ചട്ടപ്രകാരം ഞാൻ അവതരിപ്പിക്കുന്നു.”

Statement Under Rule 236(3):

Under Rule 236(3) the following statements were laid on the Table on the dates noted against them.

1.	Demand No.	II--Heads of States, Ministers and Head- quarters Staff	} June 20, 2000
2.	Demand No.	XXXVII--Industries ..	June 21, 2000
3.	Demand No.	XXVII--Co-operation ..	June 22, 2000
4.	Demand No.	XII--Police	} June 26, 2000
5.	Demand No.	XIII--Jails	
6.	Demand No.	III--Administration of Justice	
7.	Demand No.	XIV--Stationery and Printing and other Administrative Services	
8.	Demand No.	XXII--Urban Development	} June 27, 2000
	Demand No.	XXXV--Panchayat	
9.	Demand No.	VI--Land Revenue	} June 28, 2000
10.	Demand No.	XI--District Administration and Miscellaneous	
11.	Demand No.	XX--Water Supply and Sanitation	} July 17, 2000
12.	Demand No.	XXIV--Labour and Labour Welfare	
13.	Demand No.	XXXVIII--Irrigation	
14.	Demand No.	XXV--Social Welfare including Welfare of Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and other Backward Classes	
15.	Demand No.	XXIX--Agriculture	
16.	Demand No.	XV--Public Works	
17.	Demand No.	XVII--Education, Sports, Art and Culture	
18.	Demand No.	XXI--Housing	

Legislative Business

I. Bills Passed:

The following Bills were taken into consideration and passed by the Assembly during the Fourteenth Session:

<i>Title of the Bill</i>	<i>Date of Passing</i>
1. The Kerala Appropriation (No. 2) Bill, 2000	17-7-2000
2. The Kerala Appropriation (No. 3) Bill, 2000	17-7-2000
3. The Kerala Finance Bill, 2000	17-7-2000

The salient features of the above Bills are given in the Appendix V.

II. Bill Referred to Subject Committee:

The Kerala Motor Transport Workers Welfare Fund (Amendment) Bill, 2000 was introduced in the Assembly on 19-6-2000 and was referred to Subject Committee VII—Food, Housing and Labour on the same day. The report of the Subject Committee on this Bill was presented by the Minister for Food, Tourism and Law on 17-7-2000.

III. Presentation of Select Committee Report:

The Report of the Select Committee on the Kerala Sports Bill, 1999 was presented by the Minister for Health and Sports on 17-7-2000.

Financial Business

1. Budget for 2000-2001:

The Discussion and Voting on the Demands for Grants for the Financial Year 2000-2001 was commenced on 20th June, 2000. 13 days were allotted for the discussion on the Demands for Grants. But only 7 days were taken for the purpose because 34 Demands for Grants were passed without any discussion. 9 Demands were guillotined on 17th July, 2000.

Statements required Under Rule 236 (3) of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Kerala Legislative Assembly, were laid on the table by the Minister for Finance in respect of the Demands concerned.

The Kerala Appropriation (No. 2) Bill, 2000 in respect of the Budget for the year 2000-2001 was introduced in the Assembly on 17th July, 2000 and was taken into consideration and passed without discussion on the same day.

2. *Supplementary Demands for Grants for the year 2000-2001:*

On 17th July, 2000 Shri T. Sivadasa Menon, Minister for Finance laid the Supplementary Demands for Grants for the year 2000-2001 in the House. The Kerala Appropriation (No. 3) Bill, 2000 in respect of Supplementary Demands for Grants for the year 2000-2001 was taken into consideration and passed without discussion on the same day.

Visitors:

The number of persons who witnessed the proceedings of the Assembly during the Session was as follows:

Public Gallery	853
Speakers' Gallery	735
Distinguished Visitors' Gallery	5

Termination of the Session:

The Fourteenth Session of the Tenth Kerala Legislative Assembly was prorogued with effect from July 17, 2000 at the conclusion of its sitting vide Notification No. 683/Table.1/2000/Leg. dated 22-7-2000. Though the Session was originally scheduled to meet till August 3, 2000 at met till July 17, 2000.

DR. N. K. JAYAKUMAR,
Secretary.

APPENDICES

APPENDIX I

**Details of Questions asked by Members and answers received during
the 14th Session of the Tenth Kerala Legislative Assembly**

Period From 19-6-2000 to 17-7-2000

1.	Total No. of notices of Questions received	..	5812
2.	Total No. of notices of Questions admitted	..	4626
3.	Total No. of notices of Starred Questions admitted	..	1468
4.	Total No. of notices of Unstarred Questions admitted	..	3158
5.	Total No. of Starred Questions clubbed	..	344
6.	Total No. of Unstarred Questions clubbed	..	559
7.	No. of Disallowed questions	..	1186
8.	No. of Starred Questions in the printed list	..	380
9.	No. of Unstarred Questions in the printed list	..	1805
10.	No. of Questions answered on the floor	..	33
11.	No. of Short notice Questions received	..	Nil
12.	No. of notices for half-an-hour discussion received	..	Nil
13.	Total No. of Questions (Starred & Unstarred)	..	2185
14.	Total No. answers received as on 17-7-2000	..	1889
15.	No. of answers to be received	..	296

There was no Sitting on 29-6-2000, 30-6-2000, 4-7-2000 and 5-7-2000.

APPENDIX II
ADJOURNMENT MOTIONS

Consent withheld after hearing the Ministers concerned:

Sl. No.	Date	Name of Member who gave notice	Minister who has heard	Subject
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1.	Monday, June 19, 2000	Shri T. M. Jacob and six other members	Minister for Education and Works	The serious situation reported to have arisen due to the difficulties being faced by the students and parents consequent on the sanctioning of Plus Two Schools without adhering to any norms.
2.	Tuesday, June 20, 2000	Shri G. Karthikeyan and four other members	Chief Minister and the Revenue Minister	The serious situation reported to be prevailing in Kattakkada and Boncaud consequent on Starvation deaths.
3.	Thursday, June 22, 2000	Shri Babu Divakaran and four other members	Minister for Fisheries and Cultural Affairs (on behalf of the Chief Minister)	The serious situation reported to have arisen consequent on the reported pelting of stones by CPM workers to a meeting convened by RSP (B) at Perumpuzha in Kollam District.
4.	Monday, July 17, 2000	Shri Oommen Chandy and six other members	Minister for Education and Works and the Chief Minister	The serious situation reported to have arisen consequent on the High Court order on the sanctioning of plus two courses violating the guidelines and norms prescribed by Government during the current year.

APPENDIX III
CALLING ATTENTION

2/1603/2001/M.C.

<i>Sl. No.</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Name of Member who gave the notice</i>	<i>Minister who made the statement</i>	<i>Subject</i>
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1.	Monday June 19, 2000	Shri C. K. Rajendran	Minister for Revenue	The necessity to provide relief to the dependents of those who lost their lives in the monsoon havoc in the State.
2.	Tuesday, June 20, 2000	Shri Sathyan Mokeri	Minister for Agriculture	The necessity to procure coconut directly from farmers by 'KERAFED'. The Minister made a statement thereto.

APPENDIX III
CALLING ATTENTION

2/1003/2501/M.C.

Sl. No.	Date	Name of Member who gave the notice	Minister who made the statement	Subject
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1.	Monday June 19, 2000	Shri C. K. Rajendran	Minister for Revenue	The necessity to provide relief to the dependents of those who lost their lives in the monsoon havoc in the State.
2.	Tuesday, June 20, 2000	Shri Sathyan Mokeri	Minister for Agriculture	The necessity to procure coconut directly from farmers by 'KERAFED'. The Minister made a statement thereto.

APPENDIX IV

PAPERS LAID ON THE TABLE

The following papers were laid on the Table on the dates noted below:

June 19, 2000

1. Notification No. 12200/SSA2/2000/Home dated 10th March, 2000 (S.R.O. No. 225/2000).
2. G. O. (MS) No. 49/2000/Home dated 13th March, 2000 (S.R.O. No. 242/2000 and S.R.O. No. 243/2000).
3. Notification No. 7700/SSA2/2000/Home dated 23rd March, 2000 (S.R.O. No. 267/2000).
4. G. O. (MS) No. 48/2000/Home dated 13th March, 2000 (S.R.O. No. 269/2000).
5. Annual Report of Meat Products of India Limited for the year 1996-97 together with statement showing the reasons for delay in submitting the same.
6. G.O. (Rt.) No. 1003/2000/RD. dated 21st February, 2000 (S.R.O. No. 168/2000).
7. The Cochin University of Science and Technology (Amendment) Ordinance 2000 (Ordinance No. 7 of 2000).
8. G. O. (P) No. 110/2000/G.Edn. dated 3rd April, 2000 (S.R.O. No. 314/2000).
9. Annual Accounts of University of Kerala for the year 1998-99.
10. Annual Accounts of University of Calicut for the year 1998-99.
11. Annual Report of Mahatma Gandhi University for the year 1995 and 1996 together with statements showing the reasons for delay in submitting the same.
12. Annual Report of Kerala School Teachers and Non Teaching Staff Welfare Corporation Limited for the year 1993-94 together with statement showing the reasons for delay in submitting the same.

13. Annual Report of The Plantation Corporation of Kerala Limited for the year 1997-98 together with statement showing the reasons for delay in submitting the same.
14. Annual Report and abridged Version (in Malayalam) of Kerala Agricultural University for the year 1998-99.
15. Annual Report and Accounts of Kerala Agro Machinery Corporation Limited for the year 1998-99 together with statement showing the reasons for delay in submitting the same.
16. G.O. (P) No. 118/99/LAD. dated 17th June, 1999 (S.R.O. No. 767/99) together with statement showing the reasons for delay in submitting the same.
17. G. O. (P) No. 104/2000/LSGD. dated 7th April, 2000 (S.R.O. No. 315/2000).
18. G.O. (Ms No. 81/2000/RD. dated 29th March, 2000 (S.R. O. No. 283/2000).
19. The Kerala Forest (Vesting and Management of Ecologically Fragile Lands) Ordinance, 2000 (Ordinance No. 6 of 2000).
20. G.O. (P) No. 26/99 dated 9th September, 1999 (S.R.O. No. 756/99) together with statement showing the reasons for delay in submitting the same.
21. G. O. (P) No. 6/2000/Tran. dated 24th February, 2000 (S.R.O. No. 176/2000).
22. G. O. (P) No. 16/2000/F&WLD. dated 18th March, 2000 (S.R.O. No. 341/2000).
23. G.O. (P) No. 20/2000/F&WLD. dated 3rd April, 2000 (S.R.O. No. 348/2000).
24. G.O. (P) No. 21/2000/F&WLD. dated 10th April, 2000 (S.R.O. No. 384/2000).
25. G. O. (P) No. 22/2000/F&WLD. dated 10th April, 2000 (S.R.O. No. 385/2000);
26. Annual Accounts of Kerala Transport Development Finance Corporation Limited for the year 1997-98 together with statement showing the reasons for delay in submitting the same.

27. Annual Report and Accounts of The Kerala State Development Corporation for Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes Limited for the year 1991-92 together with statement showing the reasons for delay in submitting the same.
28. The Kerala Motor Transport Workers' Welfare Fund (Amendment) Ordinance, 2000 (Ordinance No. 5 of 2000).
29. Notification No. 4769/CAD1/2000/Ir. D. dated 27th March, 2000 (S.R.O. No. 288/2000).
30. G. O. (P) No. 138/99/Co-op. dated 22nd September 1999 (S. R. O. No. 863/99) together with statement showing the reasons for delay in submitting the same.
31. G. O. (P) No. 13/2000/Co-op. dated 18th January, 2000 (S.R.O. No. 141/2000).
32. G. O. (P) No. 38/2000/Co-op. dated 6th March, 2000 (S.R.O. No. 215/2000).
33. G. O. (P) No. 40/2000/Co-op. dated 8th March, 2000 (S.R.O. No. 230/2000).
34. G. O. (P) No. 39/2000/Co-op. dated 6th March, 2000 (S.R.O. No. 232/2000).
35. G. O. (P) No. 57/2000/Co-op. dated 25th March, 2000 (S.R.O. No. 271/2000).
36. G. O. (P) No. 54/2000/Co-op. dated 25th March, 2000 (S.R.O. No. 302/2000).
37. G. O. (P) No. 53/2000/Co-op. dated 25th March, 2000 (S.R.O. No. 304/2000).
38. G. O. (P) No. 72/2000/Co-op. dated 4th April, 2000 (S.R.O. No. 327/2000).
39. G. O. (P) No. 66/2000/Co-op. dated 30th March, 2000 (S.R.O. No. 329/2000).
40. G. O. (P) No. 77/2000/Co-op. dated 24th April, 2000 (S.R.O. No. 387/2000).
41. G. O. (P) No. 69/2000/TD. dated 17th April, 2000 (S.R.O. No. 355/2000).

42. Consolidated Report of Local Fund Audit Department for the year 1999.
43. Recommendation of Kerala Women's Commission.
44. Annual Report of Kerala Women's Commission for the year 1997-98 together with statement showing the reasons for delay in submitting the same.
45. Annual Report of the Travancore-Cochin Chemicals Limited for the year 1998-99 together with statement showing the reasons for delay in submitting the same.
46. Annual Report and Accounts of the Kerala State Cashew Development Corporation Limited for the year 1993-94 together with statement showing the reasons for delay in submitting the same.
47. Annual Report of Keltron Power Devices Limited for the year 1993-94, 1994-95 and 1995-96 together with statements showing the reasons for delay in submitting the same.
48. Annual Report of Scooters Kerala Limited for the year 1994-95 together with statement showing the reasons for delay in submitting the same.
49. Annual Report of Kerala State Electronics Development Corporation Limited for the year 1995-96 together with statement showing the reasons for delay in submitting the same.

The following Papers were relaid

1. G. O. (Rt.) No. 433/2000 Home. dated 4th February, 2000 (S.R.O. No. 120/2000).
2. G. O. (P) No. 25/2000/Vig. dated 18th February, 2000 (S.R.O. No. 149/2000).
3. G. O. (P) No. 6/2000/P&ARD. dated 14th February, 2000 (S.R.O. No. 202/2000).
4. G. O. (P) No. 151/99/AD. dated 9th June, 1999 (S.R.O. No. 593/99) and G. O. (P) No. 200/98/AD. dated 19th September, 1998 (S. R. O. No. 909/98).
5. G. O. (P) No. 64/2000/LSGD. dated 21st February, 2000 (S.R.O. No. 158/2000).

6. G. O. (Mt) No. 70/2000/LSGD. dated 1st March, 2000 (S.R.O. No. 205/2000).
7. G. O. (Rt.) No. 705/2000/RD. dated 5th February, 2000 (S.R.O. No. 121/2000).
8. G. O. (P) No. 10/2000/F&WLD. dated 13th January, 2000 (S.R.O. No. 93/2000).
9. G. O. (P) No. 14/2000/F&WLD. dated 5th February, 2000 (S.R.O. No. 175/2000).
10. G. O. (P) No. 64/98/LBR. dated 31st August, 1998 (S.R.O. No. 850/98 and G. O. (P) No. 65/98/LBR. dated 31st August, 1998 (S.R.O. No. 851/98).
11. G. O. (P) No. 10/2000/Co-op. dated 12th January, 2000 (S.R.O. No. 95/2000).
12. G. O. (P) No. 30/2000/Co-op. dated 19th February, 2000 (S.R.O. No. 173/2000).
13. G. O. (P) No. 32/2000/Co-op. dated 22nd February, 2000 (S.R.O. No. 172/2000).
14. G. O. (P) No. 41/2000/Co-op. dated 10th March, 2000 (S.R.O. No. 229/2000).
15. G. O. (P) No. 5/2000/SWD. dated 19th February, 2000 (S.R.O. No. 169/2000).

July 17, 2000

Report of R. Gopalakrishna Pillai Commission of Inquiry regarding communal clashes on May 14 and July 10, 1995 at Vizhinjam together with the memorandum of action taken by the Government thereon.

APPENDIX V

SALIENT FEATURES OF THE BILLS PASSED DURING THE
FOURTEENTH SESSION1. *The Kerala Appropriation (No. 2) Bill, 2000*

The Bill is introduced in pursuance of Article 204(1) of the Constitution of India, to provide for the Appropriation out of the Consolidated Fund of the State of Kerala of the moneys required to meet the expenditure charged on the Consolidated Fund of the State and the grants made by the Legislative Assembly in respect of the estimated expenditure of the Government of Kerala for the Financial Year 2000-2001.

2. *The Kerala Appropriation (No. 3) Bill, 2000*

The Bill is introduced in pursuance of Article 204(1) of the Constitution of India, read with Article 205 thereof, to authorise payment and appropriation of certain further sums from and out of the Consolidated Fund of the State of Kerala required to meet the supplementary expenditure charged on the Consolidated Fund of the State of Kerala and the grants made by the Legislative Assembly for the expenditure of the Government of Kerala for the financial year 2000-2001.

3. *The Kerala Finance Bill, 2000*

The Bill seeks to amend the following enactments to give effect to certain financial proposals of the Government for the financial year 2000-2001, namely:—

1. The Kerala General Sales Tax Act, 1963 (15 of 1963).
2. The Kerala Tax on Luxuries Act, 1976 (32 of 1976).
3. The Kerala Agricultural Income Tax Act, 1991 (15 of 1991).
4. The Kerala Tax on Entry of Goods into Local Areas Act, 1994 (15 of 1994).

The Kerala Finance Bill, 2000 was passed by suspending Rule 76 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Kerala Legislative Assembly.