

# SAINT VINCENT AND THE GRENADINES

# HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY

# **ORDER PAPER**

<u>No.2</u>

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## WEDNESDAY 20<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER 2023

### PRAYERS

## ORDERS OF THE DAY

(Government Orders are marked thus\*)

## **MOTION**

#### 2024 ESTIMATES OF ST. VINCENT & THE GRENADINES (continuation of debate)

To be moved by the Honourable Camillo Gonsalves, Minister of Finance.

**WHEREAS** section 70(1) of the Constitution of Saint Vincent and the Grenadines provides that the Minister for the time being responsible for finance shall cause to be prepared and laid before the House of Assembly before, or not later than thirty days after, the commencement of each financial year Estimates of the Revenues and Expenditure of Saint Vincent and the Grenadines for that financial year;

**AND WHEREAS** section 70(2) of the Constitution provides for the approval of the Estimates of Expenditure by the House;

AND WHEREAS the Government had additionally decided to prepare Estimates on a triennial basis:

**BE IT RESOLVED** that this Honourable House of Assembly do adopt the Estimates for the financial year ending 31st December, 2024;

**AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that this Honourable House note the projections for the financial years ending 31st December 2025 and 31st December 2026.

## **BILLS**

1\* Appropriation Bill, 2023 (Honourable Minister of Finance)

2\* Public Sector Investment Loan Bill, 2023 (Honourable Minister of Finance) 1<sup>st</sup> Reading

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#### **RESOLUTION**

#### 2024 ESTIMATES OF SAINT VINCENT AND THE GRENADINES

To be moved by the Honourable Camillo Gonsalves, Minister of Finance

**BE IT RESOLVED** that this Honourable House do authorise the Minister of Finance to borrow by means of fluctuating overdraft or otherwise from 1<sup>st</sup> National Bank St. Lucia Limited, the Bank of St. Vincent and the Grenadines or Republic Bank Limited, money to an amount not exceeding in the aggregate sixty-five million dollars, during the period 1<sup>st</sup> January, 2024 to 31st December, 2024 for the purpose of meeting the current requirements of the Government.

# APPOINTMENT OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE

## **ADJOURNMENT**