



**BUTIR-BUTIR MESYUARAT PERTAMA
BAGI PENGKAL KETIGA DEWAN UNDANGAN NEGERI,
PULAU PINANG
YANG KETIGA, YANG TELAH DIADAKAN
PADA 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 28 DAN 29HB. MEI, 1973.**

**BUTIR-BUTIR MESYUARAT PERTAMA BAGI PENGKAL KETIGA
DEWAN UNDANGAN NEGERI, PULAU PINANG YANG KETIGA,
YANG TELAH DIADAKAN PADA 21HB. MEI, 1973, JAM 9.30 PAGI.**

HAZIR:

Yang Berhormat Tuan Speaker (Datuk Harun bin Sirat, D.M.P.N.)

Yang Amat Berhormat Ketua Menteri (Dr. Lim Chong Eu)

Yang Berhormat Penasihat Undang-Undang (Encik Abu Talib bin Othman)

Yang Berhormat Timbalan Ketua Menteri (Encik Ooh Chooi Cheng, J.P.)

Yang Berhormat Ahli Kawasan Tanjong Barat (Encik Teh Ewe Lim)

“ “ “ “ Tanjong Tengah (Encik Tan Gim Hwa, J.M.N.)

“ “ “ “ Tanjong Selatan (Encik Wong Choong Woh)

“ “ “ “ Sungei Pinang (Encik S.P. Chelliah, J.P.)

“ “ “ “ Bayan Lepas (Encik Ismail bin Hashim, J.P.)

“ “ “ “ Kepala Batas (Tuan Haji Ahmad bin
Haji Abdullah, A.M.N., J.P.)

“ “ “ “ Butterworth (Encik Ooi Ah Bee)

“ “ “ “ Glugor (Encik D.C. Stewart)

“ “ “ “ Permatang Pauh (Tuan Haji Mohamad Nor
bin Haji Bakar, J.P.)

“ “ “ “ Dhoby Ghaut (Encik Khoo Teng Chye)

“ “ “ “ Nibong Tebal (Encik Teoh Chung Hor
@ Teoh Kooi Sneah)

“ “ “ “ Muda (Tuan Haji Abdul Kadir
bin Haji Hassan, J.P., P.J.K.)

“ “ “ “ Tanjong Utara (Encik Khoo Kay Por)

“ “ “ “ Kelawei (Encik Yeap Ghim Guan)

“ “ “ “ Tanjong Bungah (Encik Khoo Soo Giap)

“ “ “ “ Jelutong (Encik Koay Boon Seng)

“ “ “ “ Ayer Itam (Encik Tan Phock Kin)

“ “ “ “ Sungei Bakap (Encik Veerappen a/k Veerathan)

“ “ “ “ Bagan Ajam (Encik Ong Yi How)

“ “ “ “ Balik Pulau (Encik Abdul Rahman
bin Haji Yunus)

“ “ “ “ Tasek Glugor (Encik Mustapha bin Hussain)

1. DOA.

2. UCAPAN TUAN YANG TERUTAMA GABNOR.

Tuan Speaker mengumumkan bahawa Tuan Yang Terutama Gabnor akan menyampaikan ucapan kepada Dewan.

(Tuan Yang Terutama Gabnor dan Yang Mulia Toh Puan Datin Hajjah Sharifah Fatimah didahului oleh Tuan Speaker dan Setiausaha Dewan berangkat masuk ke Dewan).

(Yang Amat Berhormat Ketua Menteri menyerahkan ucapan kepada Tuan Yang Terutama Gabnor)

Tuan Yang Terutama berucap kepada Dewan.

Tuan Speaker berucap kepada Dewan.

(Tuan Yang Terutama Gabnor dan Yang Mulia Toh Puan Datin Hajjah Sharifah Fatimah didahului oleh Tuan Speaker dan Setiausaha Dewan berangkat keluar dari Dewan).

Dewan ditangguhkan pada jam 10.55 pagi.

Dewan bersidang semula pada jam 2.34 petang.

3. MEMBENTANGKAN RISALAT-RISALAT.

Risalat-Risalat yang berikut adalah dibentangkan di atas meja Dewan:-

- Bil. 1 tahun 1973 — Anggaran Biasa Tambahan Yang Pertama Tahun 1973, bagi Negeri Pulau Pinang.
- Bil. 2 tahun 1973 — Anggaran Pembangunan Tambahan Yang Pertama Tahun 1973, bagi Negeri Pulau Pinang.
- Bil. 3 tahun 1973 — Penyata Mengenai Perkara-Perkara Perbelanjaan Yang Mendesak Dan Di Luar Jangka Yangmana Pendahuluan Telah Dibuat Untuk Tahun 1973 Dari Kumpulan Wang Perbelanjaan Luar Jangka, Dibentangkan Kepada Majlis Dewan Undangan Mengikut Peraturan Majlis Mesyuarat Dewan Undangan Negeri, Pulau Pinang 111(1).
- Bil. 4 tahun 1973 — Penyata Mengenai Perkara-Perkara Perbelanjaan Yang Mendesak Dan Di Luar Jangka Yangmana Pendahuluan Telah Dibuat Dalam Tahun 1973 Dari Peruntukan Luar Jangka (Anggaran Pembangunan) Dibentangkan Kepada Majlis Dewan Undangan Mengikut Peraturan Majlis Mesyuarat Dewan Undangan Negeri Pulau Pinang 111(1).
- Bil. 5 tahun 1973 — Penyata-Penyata Kewangan Negeri Pulau Pinang bagi tahun 1971.

- Bil. 6 tahun 1973 — Penyata Juru Odit Negara Malaysia Mengenai Kira-Kira Negeri Pulau Pinang Bagi Tahun Berakhir Pada 31hb. Disember, 1971.
- Bil. 7 tahun 1973 — Laporan Jawatankuasa Kira-Kira Awam atas Kira-Kira Negeri Pulau Pinang Bagi Tahun-Tahun Berakhir Pada 1969 dan 1970, dan Penyata Juru Odit Negara atasnya.

USUL DI BAWAH PERATURAN MESYUARAT 15(3).

Ketua Menteri berucap kepada Dewan dan dengan disokong oleh Timbalan Ketua Menteri, mencadangkan —

Pertama, bahawa Dewan meneruskan dengan sertamerta Usul di atas nama Y.B. Ahli Kawasan Kelawei yang terdapat sebagai perkara 6(I) Susunan Urusan Mesyuarat; dan

Kedua, bahawa Usul yang di bawah nama Y.B. Ahli Kawasan Permatang Pauh yang terdapat sebagai perkara 6(A) Susunan Urusan Mesyuarat diteruskan selepas sahaja perkara 4.

Usul dipersetujui.

Tuan Speaker berucap kepada Dewan.

Tuan Speaker meninggalkan Dewan.

PEMILIHAN AHLI YANG MEMPENGERUSIKAN DI BAWAH PERATURAN MESYUARAT 3(1)(b).

Setiausaha, Dewan Undangan Negeri berucap kepada Dewan.

Ahli Kawasan Bayan Lepas (Encik Ismail bin Hashim), dicadangkan oleh Ahli Kawasan Butterworth (Encik Ooi Ah Bee) dan dengan disokong oleh Ahli Kawasan Muda (Tuan Haji Abdul Kadir bin Haji Hassan), dilantik sebagai Ahli Yang Mepengerusikan.

Ahli Kawasan Bayan Lepas mengambil tempat sebagai Ahli Yang Mepengerusikan dan berucap kepada Dewan.

USUL 6(I). Usul oleh Yang Berhormat Encik Yeap Ghim Guan.

Ahli Kawasan Kelawei (Encik Yeap Ghim Guan) berucap kepada Dewan.

Dewan ditangguhkan pada jam 4.30 petang.

Dewan bersidang semula pada jam 4.45 petang.

Ahli Yang Mepengerusikan berucap kepada Dewan.

USUL DI BAWAH PERATURAN MESYUARAT 34.

Ahli Kawasan Ayer Itam (Encik Tan Phock Kin) berucap kepada Dewan dan, dengan disokong oleh Ahli Kawasan Kelawei (Encik Yeap Ghim Guan) yang juga berucap kepada Dewan, mencadangkan:

“Bahawa Dewan ditangguhkan pada jam 5.30 petang tiap-tiap hari semasa Persidangan ini.”

Usul tidak dipersetujui.

———: 0 :———

Ahli Kawasan Kelawei menyambung semula ucapannya kepada Dewan.

Dewan ditangguhkan pada jam 6.57 petang.

Dewan bersidang semula pada jam 8.30 malam.

Ahli Kawasan Kelawei menyambung semula ucapannya kepada Dewan dan dengan disokong oleh Ahli Kawasan Sungei Bakap (Encik V. Veerappen) yang juga berucap kepada Dewan mencadangkan:

“Bahawa Dewan Undangan tiada keyakinan terhadap Tuan Speaker.”

Ahli Kawasan Bagan Ajam (Encik Ong Yi How) berucap kepada Dewan.

Ahli Kawasan Nibong Tebal (Encik Teoh Kooi Sneah) berucap kepada Dewan.

Ketua Menteri berucap kepada Dewan.

Ahli Kawasan Tanjong Barat (Encik Teh Ewe Lim) berucap kepada Dewan.

———: 0 :———

USUL DI BAWAH PERATURAN MESYUARAT 9.

Ahli Kawasan Ayer Itam (Encik Tan Phock Kin) berucap kepada Dewan dan, dengan disokong oleh Ahli Kawasan Sungei Bakap (Encik V. Veerappen), mencadangkan:

“Bahawa Dewan ini ditangguhkan sehingga jam 10 pagi esok, oleh kerana ada banyak lagi Ahli-Ahli yang ingin berucap atas Usul ini; dan kalau kita teruskan ia mungkin mengambil seluruh malam.”

Ahli Kawasan Kelawei (Encik Yeap Ghim Guan) berucap kepada Dewan.

Ketua Menteri berucap kepada Dewan.

Ahli Kawasan Ayer Itam berucap kepada Dewan.

Usul tidak dipersetujui.

Ahli Kawasan Ayer Itam meminta pembahagian.

Ya — 6; Tidak — 14; Tidak Hazir — 2.

YA:

Encik Tan Phock Kin
Encik V. Veerappen
Encik Ong Yi How
Encik Yeap Ghim Guan
Encik Khoo Soo Giap
Encik Koay Boon Seng

TIDAK:

Ketua Menteri
Timbalan Ketua Menteri
Encik Teh Ewe Lim
Encik Tan Gim Hwa
Encik Wong Choong Woh
Encik S.P. Chelliah
Tuan Haji Ahmad bin Haji Abdullah
Encik Ooi Ah Bee
Encik D.C. Stewart
Tuan Haji Mohamad Nor bin Haji Bakar
Encik Khoo Teng Chye
Encik Teoh Kooi Sneah
Tuan Haji Abdul Kadir bin Haji Hassan
Encik Khoo Kay Por

TIDAK HAZIR:

Encik Abdul Rahman bin Haji Yunus
Encik Mustapha bin Hussain

Ahli Yang Mampengerusikan berucap kepada Dewan.

———: 0 :———

Ahli Kawasan Tanjong Barat menyambung semula ucapannya kepada Dewan.

Dewan ditangguhkan pada jam 11.40 malam.

Dewan bersidang semula pada jam 11.47 malam.

Ahli Kawasan Tanjong Barat menyambung semula ucapannya kepada Dewan.

Ahli Kawasan Ayer Itam (Encik Tan Phock Kin) berucap kepada Dewan.

Ahli Kawasan Tanjong Selatan (Encik Wong Choong Woh) berucap kepada Dewan.

Ahli Kawasan Tanjong Bungah (Encik Khoo Soo Giap) berucap kepada Dewan.

Ahli Kawasan Jelutong (Encik Koay Boon Seng) berucap kepada Dewan.

Ahli Kawasan Kelawei berucap kepada Dewan.

Usul tidak dipersetujui.

Dewan ditangguhkan pada jam 1.30 pagi sehingga jam 10.00 pagi, 22hb. Mei, 1973.

(HARUN BIN SIRAT)

Speaker,

Dewan Undangan Negeri,

Pulau Pinang.

22HB. MEI, 1973

HAZIR:

Yang Berhormat Tuan Speaker (Datuk Harun bin Sirat, D.M.P.N.)

Yang Amat Berhormat Ketua Menteri (Dr. Lim Chong Eu)

Yang Berhormat Penasihat Undang-Undang (Encik Abu Talib bin Othman)

Yang Berhormat Timbalan Ketua Menteri (Encik Ooh Chooi Cheng, J.P.)

Yang Berhormat Ahli Kawasan Tanjong Barat (Encik Teh Ewe Lim)

“	“	“	“	Tanjong Tengah (Encik Tan Gim Hwa J.M.N.)
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“	“	“	“	Tanjong Selatan (Encik Wong Choong Woh)
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“	“	“	“	Sungei Pinang (Encik S.P. Chelliah)
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“	“	“	“	Bayan Lepas (Encik Ismail bin Hashim, J.P.)
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“	“	“	“	Kepala Batas (Tuan Haji Ahmad bin Haji Abdullah, A.M.N., J.P.)
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“	“	“	“	Butterworth (Encik Ooi Ah Bee)
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“	“	“	“	Glugor (Encik D.C. Stewart)
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“	“	“	“	Permatang Pauh (Tuan Haji Mohamad Nor bin Haji Bakar, J.P.)
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“	“	“	“	Dhoby Ghaut (Encik Khoo Teng Chye)
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“	“	“	“	Nibong Tebal (Encik Teoh Chung Hor @ Teoh Kooi Sneah)
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“	“	“	“	Muda (Tuan Haji Abdul Kadir bin Haji Hassan, J.P., P.J.K.)
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“	“	“	“	Tanjong Utara (Encik Khoo Kay Por)
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“	“	“	“	Kelawei (Encik Yeap Ghim Guan)
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“	“	“	“	Tanjong Bungah (Encik Khoo Soo Giap)
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“	“	“	“	Jelutong (Encik Koay Boon Seng)
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“	“	“	“	Ayer Itam (Encik Tan Phock Kin)
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“	“	“	“	Sungei Bakap (Encik Veerappen a/k Veerathan)
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“	“	“	“	Bagan Ajam (Encik Ong Yi How)
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“	“	“	“	Balik Pulau (Encik Abdul Rahman bin Haji Yunus)
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“	“	“	“	Tasek Glugor (Encik Mustapha bin Hussain)
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Dewan bersidang semula pada jam 10.03 pagi.

DOA.

UCAPAN TUAN SPEAKER

Tuan Speaker berucap kepada Dewan.

(Para hadirin berdiri dan bertafakur selama seminit sebagai tanda penghormatan mendiang Encik D.S. Ramanathan, bekas Ahli Dewan Undangan Negeri).

4.(A) JAWAPAN MULUT KEPADA SOALAN-SOALAN.

Jawapan-jawapan mulut kepada soalan-soalan yang telah dinyatakan terlebih dahulu dan juga kepada soalan-soalan tambahan adalah diberi oleh Ketua Menteri.

Dewan ditangguhkan pada jam 11.24 pagi.

Dewan bersidang semula jam 11.39 pagi.

Jawapan-jawapan mulut kepada soalan-soalan yang telah dinyatakan terlebih dahulu dan juga kepada soalan-soalan tambahan adalah diberi oleh Ketua Menteri. (Sambungan).

JAWAPAN BERTULIS KEPADA SOALAN-SOALAN MULUT.

Tuan Speaker mengumumkan bahawa masa bersoal selama 3 jam telah tamat dan mengikut Peraturan Mesyuarat 26(7), beliau mengarahkan supaya jawapan-jawapan bertulis diberi kepada baki soalan-soalan mulut itu.

4.(B) JAWAPAN-JAWAPAN BERTULIS KEPADA SOALAN-SOALAN.

Jawapan bertulis kepada soalan-soalan, yang telah dinyatakan terlebih dahulu, adalah dibentangkan di atas meja Dewan.

Dewan ditangguhkan pada jam 1.06 tengahari.

Dewan bersidang semula pada jam 2.33 petang.

USUL 6.(A). Usul oleh Y.B. Tuan Haji Mohamad Nor bin Haji Bakar.

Ahli Kawasan Permatang Pauh (Tuan Haji Mohamad Nor bin Haji Bakar) berucap kepada Dewan dan dengan disokong oleh Ahli Kawasan Glugor (Encik D.C. Stewart) mencadangkan:

“Bahawa kami, Speaker dan Ahli-Ahli Dewan Undangan Negeri Pulau Pinang, mohon mengucapkan terima kasih kepada Tuan Yang Terutama kerana telah sudi melafazkan Ucapan kepada Dewan ini di Mesyuarat Pertama bagi Penggal Yang Ketiga pada 21hb. Mei, 1973.”

Ahli Kawasan Butterworth (Encik Ooi Ah Bee) berucap kepada Dewan.

Ahli Kawasan Ayer Itam (Encik Tan Phock Kin) berucap kepada Dewan dan, dengan disokong oleh Ahli Kawasan Bagan Ajam (Encik Ong Yi How), mencadangkan supaya Usul itu dipinda berbunyi:

“Bahawa kami, Speaker dan Ahli-Ahli Dewan Undangan Negeri Pulau Pinang, mohon mengucapkan terima kasih kepada Tuan Yang Terutama kerana telah sudi melafazkan Ucapan kepada Dewan ini di Mesyuarat Pertama bagi Penggal Yang Ketiga pada 21hb. Mei, 1973, tetapi dukacita tidak sebarang sebutan dibuat kepada dua belah pihak di platform pilihanraya Gerakan iaitu:- (1) menu-buhkan Jawatankuasa Perhubungan Negeri untuk bekerja rapat dengan Lembaga Pasaran Padi; dan (2) untuk melihat dalam salah-guna dan salah tadbir yang telah dilakukan oleh Parti Perikatan semasa memegang tampuk pentadbirannya dan membetulkan ke-salahan-kesalahannya di mana yang boleh.”

Ahli Kawasan Bayan Lepas (Encik Ismail bin Hashim) berucap kepada Dewan.

Ketua Menteri berucap kepada Dewan.

Dewan ditangguhkan pada jam 4.50 petang.

Dewan bersidang semula pada jam 5.05 petang.

Usul pindaan tidak dipersetujui.

Tuan Speaker berucap kepada Dewan.

Ahli Kawasan Kelawei berucap kepada Dewan dan, dengan disokong oleh Ahli Kawasan Jelutong (Encik Koay Boon Seng), mencadangkan supaya Usul itu dipinda berbunyi:

“Bahawa kami, Speaker dan Ahli-Ahli Dewan Undangan Negeri Pulau Pinang, mohon mengucapkan terima kasih kepada Tuan Yang Terutama kerana telah sudi melafazkan Ucapan kepada Dewan ini di Mesyuarat Pertama bagi Penggal Yang Ketiga pada 21hb. Mei, 1973 akan tetapi, kami berpendapat bahawa rakyat akan meyakinkan lebih terhadap keadaan baik rakyat jika Tuan Yang Terutama telah dinasihati meliputi dalam titahnya —

- (1) rojokan istimewa kepada keinginan rakyat untuk dibermua-fakat di atas soalan Taraf Pelabuhan Bebas dan dasar-dasar Negeri dan Kerajaan Pusat kepada issue ini dan tindakan tetap yang akan diambil untuk mengurangkan akibat-akibat burok kepada ekonomi Pulau Pinang dan Seberang Perai;
- (2) rojokan istimewa kepada langkah-langkah yang akan diambil untuk melaksanakan Master Plan dan butir-butir Master Plan diterangkan dan dibayangkan kepada Rakyat Negeri;
- (3) rojokan istimewa kepada penolongan tetap dan keutamaan pengkabulan yang diberi dan yang akan diberi oleh Kerajaan Pusat Perikatan oleh sebab Kerajaan Campuran ditubuh;

- (4) rojokan istimewa kepada tujuan dan langkah-langkah tetap yang akan diambil untuk memulangkan kerajaan tempatan kepada pemilih-pemilih Negeri Pulau Pinang dengan secepatnya;
- (5) rojokan istimewa kepada keinginan rakyat untuk menubuhkan satu Lembaga Perkhidmatan Awam untuk penjawat-penjawat Awam Pulau Pinang sendiri;
- (6) rojokan istimewa kepada kekandasan rakyat Negeri terhadap kenaikan harga-harga barang-barang kehidupan sebagai gula, beras, air dan cukai tanah dan jaminan bahawa penilaian rumah tiada akan dinaiki;
- (7) rojokan istimewa kepada kekhuatiran rakyat Negeri terhadap kegagalan yang tertinggi peraturan antara sekolah-sekolah termasyur dalam ujian MCE baru-baru nya.

Ahli Kawasan Bayan Lepas berucap kepada Dewan.

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Usul di bawah Peraturan Mesyuarat 46(xi).

Ahli Kawasan Butterworth (Encik Ooi Ah Bee) berucap kepada Dewan, dan, dengan disokong oleh Ahli Kawasan Nibong Tebal (Encik Teoh Kooi Sneah) mencadangkan supaya Usul diputuskan.

Ahli Kawasan Kelawei (Encik Yeap Ghim Guan) berucap kepada Dewan.

Usul dipersetujui.

————: 0 :————

Tuan Speaker berucap kepada Dewan.

Usul pindaan tidak dipersetujui.

Ahli Kawasan Tanjong Bungah (Encik Khoo Soo Giap) meminta pembahagian.

Ya — 5; Tidak — 14; Tidak Hazir — 4

YA:

Encik Yeap Ghim Guan
 Encik Khoo Soo Giap
 Encik Koay Boon Seng
 Encik V. Veerappen
 Encik Ong Yi How

TIDAK:

Ketua Menteri
 Timbalan Ketua Menteri
 Encik Teh Ewe Lim
 Encik Tan Gim Hwa
 Encik Wong Choong Woh
 Encik S.P. Chelliah
 Encik Ismail bin Hashim
 Tuan Haji Ahmad bin Haji Abdullah
 Encik Ooi Ah Bee
 Encik D.C. Stewart
 Tuan Haji Mohamad Nor bin Haji Bakar
 Encik Khoo Teng Chye
 Encik Teoh Kooi Sneah
 Tuan Haji Abdul Kadir bin Haji Hassan

TIDAK HAZIR:

Encik Tan Phock Kin
 Encik Abdul Rahman bin Haji Yunus
 Encik Mustapha bin Hussain
 Encik Khoo Kay Por

Tuan Speaker berucap kepada Dewan.

Ahli Kawasan Tanjong Bungah berucap kepada Dewan.

Dewan ditangguhkan pada jam 7.21 malam sehingga 23hb. Mei, 1973, jam 9.30 pagi.

(HARUN BIN SIRAT)

Speaker,

Dewan Undangan Negeri,

Pulau Pinang.

23HB. MEI, 1973

HAZIR:

Yang Berhormat Tuan Speaker (Datuk Harun bin Sirat, D.M.P.N.)

Yang Amat Berhormat Ketua Menteri (Dr. Lim Chong Eu)

Yang Berhormat Penasihat Undang-Undang (Encik Abu Talib bin Othman)

Yang Berhormat Timbalan Ketua Menteri (Encik Ooh Chooi Cheng, J.P.)

Yang Berhormat Ahli Kawasan Tanjong Barat (Encik Teh Ewe Lim)

"	"	"	"	Tanjong Tengah (Encik Tan Gim Hwa, J.M.N.)
"	"	"	"	Tanjong Selatan (Encik Wong Choong Woh)
"	"	"	"	Sungei Pinang (Encik S.P. Chelliah, J.P.)
"	"	"	"	Bayan Lepas (Encik Ismail bin Hashim, J.P.)
"	"	"	"	Kepala Batas (Tuan Haji Ahmad bin Haji Abdullah, A.M.N., J.P.)
"	"	"	"	Butterworth (Encik Ooi Ah Bee)
"	"	"	"	Glugor (Encik D.C. Stewart)
"	"	"	"	Permatang Pauh (Tuan Haji Mohamad Nor bin Haji Bakar, J.P.)
"	"	"	"	Dhoby Ghaut (Encik Khoo Teng Chye)
"	"	"	"	Nibong Tebal (Encik Teoh Chung Hor @ Teoh Kooi Sneah)
"	"	"	"	Muda (Tuan Haji Abdul Kadir bin Haji Hassan, J.P., P.J.K.)
"	"	"	"	Kelawei (Encik Yeap Ghim Guan)
"	"	"	"	Tanjong Bungah (Encik Khoo Soo Giap)
"	"	"	"	Jelutong (Encik Koay Boon Seng)
"	"	"	"	Ayer Itam (Encik Tan Phock Kin)
"	"	"	"	Sungei Bakap (Encik Veerappen a/k Veerathan)
"	"	"	"	Bagan Ajam (Encik Ong Yi How)
"	"	"	"	Balik Pulau (Encik Abdul Rahman bin Haji Yunus)
"	"	"	"	Tasek Glugor (Encik Mustapha bin Hussain)

TIDAK HAZIR:

Y.B. Ahli Kawasan Tanjong Utara (Encik Khoo Kay Por)

Dewan bersidang semula pada jam 9.33 pagi.

DOA.

USUL 6.(A) Usul oleh Yang Berhormat Tuan Haji Mohamad Nor bin Haji Bakar. (Sambungan).

Ahli Kawasan Kelawei berucap kepada Dewan.

Dewan ditangguhkan pada jam 11.17 pagi.

Dewan bersidang semula pada jam 11.30 pagi.

Ahli Kawasan Kelawei menyambung semula ucapannya kepada Dewan.

Ahli Kawasan Sungei Bakap (Encik V. Veerappen) berucap kepada Dewan.

Dewan ditangguhkan pada jam 12.54 tengahari.

Dewan bersidang semula pada jam 2.32 petang.

Ahli Kawasan Sungei Bakap menyambung semula ucapannya kepada Dewan.

Ahli Kawasan Bagan Ajam berucap kepada Dewan.

Dewan ditangguhkan pada jam 4.24 petang.

Dewan bersidang semula pada jam 4.48 petang.

Ahli Kawasan Bagan Ajam menyambung semula ucapannya kepada Dewan.

Ahli Kawasan Balik Pulau (Encik Abdul Rhman bin Haji Yunus) berucap kepada Dewan.

Ahli Kawasan Muda (Tuan Haji Abdul Kadir bin Haji Hassan) berucap kepada Dewan.

Ahli Kawasan Tasek Glugor (Encik Mustapha bin Hussain) berucap kepada Dewan.

Ahli Kawasan Kepala Batas (Tuan Haji Ahmad bin Haji Abdullah) berucap kepada Dewan.

Dewan ditangguhkan pada jam 6.18 petang sehingga 24hb. Mei, 1973, jam 9.30 pagi.

(HARUN BIN SIRAT)
Speaker,
Dewan Undangan Negeri,
Pulau Pinang.

24HB. MEI, 1973

HAZIR:

Y.B. Ahli Yang Mampengerusikan (Encik Ooh Chooi Cheng, J.P., Timbalan
Ketua Menteri).

Yang Amat Berhormat Ketua Menteri (Dr. Lim Chong Eu)

Yang Berhormat Penasihat Undang-Undang (Encik Abu Talib bin Othman)

Yang Berhormat Ahli Kawasan Tanjong Barat (Encik Teh Ewe Lim)

"	"	"	"	Tanjong Tengah (Encik Tan Gim Hwa J.M.N.)
"	"	"	"	Tanjong Selatan (Encik Wong Choong Woh)
"	"	"	"	Sungei Pinang (Encik S.P. Chelliah, J.P.)
"	"	"	"	Bayan Lepas (Encik Ismail bin Hashim; J.P.)
"	"	"	"	Kepala Batas (Tuan Haji Ahmad bin Haji Abdullah, A.M.N., J.P.)
"	"	"	"	Butterworth (Encik Ooi Ah Bee)
"	"	"	"	Glugor (Encik D.C. Stewart)
"	"	"	"	Permatang Pauh (Tuan Haji Mohamad Nor bin Haji Bakar, J.P.)
"	"	"	"	Dhoby Ghaut (Encik Khoo Teng Chye)
"	"	"	"	Nibong Tebal (Encik Teoh Chung Hor @ Teoh Kooi Sneah)
"	"	"	"	Muda (Tuan Haji Abdul Kadir bin Haji Hassan, J.P., P.J.K.)
"	"	"	"	Kelawei (Encik Yeap Ghim Guan)
"	"	"	"	Tanjong Bungah (Encik Khoo Soo Giap)
"	"	"	"	Jelutong (Encik Koay Boon Seng)
"	"	"	"	Ayer Itam (Encik Tan Phock Kin)
"	"	"	"	Sungei Bakap (Encik Veerappen a/k Veerathan)
"	"	"	"	Bagan Ajam (Encik Ong Yi How)
"	"	"	"	Balik Pulau (Encik Abdul Rahman bin Haji Yunus)
"	"	"	"	Tasek Glugor (Encik Mustapha bin Hussain)

TIDAK HAZIR:

Y.B. Tuan Speaker (Datuk Harun bin Sirat, D.M.P.N.)

Y.B. Ahli Kawasan Tanjong Utara (Encik Khoo Kay Por)

Dewan bersidang semula pada jam 9.45 pagi.

DOA.

PEMILIHAN AHLI YANG MEMPENGERUSIKAN DI BAWAH PERATURAN MESYUARAT 3(1)(b).

Setiausaha, Dewan Undangan Negeri berucap kepada Dewan.

Timbalan Ketua Menteri, dicadangkan oleh Ahli Kawasan Bayan Lepas (Encik Ismail bin Hashim) dan dengan disokong oleh Ahli Kawasan Butterworth (Encik Ooi Ah Bee), dilantik sebagai Ahli Yang Mempengerusikan.

Timbalan Ketua Menteri mengambil tempat sebagai Ahli Yang Mempengerusikan dan berucap kepada Dewan.

USUL 6.(A). Usul oleh Yang Berhormat Tuan Haji Mohamad Nor bin Haji Bakar. (Sambungan).

Ahli Kawasan Ayer Itam berucap kepada Dewan.

Dewan ditangguhkan pada jam 10.57 pagi.

Dewan bersidang semula pada jam 11.10 pagi.

Ahli Kawasan Ayer Itam menyambung semula ucapannya kepada Dewan.

Dewan ditangguhkan pada jam 11.37 pagi.

Dewan bersidang semula pada jam 12.02 tengahari.

Ahli Kawasan Ayer Itam menyambung semula ucapannya kepada Dewan.

Ahli Kawasan Jelutong berucap kepada Dewan.

Ahli Kawasan Nibong Tebal (Encik Teoh Kooi Sneah) berucap kepada Dewan.

Ahli Kawasan Tanjong Tengah (Encik Tan Ghim Hwa) berucap kepada Dewan.

Dewan ditangguhkan pada jam 1.01 tengahari.

Dewan bersidang semula pada jam 2.38 petang.

Ahli Kawasan Tanjong Tengah menyambung semula ucapannya kepada Dewan.

Ahli Kawasan Bayan Lepas berucap kepada Dewan.

Dewan ditangguhkan pada jam 4.10 petang.

Dewan bersidang semula pada jam 4.35 petang.

Ahli Kawasan Bayan Lepas menyambung semula ucapannya kepada Dewan.

Ahli Kawasan Tanjong Barat (Encik Teh Ewe Lim) berucap kepada Dewan.

Ahli Yang Mempengerusikan berucap kepada Dewan.

Dewan ditangguhkan pada jam 5.31 petang sehingga 25hb. Mei, 1973, jam 9.30 pagi.

(OOH CHOOI CHENG)

Ahli Yang Mempengerusikan

Dewan Undangan Negeri,

Pulau Pinang.

25HB. MEI, 1973

HAZIR:

Y.B. Ahli Yang Mampengerusikan (Encik Ooh Chooi Cheng, J.P., Timbalan
Ketua Menteri).

Yang Amat Berhormat Ketua Menteri (Dr. Lim Chong Eu)

Yang Berhormat Penasihat Undang-Undang (Encik Abu Talib bin Othman)

Yang Berhormat Ahli Kawasan Tanjong Barat (Encik Teh Ewe Lim)

"	"	"	"	Tanjong Tengah (Encik Tan Gim Hwa J.M.N.)
"	"	"	"	Tanjong Selatan (Encik Wong Choong Woh)
"	"	"	"	Sungei Pinang (Encik S.P. Chelliah, J.P.)
"	"	"	"	Bayan Lepas (Encik Ismail bin Hashim; J.P.)
"	"	"	"	Kepala Batas (Tuan Haji Ahmad bin Haji Abdullah, A.M.N., J.P.)
"	"	"	"	Butterworth (Encik Ooi Ah Bee)
"	"	"	"	Glugor (Encik D.C. Stewart)
"	"	"	"	Permatang Pauh (Tuan Haji Mohamad Nor bin Haji Bakar, J.P.)
"	"	"	"	Nibong Tebal (Encik Teoh Chung Hor @ Teoh Kooi Sneah)
"	"	"	"	Muda (Tuan Haji Abdul Kadir bin Haji Hassan, J.P., P.J.K.)
"	"	"	"	Kelawei (Encik Yeap Ghim Guan)
"	"	"	"	Jelutong (Encik Koay Boon Seng)
"	"	"	"	Ayer Itam (Encik Tan Phock Kin)
"	"	"	"	Sungei Bakap (Encik Veerappen a/k Veerathan)
"	"	"	"	Bagan Ajam (Encik Ong Yi How)
"	"	"	"	Balik Pulau (Encik Abdul Rahman bin Haji Yunus)
"	"	"	"	Tasek Glugor (Encik Mustapha bin Hussain)

TIDAK HAZIR:

Y.B. Tuan Speaker (Datuk Harun bin Sirat, D.M.P.N.)

Y.B. Ahli Kawasan Dhoby Ghaut (Encik Khoo Teng Chye)

" " " Tanjong Utara (Encik Khoo Kay Por)

" " " Tanjong Bungah (Encik Khoo Soo Giap)

Dewan bersidang semula pada jam 9.32 pagi.

DOA.

PENGUMUMAN OLEH AHLI YANG MEMPENGERUSIKAN.

Ahli Yang Mepengerusikan berucap kepada Dewan.

USUL 6.(A). Usul oleh Yang Berhormat Tuan Haji Mohamad Nor bin Haji Bakar. (Sambungan).

Ahli Kawasan Tanjong Barat menyambung semula ucapannya kepada Dewan.

Ahli Yang Mepengerusikan berucap kepada Dewan.

Dewan ditangguhkan pada jam 10.44 pagi.

Dewan bersidang semula pada jam 11.14 pagi.

Ketua Menteri berucap kepada Dewan.

Dewan ditangguhkan pada jam 11.59 pagi.

Dewan bersidang semula pada jam 2.30 petang.

Ahli Yang Mepengerusikan berucap kepada Dewan.

Ketua Menteri menyambung semula ucapannya kepada Dewan.

Dewan ditangguhkan pada jam 4.00 petang.

Dewan bersidang semula pada jam 4.23 petang.

Ketua Menteri menyambung semula ucapannya kepada Dewan.

Ahli Kawasan Permatang Pauh berucap kepada Dewan.

Usul dipersetujui dengan sebulat suara.

Dewan ditangguhkan pada jam 5.34 petang sehingga 28hb. Mei, 1973, jam 9.30 pagi.

(OOH CHOOI CHENG)

Ahli Yang Mepengerusikan

Dewan Undangan Negeri,

Pulau Pinang.

28HB. MEI, 1973

HAZIR:

Y.B. Ahli Yang Mampengerusikan (Encik Ooh Chooi Cheng, J.P., Timbalan
Ketua Menteri).

Yang Amat Berhormat Ketua Menteri (Dr. Lim Chong Eu)

Yang Berhormat Penasihat Undang-Undang (Encik Abu Talib bin Othman)

Yang Berhormat Ahli Kawasan Tanjong Barat (Encik Teh Ewe Lim)

„	„	„	„	Tanjong Tengah (Encik Tan Gim Hwa, J.M.N.)
„	„	„	„	Tanjong Selatan (Encik Wong Choong Woh)
„	„	„	„	Sungei Pinang (Encik S.P. Chelliah, J.P.)
„	„	„	„	Bayan Lepas (Encik Ismail bin Hashim, J.P.)
„	„	„	„	Kepala Batas (Tuan Haji Ahmad bin Haji Abdullah, A.M.N., J.P.)
„	„	„	„	Butterworth (Encik Ooi Ah Bee)
„	„	„	„	Glugor (Encik D.C. Stewart)
„	„	„	„	Permatang Pauh (Tuan Haji Mohamad Nor bin Haji Bakar, J.P.)
„	„	„	„	Dhoby Ghaut (Encik Khoo Teng Chye)
„	„	„	„	Nibong Tebal (Encik Teoh Chung Hor @ Teoh Kooi Sneah)
„	„	„	„	Muda (Tuan Haji Abdul Kadir bin Haji Hassan, J.P., P.J.K.)
„	„	„	„	Tanjong Utara (Encik Khoo Kay Por)
„	„	„	„	Kelawei (Encik Yeap Ghim Guan)
„	„	„	„	Tanjong Bungah (Encik Khoo Soo Giap)
„	„	„	„	Jelutong (Encik Koay Boon Seng)
„	„	„	„	Ayer Itam (Encik Tan Phock Kin)
„	„	„	„	Sungei Bakap (Encik Veerappen a/k Veerathan)
„	„	„	„	Bagan Ajam (Encik Ong Yi How)
„	„	„	„	Balik Pulau (Encik Abdul Rahman bin Haji Yunus)
„	„	„	„	Tasek Glugor (Encik Mustapha bin Hussain)

TIDAK HAZIR:

Yang Berhormat Tuan Speaker (Datuk Harun bin Sirat, D.M.P.N.)

Dewan bersidang semula pada jam 9.49 pagi.

DOA.

USUL DI BAWAH PERATURAN MESYUARAT 30(1)

Ahli Kawasan Ayer Itam (Encik Tan Phock Kin) berucap kepada Dewan dan meminta izin untuk mencadangkan supaya Dewan ditangguhkan dengan tujuan hendak membincangkan perkara tertentu berkenaan dengan kepentingan orang-ramai yang berkehendak disegerakan.

Ahli Yang Mempengerusikan berucap kepada Dewan.

Ketua Menteri berucap kepada Dewan.

Ahli Yang Mempengerusikan berucap kepada Dewan dan meminta Ahli-Ahli Yang menyokong permintaan itu berdiri di tempat masing-masing.

(Ahli Kawasan Kelawei (Encik Yeap Ghim Guan), Ahli Kawasan Jelutong (Encik Koay Boon Seng), Ahli Kawasan Ayer Itam, Ahli Kawasan Sungei Bakap (Encik V. Veerappen) dan Ahli Kawasan Bagan Ajam (Encik Ong Yi How) berdiri di tempat masing-masing).

Usul tidak dipersetujui.

5. RANG UNDANG-UNDANG.

(1) Rang Undang-Undang Perbekalan Tambahan (1973)(No.1), 1973.

Ketua Menteri, dengan disokong oleh Ahli Kawasan Glugor (Encik D.C. Stewart), mencadangkan supaya Rang Undang-Undang bernama 'Suatu Enakmen bagi menggunakan wang daripada Kumpulanwang Disatukan untuk perbelanjaan tambahan bagi perkhidmatan tahun 1973 dan bagi memperuntukkan wang itu bagi maksud-maksud yang tertentu' dibacakan untuk pertama kali.

Rang Undang-Undang dibacakan bagi kali yang pertama.

Ketua Menteri memberi kenyataan tentang tujuan beliau hendak mencadangkan Bacaan Yang Kedua Rang Undang-Undang itu dengan sertamerta.

Ketua Menteri berucap kepada Dewan dan, dengan disokong oleh Ahli Kawasan Glugor, mencadangkan supaya Rang Undang-Undang Perbekalan Tambahan (1973)(No.1), 1973, dibacakan bagi kali yang kedua.

Ahli Kawasan Kelawei (Encik Yeap Ghim Guan) berucap kepada Dewan.

Ahli Kawasan Ayer Itam (Encik Tan Phock Kin) berucap kepada Dewan.

Ahli Kawasan Bagan Ajam (Encik Ong Yi How) berucap kepada Dewan.

Dewan ditangguhkan pada jam 11.10 pagi.

Dewan bersidang semula pada jam 11.40 pagi.

Ahli Kawasan Dhoby Ghaut (Encik Khoo Teng Chye) berucap kepada Dewan.

Ketua Menteri berucap kepada Dewan.

Usul dipersetujui dengan sebulat suara, dan Rang Undang-Undang dibacakan bagi kali yang kedua.

Rang Undang-Undang dipertimbangkan fasal demi sefasal dalam Jawatankuasa Perbekalan dan dipersetujui tanpa pindaan.

Dewan bersidang semula

Ketua Menteri melapurkan bahawa Rang Undang-Undang telah ditimbangkan dalam Jawatankuasa dan dipersetujui tanpa pindaan, dan mencadangkan supaya Rang Undang-Undang itu kini dibacakan bagi kali yang ketiga dan diluluskan.

Usul dipersetujui dengan sebulat suara dan Rang Undang-Undang dibacakan bagi kali yang ketiga dan diluluskan.

(2) Rang Undang-Undang Ordinan Perbandaran (Pindaan) (Pulau Pinang), 1973.

Ketua Menteri, dengan disokong oleh Ahli Kawasan Glugor (Encik D.C. Stewart), mencadangkan supaya Rang Undang-Undang bernama 'Suatu Enakmen bagi meminda Ordinan Perbandaran (Bab 133)' dibacakan bagi kali yang pertama.

Rang Undang-Undang dibacakan bagi kali yang pertama.

Ketua Menteri memberi kenyataan tentang tujuan beliau hendak mencadangkan Bacaan Yang Kedua Rang Undang-Undang itu pada suatu Mesyuarat yang akan datang.

6. USUL-USUL

(B) Usul oleh Yang Berhormat Encik Wong Choong Woh.

Ahli Kawasan Tanjong Selatan (Encik Wong Choong Woh) berucap kepada Dewan, dan dengan disokong oleh Ahli Kawasan Glugor (Encik D.C. Stewart), mencadangkan:

“Bahawa Dewan ini membuat ketetapan bahawa Ahli-Ahli yang berikut dilantik semula sebagai Ahli-Ahli Jawatankuasa Peraturan-Pertauran Mesyuarat Dewan Undangan Negeri, Pulau Pinang:-

1. Y.B. Datuk Speaker (Pengerusi)
2. Y.B. Encik Teh Ewe Lim
3. Y.B. Encik S.P. Chelliah, J.P.
4. Y.B. Encik Ismail bin Hashim, J.P.
5. Y.B. Encik Teoh Kooi Sneah

6. Y.B. Encik Yeap Ghim Guan
7. Y.B. Encik Mustapha bin Hussain

dan Pengerusi serta empat orang Ahli-Ahli yang lain akan membentuk satu korum. Jawatankuasa tidak akan berkuasa mendapatkan orang-orang, dokumen-dokumen ataupun risalah-risalah kecuali jika Dewan memutuskan sebaliknya."

Ahli Kawasan Kelawei (Encik Yeap Ghim Guan) berucap kepada Dewan.

Ketua Menteri berucap kepada Dewan.

Usul dipersetujui dengan sebulat suara.

Dewan ditangguhkan pada jam 12.59 tengahari.

Dewan bersidang semula pada jam 2.42 petang.

(C) Usul oleh Yang Berhormat Encik S.P. Chelliah.

Ahli Kawasan Sungei Pinang (Encik S.P. Chelliah) berucap kepada Dewan dan, dengan disokong oleh Ahli Kawasan Permatang Pauh (Tuan Haji Mohamad Nor bin Haji Bakar), mencadangkan:-

"Bahawa Dewan ini membuat ketetapan bahawa Ahli-Ahli yang berikut dilantik sebagai Ahli-Ahli Jawatankuasa Hak dan Kebebasan Dewan Undangan Negeri, Pulau Pinang:-

1. Y.B. Datuk Speaker (Pengerusi)
2. Y.B. Encik Wong Choong Woh
3. Y.B. Encik Ooi Ah Bee
4. Y.B. Tuan Haji Ahmad b. Haji Abdullah, A.M.N., J.P.
5. Y.B. Encik D.C. Stewart
6. Y.B. Encik Khoo Soo Giap
7. Y.B. Encik V. Veerappen

dan Pengerusi serta tiga orang Ahli-Ahli yang lain akan membentuk satu korum. Jawatankuasa akan berkuasa mendapatkan orang-orang, dokumen-dokumen dan risalah-risalah dan melapurkan kepada Dewan dari semasa ke semasa.

Usul dipersetujui dengan sebulat suara.

(D) Usul oleh Yang Berhormat Encik Tan Gim Hwa.

Ahli Kawasan Tanjong Tengah (Encik Tan Gim Hwa) berucap kepada Dewan, dan dengan disokong oleh Ahli Kawasan Nibong Tebal (Encik Teoh Kooi Sneah), mencadangkan:-

“Bahawa Dewan ini membuat ketetapan bahawa Ahli-Ahli yang berikut dilantik semula sebagai Ahli-Ahli Jawatankuasa Dewan bagi Dewan Undangan Negeri, Pulau Pinang:-

1. Y.B. Datuk Speaker (Pengerusi)
2. Y.B. Encik Khoo Teng Chye
3. Y.B. Encik Ooi Ah Bee
4. Y.B. Tuan Haji Mohamad Nor b. Haji Bakar, J.P.
5. Y.B. Tuan Haji Abdul Kadir bin Haji Hassan, P.J.K., J.P.
6. Y.B. Encik Yeap Ghim Guan
7. Y.B. Encik Tan Phock Kin

dan Pengerusi serta tiga orang Ahli-Ahli yang lain akan membentuk satu korum. Jawatankuasa tidak akan berkuasa mendapatkan orang-orang, dokumen-dokumen ataupun risalah-risalah kecuali jika Dewan memutuskan sebaliknya.”

Ahli Kawasan Kelawei (Encik Yeap Ghim Guan) berucap kepada Dewan.

Ketua Menteri berucap kepada Dewan.

Usul dipersetujui dengan sebulat suara.

(E) Usul oleh Yang Berhormat Encik Ismail bin Hashim.

Ahli Kawasan Bayan Lepas (Encik Ismail bin Hashim) berucap kepada Dewan dan, dengan disokong oleh Ahli Kawasan Glugor (Encik D.C. Stewart), mencadangkan:-

“Bahawa Dewan ini membuat ketetapan supaya Ahli-Ahli yang berikut dilantik sebagai Ahli-Ahli Jawatankuasa Kira-Kira Awam bagi Penggal Ketiga Dewan Undangan Negeri, Pulau Pinang, Yang Ketiga, untuk mengkaji kira-kira dan laporan-laporan seperti yang ditetapkan di bawah Peraturan Mesyuarat 109A(1) dan untuk membuat segala laporan-laporan mengenainya kepada Majlis seperti mana yang difikirkan perlu oleh Jawatankuasa:-

1. Y.B. Encik Khoo Teng Chye (Pengerusi)
2. Y.B. Encik Teoh Kooi Sneah
3. Y.B. Tuan Haji Mohamad Nor b. Hj. Bakar, J.P.
4. Y.B. Encik Koay Boon Seng

dan Pengerusi serta dua orang Ahli akan membentuk satu korum.”

Ahli Kawasan Ayer Itam (Encik Tan Phock Kin) berucap kepada Dewan.

Ahli Kawasan Sungei Bakap (Encik V. Veerappen) berucap kepada Dewan.

Ketua Menteri berucap kepada Dewan.

Ahli Kawasan Kelawei (Encik Yeap Ghim Guan) berucap kepada Dewan.

Ahli Kawasan Bayan Lepas berucap kepada Dewan.

Usul dipersetujui.

(F) Usul oleh Yang Amat Berhormat Ketua Menteri.

Ketua Menteri berucap kepada Dewan dan, dengan disokong oleh Ahli Kawasan Dhoby Ghaut (Encik Khoo Teng Chye), mencadangkan:-

“Bahawa Dewan ini meluluskan perbelanjaan sebanyak lima puluh ribu ringgit sahaja (\$50,000) yang ditunjukkan di dalam Anggaran Pembangunan Tambahan Yang Pertama Tahun 1973, yang dibentangkan sebagai Risalah Dewan Undangan Negeri Bil. 2 tahun 1973 dan membuat ketetapan bahawa jumlah wang tersebut hendaklah dipergunakan bagi tujuan-tujuan yang ditetapkan di dalam Anggaran Pembangunan Tambahan Yang Pertama Tahun 1973 itu.”

Ahli Kawasan Sungei Bakap (Encik V. Veerappen) berucap kepada Dewan.

Ketua Menteri berucap kepada Dewan.

Usul dipersetujui dengan sebulat suara.

(G) Usul oleh Yang Berhormat Encik Tan Phock Kin.

Ahli Kawasan Ayer Itam (Encik Tan Phock Kin) berucap kepada Dewan dan mencadangkan supaya Usul beliau dipinda seperti berikut:-

“Bahawa Dewan ini menganggapkan kenaikan cukai air oleh Pihak Berkuasa Air Negeri yang baru tertubuh itu sebagai bercanggah dengan prinsip-prinsip Rukunegara hendak mewujudkan sebuah masyarakat adil, kerana beban kenaikan itu tidak ditanggung sama-rata oleh Kerajaan Negeri dan semua pengguna-pengguna mengikut kemampuan mereka.

Oleh itu, Dewan ini meminta Kerajaan Negeri supaya mengambil langkah-langkah yang sewajarnya agar Pihak Berkuasa Air mengkaji semula cukai-cukai yang bertambah itu supaya cukai-cukai air dijadikan lebih saksama.”

Ahli Yang Mampengerusikan berucap kepada Dewan.

Usul Pindaan tidak diperkenankan.

Ahli Kawasan Ayer Itam berucap kepada Dewan dan, dengan disokong oleh Ahli Kawasan Bagan Ajam (Encik Ong Yi How), mencadangkan:-

“Bahawa Dewan ini menganggapkan kenaikan cukai air oleh Pihak Berkuasa Air Negeri yang baru tertubuh itu sebagai bercanggah dengan prinsip-prinsip Rukunegara hendak mewujudkan sebuah

masyarakat adil, kerana beban kenaikan itu tidak ditanggung samarata oleh semua pengguna-pengguna mengikut kemampuan mereka.

Oleh itu, Dewan ini meminta Kerajaan Negeri supaya mengambil langkah-langkah yang sewajarnya agar Pihak Berkuasa Air mengkaji semula cukai-cukai yang bertambah itu supaya cukai-cukai air dijadikan lebih saksama."

Dewan ditangguhkan pada jam 4.10 petang.

Dewan bersidang semula pada jam 4.45 petang.

Ahli Kawasan Bagan Ajam berucap kepada Dewan.

Ahli Kawasan Butterworth (Encik Ooi Ah Bee) berucap kepada Dewan.

Ahli Kawasan Tanjong Bungah (Encik Khoo Soo Giap) berucap kepada Dewan.

Ahli Yang Mampengerusikan berucap kepada Dewan.

Ahli Kawasan Sungei Bakap (Encik V. Veerappen) berucap kepada Dewan.

Ahli Kawasan Bayan Lepas (Encik Ismail bin Hashim) berucap kepada Dewan.

Ahli Kawasan Tanjong Barat (Encik Teh Ewe Lim) berucap kepada Dewan.

Ketua Menteri berucap kepada Dewan.

Ahli Yang mampengerusikan berucap kepada Dewan.

Dewan ditangguhkan pada jam 7.04 malam.

Dewan bersidang semula pada jam 7.10 malam.

Ahli Kawasan Ayer Itam berucap kepada Dewan.

Usul tidak dipersetujui.

Dewan ditangguhkan pada jam 7.29 malam sehingga 29hb. Mei, 1973, jam 10.00 pagi.

(OOH CHOOI CHENG)
Ahli Yang Mampengerusikan
Dewan Undangan Negeri,
Pulau Pinang.

29HB. MEI, 1973**HAZIR:**

Y.B. Ahli Yang Mampengerusikan (Encik Ooh Chooi Cheng, J.P., Timbalan
Ketua Menteri)

Yang Amat Berhormat Ketua Menteri (Dr. Lim Chong Eu)

Yang Berhormat Penasihat Undang-Undang (Encik Abu Talib bin Othman)

Yang Berhormat Ahli Kawasan Tanjong Barat (Encik Teh Ewe Lim)

"	"	"	"	Tanjong Tengah (Encik Tan Gim Hwa J.M.N.)
"	"	"	"	Tanjong Selatan (Encik Wong Choong Woh)
"	"	"	"	Sungei Pinang (Encik S.P. Chelliah, J.P.)
"	"	"	"	Bayan Lepas (Encik Ismail bin Hashim; J.P.)
"	"	"	"	Kepala Batas (Tuan Haji Ahmad bin Haji Abdullah, A.M.N., J.P.)
"	"	"	"	Butterworth (Encik Ooi Ah Bee)
"	"	"	"	Glugor (Encik D.C. Stewart)
"	"	"	"	Permatang Pauh (Tuan Haji Mohamad Nor bin Haji Bakar, J.P.)
"	"	"	"	Dhoby Ghaut (Encik Khoo Teng Chye)
"	"	"	"	Nibong Tebal (Encik Teoh Chung Hor @ Teoh Kooi Sneah)
"	"	"	"	Muda (Tuan Haji Abdul Kadir bin Haji Hassan, J.P., P.J.K.)
"	"	"	"	Tanjong Utara (Encik Khoo Kay Por)
"	"	"	"	Kelawei (Encik Yeap Ghim Guan)
"	"	"	"	Tanjong Bungah (Encik Khoo Soo Giap)
"	"	"	"	Jelutong (Encik Koay Boon Seng)
"	"	"	"	Ayer Itam (Encik Tan Phock Kin)
"	"	"	"	Sungei Bakap (Encik Veerappen a/k Veerathan)
"	"	"	"	Bagan Ajam (Encik Ong Yi How)
"	"	"	"	Balik Pulau (Encik Abdul Rahman bin Haji Yunus)
"	"	"	"	Tasek Glugor (Encik Mustapha bin Hussain)

TIDAK HAZIR:

Y.B. Tuan Speaker (Datuk Harun bin Sirat, D.M.P.N.)

Dewan bersidang semula pada jam 10.06 pagi.

DOA.

(H) Usul oleh Yang Berhormat Encik V. Veerappen.

Ahli Kawasan Kelawei (Encik Yeap Ghim Guan) berucap kepada Dewan dan, dengan disokong oleh Ahli Kawasan Bagan Ajam (Encik Ong Yi How) yang juga berucap kepada Dewan, mencadangkan —

“Bahawa Dewan ini mengeji kegagalan Kerajaan menyediakan kemudahan-kemudahan asas di perkampungan-perkampungan baru, kampung-kampung, kawasan-kawasan sesak dan khususnya ladang-ladang yang telah dipecah-sembadan di Seberang Perai di mana perkhidmatan-perkhidmatan seperti pembersihan, pembuangan sampah, pembuangan najis, bekalan air, penyenggaraan jalan-jalan masuk-keluar dan parit telah tergendala sama sekali selama 17 tahun yang lepas atau lebih, dan mendesak Kerajaan supaya mengambil langkah-langkah serta merta untuk menyediakan kemudahan-kemudahan ini demi menyelamatkan kesihatan dan kebajikan penduduk-penduduk di tempat-tempat ini.”

Dewan ditangguhkan pada jam 11.10 pagi.

Dewan bersidang semula pada jam 11.35 pagi.

Ahli Kawasan Kelawei (Encik Yeap Ghim Guan) berucap kepada Dewan dan mencadangkan supaya Usul dipinda untuk dibaca:

“Bahawa Dewan ini meminta supaya Kerajaan mengadakan kemudahan-kemudahan untuk perkampungan-perkampungan baru dan kampung, dan dengan segera memperkenalkan rancangan kilat untuk memberikan sumbangan baru kepada penduduk-penduduk ini yang dibiarkan 15 tahun yang lalu.

Usul yang dipinda tidak dipersetujui.

Ahli Kawasan Kelawei berucap kepada Dewan.

Ahli Kawasan Balik Pulau (Encik Abdul Rahman bin Haji Yunus) berucap kepada Dewan.

Ahli Kawasan Ayer Itam (Encik Tan Phock Kin) berucap kepada Dewan.

Ahli Kawasan Bayan Lepas (Encik Ismail bin Hashim) berucap kepada Dewan.

Ahli Kawasan Sungei Pinang (Encik S.P. Chelliah) berucap kepada Dewan.

Ketua Menteri berucap kepada Dewan.

Dewan ditangguhkan pada jam 1.00 tengahari.

Dewan bersidang semula pada jam 2.39 petang.

Ketua Menteri menyambung semula ucapannya kepada Dewan.

Ahli Kawasan Sungei Bakap berucap kepada Dewan.

Usul tidak dipersetujui.

(J) Usul oleh Yang Berhormat Encik Yeap Ghim Guan.

Ahli Kawasan Kelawei (Encik Yeap Ghim Guan) berucap kepada Dewan.

Dewan ditangguhkan pada jam 4.16 petang.

Dewan berisidang semula pada jam 4.38 petang.

Ahli Kawasan Kelawei menyambung semula ucapannya kepada Dewan.

Dewan ditangguhkan pada jam 6.00 petang.

Dewan bersidang semula pada jam 6.15 petang.

Ahli Kawasan Kelawei menyambung semula ucapannya kepada Dewan dan, dengan disokong oleh Ahli Kawasan Jelutong (Encik Koay Boon Seng), mencadangkan:

“Bahawa sehingga masa yang ahli-ahli Majlis bagi Majlis Bandaraya Georgetown, Majlis Daerah Luar Bandar, Majlis Daerah Utara, Butterworth, Majlis Daerah Tengah, Bukit Mertajam dan Majlis Daerah Selatan, Nibong Tebal dipilih oleh orang-ramai kelak, Ketua Menteri mestilah membentangkan belanjawan tahunan Majlis-Majlis itu untuk perbahasan.”

Ahli Kawasan Bagan Ajam (Encik Ong Yi How) berucap kepada Dewan.

Ketua Menteri berucap kepada Dewan.

Ahli Kawasan Jelutong berucap kepada Dewan.

Ahli Kawasan Tanjong Bungah (Encik Khoo Soo Giap) berucap kepada Dewan.

Ahli Kawasan Kelawei berucap kepada Dewan.

Soalan dikemukakan.

Ahli Kawasan Tanjong Bungah meminta pembahagian.

Ya — 6; Tidak — 12; Tidak hadir — 4.

YA:

Encik Yeap Ghim Guan

Encik Khoo Soo Giap

Encik Koay Boon Seng
 Encik Tan Phock Kin
 Encik V. Veerappen
 Encik Ong Yi How

TIDAK:

Ketua Menteri
 Encik Teh Ewe Lim
 Encik Tan Gim Hwa
 Encik Wong Choong Woh
 Encik S.P. Chelliah
 Encik Ismail bin Hashim
 Tuan Haji Ahmad bin Haji Abdullah
 Encik Ooi Ah Bee
 Encik D.C. Stewart
 Tuan Haji Mohamad Nor bin Haji Bakar
 Encik Khoo Teng Chye
 Tuan Haji Abdul Kadir bin Haji Hassan

TIDAK HAZIR:

Encik Abdul Rahman bin Haji Yunus
 Encik Mustapha bin Hussain
 Encik Teoh Kooi Sneah
 Encik Khoo Kay Por

Ahli Yang Mempengerusikan berucap kepada Dewan.

Usul tidak dipersetujui.

7. PENANGGUHAN.

Ketua Menteri, dengan disokong oleh Ahli Kawasan Bayan Lepas (Encik Ismail bin Hashim) mencadangkan supaya Dewan ditangguhkan.

Ahli Kawasan Bagan Ajam (Encik Ong Yi How) berucap kepada Dewan.

Ketua Menteri berucap kepada Dewan.

Dewan ditangguhkan pada jam 8.41 malam.

(t.t. OOH CHOOI CHENG)
 Ahli Yang Mempengerusikan,
 Dewan Undangan Negeri,
 Pulau Pinang.

**MINUTES OF THE FIRST MEETING OF THE THIRD SESSION OF
THE THIRD LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY, PENANG, HELD AT 9.30 A.M.
ON 21ST MAY, 1973.**

PRESENT:

The Hon'ble Mr. Speaker (Datuk Harun bin Sirat, D.M.P.N.)

- „ „ the Chief Minister (Dr. Lim Chong Eu)
- „ „ the Legal Adviser (Encik Abu Talib bin Othman)
- „ „ the Deputy Chief Minister (Mr. Ooh Chooi Cheng, J.P.)
- „ „ the Member for Tanjong Barat (Mr. Teh Ewe Lim)
- „ „ the Member for Tanjong Tengah (Mr. Tan Gim Hwa, J.M.N.)
- „ „ the Member for Tanjong Selatan (Mr. Wong Choong Woh)
- „ „ the Member for Sungei Pinang (Mr. S.P. Chelliah, J.P.)
- „ „ the Member for Bayan Lepas (Encik Ismail bin Hashim, J.P.)
- „ „ the Member for Kepala Batas (Tuan Haji Ahmad bin
Haji Abdullah, A.M.N., J.P.)
- „ „ the Member for Butterworth (Mr. Ooi Ah Bee)
- „ „ the Member for Glugor (Mr. D.C. Stewart)
- „ „ the Member for Permatang Pauh (Tuan Haji Mohamad Nor
bin Haji Bakar, J.P.)
- „ „ the Member for Dhoby Ghaut (Mr. Khoo Teng Chye)
- „ „ the Member for Nibong Tebal (Mr. Teoh Chung Hor @
Teoh Kooi Sneah)
- „ „ the Member for Muda (Tuan Haji Abdul Kadir bin
Haji Hassan, J.P., P.J.K.)
- „ „ the Member for Tanjong Utara (Mr. Khoo Kay Por)
- „ „ the Member for Kelawei (Mr. Yeap Ghim Guan)
- „ „ the Member for Tanjong Bungah (Mr. Khoo Soo Giap)
- „ „ the Member for Jelutong (Mr. Koay Boon Seng)
- „ „ the Member for Ayer Itam (Mr. Tan Phock Kin)
- „ „ the Member for Sungei Bakap (Mr. Veerappen s/o Veerathan)
- „ „ the Member for Bagan Ajam (Mr. Ong Yi How)
- „ „ the Member for Balik Pulau (Encik Abdul Rahman bin
Haji Yunus)
- „ „ the Member for Tasek Glugor (Encik Mustapha bin Hussain)

1. THE PRAYER.

2. ADDRESS BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

Mr. Speaker announces that His Excellency the Governor will address the Assembly.

(His Excellency the Governor and Yang Mulia Toh Puan Datin Hajjah Sharifah Fatimah enter the Assembly Chamber preceded by Mr. Speaker and the Clerk of Legislative Assembly.)

(The Hon'ble Chief Minister hands the Address to His Excellency.)

His Excellency addresses the Assembly.

Mr. Speaker addresses the Assembly.

(His Excellency the Governor and Yang Mulia Toh Puan Datin Hajjah Sharifah Fatimah leave the Assembly Chamber preceded by Mr. Speaker and the Clerk of Legislative Assembly.)

The Assembly adjourns at 10.55 a.m.

The Assembly resumes at 2.34 p.m.

3. PRESENTATION OF PAPERS.

The following Papers are laid on the table of the Assembly:

- No. 1 of 1973 — First Supplementary Ordinary Estimates, 1973, of the State of Penang.
- No. 2 of 1973 — First Supplementary Development Estimates, 1973, of the State of Penang.
- No. 3 of 1973 — The Statement of Items of Urgent and Unforeseen Expenditure for which Advances have been made in 1973 from the Contingencies Fund, presented to the Legislative Assembly in accordance with Standing Order 111(1).
- No. 4 of 1973 — The Statement of Items of Urgent and Unforeseen Expenditure for which Advances have been made in 1973 from the Contingencies Reserve (Development Fund), presented to the Legislative Assembly in accordance with Standing Order 111(1).
- No. 5 of 1973 — Financial Statements for the year 1971 of the State of Penang.
- No. 6 of 1973 — The Report of Auditor-General, Malaysia, on the accounts of the State of Penang for the year ended 31st December, 1971.
- No. 7 of 1973 — The Report of the Public Accounts Committee on the accounts of the State of Penang for the years ended 1969 and 1970, and the Report of the Auditor-General thereon.

MOTION UNDER STANDING ORDER 15(3).

The Chief Minister addresses the Assembly and, seconded by the Deputy Chief Minister, moves:

Firstly, that the Assembly proceeds forthwith with the Motion standing in the name of the Hon'ble Member for Kelawei which appears as item 6(I) of the Orders of the Day; and

Secondly, that the Motion standing in the name of the Hon'ble Member for Permatang Pauh which appears as item 6(A) of the Orders of the Day be proceeded with immediately following item 4.

The Motion is agreed to.

Mr. Speaker addresses the Assembly.

Mr. Speaker leaves the Assembly.

ELECTION OF PRESIDING MEMBER UNDER STANDING ORDER 3(1)(b).

The Clerk addresses the Assembly.

The Member for Bayan Lepas (Encik Ismail bin Hashim), proposed by the Member for Butterworth (Mr. Ooi Ah Bee) and seconded by the Member for Muda (Tuan Haji Abdul Kadir bin Haji Hassan), is elected to be the Presiding Member.

The Member for Bayan Lepas takes the Chair as Presiding Member and addresses the Assembly.

MOTION 6 (I). Motion by the Hon'ble Mr. Yeap Ghim Guan.

The Member for Kelawei (Mr. Yeap Ghim Guan) addresses the Assembly.

The Assembly adjourns at 4.30 p.m.

The Assembly resumes at 4.45 p.m.

Presiding Member addresses the Assembly.

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MOTION UNDER STANDING ORDER 34.

The Member for Ayer Itam (Mr. Tan Phock Kin) addresses the Assembly and, seconded by the Member for Kelawei (Mr. Yeap Ghim Guan) who also addresses the Assembly, moves:

"That the Assembly adjourns at 5.30 p.m. every day during the current Sitting."

The Motion is not agreed to.

The Member for Kelawei continues to address the Assembly.

The Assembly adjourns at 6.57 p.m.

The Assembly resumes at 8.30 p.m.

The Member for Kelawei continues to address the Assembly and, seconded by the Member for Sungei Bakap (Mr. V. Veerappen) who also addresses the Assembly, moves:

“That the Legislative Assembly has no confidence in the Speaker.”

The Member for Bagan Ajam (Mr. Ong Yi How) addresses the Assembly.

The Member for Nibong Tebal (Mr. Teoh Kooi Sneah) addresses the Assembly.

The Chief Minister addresses the Assembly.

The Member for Tanjong Barat (Mr. Teh Ewe Lim) addresses the Assembly.

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MOTION UNDER STANDING ORDER 9.

The Member for Ayer Itam (Mr. Tan Phock Kin) addresses the Assembly and, seconded by the Member for Sungei Bakap (Mr. V. Veerappen), moves:

“That this House adjourns until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning, as there are still a lot of speakers wanting to speak on this Motion; and if we go on it might take the whole night.”

The Member for Kelawei (Mr. Yeap Ghim Guan) addresses the Assembly.

The Chief Minister addresses the Assembly.

The Member for Ayer Itam addresses the Assembly.

The Motion is not agreed to.

The Member for Ayer Itam calls for a division.

Ayes — 6; Noes — 14; Absentees — 2.

AYES.

Mr. Tan Phock Kin
Mr. V. Veerappen
Mr. Ong Yi How
Mr. Yeap Ghim Guan
Mr. Khoo Soo Giap
Mr. Koay Boon Seng

NOES.

Chief Minister
 Deputy Chief Minister
 Mr. Teh Ewe Lim
 Mr. Tan Gim Hwa
 Mr. Wong Choong Woh
 Mr. S.P. Chelliah
 Tuan Haji Ahmad bin Haji Abdullah
 Mr. Ooi Ah Bee
 Mr. D.C. Stewart
 Tuan Haji Mohamad Nor bin Haji Bakar
 Mr. Khoo Teng Chye
 Mr. Teoh Kooi Sneah
 Tuan Haji Abdul Kadir bin Haji Hassan
 Mr. Khoo Kay Por

ABSENT.

Encik Abdul Rahman bin Haji Yunus
 Encik Mustapha bin Hussain.

Presiding Member addresses the Assembly.

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The Member for Tanjong Barat continues to address the Assembly.

The Assembly adjourns at 11.40 p.m.

The Assembly resumes at 11.47 p.m.

The Member for Tanjong Barat continues to address the Assembly.

The Member for Ayer Itam (Mr. Tan Phock Kin) addresses the Assembly.

The Member for Tanjong Selatan (Mr. Wong Choong Woh) addresses the Assembly.

The Member for Tanjong Bungah (Mr. Khoo Soo Giap) addresses the Assembly.

The Member for Jelutong (Mr. Koay Boon Seng) addresses the Assembly.

The Member for Kelawei addresses the Assembly.

The Motion is not agreed to.

The Assembly adjourns at 1.30 a.m., 22nd May, 1973, to 10.00 a.m.

(Sd. HARUN BIN SIRAT)
 Speaker,
 Dewan Undangan Negeri,
 Pulau Pinang.

22ND MAY, 1973.

PRESENT:

The Hon'ble Mr. Speaker (Datuk Harun bin Sirat, D.M.P.N.)

- „ „ the Chief Minister (Dr. Lim Chong Eu)
- „ „ the Legal Adviser (Encik Abu Talib bin Othman)
- „ „ the Deputy Chief Minister (Mr. Ooh Chooi Cheng, J.P.)
- „ „ the Member for Tanjong Barat (Mr. Teh Ewe Lim)
- „ „ the Member for Tanjong Tengah (Mr. Tan Gim Hwa, J.M.N.)
- „ „ the Member for Tanjong Selatan (Mr. Wong Choong Woh)
- „ „ the Member for Sungei Pinang (Mr. S.P. Chelliah, J.P.)
- „ „ the Member for Bayan Lepas (Encik Ismail bin Hashim, J.P.)
- „ „ the Member for Kepala Batas (Tuan Haji Ahmad bin
Haji Abdullah, A.M.N., J.P.)
- „ „ the Member for Butterworth (Mr. Ooi Ah Bee)
- „ „ the Member for Glugor (Mr. D.C. Stewart)
- „ „ the Member for Permatang Pauh (Tuan Haji Mohamad Nor
bin Haji Bakar, J.P.)
- „ „ the Member for Dhoby Ghaut (Mr. Khoo Teng Chye)
- „ „ the Member for Nibong Tebal (Mr. Teoh Chung Hor @
Teoh Kooi Sneah)
- „ „ the Member for Muda (Tuan Haji Abdul Kadir bin
Haji Hassan, J.P., P.J.K.)
- „ „ the Member for Tanjong Utara (Mr. Khoo Kay Por)
- „ „ the Member for Kelawei (Mr. Yeap Ghim Guan)
- „ „ the Member for Tanjong Bungah (Mr. Khoo Soo Giap)
- „ „ the Member for Jelutong (Mr. Koay Boon Seng)
- „ „ the Member for Ayer Itam (Mr. Tan Phock Kin)
- „ „ the Member for Sungei Bakap (Mr. Veerappen s/o Veerathan)
- „ „ the Member for Balik Pulau (Encik Abdul Rahman bin
Haji Yunus)
- „ „ the Member for Tasek Glugor (Encik Mustapha bin Hussain)

The Assembly resumes at 10.03 a.m.

THE PRAYER.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY MR. SPEAKER.

Mr. Speaker addresses the Assembly.

(The Assembly stands and observes one minute's silence as a mark of respect to the late Mr. D.S. Ramanathan, a former Member of the State Legislative Assembly.)

4.(A) ORAL ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS.

Oral answers to questions, of which notice has been given, and to supplementary questions, are given by the Chief Minister.

The Assembly adjourns at 11.24 a.m.

The Assembly resumes at 11.39 a.m.

Oral answers to questions, of which notice has been given, and to supplementary questions are given by the Chief Minister. (Continuation).

WRITTEN ANSWERS TO ORAL QUESTIONS.

Mr. Speaker announces that the three hours question time is over, and in accordance with Standing Order 26(7) he directs that written answers be given to the remaining oral questions.

4.(B) WRITTEN ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS.

Written answers to questions, of which notice has been given, are laid on the table of the Assembly.

The Assembly adjourns at 1.06 p.m.

The Assembly resumes at 2.33 p.m.

MOTION 6.(A). Motion by the Honourable Tuan Haji Mohamad Nor bin Haji Bakar.

The Member for Permatang Pauh (Tuan Haji Mohamad Nor bin Haji Bakar) addresses the Assembly and, seconded by the Member for Glugor (Mr. D.C. Stewart), moves:

“That we, the Speaker and Members of the Legislative Assembly, Penang, beg to thank His Excellency for the gracious Address given to this Assembly at the First Meeting of the Third Session on 21st May, 1973.”

The Member for Butterworth (Mr. Ooi Ah Bee) addresses the Assembly.

The Member for Ayer Itam (Mr. Tan Phock Kin) addresses the Assembly and, seconded by the Member for Bagan Ajam (Mr. Ong Yi How), moves that the Motion be amended to read:

“That we, the Speaker and Members of the Legislative Assembly, Penang, beg to thank His Excellency for the gracious Address given to this Assembly at the First Meeting of the Third Session on 21st May, 1973, but regrets that no mention is made to two planks of the Gerakan elections platform, namely:- (1) to set up a State Liaison Committee to work closely with the Padi Marketing Board; and (2) to look into malpractices and maladministration perpetrated by the Alliance Party during its term of office, and to rectify these faults wherever possible.”

The Member for Bayan Lepas (Encik Ismail bin Hashim) addresses the Assembly.

The Chief Minister addresses the Assembly.

The Assembly adjourns at 4.50 p.m.

The Assembly resumes at 5.05 p.m.

The amended Motion is not agreed to.

Mr. Speaker addresses the Assembly.

The Member for Kelawei addresses the Assembly and, seconded by the Member for Jelutong (Mr. Koay Boon Seng), moves that the Motion be amended to read:

“That we, the Speaker and Members of the Legislative Assembly, Penang, beg to thank His Excellency for the Gracious Address given to this Assembly at the First Meeting of the Third Session on 21st May, 1973. However, we are of the opinion that the people will be more assured of their welfare if the Governor had been advised to include in his Address —

- (1) A special mention of the concern and desire of the people to be consulted on the question of Penang's Free Port Status and State and Federal Government policy and concrete steps to be taken to reduce the effects on the Penang economy;
- (2) A special mention of the steps to be taken to carry out the Master Plan and particulars and details of the Plan to be made known to the People;
- (3) A special mention of the concrete assistance and special concessions given by the Central Government by virtue of the formation of the Coalition Government;
- (4) A special mention of the concrete steps proposed by the Government to restore the Local Authorities to the electors immediately;

- (5) A special mention of the desire of the people for the establishment of Penang's own Public Services Commission;
- (6) A special mention of the frustration of the People at the rising prices of essential commodities like sugar, rice, water and quit rents and an assurance that house assessments will not be raised;
- (7) A special mention of the concern of the people of Penang on the high percentage of failures in Penang among Penang's leading schools in the recent M.C.E. examination."

The Member for Bayan Lepas addresses the Assembly.

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Motion under Standing Order 46(xi).

The Member for Butterworth (Mr. Ooi Ah Bee) addresses the Assembly and, seconded by the Member for Nibong Tebal (Mr. Teoh Kooi Sneah), moves that the question be now put.

The Member for Kelawei (Mr. Yeap Ghim Guan) addresses the Assembly.

The Motion is agreed to.

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Mr. Speaker addresses the Assembly.

The amended Motion is not agreed to.

The Member for Tanjong Bungah (Mr. Khoo Soo Giap) calls for a division.

Ayes — 5; Noes — 14; Absentees — 4.

AYES.

Mr. Yeap Ghim Guan
Mr. Khoo Soo Giap
Mr. Koay Boon Seng
Mr. V. Veerappen
Mr. Ong Yi How

NOES.

Chief Minister
Deputy Chief Minister
Mr. Teh Ewe Lim
Mr. Tan Gim Hwa
Mr. Wong Choong Woh

Mr. S.P. Chelliah
Encik Ismail bin Hashim
Tuan Haji Ahmad bin Haji Abdullah
Mr. Ooi Ah Bee
Mr. D.C. Stewart
Tuan Haji Mohamad Nor bin Haji Bakar
Mr. Khoo Teng Chye
Mr. Teoh Kooi Sneah
Tuan Haji Abdul Kadir bin Haji Hassan

ABSENT.

Mr. Tan Phock Kin
Encik Abdul Rahman bin Haji Yunus
Encik Mustapha bin Hussain
Mr. Khoo Kay Por.

Mr. Speaker addresses the Assembly.

The Member for Tanjong Bungah addresses the Assembly.

The Assembly adjourns at 7.21 p.m. to 23rd May, 1973, at 9.30 a.m.

(Sd. HARUN BIN SIRAT)
Speaker,
Dewan Undangan Negeri,
Pulau Pinang.

23RD MAY, 1973.

PRESENT:

- The Hon'ble Mr. Speaker (Dato Harun bin Sirat, D.M.P.N.)
- „ „ the Chief Minister (Dr. Lim Chong Eu)
- „ „ the Legal Adviser (Enche Abu Talib bin Othman)
- „ „ the Deputy Chief Minister (Mr. Ooh Chooi Cheng, J.P.)
- „ „ the Member for Tanjong Barat (Mr. Teh Ewe Lim)
- „ „ the Member for Tanjong Tengah (Mr. Tan Gim Hwa, J.M.N.)
- „ „ the Member for Tanjong Selatan (Mr. Wong Choong Woh)
- „ „ the Member for Sungei Pinang (Mr. S.P. Chelliah, J.P.)
- „ „ the Member for Bayan Lepas (Enche Ismail bin Hashim, J.P.)
- „ „ the Member for Kepala Batas (Tuan Haji Ahmad bin
Haji Abdullah, A.M.N., J.P.)
- „ „ the Member for Butterworth (Mr. Ooi Ah Bee)
- „ „ the Member for Glugor (Mr. D.C. Stewart)
- „ „ the Member for Permatang Pauh (Tuan Haji Mohamad Nor
bin Haji Bakar, J.P.)
- „ „ the Member for Dhoby Ghaut (Mr. Khoo Teng Chye)
- „ „ the Member for Nibong Tebal (Mr. Teoh Chung Hor @
Teoh Kooi Sneah)
- „ „ the Member for Muda (Tuan Haji Abdul Kadir bin
Haji Hassan, J.P., P.J.K.)
- „ „ the Member for Kelawei (Mr. Yeap Ghim Guan)
- „ „ the Member for Tanjong Bungah (Mr. Khoo Soo Giap)
- „ „ the Member for Jelutong (Mr. Koay Boon Seng)
- „ „ the Member for Ayer Itam (Mr. Tan Phock Kin)
- „ „ the Member for Sungei Bakap (Mr. Veerappen s/o Veerathan)
- „ „ the Member for Bagan Ajam (Mr. Ong Yi How)
- „ „ the Member for Balik Pulau (Enche Abdul Rahman bin
Haji Yunus)
- „ „ the Member for Tasek Glugor (Enche Mustapha bin Hussain)

ABSENT:

- The Hon'ble the Member for Tanjong Utara (Mr. Khoo Kay Por)

The Assembly resumes at 9.33 a.m.

THE PRAYER.

MOTION 6.(A) Motion by the Honourable Tuan Haji Mohamad Nor bin Haji Bakar. (Continuation).

The Member for Kelawei addresses the Assembly.

The Assembly adjourns at 11.17 a.m.

The Assembly resumes at 11.30 a.m.

The Member for Kelawei continues to address the Assembly.

The Member for Sungei Bakap (Mr. V. Veerappen) addresses the Assembly.

The Assembly adjourns at 12.54 p.m.

The Assembly resumes at 2.32 p.m.

The Member for Sungei Bakap continues to address the Assembly.

The Member for Bagan Ajam addresses the Assembly.

The Assembly adjourns at 4.24 p.m.

The Assembly resumes at 4.48 p.m.

The Member for Bagan Ajam continues to address the Assembly.

The Member for Balik Pulau (Encik Abdul Rahman bin Haji Yunus) addresses the Assembly.

The Member for Muda (Tuan Haji Abdul Kadir bin Haji Hassan) addresses the Assembly.

The Member for Tasek Glugor (Encik Mustapha bin Hussain) addresses the Assembly.

The Member for Kepala Batas (Tuan Haji Ahmad bin Haji Abdullah) addresses the Assembly.

The Assembly adjourns at 6.18 p.m. to 24th May, 1973 at 9.30 a.m.

(Sd. HARUN BIN SIRAT)
Speaker,
Dewan Undangan Negeri,
Pulau Pinang.

24TH MAY, 1973.

PRESENT:

The Hon'ble Presiding Member (Encik Ooh Chooi Cheng, J.P., Deputy Chief Minister).

- „ the Chief Minister (Dr. Lim Chong Eu)
- „ the Legal Adviser (Encik Abu Talib bin Othman)
- „ the Member for Tanjong Barat (Mr. Teh Ewe Lim)
- „ the Member for Tanjong Tengah (Mr. Tan Gim Hwa, J.M.N.)
- „ the Member for Tanjong Selatan (Mr. Wong Choong Woh)
- „ the Member for Sungei Pinang (Mr. S.P. Chelliah, J.P.)
- „ the Member for Bayan Lepas (Encik Ismail bin Hashim, J.P.)
- „ the Member for Kepala Batas (Tuan Haji Ahmad bin
Haji Abdullah, A.M.N., J.P.)
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- „ the Member for Glugor (Mr. D.C. Stewart)
- „ the Member for Permatang Pauh (Tuan Haji Mohamad Nor
bin Haji Bakar, J.P.)
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Teoh Kooi Sneah)
- „ the Member for Muda (Tuan Haji Abdul Kadir bin
Haji Hassan, J.P., P.J.K.)
- „ the Member for Kelawei (Mr. Yeap Ghim Guan)
- „ the Member for Tanjong Bungah (Mr. Khoo Soo Giap)
- „ the Member for Jelutong (Mr. Koay Boon Seng)
- „ the Member for Ayer Itam (Mr. Tan Phock Kin)
- „ the Member for Sungei Bakap (Mr. Veerappen s/o Veerathan)
- „ the Member for Bagan Ajam (Mr. Ong Yi How)
- „ the Member for Balik Pulau (Encik Abdul Rahman bin
Haji Yunus)
- „ the Member for Tasek Glugor (Encik Mustapha bin Hussain)

ABSENT:

The Hon'ble Mr. Speaker (Datuk Harun bin Sirat, D.M.P.N.)

- „ the Member for Tanjong Utara (Mr. Khoo Kay Por)

The Assembly resumes at 9.45 a.m.

THE PRAYER.

ELECTION OF PRESIDING MEMBER UNDER STANDING ORDER 3(1)(b).

The Clerk addresses the Assembly.

The Deputy Chief Minister, proposed by the Member for Bayan Lepas (Encik Ismail bin Hashim) and seconded by the Member for Butterworth (Mr. Ooi Ah Bee), is elected to be the Presiding Member.

The Deputy Chief Minister takes the Chair as Presiding Member and addresses the Assembly.

MOTION 6.(A) Motion by the Honourable Tuan Haji Mohamad Nor bin Haji Bakar. (Continuation).

The Member for Ayer Itam addresses the Assembly.

The Assembly adjourns at 10.57 a.m.

The Assembly resumes at 11.10 a.m.

The Member for Ayer Itam continues to address the Assembly.

The Assembly adjourns at 11.37 a.m.

The Assembly resumes at 12.02 p.m.

The Member for Ayer Itam continues to address the Assembly.

The Member for Jelutong addresses the Assembly.

The Member for Nibong Tebal (Mr. Teoh Kooi Sneah) addresses the Assembly.

The Member for Tanjong Tengah (Mr. Tan Gim Hwa) addresses the Assembly.

The Assembly adjourns at 1.01 p.m.

The Assembly resumes at 2.38 p.m.

The Member for Tanjong Tengah continues to address the Assembly.

The Member for Bayan Lepas addresses the Assembly.

The Assembly adjourns at 4.10 p.m.

The Assembly resumes at 4.35 p.m.

The Member for Bayan Lepas continues to address the Assembly.

The Member for Tanjong Barat (Mr. Teh Ewe Lim) addresses the Assembly.

The Presiding Member addresses the Assembly.

The Assembly adjourns at 5.31 p.m. to 25th May, 1973, at 9.30 a.m.

(Sd. OOH CHOOI CHENG)

Presiding Member,

Dewan Undangan Negeri,

Pulau Pinang.

25TH MAY, 1973.

PRESENT:

- The Hon'ble the Presiding Member (Encik Ooh Chooi Cheng, J.P., Deputy
Chief Minister).
- „ „ the Chief Minister (Dr. Lim Chong Eu)
- „ „ the Legal Adviser (Encik Abu Talib bin Othman)
- „ „ the Member for Tanjong Barat (Mr. Teh Ewe Lim)
- „ „ the Member for Tanjong Tengah (Mr. Tan Gim Hwa, J.M.N.)
- „ „ the Member for Tanjong Selatan (Mr. Wong Choong Woh)
- „ „ the Member for Sungei Pinang (Mr. S.P. Chelliah, J.P.)
- „ „ the Member for Bayan Lepas (Encik Ismail bin Hashim, J.P.)
- „ „ the Member for Kepala Batas (Tuan Haji Ahmad bin
Haji Abdullah, A.M.N., J.P.)
- „ „ the Member for Butterworth (Mr. Ooi Ah Bee)
- „ „ the Member for Glugor (Mr. D.C. Stewart)
- „ „ the Member for Permatang Pauh (Tuan Haji Mohamad Nor
bin Haji Bakar, J.P.)
- „ „ the Member for Nibong Tebal (Mr. Teoh Chung Hor @
Teoh Kooi Sneah)
- „ „ the Member for Muda (Tuan Haji Abdul Kadir bin
Haji Hassan, J.P., P.J.K.)
- „ „ the Member for Kelawei (Mr. Yeap Ghim Guan)
- „ „ the Member for Jelutong (Mr. Koay Boon Seng)
- „ „ the Member for Ayer Itam (Mr. Tan Phock Kin)
- „ „ the Member for Sungei Bakap (Mr. Veerappen s/o Veerathan)
- „ „ the Member for Bagan Ajam (Mr. Ong Yi How)
- „ „ the Member for Balik Pulau (Encik Abdul Rahman bin
Haji Yunus)
- „ „ the Member for Tasek Glugor (Encik Mustapha bin Hussain)

ABSENT:

- The Hon'ble Mr. Speaker (Datuk Harun bin Sirat, D.M.P.N.)
- „ „ the Member for Dhoby Ghaut (Mr. Khoo Teng Chye)
- „ „ the Member for Tanjong Utara (Mr. Khoo Kay Por)
- „ „ the Member for Tanjong Bungah (Mr. Khoo Soo Giap)

The Assembly resumes at 9.32 a.m.

THE PRAYER.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY PRESIDING MEMBER .

The Presiding Member addresses the Assembly.

MOTION 6. (A) Motion by the Honourable Tuan Haji Mohamad Nor bin Haji Bakar (Continuation).

The Member for Tanjong Barat continues to address the Assembly.

The Presiding Member addresses the Assembly.

The Assembly adjourns at 10.44 a.m.

The Assembly resumes at 11.14 a.m.

The Chief Minister addresses the Assembly.

The Assembly adjourns at 11.59 a.m.

The Assembly resumes at 2.30 p.m.

The Presiding Member addresses the Assembly.

The Chief Minister continues to address the Assembly.

The Assembly adjourns at 4.00 p.m.

The Assembly resumes at 4.23 p.m.

The Chief Minister continues to address the Assembly.

The Member for Permatang Pauh addresses the Assembly.

The Motion is agreed to unanimously.

The Assembly adjourns at 5.34 p.m. to 28th May, 1973 at 9.30 a.m.

(Sd. OOH CHOOI CHENG)
Presiding Member,
Dewan Undangan Negeri,
Pulau Pinang.

28TH. MAY, 1973.

PRESENT:

- The Hon'ble Presiding Member (Encik Ooh Chooi Cheng, J.P., Deputy Chief Minister).
- „ „ the Chief Minister (Dr. Lim Chong Eu)
- „ „ the Legal Adviser (Encik Abu Talib bin Othman)
- „ „ the Member for Tanjong Barat (Mr. Teh Ewe Lim)
- „ „ the Member for Tanjong Tengah (Mr. Tan Gim Hwa, J.M.N.)
- „ „ the Member for Tanjong Selatan (Mr. Wong Choong Woh)
- „ „ the Member for Sungei Pinang (Mr. S.P. Chelliah, J.P.)
- „ „ the Member for Bayan Lepas (Encik Ismail bin Hashim, J.P.)
- „ „ the Member for Kepala Batas (Tuan Haji Ahmad bin
Haji Abdullah, A.M.N., J.P.)
- „ „ the Member for Butterworth (Mr. Ooi Ah Bee)
- „ „ the Member for Glugor (Mr. D.C. Stewart)
- „ „ the Member for Permatang Pauh (Tuan Haji Mohamad Nor
bin Haji Bakar, J.P.)
- „ „ the Member for Dhoby Ghaut (Mr. Khoo Teng Chye)
- „ „ the Member for Nibong Tebal (Mr. Teoh Chung Hor @
Teoh Kooi Sneah)
- „ „ the Member for Muda (Tuan Haji Abdul Kadir bin
Haji Hassan, J.P., P.J.K.)
- „ „ the Member for Tanjong Utara (Mr. Khoo Kay Por)
- „ „ the Member for Kelawei (Mr. Yeap Ghim Guan)
- „ „ the Member for Tanjong Bungah (Mr. Khoo Soo Giap)
- „ „ the Member for Jelutong (Mr. Koay Boon Seng)
- „ „ the Member for Ayer Itam (Mr. Tan Phock Kin)
- „ „ the Member for Sungei Bakap (Mr. Veerappen s/o Veerathan)
- „ „ the Member for Bagan Ajam (Mr. Ong Yi How)
- „ „ the Member for Balik Pulau (Encik Abdul Rahman bin
Haji Yunus)
- „ „ the Member for Tasek Glugor (Encik Mustapha bin Hussain)

ABSENT:

The Hon'ble Mr. Speaker (Datuk Harun bin Sirat, D.M.P.N.)

The Assembly resumes at 9.49 a.m.

THE PRAYER.

MOTION UNDER STANDING ORDER 30(1).

The Member for Ayer Itam (Mr. Tan Phock Kin) addresses the Assembly and requests leave to move the adjournment of the House for the purpose of discussing a definite matter of urgent public importance.

The Presiding Member addresses the Assembly.

The Chief Minister addresses the Assembly.

The Presiding Member addresses the Assembly and asks that Members who support the request rise in their places.

(The Member for Kelawei (Mr. Yeap Ghim Guan), the Member for Jelutong (Mr. Koay Boon Seng), the Member for Ayer Itam, the Member for Sungei Bakap (Mr. V. Veerappen) and the Member for Bagan Ajam (Mr. Ong Yi How) rise in their places.)

The Motion is disallowed.

5. BILLS.

(1) The Supplementary Supply (1973)(No.1) Bill, 1973.

The Chief Minister, seconded by the Member for Glugor (Mr. D.C. Stewart), moves that the Bill intituled 'An Enactment to apply sums out of the Consolidated Fund for additional expenditure for the service of the year 1973 and to appropriate such sums for certain purposes' be read a first time.

The Bill is read a first time.

The Chief Minister gives notice of his intention to move the Second Reading of the Bill forthwith.

The Chief Minister addresses the Assembly and, seconded by the Member for Glugor, moves that the Supplementary Supply (1973) (No.1) Bill, 1973, be read a second time.

The Member for Kelawei (Mr. Yeap Ghim Guan) addresses the Assembly.

The Member for Ayer Itam (Mr. Tan Phock Kin) addresses the Assembly.

The Member for Bagan Ajam (Mr. Ong Yi How) addresses the Assembly.

The Assembly adjourns at 11.10 a.m.

The Assembly resumes at 11.40 a.m.

The Member for Dhoby Ghaut (Mr. Khoo Teng Chye) addresses the Assembly.

The Chief Minister addresses the Assembly.

The Motion is agreed to unanimously, and the Bill is read a second time.

The Bill is considered clause by clause in Committee of Supply and agreed to without amendment.

The Assembly resumes.

The Chief Minister reports that the Bill has been considered in Committee and agreed to without amendment, and moves that the Bill be now read a third time and passed.

The Motion is agreed to unanimously, and the Bill is read a third time and passed.

(2) The Municipal Ordinance (Amendment)(Penang) Bill, 1973.

The Chief Minister, seconded by the Member for Glugor (Mr. D.C. Stewart), moves that the Bill intituled 'An Enactment to amend the Municipal Ordinance (Cap. 133)' be read a first time.

The Bill is read a first time.

The Chief Minister gives notice of his intention to move the Second Reading of the Bill at a subsequent Meeting.

6. MOTIONS.

(B) Motion by the Hon'ble Mr. Wong Choong Woh.

The Member for Tanjong Selatan (Mr. Wong Choong Woh) addresses the Assembly and, seconded by the Member for Glugor (Mr. D.C. Stewart), moves:

"That this Assembly resolves that the following be re-appointed as Members of the Standing Orders Committee of the Legislative Assembly, Penang:-

1. Hon'ble Datuk Speaker (Chairman)
2. Hon'ble Encik Teh Ewe Lim
3. Hon'ble Encik S.P. Chelliah, J.P.
4. Hon'ble Encik Ismail bin Hashim, J.P.
5. Hon'ble Encik Teoh Kooi Sneah
6. Hon'ble Encik Yeap Ghim Guan
7. Hon'ble Encik Mustapha bin Hussain

and that the Chairman and four other Members shall form a quorum. The Committee shall not have power to send for persons, documents or papers unless the Assembly otherwise resolves."

The Member for Kelawei (Mr. Yeap Ghim Guan) addresses the Assembly.

The Chief Minister addresses the Assembly.

The Motion is agreed to unanimously.

The Assembly adjourns at 12.59 p.m.

The Assembly resumes at 2.42 p.m.

(C) Motion by the Hon'ble Mr. S.P. Chelliah.

The Member for Sungei Pinang (Mr. S.P. Chelliah) addresses the Assembly and, seconded by the Member for Permatang Pauh (Tuan Haji Mohamad Nor bin Haji Bakar), moves:

"That this Assembly resolves that the following be appointed as Members of the Committee of Privileges of the Legislative Assembly, Penang:-

1. Hon'ble Datuk Speaker (Chairman)
2. Hon'ble Encik Wong Choong Woh
3. Hon'ble Encik Ooi Ah Bee
4. Hon'ble Tuan Haji Ahmad bin Haji Abdullah, A.M.N., J.P.
5. Hon'ble Encik D.C. Stewart
6. Hon'ble Encik Khoo Soo Giap
7. Hon'ble Encik V. Veerappen

and that the Chairman and three other Members shall form a quorum. The Committee shall have power to send for persons, papers and documents and to report to the Assembly from time to time."

The Motion is agreed to unanimously.

(D) Motion by the Hon'ble Mr. Tan Gim Hwa.

The Member for Tanjong Tengah (Mr. Tan Gim Hwa) addresses the Assembly and, seconded by the Member for Nibong Tebal (Mr. Teoh Kooi Sneah), moves:

"That this Assembly resolves that the following be re-appointed as Members of the House Committee of the Legislative Assembly, Penang:-

1. Hon'ble Datuk Speaker (Chairman)
2. Hon'ble Encik Khoo Teng Chye
3. Hon'ble Encik Ooi Ah Bee
4. Hon'ble Tuan Haji Mohamad Nor bin Haji Bakar, J.P.
5. Hon'ble Tuan Haji Abdul Kadir bin Haji Hassan, P.J.K., J.P.
6. Hon'ble Encik Yeap Ghim Guan
7. Hon'ble Encik Tan Phock Kin

and that the Chairman and three other Members shall form a quorum. The Committee shall not have power to send for persons, documents or papers unless the Assembly otherwise resolves."

The Member for Kelawei (Mr. Yeap Ghim Guan) addresses the Assembly.

The Chief Minister addresses the Assembly.

The Motion is agreed to unanimously.

(E) Motion by the Hon'ble Encik Ismail bin Hashim.

The Member for Bayan Lepas (Encik Ismail bin Hashim) addresses the Assembly and, seconded by the Member for Glugor (Mr. D.C. Stewart), moves:

"That this Assembly resolves that the following be appointed as Members of the Public Accounts Committee for the Third Session of the Third Legislative Assembly, Penang, to examine the accounts and reports as specified under Standing Order 109A(1) and to make such reports to the Assembly thereon as the Committee may think fit:-

1. Hon'ble Encik Khoo Teng Chye (Chairman)
2. Hon'ble Encik Teoh Kooi Sneah
3. Hon'ble Tuan Haji Mohamad Nor bin Haji Bakar, J.P.
4. Hon'ble Encik Koay Boon Seng

of whom the Chairman and two members shall form a quorum."

The Member for Ayer Itam (Mr. Tan Phock Kin) addresses the Assembly.

The Member for Sungei Bakap (Mr. V. Veerappen) addresses the Assembly.

The Chief Minister addresses the Assembly.

The Member for Kelawei (Mr. Yeap Ghim Guan) addresses the Assembly.

The Member for Bayan Lepas (Encik Ismail bin Hashim) addresses the Assembly.

The Motion is agreed to.

(F) Motion by the Hon'ble Chief Minister.

The Chief Minister addresses the Assembly and, seconded by the Member for Dhoby Ghaut (Mr. Khoo Teng Chye), moves:

"That this Assembly approves the expenditure of Dollars Fifty Thousand only (\$50,000) shown in the First Supplementary Development Estimates, 1973, tabled as Legislative Assembly Paper No.2 of 1973, and resolves that the said sum shall be applied for the purpose specified in the said First Supplementary Development Estimates, 1973."

The Member for Sungei Bakap (Mr. V. Veerappen) addresses the Assembly.

The Chief Minister addresses the Assembly.

The Motion is agreed to unanimously.

(G) Motion by the Hon'ble Mr. Tan Phock Kin.

The Member for Ayer Itam (Mr. Tan Phock Kin) addresses the Assembly and moves that his Motion be amended to read:

"That this Assembly considers the increase in water tariffs by the newly-constituted State Water Authority to be contrary to the principles of the Rukunegara of creating a just society, in that the burden of the increase is not equitably shared by the State Government and all consumers in accordance with their ability to pay. This Assembly therefore calls upon the State Government to take appropriate steps to get the State Water Authority to review the increased tariffs so as to render the water rates more equitable."

The Presiding Member addresses the Assembly.

The amended Motion is disallowed.

The Member for Ayer Itam addresses the Assembly and, seconded by the Member for Bagan Ajam (Mr. Ong Yi How), moves:

"That this Assembly considers the increase in water tariffs by the newly-constituted State Water Authority to be contrary to the principles of the Rukunegara of creating a just society, in that the burden of the increase is not equitably shared by all consumers in accordance with their ability to pay.

This Assembly therefore calls upon the State Government to take appropriate steps to get the State Water Authority to review the increased tariffs so as to render the water rates more equitable."

The Presiding Member addresses the Assembly.

The amended Motion is disallowed.

The Member for Ayer Itam addresses the Assembly and, seconded by the Member for Bagan Ajam (Mr. Ong Yi How), moves:

"That this Assembly considers the increase in water tariffs by the newly-constituted State Water Authority to be contrary to the principles of the Rukunegara of creating a just society, in that the burden of the increase is not equitably shared by all consumers in accordance with their ability to pay.

This Assembly therefore calls upon the State Government to take appropriate steps to get the State Water Authority to review the increased tariffs so as to render the water rates more equitable."

The Assembly adjourns at 4.10 p.m.

The Assembly resumes at 4.45 p.m.

The Member for Bagan Ajam addresses the Assembly.

The Member for Butterworth (Mr. Ooi Ah Bee) addresses the Assembly.

The Member for Tanjong Bungah (Mr. Khoo Soo Giap) addresses the Assembly.

The Presiding Member addresses the Assembly.

The Member for Sungei Bakap (Mr. V. Veerappen) addresses the Assembly.

The Member for Bayan Lepas (Encik Ismail bin Hashim) addresses the Assembly.

The Member for Tanjong Barat (Mr. Teh Ewe Lim) addresses the Assembly.

The Chief Minister addresses the Assembly.

The Presiding Member addresses the Assembly.

The Assembly adjourns at 7.04 p.m.

The Assembly resumes at 7.10 p.m.

The Member for Ayer Itam addresses the Assembly.

The Motion is not agreed to.

The Assembly adjourns at 7.29 p.m. to 29th May, 1973, at 10.00 a.m.

(Sd. OOH CHOOI CHENG)
Presiding Member,
Dewan Undangan Negeri,
Pulau Pinang.

29TH MAY, 1973.

PRESENT

The Hon'ble Presiding Member (Encik Ooh Chooi Cheng, J.P., Deputy Chief Minister).

- „ „ the Chief Minister (Dr. Lim Chong Eu)
- „ „ the Legal Adviser (Enche Abu Talib bin Othman)
- „ „ the Member for Tanjong Barat (Mr. Teh Ewe Lim)
- „ „ the Member for Tanjong Tengah (Mr. Tan Gim Hwa, J.M.N.)
- „ „ the Member for Tanjong Selatan (Mr. Wong Choong Woh)
- „ „ the Member for Sungei Pinang (Mr. S.P. Chelliah, J.P.)
- „ „ the Member for Bayan Lepas (Enche Ismail bin Hashim, J.P.)
- „ „ the Member for Kepala Batas (Tuan Haji Ahmad bin
Haji Abdullah, A.M.N., J.P.)
- „ „ the Member for Butterworth (Mr. Ooi Ah Bee)
- „ „ the Member for Glugor (Mr. D.C. Stewart)
- „ „ the Member for Permatang Pauh (Tuan Haji Mohamad Nor
bin Haji Bakar, J.P.)
- „ „ the Member for Dhoby Ghaut (Mr. Khoo Teng Chye)
- „ „ the Member for Nibong Tebal (Mr. Teoh Chung Hor @
Teoh Kooi Sneah)
- „ „ the Member for Muda (Tuan Haji Abdul Kadir bin
Haji Hassan, J.P., P.J.K.)
- „ „ the Member for Tanjong Utara (Mr. Khoo Kay Por)
- „ „ the Member for Kelawei (Mr. Yeap Ghim Guan)
- „ „ the Member for Tanjong Bungah (Mr. Khoo Soo Giap)
- „ „ the Member for Jelutong (Mr. Koay Boon Seng)
- „ „ the Member for Ayer Itam (Mr. Tan Phock Kin)
- „ „ the Member for Sungei Bakap (Mr. Veerappen s/o Veerathan)
- „ „ the Member for Bagan Ajam (Mr. Ong Yi How)
- „ „ the Member for Balik Pulau (Enche Abdul Rahman bin
Haji Yunus)
- „ „ the Member for Tasek Glugor (Enche Mustapha bin Hussain)

ABSENT:

The Hon'ble Mr. Speaker (Datuk Harun bin Sirat, D.M.P.N.)

The Assembly resumes at 10.06 a.m.

THE PRAYER.

(H) Motion by the Hon'ble Mr. V. Veerappen.

The Member for Sungei Bakap (Mr. V. Veerappen) addresses the Assembly and, seconded by the Member for Bagan Ajam (Mr. Ong Yi How) who also addresses the Assembly, moves —

“That this House deplores the failure of the Government to provide basic amenities in new villages, kampongs, slums and particularly fragmented estates in Province Wellesley where such services as sanitation, scavenging, nightsoil removal, water supply, maintenance of access roads and drainage have completely broken down for the last 17 years or more, and urges the Government to take immediate steps to provide these amenities in order to safeguard the health and well-being of the residents of these places.”

The Assembly adjourns at 11.10 a.m.

The Assembly resumes at 11.35 a.m.

The Member for Kelawei (Mr. Yeap Ghim Guan) addresses the Assembly and moves that the Motion be amended to read:

“That this House calls upon the Government to provide amenities for new villages and kampungs, and immediately introduce a crash programme to give a new deal to these people who have been neglected for the last 15 years.”

The amended Motion is disallowed.

The Member for Kelawei addresses the Assembly.

The Member for Balik Pulau (Encik Abdul Rahman bin Haji Yunus) addresses the Assembly.

The Member for Ayer Itam (Mr. Tan Phock Kin) addresses the Assembly.

The Member for Bayan Lepas (Encik Ismail bin Hashim) addresses the Assembly.

The Member for Sungei Pinang (Mr. S.P. Chelliah) addresses the Assembly.

The Chief Minister addresses the Assembly.

The Assembly adjourns at 1.00 p.m.

The Assembly resumes at 2.39 p.m.

The Chief Minister continues to address the Assembly.

The Member for Sungei Bakap addresses the Assembly.

The Motion is not agreed to.

(J) Motion by the Hon'ble Mr. Yeap Ghim Guan.

The Member for Kelawei (Mr. Yeap Ghim Guan) addresses the Assembly.

The Assembly adjourns at 4.16 p.m.

The Assembly resumes at 4.38 p.m.

The Member for Kelawei continues to address the Assembly.

The Assembly adjourns at 6.00 p.m.

The Assembly resumes at 6.15 p.m.

The Member for Kelawei continues to address the Assembly and, seconded by the Member for Jelutong (Mr. Koay Boon Seng), moves:

“That until such time as the Councillors of the City Council of Georgetown, Rural District Council, District Council North Bitterworth, District Council Central Bukit Mertajam and District Council South Nibong Tebal are elected by the people the Chief Minister must table the annual budget of the Councils for debate.”

The Member for Bagan Ajam (Mr. Ong Yi How) addresses the Assembly.

The Chief Minister addresses the Assembly.

The Member for Jelutong addresses the Assembly.

The Member for Tanjong Bungah (Mr. Khoo Soo Giap) addresses the Assembly.

The Member for Kelawei addresses the Assembly.

The question is put.

The Member for Tanjong Bungah calls for a division.

Ayes — 6; Noes — 12; Absentees — 4.

AYES.

Mr. Yeap Ghim Guan

Mr. Khoo Soo Giap

Mr. Koay Boon Seng

Mr. Tan Phock Kin

Mr. V. Veerappen

Mr. Ong Yi How

NOES.

Chief Minister

Mr. Teh Ewe Lim

Mr. Tan Gim Hwa

Mr. Wong Choong Woh

Mr. S.P. Chelliah

Encik Ismail bin Hashim

Tuan Haji Ahmad bin Haji Abdullah

Mr. Ooi Ah Bee

Mr. D.C. Stewart

Tuan Haji Mohamad Nor bin Haji Bakar

Mr. Khoo Teng Chye

Tuan Haji Abdul Kadir bin Haji Hassan

ABSENT.

Encik Abdul Rahman bin Haji Yunus

Encik Mustapha bin Hussain

Mr. Teoh Kooi Sneah

Mr. Khoo Kay Por

The Presiding Member addresses the Assembly.

The Motion is not agreed to.

7. ADJOURNMENT.

The Chief Minister, seconded by the Member for Bayan Lepas (Encik Ismail bin Hashim), moves that the Assembly do adjourn.

The Member for Bagan Ajam (Mr. Ong Yi How) addresses the Assembly.

The Chief Minister addresses the Assembly.

The Assembly adjourns at 8.41 p.m.

(Sd. OOH CHOOI CHENG)

Presiding Member,

Dewan Undangan Negeri,

Pulau Pinang.