Votes & Proceedings of the Fifteenth Parliament

No. 13

Second Sitting of the Second Meeting Monday, 13th June 2003

10.00 a.m.

- 1. The House met at 10 a.m. pursuant to adjournment.
- 2. The Hon. F. Ribauw, M.P., Speaker of Parliament, took the Chair and read Prayers.
- 3. **Questions Without Notice** were asked.

4. Orders of the Day No. 1 - Supply Bill 2003

Debate on the question that the Supply Bill 2003 be now read a second time ensued. Question put and passed.

The Bill was read a second time.

5. Letter of Recommendation

The Chair informed the House that he had received from His Excellency the President, as Chairman of the Cabinet, the following recommendation -

"I, Ludwig Scotty, President of the Republic of Nauru and Chairman of the Cabinet, in pursuance of a resolution of the Cabinet, hereby notify Parliament that the purpose of the withdrawals from the Treasury Fund and Nauru Housing Fund as proposed by the Supply Bill 2003 is recommended to the Parliament by the Cabinet.

Dated this 16th day of June, 2003.

(Signed) Ludwig Scotty, President & Chairman of the Cabinet."

7. **Motion Seeking Leave**

The Hon. D. Adeang (Minister for Finance) sought leave of the House to move for the third reading of the Bill.

Leave was not granted.

8. Motion - Suspension of Standing Orders

The Hon. Dr. K. Keke (Minister for Health) and the Hon. B. Waqa (Minister for Education) called for a division.

The House divided.

AYES NOES

Mr. Scotty Mr. Adeang Mr. Clodumar Mr. Detenamo Mr. Kun Mr. Jeremiah Mr. Botelanga Mr. Adam Mr. Waqa Dr. Keke Mr. Ekwona Mr. Stephen

Mr. Gioura Mr. Akua

Mr. Thoma

Total - 9 Total - 6

Question put and passed.

9. **Motion - Third Reading**

The Hon. D. Adeang (Minister for Finance) moved that the Bill be now read a third time. His Excellency the President seconded.

Question put and passed.

The Bill was read a third time.

9. Motion Fixing the Date for the Next Sitting

His Excellency President L. Scotty moved that Parliament at its rising do adjourn until a time and date to be fixed by the Chair.

The Hon. D. Adeang (Minister for Finance) seconded.

Question put and passed.

10. **Adjournment**

His Excellency the President moved that the House do now adjourn.

Debate ensued.

Question put and passed.

And then the House at fifty five minutes past twelve o'clock p.m. adjourned until a time and date to be fixed by the Chair.

Members Present

All Members were present at some time during the sitting, except -

Mr. Harris Mr. Namaduk

Frederick Cain
Clerk of Parliament