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ASSAM LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

The 1st October, 2018

No. LARC.43/2018/656.- In exercise of power conferred by Rules 260(3) and (4) of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in Assam Legislative Assembly the following Fifteenth Report of the Rules Committee with amendment is published for information of General Public -

COMPOSITION OF THE COMMITTEE**Ex-Officio-Chairman**

1. Shri Hitendra Nath Goswami, Hon'ble Speaker, Assam Legislative Assembly.

Members

2. Shri Chandra Mohan Patowary, Minister, Parliamentary Affairs etc., Assam,
3. Shri Atul Bora, Minister, Agriculture etc., Assam,
4. Shri Phani Bhusan Choudhury, Minister, Food & Civil Supplies etc., Assam,
5. Shri Debabrata Saikia, Leader of the Opposition, Assam Legislative Assembly,
6. Shri Ranjeet Kumar Dass, MLA,
7. Smti Ajanta Neog, MLA,
8. Shri Prasanta Phukan, MLA,
9. Shri Pabindra Deka, MLA,
10. Dr. Mansing Rongpi, MLA,
11. Shri Emmanuel Mosahary, MLA,
12. Shri Joy Ram Engleng, MLA,
13. Shri Mamun Imdadul Haque Chawdhury, MLA.

Secretariat

1. Shri M.K. Deka, Principal Secretary,
2. Shri A.N. Deka, Additional Secretary,
3. Shri M.K. Sarma, Deputy Secretary,
4. Shri H. Mushahary, Under Secretary.

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REPORT

On 4th September, 2018 a meeting of Business Advisory Committee had been convened by the Hon'ble Speaker, Assam Legislative Assembly to finalize the calendar of Autumn Session, commencing on and from 24th September, 2018. During the course of discussion the Hon'ble Speaker apprised the Hon'ble Members present in the meeting that in the meetings of the Business Advisory Committee dated 24th January and 6th June, 2018, had unanimously suggested for atleast 3(three) Sessions of Assembly Sessions in a year as is the practice in the Lok Sabha.

Lok Sabha sits for three Sessions in a year at an average of approximately 120 days per year. In the same way the volume of business of this Assembly is also increasing and new devices have been incorporated in Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in Assam Legislative Assembly to accommodate more subjects/issues etc.

After a threadbare discussion, the Business Advisory Committee in its meeting dated 4th September, 2018 unanimously accepted the proposal of Hon'ble Speaker to hold three Assembly Sessions in a year as follows:

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| (a) February- March | ----- | Budget Session |
| (b) August | ----- | Autumn Session |
| (c) December | ----- | Winter Session |

Further, the Committee directed this Secretariat to place the matter before the Rules Committee to frame/amend the Rule to implement the decision of the Business Advisory Committee.

Accordingly, the matter has been placed before the Rules Committee, Assam Legislative Assembly on 18th September, 2018 as directed. After a threadbare discussion, the Rules Committee unanimously agreed to hold atleast 3 Sessions in a year with minimum 45 working days.

The Rules Committee agreed to insert the above proposal as Rule 11(B) in the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in Assam Legislative Assembly shown in Annexure-I.

Dispur,
The 23rd September, 2018.

HITENDRA NATH GOSWAMI
Speaker & Ex-Officio Chairman,
Rules Committee,
Assam Legislative Assembly.

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ANNEXURE-I**RULES OF PROCEDURE AND CONDUCT OF BUSINESS IN
ASSAM LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY****AMENDMENT OF RULE 11**

After the existing Rule 11(A) of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in Assam Legislative Assembly, the following shall be inserted as:-

“11(B) Atleast three Assembly Sessions shall be held/convened in a year as :

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| (i) February-March | ---- | Budget Session, |
| (ii) August | ---- | Autumn Session and |
| (iii) December | ---- | Winter Session.” |

M. K. DEKA,
Principal Secretary,
Assam Legislative Assembly.