A book outlining the contribution (s) made by women Members of Parliament in Guyana.

# WOMEN

# Members of Parliament from 1953 to 2023

The Women & Gender Equality
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### **Foreword**

The Women and Gender Equality Commission has undertaken this important initiative to compile this document for research and historical purposes. It is our view that we will do a disservice to Guyana's young women and future historians who will want to revisit the history of women in political life.

This document is intended to provide a synopsis of those women who were bold enough to participate in public life. It is a well-known fact that public service necessitates courage, tenacity, and an unwavering commitment to a cause greater than oneself.

When a woman steps onto this stage, she inspires countless others. Her mere presence challenges traditional norms, shattering the proverbial "glass ceiling" that has kept her confined for far too long. By being a visible force in public life, she opens doors and paves the way for future generations, demonstrating that their voices matter, their perspectives are valuable, and they can hold positions of power in the public arena.

The historical reality is premised on the fact that Guyana was a British colony. Women first gained a limited franchise in 1928, when eligibility to vote included owning property, income qualifications as well as the ability to read and write. These criteria effectively ruled out any functionally illiterate woman. The franchise was extended in 1945, and by the 1947 elections, the financial qualification had been reduced but remained significantly higher than the average wage, while the property qualification and literary requirements had continued to effectively disenfranchise women who could not read or write.

On July 12, 1946, the Women's Political and Economic Organization (WPEO) was established against the backdrop of the second world war. The three women who spearheaded the formation were Ms. Frances van Stafford, Ms. Winifred Gaskin, and Mrs. Janet Jagan. The mission of the WPEO was to ensure the political and economic organization of women to advance their economic well-being as well as their political and social emancipation and betterment.

In 1947, the Women's Political and Economic Organization (WPEO) began promoting female voter registration. It was at this election that Mrs. Janet Jagan entered the political sphere for the first time. She ran for the Central Georgetown seat. Despite having a significant impact, her bid was unsuccessful. The WPEO set about encouraging women to register to vote in the 1947 elections. The WPEO also urged women in charitable organisations to put pressure on the government to improve social welfare in general and housing conditions in particular.

In the 1947 elections, two members of the WPEO decided to contest seats in the Legislative Council. Mrs. Janet Jagan and Ms. Frances van Stafford contested the South Georgetown seat. This seat was also contested by Mr. H.N Critchlow and was strongly supported by Ms. Gaskin. This led to strong differences between the two women and was exacerbated by an election petition against Ms. Stafford. These differences led to tensions within the organization and subsequently the resignation of some executive members resulting in the abortion of the short-lived WPEO.

The WPEO was instrumental in educating women about their rights and potential. It provided women with a sense of purpose, elevating them above the purely social and altruistic associations that were prevalent at the time. Despite its failure to become a permanent body, its influence on broadening the horizons of Guyanese women cannot be overlooked.

Another important development was the formation of the Political Affairs Committee in 1946. Its main goal was to establish a political party. On January 1st, 1950, the PAC successfully accomplished its goal by forming the Peoples Progressive Party (PPP).

The PPP began the task of building a strong party that would work towards uniting the working people and ending British Colonial rule. Thus began the fight for independence. The 1953 election campaign sparked a level of enthusiasm never seen before in the country. For the first time in Guyana's history the people were really involved. It was the first election under universal adult suffrage. The Party secured 18 of the available 24 seats. Three women were elected to the House of Assembly, Mrs. Janet Jagan, Ms. Jessie Burnham, and Ms. Jane Philips Gay. These three women were the first to enter Parliament.

The Daily Chronicle of May 19, 1953, cited Sir Eustace Woolford QC OBE. Speaker of the House of Assembly when the PPP members took their oath of office. He said "You enjoy the distinction of being the first members of any legislature who can accurately claim that you are the true representatives of the inhabitants of the colony. It will therefore be recognized how heavy are the responsibilities." The Chronicle went on to say that the 32-year-old Janet Jagan, General Secretary of the PPP, exceeded past achievements of women in the political field when she was elected to be the Deputy Speaker of British Guiana's first House of Assembly.

Unfortunately, the new found freedom was short-lived. Just 133 days after the election, the British arrived with gunboats, suspended the Constitution on October 9, 1953, overthrew the newly elected government, and placed five leaders in detention while others were hounded, persecuted and their homes constantly raided by police. They were restricted and could not move out of their limited areas without permission from the police.

An interim government was installed by the British and two women were appointed as legislators. From 1957 to present, Women have been elevated by their respective parties to the National Assembly and Legislative Council since 1957. Despite their low beginnings, the number of women gradually increased, and between 1975 and 1985—the year that was designated as the Decade for Women—more and more women were participating in their parties at higher levels and eventually being elected to the National Assembly and the Parliament of Guyana.

We salute all the women both past and present for their courageous stand. We are mindful of the challenges a woman who decides to enter public life faces. Her life is no longer private, and all of her actions, decisions, and remarks become subjected to public scrutiny. She adds to the greater discussion about the expectations of women in leadership roles and by so doing contributes to the rewriting of history, dispelling myths, and advancing a society that is more just and inclusive.

Our efforts to get images of the women of the earlier periods were fraught with logistical challenges. We have recorded the names and issues that each of the women dealt with. It is our sincere hope that upcoming generations will see to it that our history is better recorded and made accessible to those who might need it.

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## Ms. Janet Jagan

**Appointment:** May 1953

**Affiliation:** People's Progressive Party/Civic (PPP/C)

#### Period served:

- May December 1953
- September 1957 July 1961
- 1973 October 1997

#### **Designation:**

- Member for Western Essequibo, Minister of Labour, Health and Housing (10<sup>th</sup> September 1957 – 14<sup>th</sup> July 1961)
- Prime Minister and First Vice-President (27<sup>th</sup> March 1997 – 28<sup>th</sup> October 1997)

### **Contribution(s) made:**

26<sup>th</sup> September 1957 | Town and Country Planning (Amendment) Bill No. 35/1957

5<sup>th</sup> December 1957

Public Health (Amendment) Bill

Workmen's Compensation (Amendment) Bill

6<sup>th</sup> December 1957 | Rent Restriction Ordinance (Chapter 186)

30<sup>th</sup> January 1958 | Appropriation Bill 41/1957 Budget Debate

7<sup>th</sup> February 1958 | Development Budget

12th February 1958 | Labour Day a Public Holiday

27<sup>th</sup> February 1958

Workmen's Compensation (Amendment) Bill No. 1/1958

Accidents and Occupational Diseases (Notification) (Amendment) Bill No. 5/1958

*27<sup>th</sup> March 1958* | Strike in the Bahamas Royal Commission Requested

10<sup>th</sup> April 1958 | Bakeries (Hours of Works)

7<sup>th</sup> May 1958

Government Housing Estates and the Rents Charged Government Tenant's Arrears of Rent

 $30^{th}$  May 1958 | Rent Restriction (Amendment) Bill No. 14/1958

20<sup>th</sup> August 1958 | Loans to Domestics Leaving for Canada

4th September 1958 | Clemency for James Wilson

15th October 1958 | Freehold Lands for Settlers

5<sup>th</sup> November 1958

Shop (Consolidation) Bill

Trade Mission to Brazil and Venezuela

6<sup>th</sup> November 1958 | Shop (Consolidation) Bill

18th February 1959 | Budget Speech

25<sup>th</sup> February 1959 | Local Government (Valuation of Property) Bill

3<sup>rd</sup> March 1959 | Appropriation Bill Budget Debate

26<sup>th</sup> March | Motor Vehicle and Road Traffic (Amendment) Bill

1st October 1959 | Animals (Control of Experiments) (Amendment) Bill

6<sup>th</sup> November 1959 | Development Programme

25<sup>th</sup> November 1959 | Industrial Disputes Tribunal

29<sup>th</sup> December 1959 | Medical Practitioners (Registration) Bill

18th January 1960 | Budget Speech

22<sup>nd</sup> January 1960 | Budget Speech

26th January 1960

Labour (Amendment) Bill

Cinematography (Amendment) Bill

 $5^{th}$  February 1960 | Constitutional Delegation to London

12<sup>th</sup> February 1960 | Workmen's Compensation (Amendment) Bill

17<sup>th</sup> February 1960 | Workmen's Compensation (Amendment) Bill

24th March 1960

**Treatment of Out Patients** 

Racial Tension Explodes in Blood and Death in South Africa

24<sup>th</sup> March 1960 | Flag etc for an Independent British Guiana 16th June 1960 | Executive and Legislative Councils (Remuneration of Members) (Amendment) Bill

27th October 1960

Amerindian (Amendment) Bill

Pharmacy and Poisons (Amendment) Bill

 $28^{th}$  October 1960 | Pharmacy and Poisons (Amendment) Bill

16<sup>th</sup> November 1960 | Boycott of Trade with South Africa

 $23^{rd}$  December 1960 | Continuance of Rent Restriction Ordinance

30<sup>th</sup> December 1960 | Budget Speech

 $3^{rd}$  January 1961 | Appropriation 1961 Bill Budget Debate

4<sup>th</sup> January 1961 | Appropriation 1961 Bill Budget Debate

6<sup>th</sup> January 1961 | Appropriation 1961 Bill Budget Debate

12<sup>th</sup> January 1961 | Housing of Labour Workers on Sugar Estates (Amendment) Bill

*2<sup>nd</sup> February 1961* | Statue of the Late Mr. H. Critchlow

26th April 1961 | Statue of the Late Mr. H. Critchlow

27<sup>th</sup> April 1961 | Proposed Holiday for General Elections

24th May 1961 | Ministers to Report on visits abroad

22th June 1961 | Maternity leave with Pay

5<sup>th</sup> July 1961 | Retrenchment of Sugar Workers

13th July 1961 | Kitty Railway Lands Bill

24<sup>th</sup> November 1976 | Establishment of Housing Scheme at Plantation Hope

 $9^{th}$  December 1976 | Registration of Births and Deaths (Amendment) Bill No. 15/1976

13<sup>th</sup> December 1976 | Rent Control (Special Provisions) (Amendment) Bill No. 17/1976

10th January 1977 | Budget Speech

21st January 1977 | Nurses and Midwives Registration (Amendment)Bill No. 20/1976

7<sup>th</sup> March 1978 | Budget Speech

14th August 1978 | Death of Dr. R.S. Hanoman-Singh

5<sup>th</sup> October 1978

Labour (Conditions of Employment of Certain Workers) Bill No. 19/1978

Medex Bill No. 21/1978

24<sup>th</sup> November 1978 | Labour (Amendment) Bill No. 23/1978

 $12^{th}$  February 1979 | Medical Service (Amendment) Bill No. 1/1979

19th March 1979 | Budget Speech

13th February 1980 | Constitution of the Co-operative Republic of Guyana Bill No. 2/1980

14th April 1980 | Budget Speech

5<sup>th</sup> August 1980 | Increase in Old Age Pensions

18<sup>th</sup> August 1980 | Local Democratic Organs Bill No. 12/1980

5<sup>th</sup> September 1980 | Old Age Pensions (Amendment) Bill No. 14/1980

24<sup>th</sup> October 1980 | Household Service Workers (Hours of Work) Bill No. 17/1980

12<sup>th</sup> February 1981 | Approval of Government's Policy in President's Address

2<sup>nd</sup> March 1981 | Budget Speech

27th March 1981 | Increase in Old Age Pensions

8<sup>th</sup> June 1981

Confirmation of Consumption Tax (Amendment) Order (31/81)

Tax (Amendment)(No. 2)Bill No. 5/1981

22<sup>nd</sup> June 1981 | Miscellaneous Enactments (Amendment) (No. 2) Bill No. 7/1981

2<sup>nd</sup> April 1982 | Budget Speech

18th February 1983 | Budget Speech

26th April 1984 | Working Conditions of Domestic Workers

24<sup>th</sup> June 1985 | National Security (Miscellaneous Provisions (Amendment) Bill No. 8/1985

7<sup>th</sup> February 1986 | Budget Speech

17<sup>th</sup> March 1986 | Assassination of Prime Minister of Sweden

18th June 1986 | Medical Facilities in the Interior

25th June 1986

Provision of Water

Importation of Milk

30th July 1986

Becoming a Party to the Optional Protocol to

International Covenant

Policy of Media

Devaluations of the Guyana Dollar

Attacks on Libya

27th January 1987 | Budget Speech

4<sup>th</sup> March 1987 | Thallium Sulphate Contamination

22nd July 1987 | Conditions at Georgetown Hospital

2nd April 1990 | Budget Speech

25th April 1990 | Awards for Accident Free Drivers

18<sup>h</sup> June 1990 | Discussion on Agreement with IMF

18<sup>h</sup> July 1990

Assignment of Women Judges to Rape Cases Evidence and Procedure in Rape Cases

19<sup>h</sup> July 1990 | Equal Rights Bill No. 5/1990

7<sup>h</sup> November 1990 | Delhi Declaration

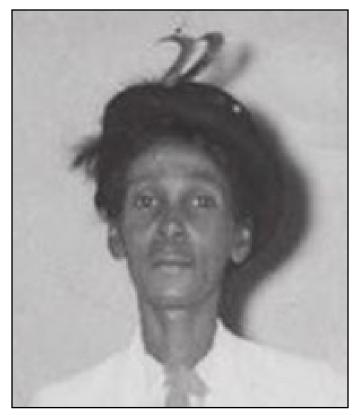
1<sup>st</sup> December 1994 | Sympathy on Death of Dr. Oliver Harper

19<sup>th</sup> January 1995 | Trade Union Recognition Bill No.19/1994

24<sup>th</sup> November 1995 | Fiftieth Anniversary of the United Nations

2<sup>nd</sup> February 1996 | Sympathy on death of Mr. Earl Maxwell Gladstone Wilson, O.R

 $28^{th}$  October 1997 | Trade Union Recognition Bill No. 19/1994



Ms. Jane Gay-Phillips

**Appointment:** May 1953

**Affiliation:** People's Progressive Party (PPP)

Period served:

• May – December 1953

**Designation:** Senator



Ms. Jessie Burnham

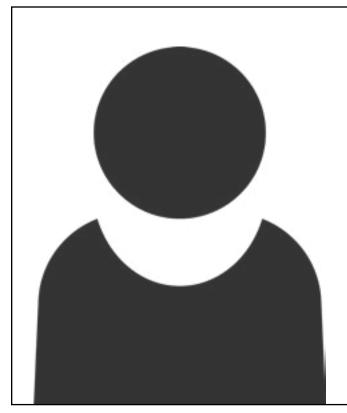
**Appointment:** May 1953

 ${\bf Affiliation:}\ People's\ Progressive\ Party\ (PPP)$ 

Period served:

• May – December 1953

**Designation:** Senator



**Ms. Esther E. Dey** 

**Appointment:** 5<sup>th</sup> January 1954 **Affiliation:** Interim Government

Period served:

• 5th January 1954 – 28th June 1957

### **Contribution(s) made:**

2<sup>nd</sup> February 1954 | Budget Speech

6<sup>th</sup> August 1954 | Interest Payable by B. G. Credit Corporation

15<sup>th</sup> October 1954 | School Children and the Cinemas

10th February 1955 | Budget Speech

22<sup>nd</sup> February 1955 | Adoption of Children Bill

24<sup>th</sup> February 1955 | Abolition of Capital Punishment

24<sup>th</sup> March 1955 | British Caribbean Federation

23<sup>rd</sup> July 1955 | Resignation of the Governor

11th August 1955 | Medical Enquiry Committee's Report

26<sup>th</sup> August 1955 | Guiana Institute of Houseworkers

10th February 1956 | Budget Speech

12th July 1956 | Fisheries Bill

6<sup>th</sup> September 1956 | Pharmacy and Poisons Bill

19<sup>th</sup> December 1956 | Alumina Project in British Guiana

21st December 1956 | Budget Speech

7<sup>th</sup> March 1957 | Salaries Revision for Nurses

*30<sup>th</sup> May 1957* | Subsidy for Secondary Education

31st May 1957 | Distribution of Enemy Property Bill

6<sup>th</sup> June 1957 | Prison Bill

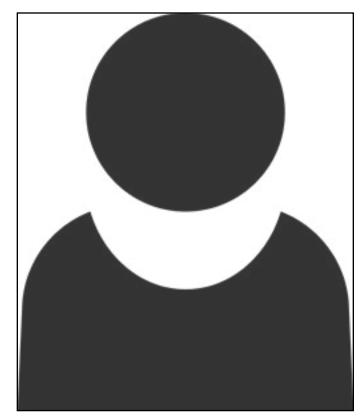
12<sup>th</sup> June 1957 | Exploration of Mazaruni Head Waters 1954

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25th June 1957 | Marriage (Amendment) Bill

28th June 1957 | Valediction to Retiring Speaker



Ms. Gertie H. Collins

**Appointment:** 5<sup>th</sup> January 1954 **Affiliation:** Interim Government

**Period served:** 

• 5<sup>th</sup> January 1954 – 28<sup>th</sup> June 1957

### **Contribution(s) made:**

12th February 1954 | Budget Speech

 $22^{nd}$  February 1954 | Friendly Societies (Amendment) Bill 1954

26th November 1954 | Social Security

10th February 1955 | Budget Speech

22<sup>nd</sup> March 1955 | British Caribbean Federation

10th June 1955 | Public Service Salaries Revision

23<sup>rd</sup> July 1955 | Resignation of the Governor

11th August 1955 | Medical Enquiry Committee's Report

26<sup>th</sup> August 1955 | Guiana Institute of Houseworkers Bill

24th November 1955 | Pilot Agricultural Farm School

10th February 1956 | Budget Speech

24<sup>th</sup> February 1956

Need for Comprehensive Road Programme

Processing of Raw Material Mined in the Colony

 $25^{th}\,May\,1956$  | Salaries Structures for Primary School Teachers

12<sup>th</sup> July 1956 | Fisheries Bill

6<sup>th</sup> September 1956 | Pharmacy and Poisons Bill

21st December 1956 | Budget Speech

26<sup>th</sup> April 1957 | Acquisition of Land (Land Settlement) Bill

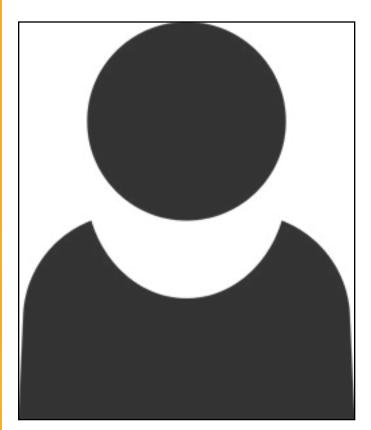


## Ms. Christina Ramjattan

**Appointment:** 5<sup>th</sup> October 1961

**Affiliation:** People's Progressive Party (PPP)

**Period served:** 1961 – 1965 **Designation:** Senator



### Ms. Anne Jardim

**Appointment:** 5<sup>th</sup> October 1961 **Affiliation:** United Force(UF)

Period served:

• 5th October 1961 – 1st June 1964

**Designation:** Senator **Contribution(s) made:** 

9<sup>th</sup> November 1961 | Independence for Guiana

7<sup>th</sup> December 1961 | Bill (Concorcio Empress as Grupo Del Conte)

1st June 1964 | Death of Mr. Jawaharlal Nehru

24<sup>th</sup> February 1964 | Appropriation Bill



## **Ms. Winifred Gaskin**

**Appointment:** 23<sup>rd</sup> December 1964

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress (PNC)

**Period served:** 1964 – 1968

**Designation:** 

 Minister of Education, Youth, Race Relations and Community Development (1964 – 1966)

Minister of Education (1966 – 1968)

### **Contribution(s) made:**

7<sup>th</sup> April 1965

University of Guyana (Amendment) Bill Buxton Scholarship Fund (Validation of the Acts of the Chairman of the Trustee) Bill

29th August 1966 | Grant to Mackenzie High School

25th November 1966 | Financial Paper No. 4

2<sup>nd</sup> December 1966 | Independence Scholarship

9<sup>th</sup> December 1966 | College of Preceptors Examination

30<sup>th</sup> January 1967 | Approval of Estimates of Expenditure for 1967

10th August 1967 | The Governor General's Address

28th August 1967 | Supplementary Estimates-Financial Paper # 4

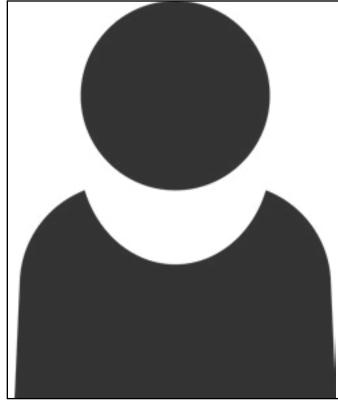
27<sup>th</sup> September 1967 | Recognition of Degrees awarded by the University of Guyana

9th July 1968 | Financial Paper No. 5/1968

8<sup>th</sup> January 1968 | Approval of the Estimates of Expenditure for 1968

11<sup>th</sup> April 1968 | Approval of Education Policy-White Paper on Education

13th September 1968 | Financial Paper No.6/1968



## **Dr. Sylvia E. Talbot**

**Appointment:** 14<sup>th</sup> February 1969

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress (PNC)

Period served:

• 14th February 1969 – 16th July 1971

### Designation:

 Minister of Health (14<sup>th</sup> February 1969 – 16<sup>th</sup> July 1971)

### **Contribution(s) made:**

6<sup>th</sup> March 1969 | Budget Speech

8th January 1970 | Budget Speech

 $30^{th}$  October 1970 | Pharmacy and Poisons (Amendment) Bill No. 17/1970

1st July 1971 | Food and Drugs Bill No. 11/1971



# Ms. Shirley Field-Ridley

**Appointment:** 3<sup>rd</sup> January 1969

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress (PNC)

### Period served:

• 1969 – 1980

### Designation:

- Minister Education (1970 1972)
- Minister Health (1972)
- Minister Information and Culture (1973 1978)
- Leader of the House (1970)

### **Contribution(s) made:**

8<sup>th</sup> June 1971 | Teachers' Pension Bill

22<sup>nd</sup> September 1971 | Dismissal of Mrs Hazel D a Sent

16<sup>th</sup> December 1971 | Budget Speech (1972)

8<sup>th</sup> March 1972 | Establishment of Radio and Flying Doctors Service

30th May 1973 | Representation of the People's Bill

15<sup>th</sup> April 1980 | Budget Speech



## Ms. Philomena Sahoye-Shury

**Appointment:** 3<sup>rd</sup> January 1969

**Affiliation:** People's Progressive Party (PPP)

#### Period served:

- January 1969 27th October 1971
- December 1998 2011

### **Designation:**

- Member of Parliament (January 1969 December 1971; March – April 2001)
- Parliamentary Secretary, Ministry of Local Government (May 1998 – March 2001)
- Parliamentary Secretary, Ministry of Housing and Water (May 2001 – 2011)

22<sup>nd</sup> December 1970

Budget Speech (1971)

International Labour Convention & Recommendations

5<sup>th</sup> March 1998 | First Death Anniversary of the Late Cheddi. B Jagan

21st May 1971 | Approval of Government's Policy in President's Address

26th July 2001 | Budget Speech

24<sup>th</sup> May 2002 | Problems of the Bauxite Sector

14th April 2004 | Budget Speech

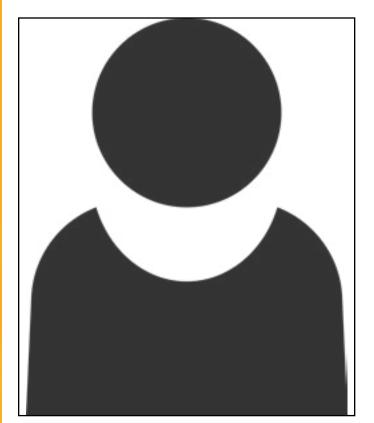
1st March 2005 | Budget Speech

2<sup>nd</sup> February 2006 | Budget Speech

12th February 2007 | Budget Speech

4th March 2008 | Budget Speech

26th January 2011 | Budget Speech



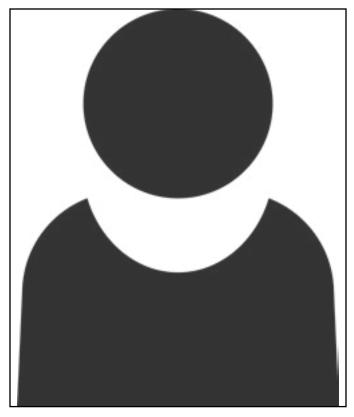
**Ms. Patricia Limerick** 

**Appointment:** 3<sup>rd</sup> January 1969

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress (PNC)

**Period served:**• 1969 – 1973

**Designation:** Parliamentarian



**Ms. Lilian Maud Branco** 

**Appointment:** 3<sup>rd</sup> January 1969

### **Affiliation:**

- Independent Member (1969 1973)
- People's National Congress (1973 1980)

**Period served:** 1969 – 1980

**Designation:** Parliamentarian

### **Contribution(s) made:**

21st May 1971 | Approval of Government's Policy in President's Address

21st May 1975 | Church of God of Prophecy



## Ms. Margaret Ackman-John

**Appointment:** 3<sup>rd</sup> January 1969

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress (PNC)

### Period served:

• 3rd January 1969 – October 1980

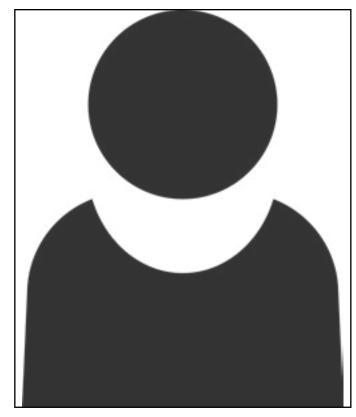
### **Designation:**

 Parliamentary Secretary, Officer of the Prime Minister and Chief Government Whip (July 1973 – October 1980)

### Contribution(s) made:

23<sup>rd</sup> November 1972 | Approval of Governments' Policy in the President's Address

28<sup>th</sup> February 1975 | Adoption of International Labour Organisation Conventions



### Ms. Eleanor DaSilva

**Appointment:** 24<sup>th</sup> February 1969

**Affiliation:** United Force(UF)

**Period served:** 24<sup>th</sup> February 1969 – October 1980

**Designation:** Parliamentarian

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### **Contribution(s) made:**

 $22^{nd}$  June 1970 | To approve the rising of additional loans from the Government of Canada.

27th August 1970

To approve an increase in the level of the Contingencies Fund

Transport & Harbours (Amendment) Bill No. 14/1970

To approve the rising Loan of G\$ 1,113,000 from the Government of Canada.

2<sup>nd</sup> November1970

Bill- Pharmacy & Poisons (Amendment) Bill 17/70 Pension (Special Provision Bill No. 18/1970

 $5^{th}$  November 1970 | Court of Appeal (Contribution) Bill No. 24/1970

12<sup>th</sup> November 1970 | Privileges & Immunities (Diplomatic, Consular & International Organisation) Bill No. 19/1970

 $24^{th}$  November 1970 | Survey (Special Provisions) Bill No. 27/1970

26th November 1970

Motion on the aggression carried out against the people and territory of the Republic of Guiana.

Motion to Authorize the write-off of losses of Cash and Stores.

21st December 1970 | Vehicles & Road Traffic (Amendment) Bill No. 31/1971

1st March 1971 | Trade (Amendment) Bill No. 2/1971

 $22^{\rm nd}$  March 1971 | Bauxite Nationalisation Bill No. 4/1971

 $3^{\rm rd}$  June 1971 Motion to Guarantee on loan to the Guyana Development Corporation Town of Christianbury Wismar/Mackenzie (Change of Name) Bill No. 9/1971

11<sup>th</sup> June 1971 | Teacher Pension (Amendment) Bill No. 8/1971

 $17^{\rm th}$  June 1971 | The Withdrawal of the Defense Levy

14<sup>th</sup> December 1972 | Budget Speech

 $1^{\rm st}$  February 1972 | The Implementation of the Mahacia-Mahaicony Abary Drainage & Irrigation Scheme

7<sup>th</sup> March 1972

Motion to amend the Development Programme Private Hospital Bill No. 15/1972

 $13^{ ext{th}}$  March 1972 | The Establishment of Radio & Flying Doctor Service

 $30^{\rm th}$  May 1972 | The Adjournment of the Assembly to discuss a Definite Matter of Urgent Public Importance.

21st November 1972 | Approval of Government's Policy in the President's Address

1<sup>st</sup> December 1972 | Local Authorities (Postponement of Election) Bill No. 12/1972

 $15^{ ext{th}}$  February 1973 | Condolence on the Death of Mr Eugene Francis Correia

 $26^{\text{th}}$  February 1973 | Confirmation Customs Duties Order (No.3 & 9 of 1973)

30<sup>th</sup> May 1973

Suspension Standing Order

Representation of the People (Adaptation and Modification of Laws) Bill No. 9/1973

1st June 1973 | Travel Voucher Tax Bill No. 7/1973

 $7^{\text{th}}$  November 1973 | Approval of Government's Policy in President's Address

10th November 1973

National Insurance and Social Security (Amendment) Bill No. 18/1973

Confirmation of Customs (Exemption from Duties) Order (No.36)

25<sup>th</sup> September 1974 | Bauxite (Production Levy) Bill No. 31/1974

15<sup>th</sup> October 1974

Public Health (School children) Immunization Bill No. 29/1974

Debentures (Special Provisions) Bill No. 27/1974

31st October 1974 | Dental Practitioners (temporary Registration) Bill No. 33/1974

27<sup>th</sup> *February 1975* | Miners Assistance Bill No. 5/1975

28<sup>th</sup> February 1975 | Adoption of International Labour Organisation Conventions

22<sup>nd</sup> March 1975 | Motor Vehicle & Road Traffic (Amendment) Bill No. 10/1975

 $26^{\rm th}$  March 1975 | Kuru Kuru Cooperation College Bill No. 11/1975

10<sup>th</sup> April 1975 | Trade (Amendment) Bill No. 13/1975

9<sup>th</sup> May 1975

Sea Defences (Amendment) Bill No. 14/1975 Police (Discipline) Bill No. 15/1975

23<sup>rd</sup> May 1975

Bauxite Nationalisation (Modification) Bill No. 20/1975

Sea Defences (Amendment) Bill No. 19/1975

26<sup>th</sup> May 1975 | Vesting of Property (Acquisition by Purchase) Bill No. 22/1975

2<sup>nd</sup> June 1975

Suspension of Standing Order No. 68(1)

Widows & Orphans Pension (Amendment) Bill No. 21/1975

Prison (Amendment) Bill No. 23/1975

24th June 1975 | Police (Amendment) Bill No. 24/1975

 $28^{\text{th}}$  July 1975 | Customs (Amendment) Bill No. 27/1975

1st August 1975 | Interpretation & General Clauses (Amendment) Bill 30/75

27<sup>th</sup> September 1975 | State Enterprises (Guarantee) (Amendment) Bill No. 31/1975

2<sup>nd</sup> December 1975 | Budget Speech (1976)

23<sup>rd</sup> December 1975 | Rent Control (Special Provision) (Amendment) Bill No.35/1975

4<sup>th</sup> February 1976 | Approval of the Proposal on Equality for Women

 $24^{\rm th}$  April 1976 | Amerindian (Amendment) Bill No. 6/1976

 $22^{\rm nd}$  June 1976 | Declaring Vacant the Seats of Member of the Assembly

25<sup>th</sup> November 1976 | Sabotage of Cuban Flight No. 455

 $13^{\text{th}}$  December 1976 | Post & Telegraph (Amendment) Bill No. 14/1976

16<sup>th</sup> December 1976 | Rent Control (Special Provisions) (Amendment) Bill No. 17/1976

24<sup>th</sup> *January* 1977 | Nurse & Midwives Registration (Amendment) Bill No. 20/1976

30<sup>th</sup> March 1977

Condolence on the Death of Cde. Winifred Gaskin

Condolence on the death of Cde Lilian Maud Brance.

Shop (Consolidation) (Amendment) Bill

Grant of Annual allowance to open-vote employees on retirement

Suspension of Standing Order No. 9 (2)

National Insurance & Social Security (Amendment) Bill No. 11/1977

11th June 1977

Maritime Boundaries Bill No. 10/1977

Cinematograph (Amendment) Bill

9<sup>th</sup> September 1977

Condolence on the Death of Mr. John Archibald Sutton

Suspension of Standing Order No.46

National Security (Miscellaneous Provision)

(Amendment)Bill No. 19/1977

Summary Jurisdiction (Appeals) (Amendment)

Bill No. 20/1977

26th September 1977

Contribution (Amendment) Bill No. 21/1977

Miscellaneous Enactments (Amendment)

Bill No. (No.2) 18/1977

Teaching Service Commission (Amendment)

Bill No. 16/1977

University of Guyana (Amendment) Bill No. 17/1977

Public Officer Pension Bill No. 22/1977

Confirmation of the Travel Voucher Tax

(Amendment) Order. (No.65)77

Confirmation of the Travel Tax Regulation (No.11) 77

12th December 1977

State Planning Commission Bill 24/1977

Affirmation of External Loans (Limitation Increase) Order (No. 93) 77 28<sup>th</sup> December 1977 West Indies Shipping Corporation Bill No. 26/1977 Mahaica Mahaicony- Abary Agriculture

Development Authority Bill No. 27/1977

30<sup>th</sup> January 1978 | Income Tax (Amendment) Bill No. 2/1978

7<sup>th</sup> March 1978 | Budget Speech



## Ms. Cecilene Leona Baird

**Appointment:** 22<sup>nd</sup> September 1971

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress (PNC)

Period served:

• 22<sup>nd</sup> September 1971 – 7<sup>th</sup> April 1977

### Designation:

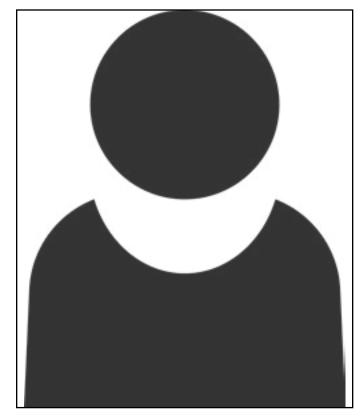
- Minister of Education (22<sup>nd</sup> September 1971 – 17<sup>th</sup> April 1974)
- Minister of Education and Social Development (17<sup>th</sup> April 1974 to 7th April 1977)

### **Contribution(s) made:**

16<sup>th</sup> December 1971 | Budget Speech

29<sup>th</sup> January 1975 | Teaching Service Commission Bill No. 43/1974

7<sup>th</sup> January 1977 | Budget Speech



## Ms. Lola E. Willems

**Appointment:** 4<sup>th</sup> January 1971

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress (PNC)

Period served:

• 4th January 1971 – 24th October 1980

**Designation:** Member of Parliament

**Contribution(s) made:** 

19th May 1971 | Approval of the Government's

Policy in the President's Address

12<sup>th</sup> December 1972 | Budget Speech

6<sup>th</sup> November 1973 | Approval of Government's Policy in President's Address

27<sup>th</sup> February 1975 | Adoption of International Labour Organisation Conventions

28th January 1976 | Approval of Proposals on

**Equality for Women** 

17<sup>th</sup> October 1980

Guyana and Trinidad Mutual Life Insurance Company (Amendment) Bill No. 15/1980

Guyana and Trinidad Mutual Fire Insurance Company (Amendment) Bill No. 16/1980



Ms. Sattie Jaiserrisingh

**Appointment:** 26<sup>th</sup> July 1973

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress (PNC)

**Period served:** 1973 – 15<sup>th</sup> July 1978 **Designation:** Parliamentarian

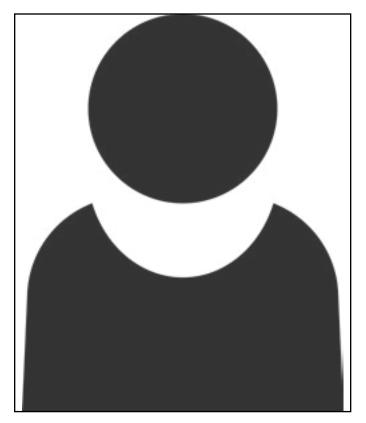
Contribution(s) made:

30th October 1973 | Constitution (Amendment) Bill

 $18^{\rm th}$  February 1974 | Guyana Presbyterian Church Bill

No. 2/1974 (Private Bill)

22<sup>nd</sup> May 1974 | Remission of Stamp Duty



## Ms. Joyce Gill-Mingo

**Appointment:** 26<sup>th</sup> July 1973

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress (PNC)

Period served:

• 26<sup>th</sup> July 1973 – October 1985

**Designation:** Parliamentarian

Contribution(s) made:

18th February 1983 | Budget Speech



## Ms. Philomena A Rayman

**Appointment:** 26<sup>th</sup> July 1973

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress (PNC)

Period served:

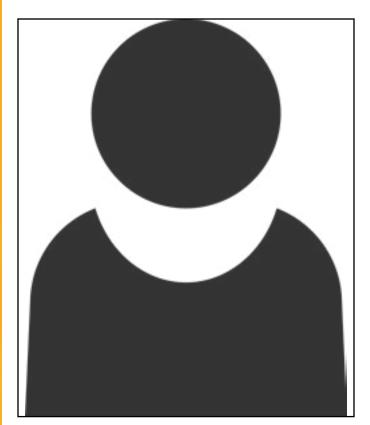
• 26<sup>th</sup> July 1973 – 28<sup>th</sup> October 1985

• 13<sup>th</sup> December 1989 – 29<sup>th</sup> August 1992

**Designation:** Parliamentarian

**Contribution(s) made:** 

27<sup>th</sup> February 1981 | Budget Speech



## Ms. Huldah Benomi Walcott

**Appointment:** 3<sup>rd</sup> December 1979

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress (PNC)

Period served:

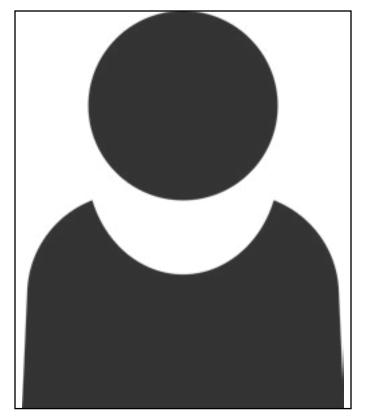
• 3<sup>rd</sup> December 1979 – 22<sup>nd</sup> April 1983

### **Designation:**

• Government Chief Whip (30<sup>th</sup> January 1981 – 22<sup>nd</sup> April 1983)

### **Contribution(s) made:**

14th April 1980 | Budget Speech



## Ms. Elaine B. Davidson

**Appointment:** 30<sup>th</sup> January 1981

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress (PNC)

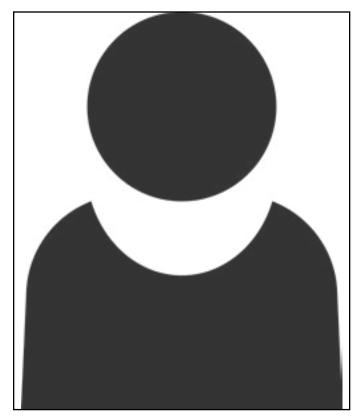
**Period served:** 

• 30th January 1981 - October 1990

**Designation:** Parliamentarian

**Contribution(s) made:** 

2<sup>nd</sup> March 1973 | Budget Speech



## Ms. Jean Maitland-Singh

**Appointment:** 26<sup>th</sup> July 1973

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress (PNC)

Period served:

• 30<sup>th</sup> January 1981 – 29<sup>th</sup> December 1982

#### **Designation:**

- Minister of Consumer Protection, in the Ministry of Trade and Consumer Protection (30th January 1981 – 7th April 1982)
- Minister in the Ministry of Agriculture (8th July 1982 29th December 1982)

### **Contribution(s) made:**

12<sup>th</sup> February 1981 | Approval of Government's Policy in President's Address

26<sup>th</sup> January 1982 | Approval of Government's Policy in President's Address



## Ms. Urmia Daniels-Johnson

**Appointment:** 30<sup>th</sup> January 1981

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress (PNC)

**Period served:** January 1981 – August 1992

### **Designation:**

- Minister of Co-operatives (January 1981 – April 1983)
- Minister in the Office of the Prime Minister (May 1983 – 15<sup>th</sup> August 1984)
- Minister within the Ministry of National Development (16<sup>th</sup> August 1984 – December 1985)
- Minister within the Ministry of National Mobilisation (January 1986 – December 1989)
- Minister in the Ministry of Regional Development (January 1990 – 7th July 1991)

### **Contribution(s) made:**

12<sup>th</sup> February 1981 | Approval of Government's Policy in President's Address

2<sup>nd</sup> April 1982 | Budget Speech

18th Feburary 1983 | Budget Speech

13<sup>th</sup> May 1983 | Children Born Out of Wedlock Bill No. 12/1983

 $22^{\rm nd}$  December 1986 | Sympathy on Death of George Bowman



## **Ms. Patricia Fredericks**

**Appointment:** 30<sup>th</sup> January 1981

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress (PNC)

Period served:

• January 1981 – December 1985

**Designation:** Parliamentarian

**Contribution(s) made:** 

13<sup>th</sup> February 1981 | Approval of Government's Policy

in President's Address

8<sup>th</sup> July 1982 | Venezuela 's Claim to Guyana

 $10^{
m th}$  Feburary 1983 | Approval of Government's Policy in President's Address



## **Ms. Dianne Abraham**

**Appointment:** 30<sup>th</sup> January 1981

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress (PNC) **Period served:** January 1981 – December 1985

Designation: Parliamentarian

**Contribution(s) made:** 

 $12^{\rm th}$  February 1981 | Approval of Government's

Policy in President's Address

3rd March 1981 | Budget Speech

 $26^{\text{th}}$  January 1982 | Approval of Government's

Policy in President's Address

1st April 1982 | Budget Speech



## Ms. Bissoondai Beniprashad-Rayman

**Appointment:** 30<sup>th</sup> January 1981

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress (PNC) **Period served:** January 1981 – 26<sup>th</sup> July 1982

**Designation:** Member of Parliament

**Contribution(s) made:** 

2<sup>nd</sup> March 1981 | Budget Speech

25<sup>th</sup> January 1982 | Approval of Government's Policy in President's Address

16<sup>th</sup> August 1985 | Tribute To Late President of Guyana Linden Forbes Sampson Burnham



## **Ms. Edith Bynoe**

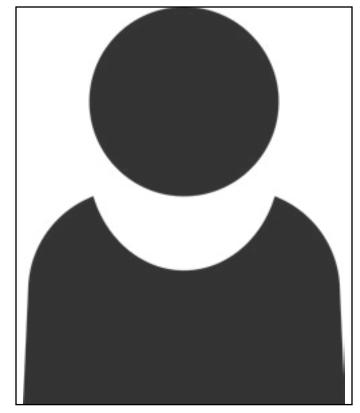
**Appointment:** 30<sup>th</sup> January 1981

 $\textbf{Affiliation:} \ People's \ National \ Congress \ (PNC)$ 

**Period served:** 1981 – 1985

### **Designation:**

- Permanent Secretary Ministry of Trade and Consumer Protection (1980)
- Paliamentary Secretary Office of the Prime Minister (1981)



## **Ms. Agnes Bend Kirton**

**Appointment:** 30<sup>th</sup> January 1981

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress (PNC)

**Period served:** 1981 – 1992

### **Designation:**

- Permanent Secretary Ministry of Women Affairs
   Housing (1981 1982)
- Permanent Secretary Ministry of Works (1983)

### **Contribution(s) made:**

12<sup>th</sup> February 1981 | Government Policies 1981

4th June 1981 | Statement on Review of 1981 Budget

17<sup>th</sup> December 1981 | Death of Esther Dey MBE

1st April 1982 | Budget Speech



## Ms. Yvonne Harewood Benn

**Appointment:** 30<sup>th</sup> January 1981

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress (PNC) **Period served:** January 1981 – December 1985

### Designation:

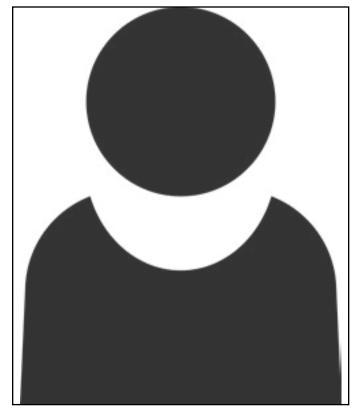
- Minister within the Office of the Prime Minister
- Minister within the Ministry of Education
- · Information and Public Service
- · Office of the President

### Contribution(s) made:

18<sup>th</sup> February 1983 | Budget Speech

8<sup>th</sup> April 1983 | Guyana Management Institute

12<sup>th</sup> September 1983 | Cinematograph Bill



## Ms. Joyce Munroe

**Appointment:** 30th January 1981

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress (PNC)

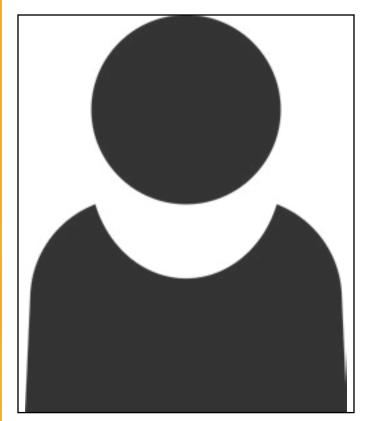
**Period served:** 1981 – 1992

**Designation:** Member of Parliament

**Contribution(s) made:** 

2<sup>nd</sup> March 1981 | Budget Speech

28th January 1985 | Budget Speech



## Ms. Cora A Singh

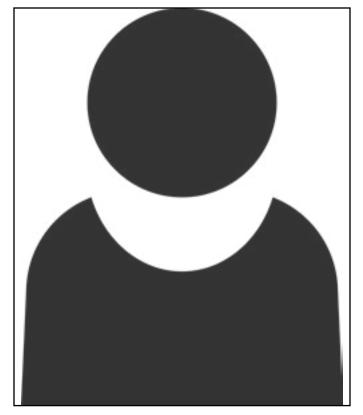
**Appointment:** 30th January 1981

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress (PNC)

**Period served:** 1981 – 1985

**Designation:** 

• Member of Regional Democratic Council



## **Ms. Nellie Charles**

**Appointment:** 30<sup>th</sup> January 1981

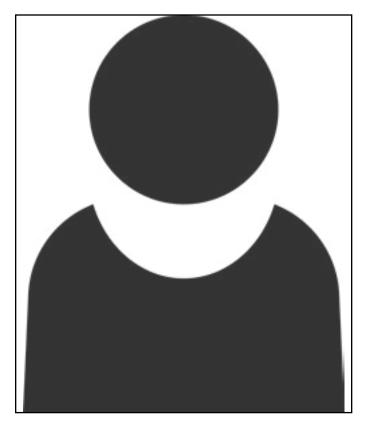
 $\textbf{Affiliation:} \ People's \ National \ Congress \ (PNC)$ 

Period served:

• 30<sup>th</sup> January 1981 – 29<sup>th</sup> August 1992

### **Designation:**

 Member, National Democratic Council (Region # 7)



## Ms. Bhagmatee Latchminarayan

**Appointment:** 30<sup>th</sup> January 1981

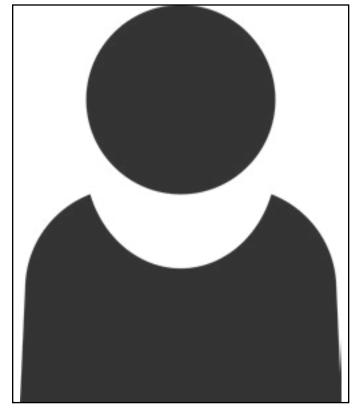
**Affiliation:** People's National Congress (PNC)

Period served:

+  $30^{th}$  January 1981 –  $30^{th}$  June 1987

### Designation:

 Member from National Congress of Local Democratic Council (Region # 5)



## **Ms. Bidiawattie Tiwari**

**Appointment:** 30<sup>th</sup> January 1981

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress (PNC)

Period served:

• 30th January 1981 – 28th October 1985

Designation:

Member of Parliament/Chief Whip

Contribution(s) made:

3<sup>rd</sup> March 1981 | Budget Speech 10<sup>th</sup> February 1983 | Budget Speech



## Ms. Edwina Melville

**Appointment:** 8th April 1983

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress (PNC)

**Period served:** 1981 – 1985

Designation:

• Member of Regional Democratic Council

**Contribution(s) made:** 

19th July 1981 | Equal Rights Bill No. 5/1990



## Ms. Viola V. Burnham

**Appointment:** 19<sup>th</sup> September 1985

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress (PNC) **Period served:** January 1981 – December 1985

**Designation:** Vice-President, Culture and Social Development and Deputy Prime Minister

### **Contribution(s) made:**

7<sup>th</sup> March 1985 | Presentation of Paper Annual Report of the Minister of Education & Social Development & Culture for the year 1984.

7<sup>th</sup> March 1986 | Annual Report of the Teaching Service for the Year 1984.

 $7^{th}$  May 1987 | Annual Report of the Teaching Service for the Year 1985.

11<sup>th</sup> May 1990 | President's College Bill No. 14/1990



## Ms. Amna Ally

**Appointment:** 3<sup>rd</sup> February 1986

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress Reform -

One Guyana (PNCR-1G)

Period served: February 1986 – August 2020

Designation:

 Member of Parliament (February 1986 – February 2015)

 Minister of Social Cohesion (May 2015 – January 2017)

 Minister of Social Protection (January 2017 – August 2020)

### Contribution(s) made:

7th March 1986 | Budget Speech

26th January 1987 | Budget Speech

29<sup>th</sup> December 1987 | Report of the Commission of Inquiry (Integrity Commission)

19th July 1990 | Equal Rights Bill No. 5/1990

25th February 1991 | Budget Speech

4th March 1991 | Expulsion of Isahak Basir

18th March 1993 | Budget Speech

16th February 1995 | Budget Speech

15<sup>th</sup> July 1993 Firearms (Amendment) Bill No. 15/1993 Marriage (Amendment) Bill No. 17/1993

4<sup>th</sup> March 1994 | Local Government (Elections) (Amendment) Bill No. 5/1994

15<sup>th</sup> March 1994 | Budget Speech

16th February 1995 | Budget Speech

1st February 1996 | Budget Speech

28th January 1997 | Budget Speech

21st July 1997 Motor Vehicle & Road Traffic (Amendment) Bill No. 11/1997

Guyana Citizenship (Amendment) Bill No. 12/1997 Immigration (Amendment) Bill No.13/1997

3<sup>rd</sup> August 1997 | Adjournment of the National Assembly on Definite Matter of Urgent Public Importance-Escape of Prisoners from the Georgetown Prison

25<sup>th</sup> June 2001 | Budget Speech

1st March 2005 | Budget Speech

31st January 2006 | Budget Speech

22<sup>nd</sup> January 2007 | Gambling Prevention (Amendment) Bill No. 30/2006

14th February 2007 | Budget Speech

7<sup>th</sup> June 2007 | The United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child

28<sup>th</sup> June 2007 | 2nd Draft of the Periodic Report of the Parliamentary Committee on Social Services

28th December 2007 | 2nd Periodic Report of the Parliamentary Committee on Social Services

3rd January 2008 | Consideration of Financial Paper No. 3/2007

3<sup>rd</sup> March 2008 | Budget Speech

13<sup>th</sup> June 2008 | Establishment of A Women and Gender Equality Commission

30<sup>th</sup> October 2008 Consideration of Financial Paper No.3/2008 Consideration of Financial Paper No.4/2008

17th February 2009 | Budget Speech

12<sup>th</sup> March 2009 | Appointment of Members of the Rights of the Child Commission

23<sup>rd</sup> April 2009 | Election Law (Amendment) Bill No. 9/2009

21st May 2009 | Nomination of Members to the Women & Gender Equality Commission

16th February 2010 | Budget Speech

 $22^{\rm nd}$  April 2010 | Adoption of the Fourth Periodic Report of the Parliamentary Sectoral Committee on Social Services

9<sup>th</sup> August 2010 | Adoption of the Tenth Report of the Committee on Appointments in Relation to the Appointment of Members of the Police Service Commission

25th January 2011 | Budget Speech

16<sup>th</sup> April 2012 | Budget Debate

10th May 2012 | Motion – Handsard for the period January 1985 to December 1992

9th August 2012 | Motion- Guyana's follow-up to commitments made to the United Nations Human Rights Council with regard to holding consultations on 3 matters (The Abolition of Corporal Punishment in the schools, the Abolition of the death penalty and the decriminalization of consensual Adult same sex Relations and Discrimination Against Lesbians, Gays, Bi-Sexual and Transgender Persons)

10th January 2013 | Motion - Adoption of the second report of the Standing Orders Committee.

25th January 2013 | Motion - Establishment of a National Heritage Commission

8th April 2013 | Budget Debate

21st November 2013 | Motion - Sympathy on the death of Mrs. Margret Ackman, C.C.H

7th April 2014 | Budget Debate

15th April 2014 | Motion-Berbice river Bridge

10th July 2014 | Motion-Sympathy on the Death of Mrs. Deborah Backer, Former Deputy Speaker of the National Assembly 26<sup>th</sup> June 2015 | Motion-Approval of Government's Policy in President's Address

9<sup>th</sup> July 2015 | Bill- Constitution (Amendment) Bill No.1/2015

20th August 2015 | Budget Debate

29<sup>th</sup> January 2016 | Motion-suspension of Standing Order Nos.10 (2) & 38 (9)(a), Standing Order No.28(2) was consent to proceed with the sitting

11th February 2016 | Budget Debate

4th May 2016 | Motion - Hours of Sitting

4<sup>th</sup> November 2016 | Motion- Approval of Government Policies in President's Address

7<sup>th</sup> December 2016 | Budget Debate

27th July 2017 | Bill-Tobacco Control Bill 5/2017

7<sup>th</sup> December 2017 | Budget Debate

*26<sup>th</sup> April 2018* | Juvenile Justice Bill 2018 – Bill No. 2 of 2018

19<sup>th</sup> July 2018 | Motion- Re-Establishment of the Ministry of Labour to its Pre-2015 Status

6<sup>th</sup> December 2018 | Budget Speech 2019

### **Ms. Patricia Daniels**

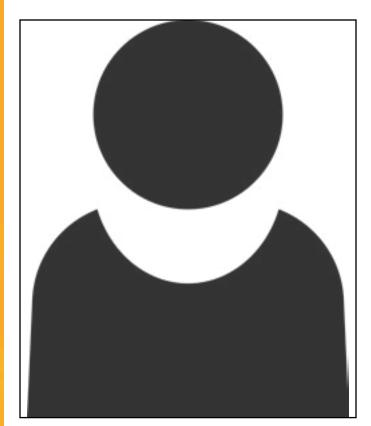
**Appointment:** 3<sup>rd</sup> February 1986

 $\textbf{Affiliation:} \ People's \ National \ Congress \ (PNC)$ 

Period served:

• 3<sup>rd</sup> February 1986 – 1<sup>st</sup> September 1986

**Designation:** Parliamentarian



## **Ms. Edith Deygoo**

**Appointment:** 3<sup>rd</sup> February 1986

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress (PNC)

Period served:

• 3<sup>rd</sup> February 1986 – 28<sup>th</sup> August 1992

**Designation:** Parliamentarian



Ms. Jean M. G. Persico

**Appointment:** 3<sup>rd</sup> February 1986

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress (PNC)

Period served:

• 3<sup>rd</sup> February 1986 – 13<sup>th</sup> February 2001

#### **Designation:**

- Parliamentary Secretary Education (3<sup>rd</sup> February 1986 – 1987)
- Minister in the Ministry of Culture and Social Development (24th January 1990 – 28th December 1990)
- Minister in the Ministry of Labour, Human Services and Social Security (1991 – 28th August 1992)

### **Contribution(s) made:**

6<sup>th</sup> February 1986 | Approval of Government's Policy in President's Address

27th January 1987 | Budget Speech

28<sup>th</sup> December 1987 | Report of the Commission of Inquiry (Integrity Commission)

29th January 1990 | Approval of Government's Policy in President's Address

20<sup>th</sup> July 1990 | Married Persons (Property) (Amendment) Bill No. 7/1990

 $7^{th}$  January 1993 | Approval of Government's Policy in President's Address

16th March 1993 | Budget Speech

4<sup>th</sup> March 1994 | Local Government (Elections) (Amendment) Bill No. 5/1994

11th March 1994 | Budget Speech

15<sup>th</sup> February 1995 | Budget Speech

31st January 1996 | Budget Speech

19<sup>th</sup> December 1996 | Domestic Violence Bill No. 6/1996

28th January 1997 | Budget Speech

6<sup>th</sup> April 1999 | Budget Speech

22<sup>nd</sup> April 1999 | Termination of Employment and Severance Pay (Amendment) Bill No. 6/1999

22<sup>nd</sup> July 1999 | Factories Hours and Holidays (Amendment) Bill No. 9/1999

3<sup>rd</sup> April 2000 | Budget Speech

4<sup>th</sup> January 2001 | International Labour Organisation Convention 1997 (No. 181) Recommendation 1997 (No. 188) and Instrument of Amendment 1997



## Ms. Stella Odie-Ali

**Appointment:** 3<sup>rd</sup> February 1986

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress (PNC) **Period served:** January 1986 – August 1992 **Designation:** 

- Parliamentary Secretary, Home Affairs (January – December 1986)
- Minister of State in the Ministry of Home Affairs (January 1987 – December 1989)
- Minister of Ministry of Home Affairs (January 1990 – August 1992)

### **Contribution(s) made:**

4<sup>th</sup> June 1986 | Other Income Activities of Police

27<sup>th</sup> January 1987 | Budget Speech

7<sup>th</sup> May 1987 | Commission to Investigate Social Problems

 $20^{th}$  July 1990 | Registration of Births & Deaths (Amendment) Bill No. 8/1990

11<sup>th</sup> July 1990 | Local Democratic Organs (Elections) Bill No. 23/1990

25<sup>th</sup> June 1990 | Motor Vehicles & Road Traffic (Amendment) (No.2) Bill No. 21/1990

26<sup>th</sup> July 1991 | Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances (Control) Amendment Bill No. 14/1991

24th September 1991

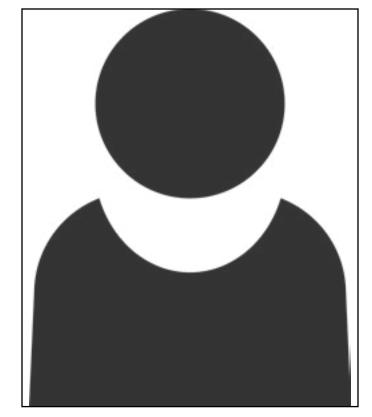
National Security (Miscellaneous Provisions) (Repeal) Bill No. 22/1991

Parole Bill No. 24/1991

Firearms (Amendment) Bill No. 23/1991

27<sup>th</sup> September 1991 | Elections Law (Reform) (Amendment) Bill No. 34/1991

7<sup>th</sup> April 1992 | Immigration (Amendment) Bill No. 9/1992



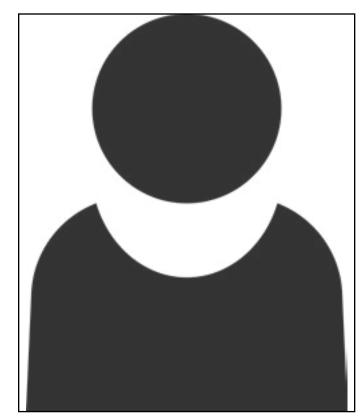
### Ms. Enerva Trotman

**Appointment:** January 1986

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress (PNC)

Period served: January 1986 – 22<sup>nd</sup> December 1987

**Designation:** Parliamentarian



# Ms. Joycelyn Thom Lindie

**Appointment:** 3<sup>rd</sup> February 1986

Affiliation: People's National Congress (PNC)

Period served: 1986 – 1988 Designation: Parliamentarian



## **Dr. Faith Harding**

**Appointment:** 3<sup>rd</sup> February 1986

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress (PNC)

**Period served:** 1986 – 2001

**Designation:** 

 Minister of State in Ministry of Planning, Public Service

· Minister in the Office of the President

Contribution(s) made:

17th March 1993 | Budget Speech

14th March 1994 | Budget Speech

30th January 1999 | Budget Speech

7<sup>th</sup> April 1999 | Budget Speech



Ms. Cyrilla A De Jesus

**Appointment:** 3<sup>rd</sup> February 1986

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress (PNC)

**Period served:** 1986 – 2001 **Designation:** Parliamentarian

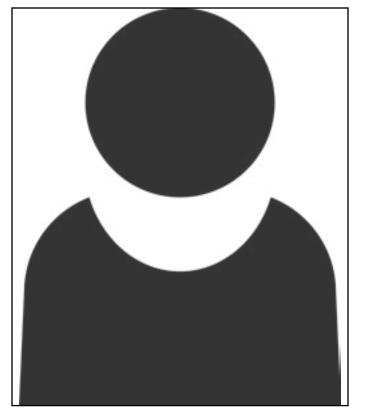
**Contribution(s) made:** 

15th February 1995 | Budget Speech

31st January 1997 | Budget Speech

4<sup>th</sup> August 1999 | Budget Speech

5<sup>th</sup> April 2000 | Budget Speech



**Ms. Enid E Abrahams** 

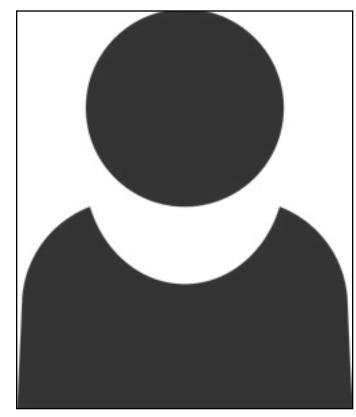
**Appointment:** 3<sup>rd</sup> February 1986

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress (PNC)

**Period served:** 1986 – 1992

**Designation:** Member of the Regional

Democratic Council



**Ms. Clarice A. Edwards** 

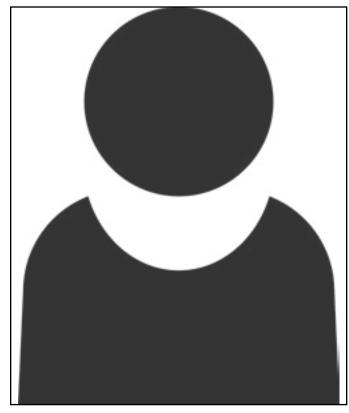
**Appointment:** 3<sup>rd</sup> February 1986

 $\textbf{Affiliation:} \ People's \ National \ Congress \ (PNC)$ 

Period served:

• 3<sup>rd</sup> January 1986 – 29<sup>th</sup> August 1992

**Designation:** Parliamentarian



Ms. Rose I. Semple

**Appointment:** 3<sup>rd</sup> February 1986

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress (PNC)

Period served:

• 3<sup>rd</sup> January 1986 – 29<sup>th</sup> August 1992

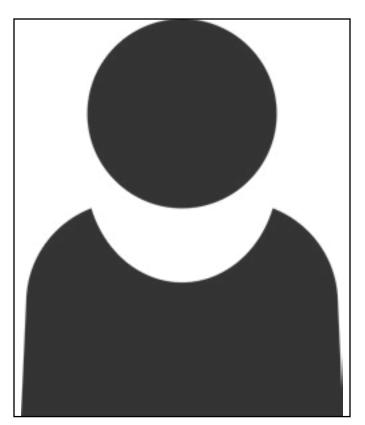
**Designation:** Member from the National

Congress of L.D.C

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Women Members of Parliament from 1953 to 2023



**Ms. Mignon Griffith** 

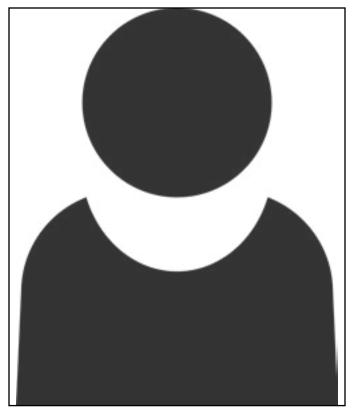
**Appointment:** 15<sup>th</sup> February 1988

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress (PNC)

Period served:

• 15<sup>th</sup> February 1988 – 29<sup>th</sup> August 1992

**Designation:** Parliamentarian



Ms. Rabbian Ali Khan

**Appointment:** 15<sup>th</sup> July 1991

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress

**Period served:** 1991 – 1992

Designation:

· Minister of Labour and Social Security

**Contribution(s) made:** 

3<sup>rd</sup> April 1992 | Budget Speech



## **Ms. Indranie Chandarpal**

**Appointment:** 17<sup>th</sup> December 1992

**Affiliation:** People's Progressive Party/Civic (PPP/C)

Period served:

• 17<sup>th</sup> December 1992 – December 2019

### Designation:

 Minister in the Ministry of Labour, Human Services and Social Security (October 1992 – October 1997)

 Minister of Labour, Human Services and Social Security (January 1998 – 13<sup>th</sup> February 2001)

### Contribution(s) made:

16th March 1993 | Budget Speech

11th March 1994 | Budget Speech

14th February 1995 | Budget Speech

4<sup>th</sup> May 1995 | Medical Termination of Pregnancy Bill No. 20/1994

24<sup>th</sup> November 1995 | Conventions and Recommendations of the International Labour Organisation

19th December 1996 | Domestic Violence Bill No. 6/1996

30th January 1997 | Budget Speech

2<sup>nd</sup> April 1998 | Budget Speech

8th April 1999 | Budget Speech

4th April 2000 | Budget Speech

24<sup>th</sup> May 2001 | Approval of Government's Policy in President's Address

31st May 2001 | Constitution (Amendment) (No. 3) Bill No. 6/2001

21<sup>st</sup> June 2001 | Constitution (Amendment) (No. 6) Bill No. 9/2001

28th June 2001 | Budget Speech

19th March 2004 | Audit Bill No. 5/2004

14<sup>th</sup> April 2004 | Budget Speech

29<sup>th</sup> May 2004 | Report of the Special Select Committee on the Review of Public Holidays

 $9^{th}$  December 2004 | Age of Consent Bill No. 22/2004

2<sup>nd</sup> March 2005 | Budget Speech

7<sup>th</sup> July 2005 | First Periodic Report of the Parliamentary Sectoral Committee on Social Services

21st July 2005 | Confirmation of the Audit Regulations 2005

2<sup>nd</sup> February 2006 | Budget Speech

10<sup>th</sup> May 2007 | Reports of the Auditor General on the Public Accounts of Guyana Eight Parliament

29th January 2009 | Adoption of the Third Periodic Report of the Parliamentary Sectoral Committee on Social Services

9th April 2009 | Tribute to Mrs. Janet Jagan O.E Former President of Guyana

 $26^{th}$  November 2009 | Persons with Disabilities Bill No. 44/2009

 $19^{th}$  May 2011 | Adoption of the Fifth Report of the Parliamentary Sectoral Committee on Social Services

11th April 2012 | Budget Debate

 $14^{th}$  June 2012 | Motion - Sympathy on the Death of Dr. Moti Lall

30<sup>th</sup> July 2012 | Motion - Condemn the killing of the injury to several persons at Linden, Upper Demerara-Berbice Region, on Wednesday, 18th July, 2012 and to demand the resignation of Hon. Clement Rohee, P.P., Minister of Home Affairs

2<sup>nd</sup> August 2012 | Motion-Sympathy on the death of Mrs. Sheila Holder

3<sup>rd</sup> April 2013 | Budget Debate

3<sup>rd</sup> April 2014 | Budget Debate

15<sup>th</sup> April 2015 | Motion- Adoption of the 6th Periodic Report of Parliamentary Sectoral Committee on Social Service.

20th August 2015 | Budget Debate

21st January 2016 | Motion-Filing of Income tax return by all Members of Parliament

9<sup>th</sup> February 2016 | Budget Debate

6<sup>th</sup> December 2016 | Budget Debate

6<sup>th</sup> December 2017 | Budget Debate

5<sup>th</sup> December 2018 | Budget Speech 2019



## **Ms. Jennifer Ferreira**

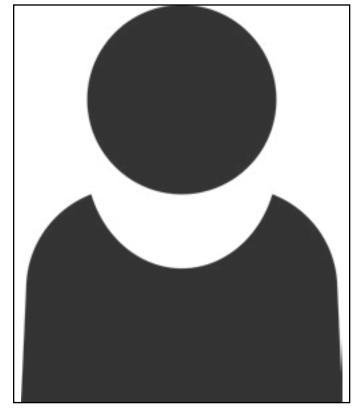
**Appointment:** 17<sup>th</sup> February 1992

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress (PNC)

**Period served:** 

• 17<sup>th</sup> February 1992 – 1<sup>st</sup> May 1994

**Designation:** Parliamentarian



### **Ms. Joan Richards**

**Appointment:** 17<sup>th</sup> December 1992

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress (PNC)

Period served: 1992 – 1996 Designation: Parliamentarian



## Ms. Pauline Sukhai

**Appointment:** 17<sup>th</sup> December 1992

**Affiliation:** People's Progressive Party/Civic (PPP/C)

**Period served:** 17<sup>th</sup> December 1992 – present

### **Designation:**

- Member of Parliament (17<sup>th</sup> December 1992 – 11<sup>th</sup> April 2001)
- Member of Parliament for Region One (12<sup>th</sup> April 2001 – 11<sup>th</sup> October 2006)
- Parliamentary Secretary for Ministry of Tourism, Industry & Commerce (12<sup>th</sup> October 2006 – 9<sup>th</sup> April 2008)
- Minister of Amerindian Affairs (10th April 2008 May 2015)
- Member of Parliament (May 2015 December 2019)
- Minister of Amerindian Affairs (August 2020 – present)

### **Contribution(s) made:**

16th February 1995 | Budget Speech

 $20^{th}$  July 1995 | Ratification of the Inter-American Convention on the Prevention, Punishment & Eradication of Violence against Women

5<sup>th</sup> March 1998 | Budget Speech

9th April 1999 | Budget Speech

27th June 2001 | Budget Speech

31st May 2001 | Constitution (Amendment) (No.3) Bill No. 6/2001

13th August 2003 | Small Business Bill No. 18/2003

13th April 2004 | Budget Speech

3<sup>rd</sup> March 2005 | Budget Speech

20th October 2005 | Amerindian Bill No. 13/2005

1st February 2006 | Budget Speech

12th February 2007 | Budget Speech

 $26^{\text{th}}\,\textit{July}\,2007\mid Guyana$ Forestry Commission Bill No. 20/2007

 $8^{th}$  November 2007 | Report on the Draft of the Standing Orders

**Budget Speech** 

27<sup>th</sup> March 2008 | Adoption of the 2nd & 3rd Period Reports of Parliamentary Sectoral Committee on Economic Services

 $30^{\text{th}}$  October 2008 | Consideration of Financial Paper No. 3/2008

 $11^{th}$  December 2008 | Elimination of Violence against Women

17<sup>th</sup> February 2010 | Budget Speech

17<sup>th</sup> December 2009 | Low Carbon Development

18<sup>th</sup> March 2010 | Nomination of Members To The Indigenous Peoples' Commission

10<sup>th</sup> June 2010 | Adoption of the Report of the Special Committee On the Impact Of Global Food Prices Increases

11<sup>th</sup> November 2010 | Amerindian Act 2006 (Commencement) Bill No. 20/2010

28th January 2011 | Budget Speech

7th July 2011 | Protected Areas Bill No. 11/2011

12<sup>th</sup> April 2012 | Budget Debate

5<sup>th</sup> April 2013 | Budget Debate

13<sup>th</sup> June 2013 | Motion- Appointment of a Commission of inquiry to investigate the incidence of illness and deaths in the Barima-Waini Region of Guyana

3<sup>rd</sup> April 2014 | Budget Debate

19<sup>th</sup> August 2015 | Budget Debate

11th February 2016 | Budget Debate

24<sup>th</sup> May 2016 | Motion - The persistent shortage or drugs and medical supplies in the public health care delivery system

8<sup>th</sup> August 2016 | Motion-Agreement between the NATIONAL Assembly of the Cooperative republic of Guyana and the National Assembly of the Republic of Suriname

8<sup>th</sup> December 2016 | Budget Debate

6<sup>th</sup> January 2017 | Bill- Affirmation of the Value-Added Tax (Amendment) Regulations No.8 of 2016

16<sup>th</sup> June 2017 | Motion-Revocation of the Commission of Inquiry Surrounding the claims of Amerindian Land Titling, the Individual, joint or communal ownership of Lands acquired by freed Africans and any other and Titling in Guyana

7th December 2017 | Budget Debate 2018

10<sup>th</sup> January 2018 | 2017 Georgetown Prison Fire and Jailbreak

10<sup>th</sup> January 2018 | Motor Vehicles and Road Traffic (Amendment) Bill No. 2 /2017

25<sup>th</sup> June 2018 | Local Authorities (Elections) (Amendment) Bill No.9/2018

6<sup>th</sup> December 2018 | Budget Speech 2019-Motion for the Approval of the Estimates of Expenditure 2019

16th September 2020 | Budget Speech 2020

26<sup>th</sup> February 2021 | Budget Speech 2021 -Motion for The Approval of The Estimates of Expenditure For 2021

3<sup>rd</sup> February 2022 | Motion- Budget Speech 2022- Motion for the Approval of Estimates of Expenditure for 2022



### Ms. Gail Teixeira

**Appointment:** 17<sup>th</sup> December 1992

 $\textbf{Affiliation:} \ People's \ Progressive \ Party/Civic \ (PPP/C)$ 

**Period served:**  $17^{th}$  December 1992 – present

### Designation:

- Minister of Health (1992 1997)
- Minister of Home Affairs (1997 2001)
- Minister of Sports and Culture (2001 2006)
- Member of Parliament (2015 2019)
- Minister of Governance and Parliamentary Affairs (August 2020 – present)

### Contribution(s) made:

17<sup>th</sup> March 1993 | Budget Speech

16<sup>th</sup> February 1995 | Budget Speech

30<sup>th</sup> January 1996 | Budget Speech

28th January 1997 | Budget Speech

8<sup>th</sup> April 1999 | Budget Speech

7<sup>th</sup> April 2000 | Budget Speech

28th June 2001 | Budget Speech

25th March 2002 | Budget Speech

9<sup>th</sup> April 2003 | Budget Speech

16<sup>th</sup> April 2004 | Budget Speech

3<sup>rd</sup> March 2005 | Budget Speech

15<sup>th</sup> February 2007 | Budget Speech

19<sup>th</sup> February 2010 | Budget Speech

28th January 2011 | Budget Speech

2nd June 1994 | Mandela's Victory at the South Africa's Election

7<sup>th</sup> January 1993 | Approval of Government's Policy in President's Address

16<sup>th</sup> June 1994 | National Environmental Action Plan

4<sup>th</sup> May 1995 | Medical Termination of Pregnancy Bill

10th August 1995 | Constitution (Amendment) Bill

 $30^{\mathrm{th}}$  January 1996 | Iwokrama Conservation Development Bill

26<sup>th</sup> July 1996 | Flooding in parts of Guyana

27<sup>th</sup> March 1997 | Tribute to Cheddi Jagan

13<sup>th</sup> October 1997 | Prevention of Discrimination Bill

 $28^{\rm th}$  October 1997 | Occupation Health and Safety Bill

 $5^{th}$  March 1998 | Approval of Government's Policy in President's Address

13th October 1997 | Maintenance (Amendment) Bill

4th January 2001 | Constitution (Amendment) Bill

2<sup>nd</sup> May 2003 | Establishment of Parliamentary Management Committee

17<sup>th</sup> February 2005 | Flood in Coastal Areas

 $19^{\rm th}$  May 2005 | Report on the Increase of Geographic Seats

29<sup>th</sup> April 2004 | Report on review of Public Holdings

 $8^{th}$  May 2003 | Modalities to give effect to Article 1190

30<sup>th</sup> October 2006 | Approval of Government's Policy in President's Address

29th January 2009 | Constitution (Amendment) Bill

10<sup>th</sup> May 2007 | Appointment of Judicial Service Commission

1st November 2007 | Security Sector Reform

14th December 2007 | Dr. Jagan in Parliament

 $23^{\rm rd}$  April 2009 | President Hoyte's Pension Bill

30<sup>th</sup> June 2008 | Rights of the Child Commission

27th July 2007 | African Slave trade and Slavery

16<sup>th</sup> February 2006 | Equitable Access to State Media

9<sup>th</sup> July 2009 | Protection of Guyanese in Caricom

 $30^{th}$  July 2009 | Local Authorities Election (Amendment) Bill

12<sup>th</sup> November 2009 | Private Security Services Regulation

3<sup>rd</sup> December 2009 | Mutual Assistance in Criminal Matters Bill

10<sup>th</sup> December 2009 | Local Authorities Election (Amendment) Bill

11<sup>th</sup> November 2010 | Request to question Dr. Singh in Committee of Privileges Amerindian Act (Amendment Commencement) Bill

29<sup>th</sup> November 2009 | Composition and Tenure of Election Commission Members

22<sup>nd</sup> July 2010 | Procurement (Amendment) Bill

 $18^{th}$  March 2010 | Indigenous People's Commission

 $29^{\rm th}$  July 2010 | Criminal Responsibility of HIV infected persons

28<sup>th</sup> April 2011 | Campaign Financing

3<sup>rd</sup> March 2011 | President's Pension Bill

10<sup>th</sup> February 2012 | Motion- Nomination of members of the committee of selection

21st March 2012 | Motion-Point of Order # 111(1) with respect to the drafts of the proposed amendments not being attached to the notices of motions to amend the Standing Orders.

16<sup>th</sup> April 2012 | Budget Debate

 $10^{th}$  May 2012 | Motion – Hansard for the period January 1985 to December 1992

13<sup>th</sup> June 2012 | Motion - The Service Commissions

14<sup>th</sup> June 2012 | Motion - Compliance with the Integrity Commission Act

25<sup>th</sup> July 2012 | Motion - No Confidence in the Minister of Home Affairs

30<sup>th</sup> July 2012 | Motion - Condemn the killing of the injury to several persons at Linden, Upper Demerara-Berbice Region, on Wednesday, 18th July 2012 and to demand the resignation of Hon. Clement Rohee, P.P., Minister of Home Affairs.

### 9<sup>th</sup> August 2012

Motion - Guyana's follow-up to commitments made to the United Nations Human Rights Council with regard to holding consultations on 3 matters (The Abolition of Corporal Punishment in the schools, the Abolition of the death penalty and the decriminalization of consensual Adult same sex Relations and Discrimination Against Lesbians, Gays, Bi-Sexual and Transgender Persons)

Motion- Adoption of the Report of the Standing Order Committee

 $22^{\rm nd}$  October 2012 | Motion- Steps to be undertaken to establish the Independence and Authority of the National Assembly.

10th January 2013

Bill- Former Presidents (Benefit and other Facilities) Bill 29/2012

Motion- Adoption of the second report of the Standing Orders Committee

25<sup>th</sup> January 2013 | Motion- Establishment of a National Heritage Commission

9<sup>th</sup> April 2013 | Budget Debate

15th April 2013 | Motion - Amendment standing in Khemaraj Ramjattan name (reduce amounts) the Estimates of Expenditure for 2013.

17<sup>th</sup> April 2013 | Motion- Amendment standing in Carl Greenidge name when the Capital Expenditure for Line Item 474- Regional and Clinical Service.

7<sup>th</sup> May 2013 | Bill- Anti- Money Laundering and Countering the Financing of Terrorism (Amendment) Bill 12/2013.

27<sup>th</sup> June 2013 | Motion - Honouring the 21st August, 2012 agreement between the Government of Guyana and the Regional Democratic Council, Region # 10

18<sup>th</sup> July 2013 | Motion - Limit on amount outstanding under guarantees given under the guarantee of loans (Public Corporations and Companies) Act

25<sup>th</sup> July 2013 | Motion-In accordance with Standing Order NO.11 (1) moved a motion for the adjournment of the Assembly.

7<sup>th</sup> August 2013 | Bill- Local Government Commission Bill 13/2012

7<sup>th</sup> November 2013 Point of Order raised by Mr. Carl Greenidge (President Assents Bills

Bill- The Anti- Money Laundering and Countering the Financing of Terrorism (Amendment) Bill No.12/2013

19th December 2013

Bill-Procurement (Amendment) Bill 17/2013
Bill-Anti Money Laundering and Countering the
Financing of Terrorism (Amendment) Bill 22/2013

16<sup>th</sup> January 2014 | Motion- Tribute to his Excellency, former President of the Republic of south Africa, Nelson Rolihlahla Mandela, architect of the free and democratic South Africa.

10<sup>th</sup> February 2014 | Motion- Appointment of members of the Ethnic Relations Commission

27<sup>th</sup> February 2014 | Bill- The Broadcasting (Amendment) Bill No. 19/2013

7<sup>th</sup> April 2014 | Budget Debate

21st May 2014 | Motion- Appoint of a commission of Inquiry to investigate the Torture of Persons by the Guyana Police Force Between 2006 and 2013.

19<sup>th</sup> June 2014 | Motion-Appointment of the third Report of the Committee of Appointments in Relation to the Appointment of Members of the Police Service Commission

10<sup>th</sup> July 2014 Bill- The Broadcasting (Amendment) Bill No.13/2014

 $19^{th}$  August 2015 | Motion- Representation on Committee of Selection

Bill-Customs (Amendment) Bill No. 11/2014

20<sup>th</sup> August 2015 Motion- Hours of Sitting Budget Debate

 $28^{\rm th}$  August 2015 | Motion - Recess for the National Assembly

17<sup>th</sup> December 2015 | Motion - Suspension of Standing Order No.54

30<sup>th</sup> December 2015 | Anti-Terrorism and Terrorist Related Activities Bill No.16/2015

21st January 2016 | Motion-Filing of Income tax return by all Members of Parliament

29<sup>th</sup> January 2016 | Motion-suspension of Standing Order Nos.10 (2) & 38 (9)(a), Standing Order No.28(2) was consented to proceed with the sitting

10<sup>th</sup> February 2016 | Budget Debate

10<sup>th</sup> March 2016

Motion- Membership of the Guyana with Inter-Parliamentary union.

Motion-Outstanding work of the Public Accounts Committee of the tenth Parliament

4<sup>th</sup> May 2016

Matter related to State Forest Land allocation

Motion- Business or Sittings of the Assembly and moved by a Minister

Motion-Hours of Sitting

24<sup>th</sup> May 2016 | Motion- The state of Rice Industry in Guyana

18th July 2016

Bill-Telecommunications Bill 15/2016

Motion-Suspension of Standing Order No. 104 (9)

Motion- 2nd Report of the Standing Committee on Appointments to Address Matters Relating to the Appointment of the Director and Deputy director of the Financial Intelligence Unit

4<sup>th</sup> August 2016 | Motion-Recommendations of the Report of the Commission of Inquiry on the Death in an Explosion of the Later Dr. Walter Rodney

8<sup>th</sup> August 2016

Motion-Affirmation of the Petroleum (Exploration and Production) (Tax Laws) (Esso Exploration and Production Limited, Cnoonexen Petroleum Guyana Limited and Hess Guyana Exploration Limited) Order 2016-No.10 of 2016.

Motion-The first Report of the Committee on Appoints in

Relation to the Appoint of a Member of the Local Government Commission

4<sup>th</sup> November 2016 | Motion- Approval of Government Policies in President's Address

21st November 2016

Motion-Durban Park Development Jubilee Project Motion-The Commission of Inquiry into the Public Service of Guyana

7<sup>th</sup> December 2016 | Budget Debate

6<sup>th</sup> January 2017

Bill-Tax (Amendment) Bill 34/2016

Bill-Travel Voucher Tax (Amendment)

Bill 35/2016

Bill- Affirmation of the Travel Tax Regulations 7/2016

Bill- Affirmation of the Value-Added Tax (Amendment) Regulations No.8 of 2016

30<sup>th</sup> January 2017 | Motion- Restoration of Zero-Rated Items in the Value-Added tax (Amendment) of Schedules) Order No.18 of 2016

9th March 2017

Bill-Prime Minister Hamilton Green Pension Bill 23/2016

Bill-Civil Aviation Bill 1/2017

16<sup>th</sup> June 2017 | Motion-Revocation of the Commission of Inquiry Surrounding the claims of Amerindian Land Titling, the Individual, joint or communal ownership of Lands acquired by freed Africans and any other and Titling in Guyana

6<sup>th</sup> December 2017 | Budget Debate

10<sup>th</sup> January 2018

Motion- 2017 Georgetown Prison Fire and Jailbreak

Motion Confirmation of The Customs (Amendment of Schedule) Order 2017 – No. 39 Of 2017

18<sup>th</sup> January 2018 | Protected Disclosures Bill 2017 - Bill No. 12/2017

19th January 2018

Witness Protection Bill 2017 - Bill No. 13/2017

Motion - Adoption of The Report of The Public Accounts Committee on Its Examination of The Public Accounts of Guyana for The Years 2010 And 2011

Motion - Adoption of The Fifth Report of The Committee on Appointments in Relation to The Appointment of An Attorney-At-Law to The Financial Intelligence Unit (FIU)

 $26^{\rm th}$  April 2018 | Juvenile Justice Bill 2018 – Bill No. 2 of 2018

11th May 2018

Motion On the Death of Mr. Alli Baksh, Former Minister Within the Ministry of Agriculture and Member of Parliament

Piracy Attack on Guyanese Fishermen off the Coast of Suriname on April 27, 2018

Limit on Amount Outstanding Under Guarantees Given Under the Guarantee of Loans (Public Corporations and Companies) Act

25<sup>th</sup> June 2018

Local Authorities (Elections) (Amendment) Bill 2018 – Bill No. 9/2018

Adoption of the Eleventh Report of The Committee on Appointments to Address Matters Relating to the Appointment of Members of the Police Service Commission Adoption of Eighth Report of the Standing Committee on Appointments to address matters relating to the Appointment of Members of the Public Service Commission

13<sup>th</sup> July 2018 | Bank Of Guyana (Amendment) Bill 2018 – Bill No. 6/2018

19<sup>th</sup> July 2018 | Requests for leave to move the Adjournment of the Assembly on Definite Matters of Urgent Public Importance- State of Interior Roads

 $20^{th}$  July 2018 | Cybercrime Bill 2016 – Bill No. 17/2016

27<sup>th</sup> July 2018 | Anti-Money Laundering and Countering the Financing of Terrorism (Amendment) Bill 2018 – Bill No. 10/2018

30<sup>th</sup> July 2018 | Adoption of the Ninth Report of the Committee on appointments in relation to the Appointment of Members of the Rights of The Child Commission

8<sup>th</sup> August 2018 | Requests for leave to move the Adjournment of the Assembly on Definite Matters of Urgent Public Importance- Increase in Crime across Guyana

19<sup>th</sup> November 2018 | Motions - Adoption of the Report of the Special Select Committee on the Civil Aviation Bill 2017 – No. 1 of 2017

6th December 2018 | Budget Speech 2019

 $21^{st}$  December 2018 | Motion - No Confidence in the Government of Guyana

18th September 2020 | Budget Speech 2020

 $23^{\rm rd}$  December 2020 | Motion - Global Pandemic of COVID-19

4<sup>th</sup> February 2021 | The Fiscal Management and Accountability (Amendment) Bill 2021 - Bill No. 1/2021

1st March 2021 | Budget Speech 2021

4th March 2021

Adoption of the First Report of the Standing Committee on Appointments in Relation to the Appointment of a Member to the Judicial Service Commission

Adoption of the Second Report of the Standing Committee on Appointments in Relation to the Appointment of a Member of the Local Government Commission

14<sup>th</sup> June 2021 | Motion - Removal of The Chairperson of the Public Accounts Committee (PAC)

3<sup>rd</sup> August 2021 | Registration of Births and Deaths (Amendment) Bill 2021 – Bill No. 10/2021

9th August 2021

Adoption And Implementation of The Recommendations of The Report of The Commission of Inquiry on The Death in An Explosion of The Late Dr. Walter Rodney
Summary Jurisdiction (Offences)

Summary Jurisdiction (Offences) (Amendment) Bill 2021 – Bill No. 6/2021

24<sup>th</sup> January 2022 | Motion- Nominees of The National Assembly to Serve on the Board of Directors of the Natural Resource Fund

4<sup>th</sup> February 2022 | Budget Speech 2022

13<sup>th</sup> April 2022

Motion - Approval of Guyana's Membership to the Commonwealth Association of Public Accounts Committees

Amendment Of Standing Order No. 82 (Public Accounts Committee)

Approval of List of Entities to Nominate Members to the Ethnic Relations Commission

Adoption of the Third Report of The Standing Committee on Appointments in Relation to The Appointment of Members To The Police Service Commission

Adoption Of the Report of The Public Accounts Committee in Relation to The Appointment of Members to The Public Procurement Commission

Adoption of the Fifth Report of The Committee on Appointments in Relation to The Appointment of a Director to The Board of The Natural Resource Fund and A Member To The Public Accountability And Oversight Committee

Adoption of the Fourth Report of The Committee on Appointments and Approval of The List of Entities and Consensual Mechanism to Nominate Members to The Women and Gender Equality Commission

Extension Of Deadline for The Submission of The Report of The Committee of Privileges to The National Assembly

21<sup>st</sup> July 2022 | Adoption of The Report of The Parliamentary Sessional Select Committee of Privileges

7<sup>th</sup> November 2022 | Constitution Reform Commission Bill 2022-18/2022

5<sup>th</sup> December 2022 | Representation of the People (Amendment) Bill 2022 – Bill No. 24 of 2022

27<sup>th</sup> January 2023 | Budget Speech 2023

2<sup>nd</sup> February 2023

Motion- Adoption of The Sixth Report of the Committee on Appointments and Approval of the List of Entities and Consensual Mechanism to Nominate Members of the Rights of The Child Commission Motion- Approval of Persons for the Nomination and Appointment of Members of The Ethnic Relations Commission

24<sup>th</sup> April 2023 | Moton - Adoption of the Eighth Report of The Parliamentary Standing Committee on Appointments in Relation to the Appointment of Members to The Public Service Commission

10<sup>th</sup> May 2023 | Motion - Amendment to Standing Orders Nos. 20(2), (3) and 27(2)

6<sup>th</sup> November 2023 | Motion - Support for the Government and People of the Co-Operative Republic of Guyana and reaffirming recognition of the 1899 Arbitral Award and the 1966 Geneva Agreement



## Ms. Una Albertha James

**Appointment:** 17<sup>th</sup> December 1992

**Affiliation:** People's Progressive Party/Civic

(PPP/C)

Period served: 1992 – 1997 Designation: Parliamentarian

Contribution(s) made:

14th March 1994 | Budget Speech

30th January 1996 | Budget Speech

30th January 1997 | Budget Speech

 $4^{th}\,May\,1995$ | Medical Termination of

Pregnancy Bill



## **Ms. Shirley Edwards**

**Appointment:** 17<sup>th</sup> December 1992

**Affiliation:** People's Progressive Party/Civic (PPP/C)

**Period served:** 17<sup>th</sup> December 1992 – present

**Designation:** Parliamentarian

Contribution(s) made:

14th March 1994 | Budget Speech

 $28^{\text{\tiny th}}$  January 1997 | Budget Speech

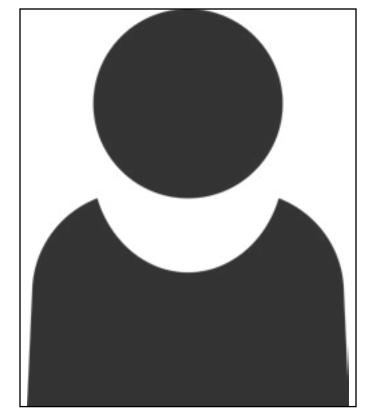
27th June 2001 | Budget Speech

2<sup>nd</sup> March 2005 | Budget Speech

13th February 2007 | Budget Speech

21st May 2009 | Adoption of Children Bill No. 6/2009

27th January 2011 | Budget Speech



### **Ms. Gwenneth Brouet**

**Appointment:** 17<sup>th</sup> December 1992

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress (PNC)

**Period served:** 

• 17<sup>th</sup> December 1992 – 8<sup>th</sup> May 1995

**Designation:** Parliamentarian

Contribution(s) made:

4th March 1994 | Local Government (Election)

(Amendment) Bill No. 5/1994



## Ms. Clarissa Riehl

**Appointment:** 17<sup>th</sup> February 1992

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress (PNC)

Period served:

• 17<sup>th</sup> February 1992 – September 2011

Designation: Parliamentarian and

Deputy Speaker

### Contribution(s) made:

17th March 1993 | Budget Speech

20th January 1994 | Guyana Ambassador to Venezuela

3rd February 1994 | Development of Caribbean community Charter of Civil Society

4th March 1994 | Local Government (election) (Amendment) Bill No. 5/1995

16th March 1994 | Budget Speech

2nd June 1994 | Congratulations to Mr. Nelson Mandela, President of South Africa.

22nd September 1994 | Employment of the GDF out of Guyana

10th November 1994 | Ratification of the United Nations convention of the Law of the Sea

19th January 1995 | Establishment of the Association of Caribbean States.

16th February 1995 | Budget Speech

4th May 1995 | Medical Termination of Pregnancy Bill No. 20/1994

24th November 1995 | Fifth Anniversary of the United Nations

1st February 1996 | Budget Speech

31st December 1996 | Domestic Violence Bill No. 6/1996

29th January 1997 | Budget Speech

10th July 1997 | Confirmation of the Consumption Tax (Amendment) Order 97 (8/97)

21st July 1997 | Summary Jurisdiction (Offences) (Amendment) Bill No. 7/1997

29th July 1998 | Nomination of Members to Committee of Selection

17th December 1998 | Summary Jurisdiction (Amendment) Bill No. 13/1998

18th March 1999 | Summary Jurisdiction (Lay Magistrates) Bill No. 5/1999

9th August 1999 | The ACP-EU Negations on a Post-Lome IV Agreement

6th December 1999 | Ratification of Protocol III which Amends the Treaty Establishing the Caribbean Community

7th April 2000 | Budget Speech

20th July 2000 | Ratification of Protocol IV which Amends the Treaty Establishing the Caribbean Community

27th July2000 | Constitution (Amendment) Bill No. 9/2000

4th January 2001 | Constitution (Amendment) Bill No. 18/2000

13th February 2001 | Constitution (Amendment) Bill No. 4/2001

28th June 2001 | Budget Speech

26th June 2003 Adoption of the First Report of the Appointive Committee

Revise Treaty of Chaguaramas Establishing the Caribbean Community including the Caricom Single Market & Economy

24th November 2003 | Appointment of members of the Public Service Commission

**Budget Speech** 

9th December 2004 | Age of Consent Bill No. 22/2004

7th March 2005 | Budget Speech

21st July 2005 | European Union Guaranteed Preferential Price for sugar

20th October 2005 | Amerindian Bill No. 13/2005

27th October 2005 | Age of Consent Bill No. 22/2004

2nd November 2006 | ICC Cricket world Cup West Indies Bill No. 22/2006

2nd March 2006 | Caribbean Community Bill No. 2/2006

25th June 2007 | Administration of Justice Bill No. 24/2009

22nd June 2007 | Bill of Sales (Amendment) Bill No. 27/2009

9th July 2007 | Summary Jurisdiction (Lay Magistrates) Bill No. 28/2009

11th January 2007 | Old metal Dealers (Amendment) Bill No. 27/2006

27th December 2007 | Valuation of Property for rating purposes (Validation) Bill No. 29/2007

24th May 2007

Juvenile Offenders (Amendment) Bill No. 15/2007 The Parliament of Guyana Manual of Rules of Procedure & Operations of Committees

26th July 2007 | Conclusion of the consideration of the 2004 Report of the Disciplined Forces Commission

15th November 2007 | Deeds Registry Authority (Amendment) Bill No. 22/2007

3rd March 2007 | Budget Speech

3rd March 2008 | Budget Speech

26th March 2008 | Establishment of a Law Reform Commission

3rd July 2008 | Hijacking & Piracy Bill No. 7/2008

19th February 2009 | Budget Speech

23rd April 2009 | Time Limited for Judicial Decisions Bill No. 8/2009

29th April 2009 | Community Service for certain Criminal Offences

21st May 2009

Status of Children Bill No. 5/2009

Adoption Bill No. 6/2009

Nomination of Members to the Women & Gender Equality Commission

22nd February 2010 | Budget Speech

11th March 2010 | Request to question through counsel, Hon. Dr. Ashni Singh Mp. Minister of Finance before the Committee of Privileges

28th March 2010 | Adoption of the report of the Special Select Committee on the Court of Appeal (Amendment) Bill No. 12/2008

14th October 2010 | Criminal Law (Offences) Amendment Bill No. 14/2010

21st October 2010

Judicial Review Bill No. 17/2010 Contempt of Court Bill No. 19/2010 28th February 2011 | Budget Speech

10th March 2011

Title to Land (Prescription & Limitation) (Amendment) Bill No. 3/2011

Custody, Contact, Guardianship & Maintenance Bill No. 29/2009

19th June, 2011 | Consumer Affairs Bill-Consumer Affairs Bill No. 7/2011

14th July, 2011

Caribbean Community (Free entry of Skill Nationals) (Amendment) Bill No. 12/2011

Guyana Ratification of the Agreement Replacing the Caribbean Disaster Emergency Response Agency (CDERA) With The Caribbean Disaster Emergency Management Agency (CDEMA)



## **Ms. Deborah Backer**

**Appointment:** 13th July 1998

Affiliation: People's National Congress (PNCR)

**Period served:** July 1998 – 31st January 2014

**Designation:** Parliamentarian

### **Contribution(s) made:**

16th November 1998 | Denunciation of the Optical Protocol to the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights

28th December 1998 | Insurance Bill No. 23/1998

7th April 1999 | Budget Speech

20th December 1999 | Guyana Lands and Surveys Commission Bill No. 14/1999

4th April 2000 | Budget Speech

15th December 2000 | Constitution (Amendment) (No.4) Bill No. 14/2000

31st May 2001 | Constitution (Amendment) (No.3) Bill No. 6/2001

26th June 2001 | Budget Speech

9th May 2002 | Establishment of Commission of Inquiry Re: Matters concerning Guyana Police Force (The motion was removed from the order paper)

28th March 2002 | Budget Speech

19th February 2003 Budget Speech

**National Crisis** 

5th June 2003 | Kidnapping Bill No.15/2002

24th July 2003 | Maritime Drug Trafficking (Suppression) Bill No. 8/2003

28th December 1998 | Extra-Mutual Work (Amendment) Bill No. 25/1998

3rd February 1999 | Deeds Registry Authority Bill No. 26/1998

20th July 2000 | Election Laws (Amendment) Bill No. 8/2000

31st May 2001 | Constitution (Amendment) (No.3) Bill No. 6/2001

8th July 2004 | Report of the Disciplined Forces Commission

21st July 2004 | Geographic Indication Bill No. 12/2004

15th December 2005 | National Development Strategy

1st February 2006 | Budget Speech

16th March 2006 | Mutual Assistance in Criminal Matters Bill No. 4/2006

30th October 2006 | Approval of Government's Policy in the President's Address

11th January 2007 | Old Metal Dealers (Amendment) Bill No. 26/2006

22nd January 2007 | Gambling Prevention (Amendment) Bill No. 30/2006

15th February 2007 | Budget Speech

13th March 2007

Status of Visiting Police Officers Bill No. 13/2007 Overseas Deployment of the Guyana Defence Force

10th May 2007

Nomination of Members to the Ethnic Relations Commission

Adoption of the Second Report of the Committee on Appointment in Relation to the Appointment of Members of the Public Service Commission

24th May 2007

The Firearms (Amendment) Bill No. 14/2007 Summary Jurisdiction (Offences) (Amendment) Bill No. 16/2007 26th July 2007 | African Slave Trade and Slavery

9th August 2007 | Adoption of the 3rd Report of the Committee on Appointment in Relations to the Appointment of Members of the Police Service Commission

1st November 2007 | Security Sector Reform Action Plan

14th December 2007

Immigration (Amendment) (No.2) Bill No. 28/2007

Pounds & Certain Other Enactments (Amendment) Bill No. 25/2007

3rd January 2008

Consideration of Financial Paper No.3/2007 Consideration of Financial Paper No.4/2007 Budget Speech

26th March 2008 | Establishment of a Law Reform Commission

13th June 2008 | Establishment of A Rights of the Child Commission

3rd July 2008 | Status of Visiting Police Forces Bill No. 6/2008 Hijacking and Piracy Bill No. 8/2008

25th July 2008

The Evidence & Motor Vehicles & Road Traffic (Amendment) Bill No. 2/2008

Prevention of Crimes (Amendment) Bill No. 9/2008

Motor Vehicles and Road Traffic (Amendment) Bill No. 10/2008

3rd July 2008 | Hijacking and Piracy Bill No. 8/2008

16th October 2008 Evidence (Amendment) Bill No. 22/2008 Criminal Procedures (Plea Bargaining & Plea Agreement Bill No. 21/2008

30th October 2008 Consideration of Financial Paper No.3/2008 Consideration of Financial Paper No.4/2008

11th December 2008 | Elimination of Violence Against Women

9th January 2009 | The Childcare & Protection Agency Bill No. 26/2008

17th February 2009 | Budget Speech

12th March 2009 | Appointment of Members of the Rights of the Child Commission

29th April 2009 | Community Service for Certain Criminal Offences

9th July 2009 | Summary Jurisdiction (Lay Magistrates) Bill No. 29/2009

15th October 2009 | Deployment of Guyana Defence Force Personnel to Trinidad for Commonwealth Heads of Government Meeting

3rd December 2009 | The Mutual Assistance in Criminal Matters Bill No. 46/2009

18th February 2010 | Budget Speech

11th March 2010 | Request to Question, Through Counsel, Hon. Dr. Ashni Singh, M.P., Minister of Finance before The Committee of Privileges

18th March 2010 | Standing Committee on Oversight of The Security Sector

22nd April 2010 | Pounds (Amendment) Bill No. 4/2010

10th June 2010 | Adoption of the Report of the Special Select Committee on Conclusion of the Consideration of the 2004 Report of the Disciplined Forces Commission

15th July 2010 | Adoption of the Ninth Report of the Committee on Appointments in Relation to the Appointment of Members of the Public Service Commission

14th October 2010

Training Schools (Amendment) Bill No. 12/2010 Juvenile Offenders (Amendment) Bill No. 13/2010 Intoxicating Liquor Licensing (Amendment) Bill No. 15/2010

21st October 2010 | Alternative Dispute Resolution Bill No. 18/2010

4th November 2010 | Affirmation of the Motor Vehicles & Road Traffic Regulations No. 6/2010

26th January 2011 | Budget Speech

10th March 2011 | Title to Land (Prescription and Limitation) Amendment Bill No. 3/2011

4th August 2011 Suspension of Standing Order No. 9 Motor Vehicles and Road Traffic (Amendment) Bill No. 16/2011

21st March 2012 | Motion- Point of Order # 111(1) with respect to the drafts of the proposed amendments not being attached to the notices of motions to amend the Standing Orders.

12th April 2012 | Budget Debate

10th May 2012 | Motion- Guyana's Ratification of the Cariforum- European Union Economic Partnership Agreement (EPA)

14th June 2012 | Motion- Compliance with the Integrity Commission Act

2nd August 2012 | Motion- Sympathy on the death of Mr. Everall Franklin

5th April 2013 | Budget Debate

15th April 2013 | Motion- Amendment standing in Khemraj Ramjattan name (reduce amounts) the Estimates of Expenditure for 2013.

7th May 2013 | Motion-Interpersonal Violence

13th June 2013 | Bill- The Married person (Property) (Amendment) Bill 9/2013

7th August 2013 | Motion-Suspension of Standing Order N0.69 and 26 (e)



## Ms. Volda Lawrence

**Appointment:** 15th July 1998

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress (PNC)

#### Period served:

- 15th July 1998 August 2020
- April 2022 present

#### **Designation:**

- Parliamentarian (July 1998 May 2015)
- Minister of Social Protection (20<sup>th</sup> May 2015 4<sup>th</sup> January 2017)
- Minister of Health (5<sup>th</sup> January 2017 August 2020)
- Parliamentarian (6<sup>th</sup> April present)

### **Contribution(s) made:**

8th April 1999 | Budget Speech

28th June 2001 | Budget Speech

24th May 2001 | Approval of Government's Policy in President's Address

5th June 2003 | Procurement Bill No. 7/2003

9th December 2004 | Age of Consent Bill No. 21/2004

17th February 2005 | Unprecedented Flooding of the Coastal Area

2nd March 2005 | Budget Speech

31st January 2006 | Budget Speech

27th April 2006 | Employment of Young Persons and Children (Amendment) Bill No. 15/2006

11th January 2007 | The Guyana Fiduciary Oversight Project

15th January 2007 | Juvenile Offenders (Amendment) Bill No. 25/2007

19th January 2007 | Gambling Prevention (Amendment) Bill No. 20/2006

29th February 2008 | Budget Speech

8th January 2009 | The Childcare & Protection Agency Bill No. 26/2008

17th February 2009 | Budget Speech

7th May 2009 | Production of Children Bill No. 3/2009

11th March 2010 | Adoption of the Report of the Public Account Committee for the years 2004 & 2005

29th July 2010 | Criminal Responsibility of HIV Infected Individuals

18th November 2010 | Adoption of the Report of the Public Account Committee for the year 2006

24th January 2011 | Budget Speech

3rd March 2011

Office

Fiscal Enactments (Amendment) Bill No. 2/2011 Pension (President, Parliamentary and special Offices) (Amendment) Bill No. 26/2010

28th April 2011 | Staff Issues Relating to the Audit

17th June 2011 | Adoption of the report of the Public Accounts committee on it examination of the Public Accounts of Guyana for the Year 2007 & 2008

11th April 2012 | Budget Debate

12th July 2012 | Motion- Recognising the Contribution to the National Assembly of the Parliament and Guyana by former Leader of the Opposition, Mr. Robert H.O. Corbin.

9th August 2012 | Motion- Guyana's follow-up to commitments made to the United Nations Human Rights Council with regard to holding consultations on 3 matters (The Abolition of Corporal Punishment in the schools, the Abolition of the death penalty and the decriminalization of consensual Adult same sex Relations and Discrimination Against Lesbians, Gays, Bi-Sexual and Transgender Persons)

17th December 2012 | Bill- Office of the Clerk of the National Assembly Bill 8/2012

14th March 2013 | Motion- Restoration of Georgetown

4th April 2013 | Budget Debate

22nd May 2013 | Motion- Appointment of a Commission of inquiry to investigate the incidence of trafficking in persons in Guyana.

1st April 2014 | Budget Debate

15th April 2014 Bill- The Married Persons (Property) (Amendment) Bill No. 9/2013

Motion- Adoption of the 6th Periodic Report of the Parliamentary Sectoral Committee on Social Services

9th July 2015 | Bill-Constitution (Amendment) Bill No.1/2015

18th August 2015 | Budget Debate

20th August 2015 | Budget Debate

10th February 2016 | Budget Debate

10th March 2016 | Motion-Outstanding work of the Public Accounts Committee of the tenth Parliament.

4th August 2016 | Motion-Curbing the Raise of Suicide Rates in 2016

8th August 2016 | Motion-Adoption of the Report of the Public Accounts Committee on the Appointment of Members to the Public Procurement Commission 21st November 2016 | Motion-The Commission of Inquiry into the Public Service of Guyana 7th December 2016 | Budget Debate

27th July 2017 | Bill-Tobacco Control Bill 5/2017

26th April 2018 | Adoption of the Terms and Conditions of the Chief Executive Officer, The Head of Operations and The Head of Corporate Services of The Public Procurement Commission

6th December 2018 | Budget Speech 2019

3rd January 2019 | Nurses And Midwives Bill 2018 – Bill No. 13/2018



## Ms. Sandra Adams

**Appointment:** 15<sup>th</sup> July 1998

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress (PNC)

**Period served:** 15th July 1998 – 2nd May 2006

Designation: Parliamentarian (Region 10 - Upper

Demerara/Berbice)

Contribution(s) made:

8<sup>th</sup> April 1999 | Budget Speech

22<sup>nd</sup> July 1999 | Factories Hours and Holidays (Amendment) Bill No. 9/1999

5<sup>th</sup> April 2000 | Budget Speech

27th June 2001 | Budget Speech

2<sup>nd</sup> February 2006 | Budget Speech



## **Mrs. Judith David-Blair**

**Appointment:** 17<sup>th</sup> April 2001

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress

Reform (PNCR)

Period served: 17th April 2001 – September 2011

**Designation:** Parliamentarian

Contribution(s) made:

26<sup>th</sup> June 2001 | Budget Speech

13th August 2003 | Small Business Bill No. 18/2003

1st March 2005 | Budget Speech

2<sup>nd</sup> February 2006 | Budget Speech

 $12^{\rm th}$  February 2007 | Budget Speech

17th February 2009 | Budget Speech

17th February 2010 | Budget Speech

25th January 2011 | Budget Speech



## Ms. Bibi Shadick

**Appointment:** 4<sup>th</sup> May 2001

**Affiliation:** People's Progressive Party/Civic (PPP/C)

 $\textbf{Period served:}~4^{th}~May~2001-May~2015$ 

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 Minister in the Ministry of Labour, Human Services and Social Security (4th May 2001 – 2nd May 2006)

 Parliamentarian (September 2001 – May 2015)

## **Contribution(s) made:**

25th June 2001 | Budget Speech

25th March 2022 | Budget Speech

9th March 2003 | Budget Speech

15th March 2004 | Guyana Energy Agency (Amendment) Bill No. 22/2003

13th March 2004 | Budget Speech

21st October 2004 | Combating of Trafficking in Persons Bill No. 12/2004

9th December 2004 | Age of Consent Bill No. 22/2004

28th February 2005 | Budget Speech

30th January 2006 | Budget Speech

12th February 2007 | Budget Speech

2nd August 2007 | High Court (Amendment) Bill No. 19/2007

3rd March 2008 | Budget Speech

8th January 2009 | The Childcare and Protection Agency Bill No. 26/2008

17th February 2009 | Budget Speech

7th May 2009 | Protection of Children Bill No. 3/2009

10th December 2009 | Local Authorities (Elections) (Amendment) (No. 2) Bill No. 47/2009

16th February 2010 | Budget Speech

18th March 2010 | Adoption of the Report of the Special Select Committee on the Court of Appeal (Amendment) Bill No. 12/2008

9th August 2010 | Adoption of the Report of the Special Select Committee on the Maritime Zone Bill No. 36/2009

18th November 2010 | Adoption of the Report of the Public Accounts Committee of the Public Accounts of Guyana for the year 2006

24th January 2011 | Budget Speech

28th April 2011 | Staff Issues relating to the Audit Office

13th April 2012 | Budget Debate

27th June 2012 | Bill-Summary Jurisdiction (Procedure) (Amendment) Bill 6/2012

17th December 2012 | Motion- Adoption of the Report of the Public Accounts Committee of Guyana on the Public Accounts of Guyana for the year 2009.

3rd January 2013 | Bill- Sexual Offences (Amendment) Bill No. 26/2013

25th January 2013 | Bill- Former Presidents (Benefit and other facilities) Bill 29/2013

14thFebruary 2013 | Bill- The Constitution (Amendment) Bill No. 4/2013

7th February 2013 | Bill- Supreme Court of Judicature (Appeal) (Amendment) bill # 6/2013

8th April 2013 | Motion-suspension of standing order No. 10 (1)

22nd May 2013 | Motion- Appointment of a Commission of inquiry to investigate the incidence of trafficking in persons in Guyana. 27th June 2013 | Motion- Honouring the 21st August, 2012 agreement between the Government of Guyana and the Regional Democratic Council, Region # 10

16th January 2014 | Evidence (Amendment) Bill # 23/2013



# Ms. Myrna Peterkin

**Appointment:** 4th May 2001

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress

Reform (PNC/R)

**Period served:** 4<sup>th</sup> May 2001 – 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2006

**Designation:** Parliamentarian

Contribution(s) made:

28<sup>th</sup> June 2001 | Budget Speech

16th February 2005 | Unprecedented Flooding

of the Coastal Areas

2<sup>nd</sup> March 2005 | Budget Speech



# Ms. Shirley Melville

**Appointment:** 4th May 2001

**Affiliation:** Guyana Action Party (GAP)/ Working

People's Alliance (WPA)

**Period served:**  $4^{th}$  May  $2001 - 2^{nd}$  May 2006

**Designation:** Parliamentarian

### **Contribution(s) made:**

24th May 2001 | Approval of Government's Policy in President's Address

27th June 2001 | Budget Speech

16th August 2001 | Acquisition of Lands for Public Purposes (Amendment) Bill No. 11/2001

26th March 2002 | Budget Speech

9th May 2002 | Water and Sewerage Bill No. 4/2002

29th May 2002 | Procurement Bill No. 6/2002

10th July 2002 | Increase in Tariff Rates-Guyana Power and Light Co. (G.P.L)

10th July 2002 | Protest March and storming of the Presidential Secretariat

5th December 2002 | Fisheries Bill No. 8/2002 National Crisis

8th April 2003 | Budget Speech

8th May 2003 | Land Registry (Amendment) Bill

16th May 2003 | Fiftieth Anniversary of the First General Elections held in British Guiana

5th June 2003 | Kidnapping Bill No. 15/2002

19th June 2003 | Procurement Bill No. 7/2003

26th June 2003 | Revised Treaty of Chaguaramas establishing the Caribbean Community including the Caricom Single Market and Economy

24th July 2003 | Constitution (Amendment) (No. 2) Bill No. 9/2003

13th August 2003

Veterinarians Bill No. 14/2003

Small Business Bill No. 18/2003

11th December 2003 | Local Authorities (Elections) (Amendment) Bill No. 20/2003

15th April 2004 | Budget Speech

29th April 2004 | Report of the Special Select Committee on the Review of Public Holidays

17th May 2004 | Drainage and Irrigation Bill No. 8/2004

22th July 2004 | Technical and Vocational Education and Training Bill No. 9/2004

21st October 2004

Combating of Trafficking in Persons Bill No. 12/2004

Infrastructure Development Fund Bill No. 13/2004

9th December 2004 | Age of Consent Bill No. 22/2004

17th February 2005 | Unprecedented Flooding of the Coastal Areas

7th March 2005 | Budget Speech

24th March 2005 | Regional Health Authorities Bill No. 26/2004

7th July 2005

Fifth Report of the Standing Committee to Address matters relating to the appointment of Members of Commissions

Municipal and Districts Councils (Amendment) Bill No. 9/2005 4th August 2005 | Memorandum of understanding between the Government of Guyana, the Guyana elections Commission and Donors

20th October 2005 | Amerindian Bill No. 13/2005

27th October 2005 | National Registration (Amendment) (No. 2) Bill No. 15/2005

30th November 2005 | Tribute to Hubert Nathaniel Critchlow

15th December 2005 | Local Authorities (Elections) (Amendment) Bill No. 19/2005

2nd February 2006 | Budget Speech

16th February 2006 | Amerindian Bill No. 13/2005



## Ms. Genevieve Allen

**Appointment:** 17<sup>th</sup> April 2001

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress

Reform (PNCR)

**Period served:** April 2001 – May 2006

**Designation:** Parliamentarian

 $Contribution (s) \ made:$ 

21st June 2001 | Constitution (Amendment) (No.6) Bill No. 9/2001

25<sup>th</sup> June 2001 | Budget Speech

17th February 2005 | Unprecedented Flooding of the Coastal Areas

2<sup>nd</sup> March 2005 | Budget Speech

30th January 2006 | Budget Speech



# Ms. Rajcoomarie Bancroft

**Appointment:** 17<sup>th</sup> April 2001

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress

Reform (PNCR)
Period served:

• 17<sup>th</sup> April 2001 – May 2006

• May 2015 – December 2019

**Designation:** Parliamentarian

Contribution(s) made:

 $27^{\text{\tiny th}}$  June 2001 | Budget Speech

28th February 2005 | Budget Speech

31st January 2006 | Budget Speech

18<sup>th</sup> August 2015 | Budget Debate

 $9^{th}\,February\,2016$ | Budget Debate

5<sup>th</sup> December 2016 | Budget Debate

6<sup>th</sup> December 2017 | Budget Debate

5<sup>th</sup> December 2018 | Budget Speech 2019



# Ms. Carolyn Rodrigues-Birkett

**Appointment:** 12<sup>th</sup> April 2001

**Affiliation:** People's Progressive Party/Civic

(PPP/C)

 $\textbf{Period served:}~12^{th}~April~2001-September~2011$ 

Designation:

• Minister Amerindian Affairs (2001 – 2008)

• Minister of Foreign Affairs (2008 – 2015)

## Contribution(s) made:

26th June 2001 | Budget Speech

27th March 2002 | Budget Speech

8th April 2003 | Budget Speech

15th April 2004 | Budget Speech

1st March 2005 | Budget Speech

31st January 2006 | Budget Speech

14th February 2007 | Budget Speech

5th March 2008 | Budget Speech

19th February 2009 | Budget Speech

18th February 2010 | Budget Speech

26th January 2011 | Budget Speech

21st October 2004 | Trafficking in Persons Bill

20th October 2005 | Amerindian Bill

30th April 2009 | Former Presidents Benefits Bill

16th February 2006 | Amerindian Bill

1st July 2008 | Impact of Global Foods Prices Maritime Zone Bill

30th December 2010 | Defence Amendment Bill

9th July 2009 | Protection of Guyanese in Caricom Community

4th August 2009Low Carbon Development Strategy

6th August 2009 | 50th Anniversary of the Cuban Revolution 15th October 2009

Ratification of UNASUR Treaty

Deployment of the GDF in Trinidad for Heads Meeting

Accession to Convention on Diversity of Cultural Expression

3rd December 2009 | Mutual Assistance in Criminal Matters Bill

10th May 2012 | Motion-Guyana's Ratification of the Cariforum- European Union Economic Partnership Agreement (EPA)

17th April 2012 | Budget Debate

3rd January 2013 | Motion- 40th Anniversary since the establishment of Diplomatic Relations between the Republic of Guyana and the Republic of Cuba

5th April 2013 | Budget Debate

22nd May 2013 | Bill-Customs (Amendment) Bill 2/2013

27th June 2013 | Motion- Ratification of the Arms Trade Treaty



## **Ms. Lurlene Nestor**

**Appointment:** 4th May 2001

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress Reform

(PNC/R)

**Period served:** May 2001 – May 2006

**Designation:** Parliamentarian

**Contribution(s) made:** 

28th June 2001 | Budget Speech



## **Dr. Jennifer Westford**

**Appointment:** 4th May 2001

**Affiliation:** People's Progressive Party/Civic

(PPP/C)

Period served: 12th April 2001 –

December 2015

## **Designation:**

• Minister of Public Service (2001 – 2015)

• Parliamentarian (2015 – present)

## **Contribution(s) made:**

29th June 2001 | Budget Speech

27th March 2002 | Budget Speech

8th April 2003 | Budget Speech

16th April 2004 | Budget Speech

17th February 2005 | Unprecedented Flooding of the Coastal Areas

7th March 2005 | Budget Speech

24th March 2005 | Region Health Authority Bill No. 26/2004

31st January 2006 | Budget Speech

15th February 2007 | Budget Speech

6th August 2007 | 50th Anniversary of the Cuban Revolution

26th February 2008 | Series of Events leading up to the Slaughter of eleven (11) people, including Children at Lusignan

4th March 2008 | Budget Speech

18th February 2009 | Budget Speech

15th February 2010 | Budget Speech

22nd April 2010 | Sexual Offences Bill No. 30/2009

30th December 2010 | National Agriculture Research & Extension Institution Bill No. 24/2010

25th January 2011 | Budget Speech

13th April 2012 | Budget Debate

3rd January 2013 | Motion- 40th Anniversary since the establishment of Diplomatic Relations between the Republic of Guyana and the Republic of Cuba

2nd April 2013 | Budget Debate

1st April 2014 | Budget Debate

9th February 2016 | Budget Debate

24thMay 2016 | Motion- The persistent shortage or drugs and medical supplies in the public health care delivery system

7th December 2016 | Budget Debate

4th December 2017 | Budget Debate

15th March 2018 | Adoption Of the Fifth Special Report of The Parliamentary Sectoral Committee on Social Services on The Visit to The Georgetown Public Hospital Corporation (GPHC)

3rd December 2018 | Budget Speech 2019



## Ms. Sheila Holder

 $\textbf{Appointment:}\ 12^{th}\ April\ 2001$ 

#### **Affiliation:**

- Guyana Action Party (GAP)/Working People
   Alliance (WPA) (12<sup>th</sup> April 2001 September 2011)
- Alliance for Change (AFC) (28th September 2006
   September 2011)

**Period served:** 12<sup>th</sup> April 2001 – September 2011

**Designation:** Parliamentarian

### Contribution(s) made:

31st May 2001 | Constitution (Amendment) Bill No. 6/2001

25th June 2001 | Budget Speech

29th November 2001 | Local Authorities (Elections) (Amendment) Bill No. 12/2001

9th May 2002

Sector (Harmonization of Law) Bill No. 1/2002 Guyana Tourism Authority Bill No. 2/2002

Motor Vehicles & Road Traffic (Amendment) Bill No. 3/2002

Water & Sewerage Bill No. 4/2002

10th July 2002

Increase in Traffic Rates- Guyana Power & Light Co. (G.P.L)

Access to Official Gazette

Adjournment of the Assembly on Definite Matter of Urgent Public Importance

29th September 2002 | Criminal Law (Offences) (Amendment) Bill No. 9/2002

19th February 2003 | National Crisis

7th April 2003 | Budget Speech

2nd May 2003 | Establishment of Parliament Management Committee

8th May 2003

Modalities to give effect to Provisions for Article 119C

Fiscal Enactments (Amendment) Bill No. 3/2003

Land Registry (Amendment) Bill No. 14/2002

15th May 2003 | Contribution (Amendment) Bill No. 4/2003

16th May 2003 | Fiftieth Anniversary of the First-Generation Election held in British Guiana

23rd October 2003

Motion relating to the business or sitting of the National Assembly & moved by a Minister

Revenue Authority (Amendment) Bill No. 19/2003

24th November 2003 | Appoint of members of the Public Service Commission

11th December 2003 | Local Authority (election (Amendment) Bill No. 20/2003

15th December 2003 | Fiscal Management & Accountability Bill No. 21/2003

15th March 2004 | Guyana Energy Agency (Amendment) Bill No. 22/2003

19th March 2004 | Audit Bill No. 15/2004

13th April 2004 | Budget Speech

29th April 2004 | Report of the Special Select Committee on the review of Public Holiday

13th May 2004

Public Procurement Commission Tribunal Bill No. 2/2004

Right Commissions Tribunal Bill-No. 3/2004

17th May 2004 | Drainage & Irrigation Bill No. 8/2004

8th July 2004 | Report of the Disciplined Forces Commission

22nd July 2004

Technical Vocational Education & Training Bill No. 9/2004

The National Accreditation Council Bill No. 10/2004

5th August 2004 | Ratification of the Rome Statute of the international Criminal court

4th November 2004

Caribbean Court of Justice Bill No. 15/2004

Local Authorities (Elections) (Amendment) Bill No. 19/2004

29th November 2004

Bank of Guyana (Amendment) Bill No. 21/2004

Financial Institution (Amendment) Bill No. 21/2004

30th December 2004 | Customs (Amendment) Bill No. 25/2004

17th February 2005 | Unprecedented Flooding of the Coastal Area

2nd March 2005 | Budget Speech

31st March 2005 | Special Report from the Parliamentary Standing Committee on Constitutional Reform

12th May 2005 | Adoption of Report of Standing Order Committee

19th May 2005 | Adoption of Report on the increase in Geographical Constitution seats

23rd June 2005 | Convention on Tobacco Control

29th June 2005 | Enquiry into the Death of Dr. Walter Rodney

7th July 2005

Fifth Report of the Standing Committee to address matter relating to the Appointment of Members of Commissions

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Municipal & District Council (Amendment) Bill No. 9/2005

14th July 2005

National Registration (Amendment) Bill No. 11/2005

Caricom Regional Organization for Standards & Quality Bill No. 7/2005

18th July 2005 | Value Added Tax Bill No. 3/2005

21st July 2005 | European Union guaranteed Preferential Price for Sugar.

15th December 2005 Competition & Fair-trading Bill No. 18/05 Local Authorities (Elections) (Amendment) Bill No. 19/2005

2nd March 2006 | Income Tax Amendment Bill No. 5/2006

16th March 2006 | Mutual Assistance in Criminal matters Bill No. 4/2006

10th April 2006 | Filling the vacant Office of a Member of the Public Service Commission

20th April 2006 | Consumer Protection Bill No. 18/2006

11th January 2007 | The Guyana Fiduciary Oversight Project

22nd January 2007 | Gambling Prevention (Amendment) Bill No. 30/2006

9th February 2007 | Budget Speech

20th February 2007 | Motion relating to the business or sitting of the Assembly & moved by a Minister

13th March 2007 | Guyana Preparation for the <u>effects</u> of climate change

13th March 2007 | Overseas Deployment of the Guyana Defence Force

10th May 2007

Consensual Mechanism for the Nomination by entities of members for the Ethnic Relations Commission

Adoption of the First Report of the committee on appointments in Relation to the Appointment of Members of the Judicial Service Commission

12th July 2007 | Guyana Power & Light Co. Ltd

9th August 2007 | Constitution (Amendment) Bill No. 17/2007

8th November 2007 | Composition of the Police Service Commission

29th November 2007 | Composition of the Guyana Elections Commission & Tenure of Office of Members of the Guyana Elections Commission

14th December 2007 | Pounds & Certain other Enactments (Amendment) Bill No. 25/2007

28th February 2008 | Budget Speech

26th March 2008 | Guyana Power & Light Co. Inc

13th June 2008 Establishment of Right of the Child Commission Establishment of Women & Gender Equality Commission

8th January 2009 | The Childcare & Protection Agency Bill No. 26/2008

15th January 2009 | Live unedited Broadcast of the sittings of the National Assembly

17th February 2009 | Budget Speech

9th April 2009 | Tribute to Mrs. Janet Jagan, O.E, Former President of Guyana

21st May 2009 | Nomination of members to the Women & Gender Equality Commission

7th January 2010 | Guyana Livestock Development Authority Bill No. 49/2009

15th February 2010 | Budget Speech

18th March 2010 | Consensual Mechanism for the Nomination by Entities for Member of Indigenous People Commission

15th July 2010 | Appointment in relation to the appointment of member of the Public Service Commission

29th July 2010 | Adoption of the 8th report of the Standing Committee on Appointments to address matters relating to the Nomination & Appointment of Members of the indigenous People's Commission

5th August 2010 | Public Utilities Commission (Amendment) Bill No. 11/2010

9th August 2010

Electricity Sector Reform (Amendment) Bill No. 11/2010

Adoption of the Tenth Report of the Committee on Appointment in relation to the Appointment of Member of the Police Service Commission

25th January 2011 | Budget Speech

28th April 2011 | Political Parties Campaign Financing

19th June 2011 | Consumer Affairs Bill No. 7/2011



# **Ms. Chantalle Smith**

**Appointment:** 28<sup>th</sup> September 2006 **Affiliation:** Alliance for Change (AFC)

Period served:

• 28<sup>th</sup> September 2006 – 7<sup>th</sup> September 2007

**Designation:** Parliamentarian (Region 4 Demerara/Mahaica)

Contribution(s) made:

4<sup>th</sup> March 1994 | Gambling Prevention (Amendment) Bill No. 30/2006

 $7^{th}$  June 2007 | The United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child



## **Ms. Africo Selman**

**Appointment:** 30<sup>th</sup> October 2006

#### **Affiliation:**

- People's National Congress Reform One Guyana (PNCR-1G) (30<sup>th</sup> October 2006 – December 2019)
- People's Progressive Party/Civic (PPP/C)
   (2015 December 2019)

#### Period served:

30<sup>th</sup> October 2006 – December 2019

**Designation:** Parliamentarian

### **Contribution(s) made:**

22nd January 2007 | Gambling Prevention Amendment Bill No. 30/2006

12th February 2007 | Budget Speech

13th March 2007 | Introduction of the Value Added Tax (VAT)

1st November 2007 | International Tribunal of the Law of the Sea-Arbitral Award

3rd March 2008 | Budget Speech

18th February 2009 | Budget Speech

15th February 2010 | Budget Speech

3rd June 2010 | Adoption of the Report of the Special Select Committee on the Credit Reporting Bill No. 37/2009

27th January 2011 | Budget Speech

12th April 2012 | Budget Debate

13th June 2012 | Motion - National Assets

14th June 2012 | Motion - Sympathy on the Death of Dr. Moti Lall

30th July 2012 | Motion - Condemn the killing of the injury to several persons at Linden, Upper Demerara-Berbice Region, on Wednesday, 18th July 2012 and to demand the resignation of Hon. Clement Rohee, P.P., Minister of Home Affairs.

2nd August 2012 | Motion-Sympathy on the death of Mrs. Sheila Holder

22nd October 2012 | Motion- Steps to be undertaken to establish the Independence and Authority of the National Assembly.

5th April 2013 | Budget Debate

7th May 2013 | Motion- Interpersonal Violence

22nd May 2013 | Motion- Appointment of a Commission of inquiry to investigate the incidence of trafficking in persons in Guyana

27th June 2013 | Motion- Ratification of the Arms Trade Treaty

27th February 2014 | Bill- Caribbean Community (Free Entry of Skilled Nationals) (Amendment) Bill No.5/2014

7th April 2014 | Budget Debate

18th August 2015 | Budget Debate

8th February 2016 | Budget Debate

21st November 2016 | Motion - The Commission of Inquiry into the Public Service of Guyana

6th December 2016 | Budget Debate

6th December 2017 | Budget Debate

19th July 2018 | Motion- Re-Establishment of the Ministry of Labour to its Pre-2015 Status

4th December 2018 | Budget Speech 2019



# **Dr. Desrey Fox**

**Appointment:** 28<sup>th</sup> September 2006

**Affiliation:** People's Progressive Party/Civic (PPP/C) **Period served:** 

•  $28^{th}$  September 2006 –  $11^{th}$  December 2009

## **Designation:**

• Minister within the Ministry of Education

## Contribution(s) made:

 $22^{nd}$  January 2007 | Gambling Prevention (Amendment) Bill No. 30/2006

9th February 2007 | Budget Speech

29th February 2008 | Budget Speech

11<sup>th</sup> December 2008 | Violence Against Women in Observance of 25 November as International Day for the Elimination of Violence Against Women

11th February 2009 | Budget Speech

 $26^{\rm th}$  November 2009 | Persons With Disabilities Bill No. 44/2009



## Ms. Jennifer Webster

Appointment: 28th September 2006

**Affiliation:** People's Progressive Party/Civic (PPP/C)

Period served:

• 28<sup>th</sup> September 2006 – May 2015

#### **Designation:**

- Minister in the Ministry of Finance (28th September 2006 4th December 2011)
- Minister of Hunan Services (4<sup>th</sup> December 2011 – May 2015)

## Contribution(s) made:

19th January 2007

Consideration of Financial Paper No. 5/2006 Supplementary Appropriation (No.3) Bill No. 2/2007

23rd January 2007 | Value-Added Tax (Amendment) Bill No. 3/2007

12th February 2007 | Budget Speech

10th May 2007 | Introduction of the Value – Added Tax

29th November 2007 | Guyana Fiduciary Oversight Project

3rd January 2008

Consideration of Financial Paper No.3/2007 Consideration of Financial Paper No.4/2007

4th March 2008 | Budget Speech

1st July 2008 | The Fiduciary Oversight Project

30th October 2008 | Consideration of Financial Paper No.3/2008

19th February 2009 | Budget Speech

30th April 2009 | Office Of the Spouse of the President Bill No. 11/2009

7th May 2009 | Guyana Fiduciary Oversight Project

21st May 2009 | Nomination of Members to the Women & Gender Equality Commission

28th May 2009 | Adoption of the Report of The Special Select Committee on The Money Transfer Agencies (Licensing) Bill No. 15/2008

16th February 2010 | Budget Speech

22nd July 2010 | Procurement (Amendment) Bill No. 6/2010

24th January 2011 | Budget Speech

11th April 2012 | Budget Debate

30th July 2012 | Motion - Condemn the killing of the injury to several persons at Linden, Upper Demerara-Berbice Region, on Wednesday, 18th July 2012 and to demand the resignation of Hon. Clement Rohee, P.P., Minister of Home Affairs.

3rd April 2013 | Budget Debate

7th May 2013 | Motion- Interpersonal Violence

22nd May 2013 | Motion- Appointment of a Commission of inquiry to investigate the incidence of trafficking in persons in Guyana.



## Ms. Jennifer Wade

**Appointment:** 30<sup>th</sup> October 2006

Affiliation: People's National Congress Reform -

One Guyana (PNCR-1G)

**Period served:** October 2006 – December 2019

**Designation:** Parliamentarian

## **Contribution(s) made:**

13th February 2007 | Budget Speech

29th February 2008 | Budget Speech

22nd January 2007 | Gambling Prevention Bill

26th June 2008 | Impact of Global Food Prices

7th January 2010 | Livestock Authority Bill

19th February 2010 | Budget Speech

12th April 2012 | Budget Debate

3rd April 2013 | Budget Debate

2nd April 2014 | Budget Debate

18th August 2015 | Budget Debate

9th February 2016 | Budget Debate

6th December 2016 | Budget Debate

8th May 2017 | Motion- Increase in Land and other changes to Farmers in the Mahaica, Abary Agriculture Authority (MMA/ADA)

6th December 2017 | Budget Debate

15th March 2018 | Sympathy On the Death of Mrs. Philomena Ameena Rayman, Former Parliamentary Secretary and Member of Parliament

5th December 2018 | Budget Speech 2019



## Ms. Priya Manickchand

Appointment: 28th September 2006

**Affiliation:** People's Progressive Party/Civic (PPP/C)

#### Period served:

28<sup>th</sup> September 2006 – 2011

#### **Designation:**

- Minister of Human Service
   (28<sup>th</sup> September 2006 4<sup>th</sup> December 2011)
- Minister of Education (December 2011 – May 2015)
- Parliamentarian
   (June 2015 December 2019)

## **Contribution(s) made:**

13th February 2007 | Budget Speech

3rd March 2008 | Budget Speech

17th February 2009 | Budget Speech

19th February 2010 | Budget Speech

26th January 2011 | Budget Speech

1st July 2008 | Impact of Global Food Prices

24th May 2007 | Juvenile Offenders Bill

21st May 2009 | Adoption of Children Bill

3rd June 2010 | Fiscal Amendment Bill

8th January 2009 | Child Protection Agency Bill

22nd April 2010 | Sexual Offence Bill

10th March 2011 | Custody, Contact, Guardianship & Maintenance Bill

2nd June 2011 | Adoption Amendment Bill

15th October 2009 | Childcare and Development Services Bill

21st May 2009 | Protection of Children Bill

16th April 2012 | Budget Debate

12th July 2012 | Bill- Civil Law (Rights of Persons in Common Law Union) Bill 10/2012.

9th August 2012 | Motion- Guyana's follow-up to commitments made to the United Nations Human Rights Council with regard to holding consultations on 3 matters (The Abolition of Corporal Punishment in the schools, the Abolition of the death penalty and the decriminalization

of consensual Adult same sex Relations and Discrimination Against Lesbians, Gays, Bi-Sexual and Transgender Persons)

3rd April 2013 | Budget Debate

10th February 2014 | Bill-Recording of Court Proceedings Bill 1/2014

7th April 2014 | Budget Debate

21st August 2015 | Budget Debate

11th February 2016 | Budget Debate

12th March 2016 | Motion-The State of the Rice Industry in Guyana

5th December 2016 | Budget Debate

5th January 2017 | Bill-Value-Added Tax (Amendment) Bill 27/2016

13th April 2017 | Bill-State Assets Recovery Bill 2/2017

7th December 2017 | Budget Speech

10th January 2018

Motion - 2017 Georgetown Prison Fire and Jailbreak

Income Tax (Amendment) (No. 2) Bill 2017-Bill No. 18/2017

Customs (Amendment) (No. 2) Bill 2017 – Bill No. 19/2017

26th April 2018 | Juvenile Justice Bill 2018 – Bill No. 2 of 2018

20th July 2018 | Cybercrime Bill 2016 – Bill No. 17/2016

5th December 2018 | Budget Speech 2019

18th September 2020 | Budget Speech

28th January 2021 | Narcotics Drugs and Psychotropic Substances (Control) (Amendment) Bill 2020 -No. 16 Of 2020

11th February 2021 | Deceased Persons Estates' Administration (Amendment) Bill 2020 – Bill No. 12/2020

25th February 2021 | Budget Speech

24th January 2022 Powers Of Attorney (Amendment) Bill 2021 – Bill No. 15/2021

Deeds Registry (Amendment) Bill 2021 – Bill No. 16/2021

2nd February 2022 | Budget Speech 2022

7th November 2022 | Motor Vehicles and Road Traffic (Amendment) Bill 2022 – Bill No. 19/2022

24th January 2023 | Budget Speech 2023



## Ms. Vanessa Kissoon

**Appointment:** 30<sup>th</sup> October 2006

Affiliation: People's National Congress Reform -

One Guyana (PNCR-1G)

**Period served:** 30<sup>th</sup> October 2006 –

February 2015

**Designation:** Parliamentarian

## **Contribution(s) made:**

22nd January 2007 | Gambling Prevention (Amendment) Bill No. 30/2006

14th February 2007 | Budget Speech

3rd March 2008 | Budget Speech

1st July 2008

Impact of Global Food Price increase

Adoption of Report of the Public Account Committee for Guyana for the years 2002 & 2003

19th February 2009 | Budget Speech

15th February 2010 | Budget Speech

24th January 2011 | Budget Speech

10th April 2012 | Budget Debate

25th July 2012 | Motion- Condemn the killing of the injury to several persons at Linden, Upper Demerara-Berbice Region, on Wednesday, 18th July 2012 and to demand the resignation of Hon. Clement Rohee, P.P., Minister of Home Affairs.

5th April 2013 | Budget Debate

27th June 2013 | Motion- Honouring the 21st August 2012 agreement between the Government of Guyana and the Regional Democratic Council, Region #10



## **Ms. Latchmin Punalall**

**Appointment:** 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2007

**Affiliation:** Alliance for Change (AFC)

Period served:

• 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2007 – September 2011

**Designation:** Parliamentarian

### **Contribution(s) made:**

11th December 2008 | Elimination of Violence Against Women

19th February 2009 | Budget Speech

29th April 2009 | Community Service for Certain Criminal Offences

7th May 2009 | Protection of Children Bill No. 3/2009

21st May 2009

Status of Children Bill No. 5/2009 Adoption Of children Bill No. 6/2009

26th November 2009 | Persons With Disabilities Bill No. 44/2009

16th February 2010 | Budget Speech

22nd April 2010

The Sexual Offences Bill No. 30/2009

Adoption of The Fourth Periodic Report of the Parliamentary Sectoral Committee on Social Services

10th June 2010 | Adoption of the Report of the Special Select Committee on Persons with Disabilities Bill No. 44/2009

29th July 2010 | Criminal Responsibility of HIV Infected Individuals

14th October 2010 | Training Schools (Amendment) Bill No. 12/2010

26th January 2011 | Budget Speech

10th March 2011 | Custody, Contact, Guardianship and Maintenance Bill No. 29/2009

2nd June 2011 | Adoption of Children (Amendment) Bill No. 8/20011

17th June 2011 | Childcare and Development Services Bill No. 31/2009



# **Ms. Cheryl Sampson**

**Appointment:** 15<sup>th</sup> January 2009

 ${\bf Affiliation:}\ {\bf People's\ National\ Congress\ Reform\ -}$ 

One Guyana (PNCR-1G)

**Period served:** 15<sup>th</sup> January 2009 – date

September 2011

**Designation:** Parliamentarian

**Contribution(s) made:** 

18th February 2009 | Budget Speech

9th April 2009 | Tribute to Mrs. Janet Jagan

O.E Former President of Guyana

18th February 2010 | Budget Speech

25th January 2011 | Budget Speech

 $19^{th}$  May 2011 | Adoption of the Fifth Report of the Parliamentary Sectoral Committee on Social

Services

2<sup>nd</sup> June 2011 | Adoption of Children (Amendment) Bill No. 8/2011

 $17^{th}$  June 2011 | Childcare and Development Services Bill No. 31/2009



## Ms. Dawn Hastings-Williams

**Appointment:** 15<sup>th</sup> February 2010

Affiliation: A Partnership for National Unity (APNU)

Period served:

• 15<sup>th</sup> February 2010 – present

### **Designation:**

 Parliamentarian (February 2010 – February 2015)

 Minister within the Ministry of Communities (10<sup>th</sup> June 2015 – 24<sup>th</sup> April 2019)

• Minister of State (25<sup>th</sup> April 2019 – August 2020)

## **Contribution(s) made:**

19th February 2010 | Budget Speech

26th January 2011 | Budget Speech

13th April 2012 | Budget Debate

4th April 2013 | Budget Debate

2nd April 2014 | Budget Debate

19th August 2015 | Budget Debate

6th December 2016 | Budget Debate

13th April 2017 | Bill-State Assets Recovery Bill 2/2017

16th June 2017 | Motion-Revocation of the Commission of Inquiry Surrounding the claims of Amerindian Land Titling, the Individual, joint or communal ownership of Lands acquired by freed Africans and any other and Titling in Guyana

7th December 2017 | Budget Speech 2018

6th December 2018 | Budget Speech 2019



# **Ms. Joan Baveghems**

**Appointment:** 17<sup>th</sup> January 2011

**Affiliation:** People's National Congress Reform -

One Guyana (PNCR-1G)

#### Period served:

• 17th January 2011 - February 2015

**Designation:** Parliamentarian

### **Contribution(s) made:**

28th January 2011 | Budget Speech

11th April 2012 | Budget Debate

9<sup>th</sup> August 2012 | Motion- Restriction on the right to Assemble

4<sup>th</sup> April 2013 | Budget Debate



## **Ms. Annette Ferguson**

**Appointment:** 12<sup>th</sup> January 2012

**Affiliation:** A Partnership for National Unity (APNU)

Period served: January 2012 – present

#### **Designation:**

- Parliamentarian (June 2012 February 2015)
- Minister within the Ministry of Public Infrastructure (10<sup>th</sup> May 2015 – 24<sup>th</sup> April 2019)
- Minister within the Ministry of Communities with responsibility for Housing (25<sup>th</sup> April 2019 – August 2020)
- Parliamentarian
   (20<sup>th</sup> August 2020 present)

#### **Contribution(s) made:**

30th July 2012 | Motion- Condemn the killing of the injury to several persons at Linden, Upper Demerara-Berbice Region, on Wednesday, 18th July 2012 and to demand the resignation of Hon. Clement Rohee, M.P., Minister of Home Affairs.

11th April 2013 | Budget Debate

14th March 2013 | Motion- Restoration of Georgetown

2nd April 2013 | Budget Debate

7th May 2013 | Motion - Interpersonal Violence

22nd May 2013 | Motion - Appointment of a Commission of inquiry to investigate the incidence of trafficking in persons in Guyana.

16th January 2014 | Motion-Tribute to his Excellency, former President of the Republic of south Africa, Nelson Rolihlahla Mandela, architect of the free and democratic South Africa.

2nd April 2014 | Budget Debate

8th August 2015 | Budget Debate

9th February 2016 | Budget Debate

4th August 2016 | Motion-Recommendations of the Report of the Commission of Inquiry on the Death in an Explosion of the Later Dr. Walter Rodney

13th October 2016 | Motion-Adoption of the National Youth Policy 2015 of the Co-operative Republic of Guyana

21st November 2016 | Motion-Durban Park Development Jubilee Project

7th December 2016 | Budget Debate

30th January 2017 | Motion-Guyana Power and Light Inc.

27th July 2017 | Bill-Tobacco Control Bill 5/2017

7th December 2017 | Budget Speech 2018

19th July 2018 | Requests for leave to move the Adjournment of the Assembly on Definite Matters of Urgent Public Importance- State of Interior Roads

5th December 2018 | Budget Speech 2019

17th September 2020 | Budget Speech 2020

4th February 2021 | Confirmation of the Public Loan (Increasing of Limit) Order 2021 -No. 2 of 2021

26th February 2021 | Budget Speech 2021 – Motion for The Approval of The Estimates of Expenditure For 2021

29th December 2021 | Local Content Bill No.21/2021

24th January 2022 | Motion- Gas to shore Project

3rd February 2022 | Motion - Budget Speech 2022-Motion for the Approval of Estimates of Expenditure for 2022

13th April 2022 | Approval of List of Entities to Nominate Members to the Ethnic Relations Commission

17th May 2022 | Condominium Bill 2022 Bill No. 4/2022

21st July 2022

Payment of First Salary to public servants in one (1) month

Liability insurance coverage for oil spills in Guyana

26th January 2023 | Budget Speech 2023

24th April 2023 | Planning And Development Single Window System Bill – Bill No. 26 of 2022

10th May 2023 | Motion - Amendment to Standing Orders Nos. 20(2), (3) and 27(2)

3rd August 2023 | Real Estate Agents and Brokers Bill 2023 – Bill No. 11/2023



# **Dr. Vindhya Persaud**

**Appointment:** 12<sup>th</sup> January 2012

Affiliation: People's Progressive Party/Civic (PPP/C)

**Period served:** 12<sup>th</sup> January 2012 – present

## Designation:

- Parliamentarian
   (January 2012 December 2019)
- Minister of Human Services and Social Security (20<sup>th</sup> August 2020 – present)

## Contribution(s) made:

11th April 2012 | Budget Debate

14th June 2012 | Motion- Compliance with the Integrity Commission Act

30th July 2012 | Motion- Condemn the killing of the injury to several persons at Linden, Upper Demerara- Berbice Region, on Wednesday, 18th July, 2012 and to demand the resignation of Hon. Clement Rohee, P.P., Minister of Home Affairs.

2nd April 2013 | Budget Debate

22nd May 2013 | Motion- Appointment of a Commission of inquiry to investigate the incidence of trafficking in persons in Guyana.

31st March 2014 | Budget Debate

20th August 2015 | Budget Debate

10th February 2016 | Budget Debate

10th March 2016 | Motion-Outing work of the Parliamentary Sectoral Committee on Social Service of the tenth Parliament.

4th August 2016 | Motion- Curbing the Raise of Suicide Rate in 2016

7th December 2016 | Budget Debate

6th January 2017 | Bill Income Tax (Amendment) Bill 31.2016

30th January 2017 | Motion-Guyana Power and Light Inc.

6th December 2017 | Budget Debate

15th March 2018 Adoption of the Third Special Report of the Parliamentary Sectoral Committee on Social Services on the Visit to the New Amsterdam Hospital Adoption of the Fourth Special Report of the Parliamentary Sectoral Committee on Social Services on The Visit to the Diamond Diagnostic Centre

Adoption Of the Fifth Special Report of The Parliamentary Sectoral Committee on Social Services on The Visit To The Georgetown Public Hospital Corporation (GPHC)

26th April 2018 | Juvenile Justice Bill 2018 -Bill No. 2 of 2018

27th July 2018 | Motion - Adoption of the 6th and 7th Special Reports of the Parliamentary Sectoral Committee on Social Services

30th July 2018 | Motions - Adoption of Seventh Periodic Report of the Parliamentary Sectoral Committee on Social Services

6th December 2018 | Budget Speech 2019

16th September 2020 | Budget Speech 2020

23rd December 2020 | Motion - Global Pandemic of Covid-19

24th February 2021 | Budget Speech 2021

1st February 2022 | Budget Speech 2022

17th May 2022 | Juvenile Justice (Amendment) Bill 2022 – Bill No. 5/2022

7th November 2022 Motor Vehicles and Road Traffic (Amendment) Bill 2022 – Bill No. 19/2022 Suicide Prevention Bill 2022 – No. 11/2022

25th January 2023 | Budget Speech 2023

10th May 2023

The Combating of Trafficking in Persons Bill 2023 – Bill No. 6 of 2023

Motion - Adoption of the Eighth Periodic Report of the Parliamentary Sectoral Committee on Social Services

Motion - Adoption of the First Special Report of the Parliamentary Sectoral Committee on Social Services

20th July 2023 | The Radiation Safety and Security Bill 2022 – Bill No. No. 8/2022

3rd August 2023 | Motion - Confirmation of The External Loans (Increasing of Limit) Order 2023 – No. 48 of 2023 And the Public Loan (Increasing of Limit) Order 2023 – No. 49 of 2023



## Ms. Valarie Garrido-Lowe

**Appointment:** 12<sup>th</sup> January 2012 **Affiliation:** Alliance for Change (AFC)

#### Period served:

• January 2012 - August 2020

## **Designation:**

- Parliamentarian
- Minister with the Ministry of Indigenous Peoples' Affairs

#### **Contribution(s) made:**

12th April 2012 | Budget Debate

12th July 2012 | Motion- To Honour the Long and Exemplary service of former member of Parliament and Ministers, Mr. Reepu Daman Persaud, O.R., to the National Assembly.

4th April 2013 | Budget Debate

13th June 2013 | Motion- Appointment of a Commission of inquiry to investigate the incidence of illness and deaths in the Barima- Waini Region of Guyana

7th November 2013 | Bill- The Anti- Money Laundering and Countering the Financing of Terrorism (Amendment) Bill No.12/2013

10th February 2014 | Motion- Appointment of Members of the Ethnic Relations Commission

4th April 2014 | Budget Debate

17th August 2015 | Budget Debate

9th February 2016 | Budget Debate

5th December 2016 | Budget Debate

4th December 2017 | Budget Debate

19th January 2018 | Motion - Adoption of The First Special Report of The Parliamentary Sectoral Committee on Social Services of The Tenth Parliament

3rd December 2018 | Budget Speech 2019



# **Ms. Catherine Hughes**

**Appointment:** 12<sup>th</sup> January 2012 **Affiliation:** Alliance for Change (AFC) **Period served:** January 2012 – present **Designation:** 

- Parliamentarian (January 2012 February 2015)
- Minister of Tourism (May 2015 December 2015)
- Minister of Telecommunication (January 2016 August 2020)
- Parliamentarian (20<sup>th</sup> August present)

#### **Contribution(s) made:**

13th April 2012 | Budget Debate

12th July 2012 | Motion- Recognising the Contribution to the National Assembly of the Parliament and Guyana by former Leader of the Opposition, Mr. Robert H.O.Corbin.

25th July 2012 | Motion- Condemn the killing of the injury to several persons at Linden, Upper Demerara-Berbice Region, on Wednesday, 18th July 2012 and to demand the resignation of Hon. Clement Rohee, P.P., Minister of Home Affairs.

2nd August 2012 | Motion-Sympathy on the death of Mr. Everall Franklin

25th January 2013 | Motion-Establishment of a National Heritage Commission

14th March 2013 | Motion- Restoration of Georgetown

7th May 2013 | Motion-Interpersonal Violence

22nd May 2013 | Motion- Appointment of a Commission of inquiry to investigate the incidence of trafficking in persons in Guyana.

21st November 2013 | Motion-Establishment of a National Veterans Commission

27th February 2014 | Bill- Caribbean Community (Free Entry of Skilled Nationals) (Amendment) Bill No.5/2014

2nd April 2014 | Budget Debate

10th July 2014 | Motion-Sympathy on the Death of Mrs. Deborah Backer, Former Deputy Speaker of the National Assembly.

25th June 2015 | Motion-Approval of Government's Policy in President's Address

2012

2013

Women Members of Parliament from 1953 to 2023

19th August 2015 | Budget Debate

10th February 2016 | Budget Debate

18th July 2016

Bill- Telecommunications Bill 15/2016 Bill- Utilities Communication Bill 16/2016

21st November 2016 | Motion-Durban Park Development Jubilee Project

7th December 2016 | Budget Debate

30th January 2017 | Motion- Guyana Power and Light Inc.

13th April 2017 | Bill-State Assets Recovery Bill 2/2017

27th July2017 | Bill-Tobacco Control Bill 5/2017

4th August 2017 | Broadcasting (Amendment)Bill 10/2017

5th December 2017 | Budget Debate

20th July 2018 | Cybercrime Bill 2016 – Bill No. 17/2016

30th July 2018 | Adoption of the Ninth Report of the Committee on appointments in relation to the Appointment of Members of the Rights of The Child Commission

4th December 2018 | Budget Speech 2019

15th May 2019 | Interception Of Communications (Amendment) Bill 2019 – Bill No. 1/2019

1st March 2021 | Budget Speech 2021

14th June 2021 | Motion- Removal of the Chairperson of the Public Accounts Committee

4th February 2022 | Budget Speech 2022

17th May 2022 | Juvenile Justice (Amendment) Bill 2022- Bill No.5/2022

27th January 2023 | Budget Speech 2023

10th May 2023 | Motion - Amendment to Standing Orders Nos. 20(2), (3) and 27(2)

3rd August 2023 | Electronic Communications and Transactions Bill 2023 – Bill No. 9/2023



## Ms. June Eula Marcello

**Appointment:** 12<sup>th</sup> January 2012

**Affiliation:** Alliance for Change (AFC) **Period served:** January 2012 – February 2015

**Designation:** Parliamentarian

Contribution(s) made:

11<sup>th</sup> April 2012 | Budget Debate

5<sup>th</sup> April 2013 | Budget Debate

3<sup>rd</sup> April 2014 | Budget Debate



# **Ms. Rennita Williams**

**Appointment:** 10<sup>th</sup> April 2013

**Affiliation:** A Partnership for National Unity

(APNU)

**Period served:** 10th April 2013 – February 2015

**Designation:** Parliamentarian

Contribution(s) made:

13th June 2013 | Motion- Appointment of a Commission of inquiry to investigate the incidence of illness and deaths in the Barima-

Waini Region of Guyana

3rd April 2014 | Budget Debate



# **Dr. Karen Cummings**

**Appointment:** 10<sup>th</sup> February 2014

Affiliation: A Partnership for National Unity (APNU)

**Period served:** February 2014 – present

## Designation:

- Parliamentarian (February 2014 February 2015)
- Minister in the Ministry of Public Health (May 2015 – April 2019)
- Minister of Foreign Affairs (25<sup>th</sup> April 2019 August 2020)
- Parliamentarian (20<sup>th</sup> August present)

#### **Contribution(s) made:**

3rd April 2014 | Budget Debate

17th August 2015 | Budget Debate

9th February 2016 | Budget Debate

24th May 2016 | Motion- The persistent shortage or drugs and medical supplies in the public health care delivery system

4th August 2016 | Motion- Curbing the Raise of Suicide Rate in 2016

6th December 2016 | Budget Debate

9th February 2017 | Bill Animal Welfare Bill 21/2016

27th July 217 | Bill-Tobacco Control Bill 5/2017

4th December 2017 | Budget Debate

15th March 2018

Adoption of the Third Special Report of the Parliamentary Sectoral Committee on Social Services on the Visit to the New Amsterdam Hospital

Adoption of the Fourth Special Report of the Parliamentary Sectoral Committee on Social Services on The Visit to the Diamond Diagnostic Centre

Adoption Of the Fifth Special Report of The Parliamentary Sectoral Committee on Social Services on The Visit to The Georgetown Public Hospital Corporation (GPHC)

3rd December 2018 | Budget Speech 2019

3rd January 2019 | Nurses And Midwives Bill 2018 – Bill No. 13/2018

16th September 2020 | Budget Speech 2020

23rd December | Motion- Global Pandemic of COVID- 19

22nd February 2021 | Budget Speech 2021 – Motion for The Approval of The Estimates of Expenditure For 2021

10th June 2021 | Motion-Location of Guyana Shore Base Services

13th December 2021 | Evidence (Amendment) Bill No.11/2021

24th January 2022 | Human Organ and Tissue Transplant Bill 2021- Bill No. 19/2021

3rd February 2022 | Motion-Budget Speech 2022

17th May 2022 | The Nurses and Midwives Bill No.6/2022

21st July 2022 | Payment of First Salary to public servants in one (1) month

25th January 2023 | Budget Speech 2023

10th May 2023

The Combating of Trafficking in Persons Bill 2023 – Bill No. 6 of 2023

Motion - Adoption of the Eighth Periodic Report of the Parliamentary Sectoral Committee on Social Services

Motion - Adoption of the First Special Report of the Parliamentary Sectoral Committee on Social Services

20th July 2023 | The Radiation Safety and Security Bill 2022 – Bill No. No. 8/2022



# **Ms. Simona Charles- Broomes**

**Appointment:** 10<sup>th</sup> June 2015

**Affiliation:** A Partnership for National Unity (APNU)/Alliance for Change (AFC)

**Period served:** 10<sup>th</sup> June 2015 – 2020

## Designation:

- Minister in the Ministry of Social Protection (June 2015 – December 2015)
- Minister in the Ministry of Natural Resources (January 2016 – April 2019)
- Minister within the Ministry of the Presidency with responsibility for Youth Affairs (25<sup>th</sup> April 2019 – August 2020)

## **Contribution(s) made:**

8th August 2016 | Bill-Wildlife Conservation and Management Bill No.14/2016

7th December 2016 | Budget Debate

15th June 2017 | Bill-Petroleum Commission on Guyana Bill 2/2017

6th December 2017 | Budget Speech

15th March 2018 | Motion - Sympathy on the Death of Ms Sandra Michelle Adams, Former Member of Parliament

6th December 2018 | Budget Speech 2019

21st December 2018 | Motion - No Confidence in the Government of Guyana



# **Dr. Nicolette O. Henry**

**Appointment:** 10<sup>th</sup> June 2015

**Affiliation:** A Partnership for National Unity

(APNU)/Alliance for Change (AFC)

**Period served:** 10<sup>th</sup> June 2015 – March 2022

## Designation:

- Minister in the Ministry of Education (June 2015 December 2017)
- Minister of Education (December 2017 – August 2020)
- Parliamentarian
   (20th August 30th March 2022)

#### Contribution(s) made:

18th August 2015 | Budget Debate

9th February 2016 | Budget Debate

21st November 2016 | Motion-Durban Park Development Jubilee Project

8th December 2016 | Budget Debate

9th February 2017 | Bill-Food Safety Bill 22/2016

5th December 2018 | Budget Speech 2019

15th May 2019

National Accreditation Council (Amendment) Bill 2019 – Bill No. 5/2019

National Accreditation Council Act 2004 (Validation) Bill 2019 – Bill No. 6/2019

18th September 2020 | Budget Speech 2020

25th February 2021 | Budget Speech 2021

9th August 2021 | Adoption And Implementation of The Recommendations of The Report of The Commission of Inquiry on The Death In An Explosion of The Late Dr. Walter Rodney

24th January 2022 | Human Organ and Tissue Transplant Bill 2021 – Bill No. 19/2021

2nd February 2022 | Budget Speech 2022



## Ms. Valarie Patterson-Yearwood

**Appointment:** 10<sup>th</sup> June 2015

**Affiliation:** A Partnership for National Unity (APNU)/Alliance for Change (AFC)

Period served: June 2015 – August 2020

## **Designation:**

- Parliamentarian (June 2015 – December 2015)
- Minister within the Ministry of Communities (1st January 2016 24th April 2019)
- Minister within the Ministry of Agriculture with responsibility for Rural Affairs (25th April 2019 – August 2020)

## **Contribution(s) made:**

19th August 2015 | Budget Debate

4th November 2016 | Motion- Approval of Government Policies in President's Address

21st November 2016 | Motion-Durban Park Development Jubilee Project

6th December 2016 | Budget Debate

9th March 2017 | Prime Minister Hamilton Green Pension Bill 23/2016

4th December 2017 | Budget Debate

3rd December 2018 | Budget Speech 2019

26th April 2019 | Motion Sympathy on the Death of Mr. Abdul Kadir, Former Member of Parliament



## **Ms. Yvonne Pearson-Fredericks**

**Appointment:** 17<sup>th</sup> August 2015

**Affiliation:** People's Progressive Party/Civic (PPP/C)

Period served: August 2015 – present

**Designation:** Parliamentarian

## Contribution(s) made:

19th August 2015 | Budget Debate

9th February 2016 | Budget Debate

24th May 2016 | Motion- The persistent shortage or drugs and medical supplies in the public health care delivery system

4th August 2016 | Motion- Curbing the Raise of Suicide Rate in 2016

8thAugust 2016 | Bill-Wildlife Conservation and Management Bill No.14/2016

5th December 2016 | Budget Debate

6th January 2017 | Bill- Miscellaneous Licenses (Amendment) Bill 33/2016

30th January 2017 | Motion-Restoration of Zero-Rated Items in the Value-Added tax (Amendment) of Schedules) Order No.18 of 2016

16th June 2017 | Motion-Revocation of the Commission of Inquiry Surrounding the claims of Amerindian Land Titling, the Individual, joint or communal ownership of Lands acquired by freed Africans and any other and Titling in Guyana

3rd December 2017 | Budget Debate

10th January 2018 | 2017 Georgetown Prison Fire and Jailbreak

3rd December 2018 | Budget Speech 2018 – Motion for the Approval of The Estimates Of Expenditure For 2018

16th September 2020 | Budget Speech 2020

25th February 2021 | Budget Speech 2021

31st January 2022 | Budget Speech 2022

23rd January | Budget Speech 2023



## Ms. Gillian Burton-Persaud

**Appointment:** 17<sup>th</sup> August 2015

**Affiliation:** People's Progressive Party/Civic (PPP/C)

**Period served:** August 2015 – December 2019

**Designation:** Parliamentarian

2016

Women Members of Parliament from 1953 to 2023

## **Contribution(s) made:**

19th August 2015 | Budget Debate

21st January 2016 | Motion -2015 Election Day violence: compensation for victims.

8th February 2016 | Budget Debate

18th July 2016

Bill-Telecommunications Bill 15/2016

Bill- Utilities Communication Bill 16/2016

21st November 2016

Motion-Durban Park Development Jubilee Project Motion-The Commission of Inquiry into the Public Service of Guyana

5th December 2016 | Budget Debate

6th January 2017

Bill-Tax (Amendment) Bill 34/2016

Bill-Travel Voucher Tax (Amendment) Bill 35/2016

9th March 2017 | Bill-Prime Minister Hamilton Green Pension Bill 23/2016

27th July 2017 | Bill-Tobacco Control Bill 5/2017

4th August 2017 | Broadcasting (Amendment) Bill 10/2017

4th December 2017 | Budget Debate

10th January 2018 | 2017 Georgetown Prison Fire and Jailbreak

18th January 2018 | Protected disclosures bill 2017 – bill no. 12/2017

26th April 2018 | Juvenile Justice Bill 2018 No. 2/2018

25th June 2018 | Adoption of Eighth Report of the Standing Committee on Appointments to address Matters relating to the Appointments of members of the Public Service Commission

19th July 2018 | Motion- Re-Establishment of the Ministry of Labour to its Pre-2015 Status

4th December 2018

Budget Speech 2019 Motion for the Approval of Estimates of Expenditure 2019

Budget Speech 2019



# Ms. Bhagmattie Sheila Veerasammy

**Appointment: 26th February 2016** 

**Affiliation:** People's Progressive Party/Civic (PPP/C)

**Period served:** 26<sup>th</sup> February, 2016 – present

**Designation:** Parliamentarian **Contribution(s) made:** 

30<sup>th</sup> January 2017 | Motion- Restoration of Zero-Rated Items in the Value-Added tax (Amendment) of

Schedules) Order No.18 of 2016

4<sup>th</sup> December 2017 | Budget Debate

3<sup>rd</sup> December 2018 | Budget Speech 2019



## Ms. Barbara P. Pilgrim

**Appointment:** 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2019

Affiliation: A Partnership for National Unity

(APNU)/Alliance for Change (AFC) **Period served:** 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2019 –

December 2019

**Designation:** Parliamentarian



## Ms. Tabitha Sarabo-Halley

**Appointment:** 26<sup>th</sup> April 2019

**Affiliation:** A Partnership for National Unity (APNU)/Alliance for Change (AFC)

Period served: April 2019 – present

## **Designation:**

- Minister of Public Service (25th April 2019 August 2020)
- Parliamentarian (20th August 2020 present)

## **Contribution(s) made:**

16th September 2020 | Budget Speech 2020 -Motion for the Approval of the Estimates of Expenditure for 2020

23rd December 2020 | Motion – Global Pandemic of COVID – 19

28th January 2021 | Motion - Narcotics Drugs and Psychotropic Substances (control) (Amendment?) Bill 2020-No. 16 of 202

24th February 2021 | Budget Speech 2021 – Motion for the Approval of the Estimates of Expenditure for 2021

10th June 2021 | Natural Gas Flaring at the Esso Exploration and Production Guyana Limited

9th August 2021 | Adoption And Implementation of The Recommendations of The Report of The Commission of Inquiry on The Death in An Explosion of The Late Dr. Walter Rodney

31st January 2022 | Motion- Budget Speech 2022 - Motion for The Approval of The Estimates of Expenditure For 2022

13th April 2022 | Adoption Of the Fourth Report of The Committee on Appointments and Approval of The List of Entities and Consensual Mechanism to Nominate Members to The Women and Gender Equality Commission

17th May 2022 | The Nurses and Midwives Bill 2022 – Bill No. 6/2022

21st July 2022 | Motion- Payment of First Salary to Public Servants in One (1) Month

24th January 2023 | Budget Speech 2023

10th May 2023 | Motion - Amendment to Standing Orders Nos. 20(2), (3) and 27(2)

20th July 2023 | The Radiation Safety and Security Bill 2022 – Bill No. No. 8/2022



## **Ms. Donna Mathoo**

**Appointment:** 26<sup>th</sup> April 2019

**Affiliation:** A Partnership for National Unity (APNU)/Alliance for Change (AFC)

#### Period served:

• 26<sup>th</sup> April 2019 – 31<sup>st</sup> December 2019

**Designation:** Parliamentarian



# **Ms. Oneidge Walrond**

**Appointment:** 20<sup>th</sup> August 2020

**Affiliation:** People's Progressive Party/Civic (PPP/C)

**Period served:** 20<sup>th</sup> August 2020 – present **Designation:** Minister of Tourism, Industry

and Commerce

### Contribution(s) made:

18th September 2020 | Budget Speech 2020 11th February 2021 Bill – Second Reading - Small Business (Amendment) Bill 2020-Bill No. 13/2020 published on 2020-11-10 Presentation of Bill-Small Business (Amendment) Bill 2020 – Bill No. 13/2020

24th February 2021 | Budget Speech 2021

9th August 2021 | Civil Law of Guyana (Amendment) Bill 2021 – Bill No. 7/2021

29th December 2021 | Local Content Bill 2021 – Bill No. 21/2021

31st January 2022 | Budget Speech 2022

17th May 2022 Condominium Bill 2022 – Bill No. 4/2022 Tax (Amendment) Bill 2022 – Bill No. 9/2022

8th August 2022 | Industrial Hemp Bill 2022 – Bill No. 10/2022

30th November 2022 | Hire-Purchase Bill 2020 – Bill No. 14/2020

24th January 2023 | Budget Speech 2023

24th April 2023

Planning And Development Single Window System Bill – Bill No. 26 of 2022

Criminal Law (Procedure) (Amendment) Bill 2022 – No. 21 of 2022

3rd August 2023

Electronic Communications and Transactions Bill 2023 – Bill No. 9/2023

Real Estate Agents and Brokers Bill 2023 – Bill No. 11/2023



# Ms. Sonia Savitri Parag

**Appointment:** 20<sup>th</sup> August 2020

**Affiliation:** People's Progressive Party/Civic (PPP/C)

**Period served:** 20<sup>th</sup> August 2020 – present **Designation:** Minister of the Public Service

### **Contribution(s) made:**

16th September 2020 | Budget Speech 2020 – Motion for the Approval of the Estimates of Expenditure for 2020

29th September 2020 | Auctioneers (Amendment) Bill 2020 – Bill No. 2/2020 published on 2020-09-21

11th February 2021 Bill Second Reading - Law Reform Commission (Amendment) Bill 2020 – Bill No. 11/2020 published on 2020-11-20

Deceased Persons Estates' Administration (Amendment) Bill 2020 -Bill No. 12/2020 published on 2020-11-10

24th February 2021 | Budget Speech 2021 – Motion for the Approval of the Estimates of Expenditure for 2021

3rd August 2021 | Adoption of Children (Amendment) Bill 2021 – Bill No. 3/2021

31st January 2022 | Motion- Budget Speech 2022 - Motion for The Approval of The Estimates of Expenditure For 2022

17th May 2022 | Juvenile Justice (Amendment) Bill 2022 – Bill No. 5/2022

21st July 2022 | Motion- Payment of First Salary to Public Servants in One (1) Month

7th November2022 Constitution Reform Commission Bill 2022 – Bill No. 18/2022

Bail Bill 2022 – Bill No. 14/2022

5th December 2022 | Representation of the People (Amendment) Bill 2022 – Bill No. 24 of 2022 23rd January 2023 | Budget Speech 2023

20th July 2023 | Foreign Judgments (Reciprocal Enforcement) Bill 2023 – Bill No. 4/2023



# Ms. Susan M. Rodrigues

**Appointment: 20th August 2020** 

**Affiliation:** People's Progressive Party/Civic (PPP/C)

**Period served:** 20<sup>th</sup> August 2020 – present **Designation:** Minister within the Ministry of

Housing and Water

Contribution(s) made:

15th September 2020 | Budget Speech 2020

22nd February 2021 | Budget Speech 2021

3rd February 2022 | Budget Speech 2022

17th May 2022 | Condominium Bill 2022 - Bill No. 4/2022

30th November 2022 | Hire-Purchase Bill 2020 – Bill No. 14/2020

25th January 2023 | Budget Speech 2023

24th April 2023 | Planning And Development Single Window System Bill – Bill No. 26 of 2022



## Dr. Tandika S. Smith

**Appointment: 20th August 2020** 

 $\textbf{Affiliation:} \ People's \ Progressive \ Party/Civic$ 

(PPP/C)

**Period served:** 20<sup>th</sup> August 2020 – present **Designation:** Member of Parliament for

Region # 3

**Contribution(s) made:** 

16th September 2020 | Budget Speech 2020

26th February 2021 | Budget Speech 2021

24th January2021 | Human Organ and Tissue Transplant Bill 2021 – Bill No. 19/2021

2nd February 2022 | Budget Speech 2022

23rd January2023 | Budget Speech 2023



## Ms. Sarah Browne

**Appointment:** 20<sup>th</sup> August 2020

**Affiliation:** People's Progressive Party/Civic

(PPP/C)

**Period served:** 20<sup>th</sup> August 2020 – present

**Designation:** Member of Parliament, Parliamentary Secretary in the Ministry of

**Amerindian Affairs** 

#### **Contribution(s) made:**

14th September 2020 | Budget Speech 2020 – Motion for the Approval of the Estimates of Expenditure for 2020

17th September 2020 | Budget Speech 2020 -Motion for the Approval of the Estimates of Expenditure for 2020

25th February 2021 | Budget Speech 2021 – Motion for the Approval of the Estimates of Expenditure for 2021



# Ms. Geeta Chandan-Edmond

**Appointment:** 20<sup>th</sup> August 2020

**Affiliation:** A Partnership for National Unity/

Alliance For Change (APNU/AFC)

**Period served:** 20<sup>th</sup> August 2020 – present

**Designation:** Parliamentarian

## Contribution(s) made:

17th September 2020 | Budget Speech 2020 – Motion for the Approval of the Estimates of Expenditure for 2020

28th January 2021

Motion- Appointment of a Commission of Inquiry to Investigate

The Unrest at The Lusignan Prison, The Subsequent Deaths of And the Injury of Several Prisoners on the 19th of September 2020

22nd February 2021 | Budget Speech 2021 – Motion for the Approval of the Estimates of Expenditure for 2021

13th December 2021

Police (Amendment) Bill 2021 – Bill No. 8/2021 Firearms (Amendment) Bill 2021 – Bill No. 9/2021 Evidence (Amendment) Bill 2021 – Bill No. 11/2021

3rd February 2022 | Motion- Budget Speech 2022 - Motion for The Approval of The Estimates of Expenditure For 2022

25th January 2023 | Budget Speech 2023

24th April 2023

Criminal Law (Procedure) (Amendment) Bill 2022

- No. 21 of 2022

Court of Appeal (Amendment) Bill 2022 – No. 22 of 2022

10th May 2023 | Motor Vehicles and Road Traffic (Amendment) Bill 2023 – Bill No. 7/2023



# Ms. Coretta A. McDonald

**Appointment:** 20<sup>th</sup> August 2020

**Affiliation:** A Partnership for National Unity/

Alliance For Change (APNU/AFC)

**Period served:** 20<sup>th</sup> August 2020 – present

**Designation:** Member of Parliament for Region #4

**Contribution(s) made:** 

14th September 2020 | Budget Speech 2020 – Motion for the Approval of the Estimates of Expenditure for 2020

26th February 2021 | Budget Speech 2021 – Motion for the Approval of the Estimates of Expenditure for 2021

2nd February 2022 | Motion-Budget Speech 2022

- Motion for The Approval of The Estimates of Expenditure For 2022

26th January2023 | Motion- Budget Speech 2023 - Motion for The Approval of The Estimates of Expenditure For 2023



# Ms. Amanza O.R. Walton-Desir

**Appointment: 20th August 2020** 

**Affiliation:** A Partnership for National Unity/

Alliance For Change (APNU/AFC)

 $\textbf{Period served:}\ \ 20^{th}\ August\ 2020-present$ 

**Designation:** Parliamentarian

## Contribution(s) made:

14th September 2020 | Budget Speech 2020 – Motion for the Approval of the Estimates of Expenditure for 2020

22nd February 2021 | Budget Speech 2021 – Motion for the Approval of the Estimates of Expenditure for 2021

3rd August2021 | Adoption of Children (Amendment) Bill 2021 – Bill No. 3/2021

9th August2021

Motion- adoption and implementation of the recommendations of the report of the commission of inquiry on the death in an explosion of the late Dr. Walter rodney

Civil Law of Guyana (Amendment) Bill 2021 – Bill No. 7/2021

24th January 2022 | Deeds Registry (Amendment) Bill 2021 – Bill No. 16/2021

31st January2022

Motion

Budget Speech 2022 - Motion for The Approval of The Estimates of Expenditure For 2022

21st July2022

Motion- Payment of First Salary to Public Servants in One (1) Month

Liability Insurance Coverage for Oil Spills in Guyana

30th November2022 | Hire-Purchase Bill 2020 – Bill No. 14/2020

5th December 2022 | Representation of the People (Amendment) Bill 2022 – Bill No. 24 Of 2022

23rd January 2023 | Budget Speech 2023

24th April 2023 | Planning And Development Single Window System Bill – Bill No. 26 of 2022

3rd August 2023

Motion - Confirmation of The External Loans (Increasing of Limit) Order 2023 – No. 48 of 2023 And the Public Loan (Increasing of Limit) Order 2023 – No. 49 of 2023

Guyana Compliance Commission Bill 2023 – Bill No. 12/2023

6th November 2023 | Motion - Support for the Government and People of the Co-Operative Republic of Guyana and reaffirming recognition of the 1899 Arbitral Award and the 1966 Geneva Agreement



## Ms. Natasha Singh-Lewis

**Appointment:** 20<sup>th</sup> August 2020

**Affiliation:** A Partnership for National Unity/

Alliance For Change (APNU/AFC)

**Period served:** 20<sup>th</sup> August 2020 – present

**Designation:** Parliamentarian

### Contribution(s) made:

16th September 2020 | Budget Speech 2020 – Motion for the Approval of the Estimates of Expenditure for 2020

24th February 2021 | Budget Speech 2021 – Motion for the Approval of the Estimates of Expenditure for 2021

31st August2021

Adoption Of Children (Amendment) Bill 2021 – Bill No. 3/2021

Motion- Budget Speech 2022 - Motion for the Approval of the Estimates of Expenditure For 2022

23rd January 2023 | Budget Speech 2023

10th May 2023 | The Combating of Trafficking in Persons Bill 2023 – Bill No. 6 of 2023



# Ms. Juretha V. Fernandes

**Appointment:** 20<sup>th</sup> August 2020

**Affiliation:** A Partnership for National Unity/

Alliance For Change (APNU/AFC)

**Period served:** 20<sup>th</sup> August 2020 – present

**Designation:** Parliamentarian

## **Contribution(s) made:**

15th September 2020 | Budget Speech 2020 – Motion for the Approval of the Estimates of Expenditure for 2020

28th January 2021 | Motion moved - Narcotics Drugs and Psychotropic Substances (control) (Amendment?) Bill 2020-No. 16 of 202

25th February 2021 | Budget Speech 2021 – Motion for the Approval of the Estimates of Expenditure for 2021

9th August 2021 | Civil Law of Guyana (Amendment) Bill 2021 – Bill No. 7/2021

2nd February 2022 | Budget Speech 2022

17th May 2022 | Tax (Amendment) Bill 2022 – Bill No. 9/2022

21st July 2022 | Motion- Payment of First Salary to Public Servants in One (1) Month

24th January 2023 | Motion-Budget Speech 2023

3rd August 2023 | Motion - Confirmation of The External Loans (Increasing of Limit) Order 2023 – No. 48 of 2023 And the Public Loan (Increasing of Limit) Order 2023 – No. 49 of 2023



## Ms. Nima N. Flue-Bess

**Appointment:** 20<sup>th</sup> August 2020

**Affiliation:** A Partnership for National Unity/

Alliance For Change (APNU/AFC)

**Period served:** 20<sup>th</sup> August 2020 – present

**Designation:** Member of Parliament for Region #4

## **Contribution(s) made:**

16th September 2020 | Budget Speech 2020 – Motion for the Approval of the Estimates of Expenditure for 2020

25th February 2021 | Budget Speech 2021 – Motion for the Approval of the Estimates of Expenditure for 2021

3rd August2021 | Adoption Of Children (Amendment) Bill 2021 – Bill No. 3/2021

1st February 2022 | Motion- Budget Speech 2022 - Motion for The Approval of The Estimates of Expenditure For 2022

21st July2022 | Motion- Payment of First Salary to Public Servants in One (1) Month

23rd January 2023 | Budget Speech 2023

3rd August 2023 | Electronic Communications and Transactions Bill 2023 – Bill No. 9/2023



# Ms. Maureen A. Philadelphia

**Appointment:** 20<sup>th</sup> August 2020

**Affiliation:** A Partnership for National Unity/

Alliance For Change (APNU/AFC)

**Period served:** 20<sup>th</sup> August 2020 – present

**Designation:** Member of Parliament for Region #4

**Contribution(s) made:** 

14th September 2020 | Budget Speech 2020

25th February 2021 | Budget Speech 2021

3rd August2021 | Adoption of Children (Amendment) Bill 2021 – Bill No. 3/2021

2nd February 2022 | Motion-Budget Speech 2022

24th January2023 | Motion-Budget Speech 2023



# **Ms. Beverley Alert**

**Appointment:** 17<sup>th</sup> October 2022

**Affiliation:** A Partnership for National Unity/

Alliance For Change (APNU/AFC)

**Period served:** 17<sup>th</sup> October 2022 – present

**Designation:** Parliamentarian

Contribution(s) made:

25th January 2023 | Motion- Budget Speech 2023

20th July 2023 | The Radiation Safety and Security

Bill 2022 – Bill No. No. 8/2022



# Dr. Asha Kissoon

**Appointment:** 1st April 2023

**Affiliation:** The New Movement (TNM) **Period served:** April 2023 – present

Designation:

• Parliamentarian (1st April 2023 – 19th July 2023)

• Deputy Speaker (20th July 2023 – present)

## **Contribution(s) made:**

6th November 2023 | Motion - Support for the Government and People of the Co-Operative Republic of Guyana and reaffirming recognition of the 1899 Arbitral Award and the 1966 Geneva Agreement



# **Ms. Nandranie Coonjah**

**Appointment:** 17<sup>th</sup> July 2023

**Affiliation:** Peoples Progressive Party/Civic (PPP/C)

**Period served:** July 2023 – present

**Designation:** Parliamentarian, Deputy Speaker