



11th Parliament

3rd Session

No. 3 of 2025

Tuesday

27th May, 2025

at 9:00 a.m.

ORDER PAPER
(Pursuant to Standing Order No. 13)

1. Formal Entry of Madam President.

2. Prayers.

3. Oath of Allegiance or Affirmation of a new Senator.

4. Confirmation of Minutes:

- Confirmation of the Minutes of the proceedings of a Sitting of the Senate held at the Parliament Building, Mt. Wheldale, St. George's on Tuesday 18th March, 2024 and Thursday 20th March, 2025 at 09:00 a.m.

5. Messages from the Governor-General.

6. Announcements by Madam President:

7. Ministerial Statements.

8. Presentation of Papers and Reports from Select Committees:

1. Fiscal Resilience Oversight Committee (FROC) 2024 Annual Report (April 23, 2025)
2. Fiscal Resilience Oversight Committee (FROC) 2024 Annual Report at a Glance (April 23, 2025)
3. Proceeds of Crime (Anti-Money Laundering and Terrorist Financing) (Amendment) Guidelines, 2024 (to be laid for negative Resolution)

9. Petitions.

10. Government Notices.

11. Unofficial Notices.

12. Questions.

13. Personal Explanations.

14. Motions:

(a) *By the Leader of Government's Business:*

**RESOLUTION FOR THE PURPOSES OF SECTION 33 (3) OF THE EXCISE TAX ACT,
CHAPTER 94.**

WHEREAS it is provided by Section 33 (3) of the Excise Tax Act, Chapter 94 of the 2010 Continuous Revised Edition of the Laws of Grenada (hereinafter referred to as “the Act”) that the Minister may by Order published in the *Gazette* and approved by affirmative resolution of the Parliament amend the First Schedule and the Second Schedule of the Act;

WHEREAS the Minister proposes to amend the Second Schedule of the Act, in accordance with section 33 (3) thereof, to exempt from excise tax any machinery and equipment that are imported by a registered business for the purpose of replacing that business’ machinery and equipment that were damaged, destroyed or otherwise negatively affected as a result of the impact of Hurricane Beryl, provided that in respect of each business, the exemption must first be approved in writing by the Minister, on the following conditions—

- (a) the machinery and equipment are imported for use by the business and not for sale or exchange;
- (b) the machinery and equipment are imported for the purpose of replacing machinery and equipment that was owned by the business but was subsequently damaged, destroyed or otherwise negatively affected as a result of the impact of Hurricane Beryl; and
- (c) any other conditions pertaining to the ownership, use and disposal of the machinery and equipment as the Minister sees fit,

and admitted as such by the Comptroller of Customs;

AND WHEREAS it is expedient that the Excise Tax (Amendment of Second Schedule) Order, 2025 which seeks to amend the Second Schedule to the Act be approved by Parliament;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that pursuant to section 33 (3) of the Act, the Excise Tax (Amendment of Second Schedule) Order, 2025 as set out in the Schedule to this Resolution is hereby approved by Parliament.

SCHEDULE

15. Bills:

- Tax Administration (Post-Hurricane Beryl Fiscal Support) Special Measures Bill, 2025
- Eastern Caribbean Asset Management Corporation (Amendment) Bill, 2025
- Payment System and Services Bill, 2025
- Eastern Caribbean Deposit Insurance Corporation Agreement Bill, 2025
- Agreement on Immunities, Exemption and Privileges between the Corporación Andina De Fomento and Grenada Bill, 2025

16. Public Business.

17. Adjournment.