

COMMITTEE ON WILD LIFE AND ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION (Rule 296 & 297)

The Members of the twelfth Legislative Assembly had expressed greater enthusiasm and evinced keen interest on the issues relating to Wild life and Environment Protection. During the third session of the twelfth Legislative Assembly, Members from different political parties had urged to constitute a Committee on Wild Life and Environment Protection on permanent basis. In view of the importance of the subject matter of the Wild Life and Environment Protection, the Members had also urged that the Committee to be constituted under the Chairmanship of the Honourable Speaker. In accordance with the unanimous opinion expressed by the Members, the Committee on Wild Life and Environment Protection was constituted on 9th January, 2006.

Constitution of the Committee : (Rule 296)

The Committee consists of 12 members of whom 9 members shall be nominated by the Speaker from amongst members of the Assembly,

3 members shall be nominated by the Chairman, Legislative Council from amongst the members of the Legislative Council.

Minister cannot be a member :

A Minister shall not be nominated as a member of the Committee and that if a member, after his nomination to the Committee, is appointed as a Minister, he shall cease to be a member of the Committee from the date of such appointment.

Functions of the Committee : (Rule 297)

The main functions of the Committee are:

- (a) to examine the measures taken by the State Government in protection of Wild Life and Environment; and
- (b) to review the progress from time to time and suggest steps to be taken if necessary.



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