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## FIFTEENTH NATIONAL YOUTH PARLIAMENT

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MONDAY OCTOBER 30, 2017 AT 10:00 A.M.

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**Question No. 1 to the Minister of Education**

**(By the Member for Fyzabad)**

Could the Minister state whether guidance counsellors and other student support services are consistently available within primary and secondary schools?

**Question No. 2 to the Minister of Energy and Energy Affairs**

**(By the Member for Tabaquite)**

Could the Minister indicate whether the Government intends to proceed with a project to establish a Solar Technology Park in Point Lisas?

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#### **Motions:**

**WHEREAS** there have been media reports both locally and internationally, about young citizens from the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago leaving this country to become involved in terrorist activity (or to join terrorist groups) and being radicalized;

**AND WHEREAS** such reports have the potential to cause irreparable damage to this Country's international reputation and by extension its economic prospects;

**AND WHEREAS** there is a need to understand why young citizens would feel inclined to become involved in such activity and to understand the root causes of such behaviour, be it poverty, limited employment opportunities, or feelings of alienation from society;

**BE IT RESOLVED** that the Government seek to establish a Counter Radicalism Youth Policy that will identify the root causes of any attraction

of radicalism and terrorism to young citizens and that will dissuade young citizens from becoming involved therein.

*(By the Leader of the Opposition)*

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## NOTICE OF URGENT QUESTIONS

The under-mentioned Questions which have been accepted by the Speaker in accordance with Standing Order 27 are hereby forwarded for the attention of the Ministers concerned.

### To the Minister of Agriculture, Land and Fisheries

(By the Member for San Juan)

1. In light of rising food prices facing consumers, could the Minister state what immediate steps the Government intends to take to reduce the country's relatively high food import bill?

### To the Minister of National Security

(By the Member for Fyzabad)

2. Having regard to the staff shortages which have affected the work of the Child Protection Unit, would the Minister please indicate what specific actions have been taken to address the shortage of personnel at the Child Protection Unit?

### To the Minister of Health

(By the Member for Tabaquite)

3. Can the Minister state what measures have been put in place to reduce the waiting time for persons in need of emergency transportation by ambulances attached to the Emergency Health Services and the Ministry of Health to our nation's health facilities?

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