16th Vidhan Sabha First Session

PUNJAB VIDHAN SABHA

BULLETIN NO. 2 Monday, the 21st March, 2022 (From 11:00 A.M to 12:09 P.M)

1. Oath or Affirmation by the Members:-

Two Hon'ble Members, who had not taken oath earlier, were sworn in one by one.

2. <u>Election of the Speaker:</u>

The Hon'ble Chief Minister moved that Sardar Kultar Singh Sandhwan, who is a Member of the Punjab Vidhan Sabha and is present in the House be elected as the Speaker of the Vidhan Sabha.

Sardar Harpal Singh Cheema, Minister seconded the motion.

As the name of no other Member was proposed for the office of the Speaker, Sardar Kultar Singh Sandhwan, M.L.A. was elected as the Speaker unanimously.

The Hon'ble Chief Minister, Sardar Bhagwant Mann and Sardar Harpal Singh Cheema, Minister went to the podium of the Speaker and greeted him as well as formally seated the Hon'ble Speaker Sardar Kultar Singh Sandhwan on the Chair.

3. Congratulatory Speeches:-

First of all, the Hon'ble Chief Minister felicitated Sardar Kultar Singh Sandhwan on his being elected as the Speaker unanimously. Thereafter, the following Hon'ble Members made Congratulatory Speeches-

- 1. Sardar Tript Rajinder Singh Bajwa, Indian National Congress
- 2. Sardar Manpreet Singh Ayali, Shiromani Akali Dal
- 3. Shri Ashwani Kumar Sharma, Bharatiya Janta Party
- 4. Dr. Nachhatar Pal, Bahujan Samaj Party
- 5. Sardar Sukhpal Singh Khaira, Indian National Congress
- 6. Sardar Partap Singh Bajwa, Indian National Congress
- 7. Shri Aman Arora, Aam Aadmi Party
- 8. Dr. Sukhwinder Kumar Sukhi, Shiromani Akali Dal
- 9. Shri Budh Ram, Aam Aadmi Party
- 10. Dr. Inderbir Singh Nijjar, Aam Aadmi Party
- 11. Dr. Raj Kumar Chabbewal, Indian National Congress



- 12. Sardar Manjit Singh Bilaspur, Aam Aadmi Party
- 13. Sardar Tarunpreet Singh Sondh, Aam Aadmi Party
- 14. Sardar Gurmeet Singh Meet Haher, Minister
- 15. Shrimati Inderjit Kaur Mann, Aam Aadmi Party
- 16. Sardar Pargat Singh, Indian National Congress
- 17. Sardar Kuldeep Singh Dhaliwal, Minister.

Thereafter, the Hon'ble Speaker thanked the Leader of the House, Sardar Bhagwant Mann, Chief Minister and all other respected Members of the House from the core of his heart for congratulating him on his unanimous election as the Speaker. He assured all the Members that he would do his best to meet the expectations of all under the established traditions and rules. He also thanked the senior leadership of the party. He emphasized on the smooth working of the House with the cooperation of the Members as per the established traditions and rules, participation in debates by the Opposition for strengthening and maintaining the dignity of high parliamentary conventions, study of rules by the newly elected Members, following of constructive approach by media to publish best debates prominently, school and college going students to learn beyond their syllabus by reading the debates of the Vidhan Sabha and watch the proceedings of the House.

Thereafter, the House, adjourned till 10.00 A.M. on Tuesday, the 22nd March, 2022.

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CHANDIGARH: THE 21st MARCH, 2022 SURINDER PAL, SECRETARY.