

31. (1) (b) The right to raise such questions shall be subject to the following Rules.

- i. Only questions of public importance which relate to any matter allowed under Rule 29 will be permitted.
- ii. Questions shall be brief and precise.
- iii. Questions shall not be debated.
- iv. Every question with a copy shall be submitted to the Secretary before 10.00 a.m. on the relevant day, provided the Chairman may, in his discretion disallow any questions submitted after 10.00 a.m. or questions which infringe these Rules.
- v. A Minister may answer forthwith any question addressed to him or with the leave of the Chairman; answer it on the next meeting day. In that regard the said question shall be included into the Agenda of the next Council meeting
- vi. Interim questions, not exceeding three on any answer, may be permitted at the absolute discretion of the Chairman.

*Questions at the time of adjournment to be submitted to the Secretary before 10.00 a.m.*

*Answering such questions*

*The right existing to ask 03 interim questions*