

Shri Jaspat Roy Kapoor : Sir, I seek leave of the House to withdraw it. I do not want it to have the fate of a defeated amendment.

Mr. President : If the House grants him leave to withdraw his amendment, it may be withdrawn.

The amendment was, by leave of the Assembly, withdrawn.

Mr. President : The question is:

“That article 98 stand part of the Constitution.”

The motion was adopted.

Article 98 was added to the Constitution.

New Article 98-A

Mr. President : We have notice of an amendment to insert a new article by Dr. Ambedkar.

The Honourable Dr. B. R. Ambedkar : I moved:

“That after article 98, the following new article be inserted:—

<p>98-A. Parliament may, for the purpose of the timely completion of the financial business, regulate by law the procedure of and the conduct of business in, each house of Parliament in relation to any financial matter or to any Bill for appropriation of moneys out of the Consolidated Fund of India, and if and in so far as the provision of any law so made is inconsistent with any rule made by a House of Parliament under the last preceding article or with any rule or standing order having effect in relation to Parliament under clause (2) of that article, such provision shall prevail.’ ”</p>	<p>Regulation by law of procedure in Parliament in relation to financial business.</p>
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Mr. President : As no Member desires to speak on this amendment, I shall put the motion to vote.

The question is:

“That after article 98, the following new article be inserted:

<p>98-A. Parliament may, for the purpose of the timely completion of the financial business, regulate by law the procedure of and the conduct of business in, each house of Parliament in relation to any financial matter or to any Bill for appropriation of moneys out of the Consolidated Fund of India, and if and in so far as the provision of any law so made is inconsistent with any rule made by a House of Parliament under the last preceding article or with any rule or standing order having effect in relation to Parliament under clause (2) of that article, such provision shall prevail.’ ”</p>	<p>Regulation by law of procedure in Parliament in relation to financial business.</p>
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The motion was adopted.

Article 98-A was added to the Constitution.

Article 173

Shri T. T. Krishnamachari: May I suggest that, in continuation of these financial provisions relating to the Union which the House has considered, we

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may take up the consideration of the appropriate provision relating to the States? If that is done continuity can be maintained.

Mr. President : I was myself going to make that suggestion. We may not take up the Financial Article in the States Part of the Constitution.

The House will now take up article 173 for discussion.

Amendments Nos. 2461 and 2462 are not moved. Dr. Ambedkar may move the next amendment, No. 2464.

The Honourable Dr. B. R. Ambedkar : Sir, I moved:

“That in clause (4) of article 173, after the words ‘deemed to have been passed’ the words ‘by both Houses in the form in which it was passed’ be inserted.”

Shri T. T. Krishnamachari: Sir, I formally move:

“That in clause (2) of article 173, for the word ‘thirty’ the word ‘twenty-one’ be substituted.”

Shri B. M. Gupte : I beg to moved:

“That with reference to amendment No. 2463 of the List of Amendments in article 173, for the words ‘thirty days’ wherever they occur, the words ‘fourteen days’ be substituted.”

This provision we have already adopted for the Central Legislature. In order to bring the States in line with that, this amendment may be accepted.

Mr. President : The question is:

“That with reference to amendment No. 2463 of the List of Amendments, in article 173, for the words ‘thirty days’ wherever they occur, the words ‘fourteen days’ be substituted.”

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. President : The question is:

“That in clause (4) of article 173, after the words ‘deemed to have been passed’ the words ‘by both Houses in the form in which it was passed’ be inserted.”

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. President : The question is:

“That article 173, as amended, stand part of the Constitution.”

The motion was adopted.

Article 173, as amended, was added to the Constitution.

Article 174

(Amendment No. 2465 was not moved.)

Mr. President : Dr. Ambedkar, there are two amendments in your name, Nos. 69 and 70 of List I. These are only to bring this article into line with the provision which we have already adopted.

The Honourable Dr. B.R. Ambedkar : Sir, I move:

“That for sub-clauses (c) and (d) of clause (1) of article 174, the following be substituted:

- ‘(c) the custody of the Consolidated Fund or the Contingency Fund of the State, the payment of moneys into or the withdrawal of moneys from any such fund;
- (d) the appropriation of moneys out of the Consolidated Fund of the State.’ ”