

78 (1) The House shall have Standing Committees as provided under this rule.

(2) There shall be the following Standing Committees of the House:-

- (a) Accounts;
- (b) Legal, Rules and Privileges;
- (c) Communication, Trade and Investment
- (d) House Business;
- (e) Agriculture, Tourism, and Natural Resources
- (f) Regional Affairs and Conflict Resolution; and
- (g) General Purpose

(3) The Members of the Standing Committees shall be nominated from among the Members of the Assembly and shall serve for a term of two and half years and thereafter fresh nominations shall be done.

(4) Subject to these Rules, the Chairman of each Standing Committee shall be elected by the Members of that Committee from among their number and shall serve for a term of two and half years except the House Business Committee.

(5) Each elected Member shall serve on two Committees other than the House Business Committee provided that a Member may serve on three Committees to reflect equal representation by Partner States.

(6) The Membership of each Committee other than the House Business Committee shall be fifteen and quorum shall be at least half of the Members.