

CHAPTER III

PROCEEDINGS OF THE CORPORATION, STANDING COMMITTEE, TRANSPORT COMMITTEE AND OTHER BODIES

Proceedings of the Corporation Standing Committee, etc.

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(1) The meetings of the Corporation, the Standing Committee, the sub-committees of the Standing Committee, the Transport Committee, the sub-committees of the Transport Committee, Special Committees and ad hoc Committees shall be held and the business before them shall be disposed of in the manner prescribed by rules.

(2) The Commissioner shall have the same right of being present at a meeting of the Corporation and of taking part in the discussions thereat as a councillor, and with the permission of the presiding authority, may at any time make a statement or explanation of facts, but he shall not be at liberty to vote upon, or to make, any proposition at such meeting.

(3) The Corporation may require any of its officers to attend any meeting or meetings of the Corporation at which any matter dealt with by such officers in the course of his duties is being discussed; when any officer is thus required to attend any such meeting, he may be called upon to make a statement or explanation of facts or supply such information in his possession relating to any matter dealt with by him as the Corporation may require.

(4) The Commissioner shall have the same right of being present at a meeting of the Standing Committee or of a sub-committee and of taking part in the discussions thereat as a member of the said committee, but he shall not be at liberty to vote upon, or make, any proposition at such meeting.

(5) The Commissioner and in his absence the Deputy or Assistant Commissioner authorised by the Commissioner in this behalf and the Transport Manager and in his absence any officer authorised by the Transport Manager in this behalf shall have the same right of being present at a meeting of the Transport Committee or of a subcommittee and of taking part in the discussion thereat as a member of the said committee, but shall not be at liberty to vote upon or make any proposition at such meeting.

44. Right to ask questions.

A councillor may, subject to the conditions prescribed by rules, ask questions on any matter relating to the administration of this Act or the municipal Government of the City.

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