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■ Winter Session Update: Parliament Passes Important Bills, Discusses Sports, Global Warming ■

The Lok Sabha and the Rajya Sabha have witnessed many important legislative businesses and discussions during the ongoing winter session of Parliament. Four bills were passed by the Parliament (as on 16th December). The bills approved by both the houses included the (i) Energy Conservation (Amendment) Bill 2022 (ii) New Delhi International Arbitration Centre (Amendment) Bill 2022 (iii) Wild Life Protection (Amendment) Bill 2022 (iv) The Constitution (Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes) Orders (Second Amendment) Bill 2022. Many more significant bills were listed for discussion and voting. Meanwhile, debates were held on important topics including the Supplementary Demand for Grants, the need to promote sports in India, serious effects of global warming and the need for remedial steps to tackle it.