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## Monsoon session likely from September 14 to October 1

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THE monsoon session of Parliament is likely to be held for two weeks between September 14 and October 1. As per the norm, there can't be more than six months' gap between two sessions of Parliament.

With the Budget session adjourned sine die on March 23, the two Houses need to meet before September 22. The Cabinet Committee on Political Affairs will deliberate on the matter soon.

Sources said a short monsoon session with only four-hour sittings each of the Lok Sabha and Rajya Sabha have been planned, with a total of

18 sittings of the two Houses.

The secretariats of the two Houses have made elaborate arrangements to ensure compliance with coronavirus norms. The MPs will be seated in a manner to ensure social distancing by utilising space in chambers and galleries. The number of media persons covering the proceedings will be restricted. Ex-MPs and attendants will not be allowed in Parliament. The government is planning to make use of weekends also.

The government will be keen to push through legislative business for ordinances promulgated during the lockdown.

### RS PANEL PICKS 2 OFFICERS TO RECEIVE PLAINTS

New Delhi: In a change of rules for Rajya Sabha, the Ethics Committee of the Upper House has authorised two officers of the RS Secretariat to receive complaints of alleged misconduct and violation of code of conduct against the members, officials said Tuesday. A bulletin was issued to RS members after the Committee decided rules formulated in 2004 that empowered it to do so. At a meeting of the committee last week, it was decided to authorise a director and additional director attached with the committee to receive complaints against members of the House. "By this, the committee has expanded the zone of receipt of complaints since at present, only complaints addressed to the Committee are valid for examination..." the RS secretariat said. The authorisation was done for the first time after 16 years, at the first meeting chaired by committee chairman Shiv Pratap Shukla.