

**SENATE OF PAKISTAN**  
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**(260<sup>th</sup> Session)**

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<b>Date and Day</b>	3 <sup>rd</sup> March, 2017 (Friday)
<b>Commenced at</b>	10:00 a.m.
<b>Adjourned at</b>	11:25 a.m.
<b>Presided by</b>	Mian Raza Rabbani Chairman Senate of Pakistan
<b>Attendance</b>	43
<b>Total working hours</b>	1 hour and 25 minutes

**PANEL OF PRESIDING OFFICERS**

<b>Order of precedence</b>	<b>Name of the Members</b>
<b>1.</b>	Senator Syed Muzafar Hussain Shah
<b>2.</b>	Senator Ahmed Hassan
<b>3.</b>	Senator Sitara Ayaz

**QUESTION HOUR**

Question Nos. 1 to 8, 11, 16, 17, 19, 20, 21, 22, 24, 26, 27, 28, 31, 35, 36, 37 and 38 were replied in the House. Question Nos. 7, 10, 18 and 29 were deferred. Replies to question Nos. 9, 12, 13, 14, 15, 25, 32, 33, 34, 39 and 40 were treated as laid on the Tables of the House due to absence of the concerned Members.

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**OFFERING OF FATEHA**

- The House offered Fateha for the departed soul of husband of Senator Nasreen Jalil.

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<sup>1</sup> The Chairman Senate asked the Leader of the House to ensure presence of the concerned Ministers in the House during the disposal of their parliamentary business.

<sup>2</sup> Chairman took serious notice of the fact the constitutional provision of quota has been expired but the Government is not taking any step forward despite repeated reminders by the Senate of Pakistan in this regard.

## LEAVE APPLICATIONS

- The leave applications were read by the Chairman.

## CONSIDERATION OF ADMISSIBILITY OF ADJOURNMENT MOTIONS

1. Senator Mian Muhammad Ateeq Shaikh moved Adjournment Motion No. 1-260/2017-M to discuss the causes and consequences of corruption scandals in Pakistan's Cricket especially with respect to the Pakistan Super League.

The Mover advanced his arguments on the admissibility of the Motion.

**After hearing the Mover, the Chairman held the Motion out of order.**

2. Senator Muhammad Usman Khan Kakar on his behalf and on behalf of Senators Nisar Muhammad, Baz Muhammad Khan, Shahi Syed, Ilyas Ahmad Bilour, Muhammad Daud Khan Achakzai, Advocate and Sardar Muhammad Azam Khan Musakhel moved Adjournment Motions No. 2, 4 and 5-260/2017-M, to discuss the actions taken by the Government of Punjab and Punjab Police against the Pakhtun Community on the pretext of crackdown against terrorists.

The Mover advanced his arguments on the admissibility of the Motion.

Leader of the Opposition also spoke on the issue.

The Chairman ruled that it is a provincial issue so adjournment motion cannot be allowed on it. The Members may raise the issue on Monday during zero hour. The Chairman directed the Leader of the House to ask the Minister for Interior to come prepared on Monday after getting all relevant information from the Punjab Government. Calling Attention Notices on the same issue were also clubbed with the instant issue.

3. Adjournment Motion No. 3-260/2017-M in the name of Senator Col. (R) Syed Tahir Hussain Mashhadi to discuss the threat to the general public in the wake of recent wave of terrorism and response of the State in this regard was dropped due to absence of the concerned Member.

### **CALLING ATTENTION NOTICES**

1. Senator Saleem Mandviwalla on his own behalf and on behalf of Senators Shahi Syed, Mir Muhammad Yousaf Badini and Muhammad Yousaf drew attention of the Minister for Interior and Narcotics Control towards the blocking of CNIC's of Pakistani nationals belonging to FATA, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa and Balochistan which is creating a sense of discrimination amongst the people of those areas.  
The Member made statement on the subject matter of the Calling Attention Notice.

**Due to absence of the Minister for Interior in the House, the Chairman deferred the Calling Attention Notice and directed to set it down in the Orders of the Day on Monday.**

2. Senator Sehar Kamran drew attention of the Minister for Capital Administration and Development Division towards the mentioning of Azad Jammu and Kashmir territory as 'Pakistani occupied area of Jammu and Kashmir' in the course books being taught in private schools in Islamabad which is highly objectionable and against the national interest.

**The Minister was not present so the Calling Attention Notice was not taken up.**

### **REPORTS OF THE COMMITTEES - PRESENTATION OF:**

Following reports of the Committees were presented before the House:-

1. Senator Najma Hameed on behalf of Senator Muhammad Talha Mahmood, Chairman, Standing Committee on Cabinet Secretariat, present report of the Committee on the subject matter of starred questions Nos. 45, 46 and 47, asked by Senator Mir Kabeer Ahmed Muhammad Shahi, on 7<sup>th</sup> September, 2016, regarding the PAS and PSP officers in BPS-20 and 21 belonging to the Province of Balochistan and the policy for their posting in the country and abroad.
  2. Senator Sitara Ayaz on behalf of Senator Nisar Muhammad, Convener, Special Committee on Marginalized Segments of Society presented 3<sup>rd</sup> Interim report of the Special Committee on marginalized segments of society.
- The Chairman took serious notice of the absence of concerned Ministers and with the observation that the Government is not serious in running the House, adjourned the House to meet again on Monday the 6<sup>th</sup> March, 2017 at 03:00 p.m.

**Islamabad, the**

**3<sup>rd</sup> March, 2017**