# SENATE SECRETARIAT ORDERS OF THE DAY

for the meeting of the Senate to be held at 10:00 a.m. on Thursday, the  $20^{th}$  April, 2017.

1. Recitation from the Holy Quran.

### **OUESTIONS**

**2.** Questions entered in a separate list to be asked and answers given.

## CONSIDERATION OF ADMISSIBILITY OF ADJOURNMENT MOTIONS

- **3.** Admissibility of the following Adjournment Motions will be determined:-
  - (i) Adj. Motion No. 1 (12-261/2017-M), notice given of by Senator Mian Muhammad Ateeq Sheikh to discuss the disappearance of Col. (R) Habib, resident of Rawalpindi in the hands of the Indian forces on his visit to Nepal.
  - (ii) Adj. Motion No. 2 (18-261/2017-M), notice given of by Senator Sherry Rehman to discuss the incident of arrest of a man from Sargodha who was reportedly involved in child pornography for unlawful gain putting the lives of innocent children at stake.

### **REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE - PRESENTATION OF:**

**4. SENATOR MUHAMMAD JAVED ABBASI,** Chairman, Standing Committee on Law and Justice, to present report of the Committee on the Bill further to amend the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan, 1973 [The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2017] (Amendment of Fourth Schedule) introduced by Senator Mian Muhammad Ateeq Shaikh, on 13<sup>th</sup> February, 2017.

### **CALLING ATTENTION NOTICE**

**5. SENATOR COL. (R) SYED TAHIR HUSSAIN MASHHADI** to draw attention of the Advisor to the Prime Minster on Foreign Affairs towards the recent brutality by the Indian forces in Indian occupied Kashmir and the steps taken by the Government of Pakistan to safeguard the rights of Kashmiris.

### MOTIONS [Under Rule 194(1)]

**6. SENATOR MUHAMMAD TALHA MAHMOOD,** Chairman, Standing Committee on Cabinet Secretariat, to move under sub-rule (1) of rule 194 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Senate, 2012, that the time for presentation of report of the Committee on the subject matter of starred question No. 203, asked by Senator Mohammad Azam Khan Swati on 17<sup>th</sup> March, 2017, may be extended for a period of thirty working days with effect from 20<sup>th</sup> April, 2017.

- 7. **SENATOR MUHAMMAD TALHA MAHMOOD,** Chairman, Standing Committee on Cabinet Secretariat, to move under sub-rule (1) of rule 194 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Senate, 2012, that the time for presentation of report of the Standing Committee on a point of public importance raised by Senator Taj Haider on 16<sup>th</sup> February, 2017, regarding an advertisement pertaining to the outsourcing of the Airports of the country, may be extended for a further period of twenty working days with effect from 26<sup>th</sup> April, 2017.
- **8. SENATOR MUHAMMAD TALHA MAHMOOD,** Chairman, Standing Committee on Cabinet Secretariat, to move under sub-rule (1) of rule 194 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Senate, 2012, that the time for presentation of report of the Standing Committee on the subject matter of starred question No. 55, asked by Senator Nauman Wazir Khattak, on 10<sup>th</sup> January, 2017, may be extended for a further period of twenty working days with effect from 22<sup>nd</sup> April, 2017.
- 9. SENATOR MAULANA HAFIZ HAMDULLAH, Chairman, Standing Committee on Religious Affairs and Inter-Faith Harmony and SENATOR MUHAMMAD JAVED ABBASI, Chairman, Standing Committee on Law and Justice, to move under sub-rule (1) of rule 194 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Senate, 2012, that the time for presentation of report of the Committees on the Premarital Blood Screening (Family Laws Amendment) Bill, 2016, referred by the House for joint consideration, may be extended for a further period of thirty working days with effect from 24<sup>th</sup> April, 2017, in order to enable the Committee to extensively deliberate on the Bill.

### MOTION [Under Rule 196(1)]

**10. SENATOR SALEEM MANDVIWALA,** Chairman, Standing Committee on Finance, Revenue, Economic Affairs, Statistics and Privatization, to move under sub-rule (1) of rule 196 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Senate, 2012, that the report of the Committee on the subject matter of starred question No. 79, asked by Senator Mian Muhammad Ateeq Shaikh on  $22^{nd}$  December, 2016, regarding the import of auto parts in the shape of scrap from Japan and re-assembling of the same into cars, presented in the House on  $18^{th}$  April, 2017, be considered and adopted.

### **CALLING ATTENTION NOTICE**

**11. SENATOR MOHSIN AZIZ** to draw attention of the Minister for Water and Power towards the high electricity tariff for new power projects that will have a negative impact on the viability of industrial sector as well as on the exports of the country as the tariff is much higher as compared to the regional competitors.

#### MINISTERIAL RESPONSE ON THE POINT OF PUBLIC IMPORTANCE

**12.** Statement by the Minister for National Health Services, Regulations and Coordination on the following point of public importance:-

regarding the mismanagement in the affairs of PMDC relating to its elections. (raised by Senators Kalsoom Perveen and Dr. Jehanzeb Jamaldini on 11<sup>th</sup> April, 2017)

### **DISCUSSION ON THE ADMITTED ADJOURNMENT MOTION**

**13.** Discussion on the admitted adjournment motion moved by Senator Nawabzada Saifullah Magsi on 18<sup>th</sup> April, 2017, regarding the implications of the decision of an Arbitration Tribunal of the World Bank's International Center for Settlement of Investment Disputes (ICSID) on the arbitration claims filed by Tethyan Copper Company against the Islamic Republic of Pakistan in relation to the denial of a mining lease for the Reko Diq project.

**AMJED PERVEZ Secretary** 

Islamabad, the 19<sup>th</sup> April, 2017.