SENATE SECRETARIAT ORDERS OF THE DAY

for the meeting of the Senate to be held at 10:00 a.m. on Friday, the 26^{th} January, 2018.

1. Recitation from the Holy Quran.

QUESTIONS

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(18-272/2018-M), notice given of by Senator Dr. Ashok Kumar to discuss the incident of killing of two real brothers namely Dileep Maheshwari and Chandur Maheshwari in broad day light at Mitthi, Sindh.
 - (ii) Adj. Motion No. 2(19-272/2018-M), notice given of by Senator Sherry Rehman to discuss the trade deficit of the country which has soared to 18 billion dollars during the first half of the current Fiscal Year.
 - (iii) Adj. Motion No. 3(21-272/2018-M), notice given of by Senators Muhammad Usman Khan Kakar, Sardar Muhammad Azam Khan Musakhel and Gul Bashra to discuss the passage of Bill by the National Assembly regarding the extension of jurisdiction of Supreme Court of Pakistan and Peshawar High Court to FATA.

REPORTS OF THE COMMITTEES - PRESENTATION OF:

- **4. SENATOR MUHAMMAD TALHA MAHMOOD,** Chairman, Standing Committee on Cabinet Secretariat, to present report of the Committee on the point of public importance raised by Senator Samina Saeed on 24th November, 2017, regarding ATR Plane crashed during the flight from Chitral to Islamabad.
- **5. SENATOR MIR KABEER AHMED MUHAMMAD SHAHI,** Chairman, Functional Committee on Devolution, to present report of the Committee on a Public Petition referred by the Office of Chairman Senate on 17th November, 2017, regarding "implementation of 18th Constitutional Amendment in the Higher Education Sector confining role of Federal HEC in formulation of standards and enhancing legitimate role of Provincial Governments especially in funding and implementation of Higher Education Policy".

<u>MOTIONS</u>

[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 Bill to establish the Real Estate Regulatory Authority for regulation and promotion of the real estate sector and for matters connected therewith [The Real Estate (Regulation and Development) Bill, 2017], introduced by Senator Mohsin Aziz, on 21st August, 2017, may be extended for a further period of twenty working days with effect from 6th February, 2018.
- 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 Committee on the Bill to provide for the prevention and management of conflicts of interest and to establish clear conflict of interest principles for Public servants in the Federal Government and for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto [The Prevention and Management of Conflict of Interest Bill, 2017], introduced by Senators Barrister Murtaza Wahab and Mukhtiar Ahmed Dhamrah @ Aajiz, on 23rd October, 2017, may be extended for a further period of twenty working days with effect from 2nd February, 2018.
- 8. **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 Committee on the matter referred by the House on 24th January, 2018 regarding whether an amendment would be required in the Pakistan Penal Code for provision of penalty of death by hanging publicly in view of rule 354 of the Prisons Rules, 1978, may be extended for a period of thirty working days with effect from 26th January, 2018.
- **9. SENATOR SYED MUZAFAR HUSSAIN SHAH,** Convener, Special Committee to examine the Annual Report of FPSC for the year 2015, 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 to examine the Annual Report of FPSC for the Year 2015, may be extended for a period of thirty working days with effect from 9th February, 2018.

10. SENATOR SALEEM MANDVIWALA, Chairman, Standing Committee on Finance, Revenue, Economic Affairs and Narcotics Control, 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 Calling Attention Notice moved by Senator Hidayat Ullah regarding pending approval of 7500 sanctioned new posts (SNEs) for FATA which have already been approved by the FATA Secretariat and the Ministry of SAFRON, referred to the Committee on 21st September, 2017, may be extended for a further period of thirty working days with effect from 10th February, 2018.

CALLING ATTENTION NOTICE

11. SENATOR MAULANA HAFIZ HAMDULLAH to draw attention of the Minister for Foreign Affairs towards the Universal Periodic Review held in Geneva wherein the representatives of United Kingdom and United States of America stated that the minorities are not independent in Pakistan and the blasphemy laws in Pakistan should be repealed as the punishments under these laws are in violation of human rights.

REPORT TO BE LAID BEFORE THE SENATE

12. RANA MUHAMMAD AFZAL KHAN, Minister of State for Finance and Economic Affairs, to lay before the Senate the First Quarterly Report for the year 2017-2018 of the Central Board of Directors of the State Bank of Pakistan on the state of Pakistan's Economy, as required under section 9A(2) of the State Bank of Pakistan Act, 1956.

LEGISLATIVE BUSINESS

- **13. RANA TANVEER HUSSAIN,** Minister for Science and Technology, to move that the Bill to set up National University of Technology at Islamabad [The National University of Technology Bill, 2017], as reported by the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration, at once.
- **14. RANA TANVEER HUSSAIN,** Minister for Science and Technology, to move that the Bill to set up National University of Technology at Islamabad [The National University of Technology Bill, 2017] be passed.

CALLING ATTENTION NOTICE

15. SENATORS BARRISTER MURTAZA WAHAB, NAUMAN WAZIR KHATTAK, KAMIL ALI AGHA, SALEEM MANDVIWALA AND ILYAS AHMED BILOUR to draw attention of the Minister for Finance and Economic Affairs towards the issuance of SRO No. 47(I)/2018, dated 23rd January, 2018, whereby one particular company has been exempted from payment of Sales Tax and Federal Excise Duty.

AMENDMENTS TO THE SENATE RULES

[Under Rule 278]

- 16. SENATOR RAJA MUHAMMAD ZAFAR-UL-HAQ, LEADER OF THE HOUSE AND SENATOR AITZAZ AHSAN, LEADER OF THE OPPOSITION, to seek leave under sub-rule (4) of rule 278 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Senate, 2012, to move that,-
 - (i) in the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Senate, 2012, in rule 79, in sub-rule (1), after the word "When" the words, "a case is registered or" shall be inserted; and
 - (ii) in the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Senate, 2012, in rule 81, after the words "referred to in", the words, brackets and figure "sub-rule (1) of" shall be inserted.

(If leave is granted)

- 17. SENATOR RAJA MUHAMMAD ZAFAR-UL-HAQ, LEADER OF THE HOUSE AND SENATOR AITZAZ AHSAN, LEADER OF THE OPPOSITION, to move that the proposed amendments in rules 79 and 81 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Senate, 2012, be taken into consideration.
- **18. SENATOR RAJA MUHAMMAD ZAFAR-UL-HAQ, LEADER OF THE HOUSE AND SENATOR AITZAZ AHSAN, LEADER OF THE OPPOSITION**, to move that the proposed amendments in rules 79 and 81 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Senate, 2012, be adopted.

AMENDMENT TO THE STANDING ORDERS

[Under Standing Order No.4.3]

19. Placement and adoption regarding insertion of the following new Chapter X and Standing Order No. 1.65, after the existing Chapter IX and Standing Order No. 1.64:-

"CHAPTER X: MISCELLANEOUS

1.65. There shall be a Flag, Emblem and Seal of the Senate which can be amended, altered or varied by the House on the recommendations of the Business Advisory Committee."

PERIODICAL REPORTS BY THE MINISTERS ON THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE COMMITTEES (Under Rule 265A)

20. Minister for Inter-Provincial Coordination to report under rule 265A of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Senate, 2012, on the status of implementation of the recommendations contained in the report of the Special Committee on twenty four demands made by the Government of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa (Demand No. 4). (Adopted by the House on 16-03-2017)

- **21. Minister for Science and Technology** to report under rule 265A of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Senate, 2012, on the status of implementation of the recommendations contained in the report of the Standing Committee on Law and Justice regarding proposed amendments in the Pakistan Standards and Quality Control Authority Act, 1996, to make it comprehensive and robust for providing improved mechanism for quality control in the country. (Adopted by the House on 07-09-2016)
- **22. Minister for Federal Education and Professional Training** to report under rule 265A of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Senate, 2012, on the status of implementation of the recommendations contained in the report of the Special Committee on the issue of lapse of various foreign scholarships offered by various countries for the students of Pakistan. (Adopted by the House on 10-11-2015)
- **23. Minister for Finance and Economic Affairs** to make reports on the implementation of the recommendations contained in the following reports of the Committees:
 - i. Report of Standing Committee on Finance, Revenue, Economic Affairs, Statistics and Privatization regarding the import of auto parts in the shape of scrap from Japan and re-assembling the same into cars. (Adopted by the House on 20-04-2017); and
 - ii. Report of the Special Committee on twenty four demands made by the Government of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa (Demand Nos. 4, 15 and 23). (Adopted by the House on 16-03-2017)
- **24. Minister for Planning, Development and Reforms** to make reports on the implementation of the recommendations contained in the following reports of the Committees:-
 - 1st Report of the Special committee on the Project of China-Pak Economic Corridor (CPEC). (Adopted by the House on 07-10-2015);
 - ii. 2nd Interim Report of the Special Committee on the Project of China-Pak Economic Corridor (CPEC). (Adopted by the House on 15-06-2016);
 - iii. 3rd Interim Report of the Special Committee on the Project of China-Pak Economic Corridor (CPEC). (Adopted by the House on 15-12-2016);
 - iv. Report of the Standing Committee on Planning, Development and Reforms on "Sea intrusion causing land erosion in coastal areas of Sindh and Balochistan". (Adopted by the House on 16-06-2016); and
 - v. Report of the Special Committee on twenty four demands made by the Government of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa (Demand Nos. 13 and 14). (Adopted by the House on 16-03-2017);

MINISTERIAL RESPONSE

- **25.** Statements by the Ministers concerned on the following points of public importance raised by the members and referred by the Chairman to the concerned Ministries:
 - i) regarding the increase in tendency of missing persons in the country with particular reference to missing of Mr. Raza Mehmood Khan from Lahore, on 2nd December, 2017. (raised by Senator Muhammad Usman Khan Kakar on 13th December, 2017).
 - ii) regarding the media reports that 200 Pakistanis have been detained in Bagram prison Afghanistan and most of them have undergone their sentences but still detained in the jail. (raised by Senator Muhammad Ali Khan Saif on 13th December, 2017).
 - regarding the closing down of PIA flights from Quetta to Dubai and Quetta to Turbat and Gwadar. (raised by Senator Mir Kabeer Ahmed Muhammad Shahi on 22nd January, 2018).
 - iv) regarding the non-supply of gas to Plejani area of Sindh. (raised by Senator Hari Ram on 22nd January, 2018).
 - v) regarding the non-supply of natural gas to the domestic consumers of Islamabad. (raised by Senator Col. (R) Syed Tahir Hussain Mashhadi on 23rd January, 2018).
 - vi) regarding the direction given by the Chairman to the Government to immediately constitute the National Commission on the Rights of Child under intimation to the House. (direction given on 22nd January, 2018).

DISCUSSION ON THE ADMITTED ADJOURNMENT MOTION

26. Discussion on the admitted adjournment motion moved by Senators Col. (R) Syed Tahir Hussain Mashhadi, Liaqat Khan Tarakai, Mohammad Azam Khan Swati and Sirajul Haq on 24th January, 2018, regarding the recent increase in the prices of petroleum products by the Government.

AMJED PERVEZ
Secretary

Islamabad, the 25th January, 2018.