

SENATE OF PAKISTAN



SIXTEENTH PARLIAMENTARY YEAR 2018-2019

REPORT NO.01 OF 2018

REPORT OF THE SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE
ON COMMUNICATIONS

ON

“THE SUBJECT MATTER OF A POINT OF PUBLIC IMPORTANCE REGARDING ROAD ACCIDENTS ON QUETTA-KARACHI AND QUETTA-TAFTAN ROADS DUE TO LACK OF ILLUMINATORS AND BACK LIGHTS OF VEHICLES, RAISED BY SENATOR DR. JEHANZEB JAMALDINI ON 11TH APRIL, 2018.”

Presented by
(SENATOR HIDAYAT ULLAH)
(CHAIRMAN COMMITTEE)

SENATE SECRETARIAT

REPORT OF THE SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON COMMUNICATIONS ON THE SUBJECT MATTER OF A POINT OF PUBLIC IMPORTANCE REGARDING ROAD ACCIDENTS ON QUETTA-KARACHI QUETTA-TAFTAN ROADS, RAISED BY SENATOR JEHANZEB JAMALDINI IN THE HOUSE ON 11-04-2018

I, Senator Hidayat Ullah, Chairman of the Standing Committee on Communications have the honour to present, on behalf of the Committee, this Report on the subject matter of a point of public importance regarding road accidents on Quetta-Karachi and Quetta-Taftan roads due to lack of illuminators and backlights of vehicles, raised by Senator Dr. Jehanzeb Jamaldini in the House on 11th April, 2018 and referred to the Standing Committee on Communications for consideration and report.

2. Following is the composition of the Committee:-

1.	Senator Hidayat Ullah	Chairman
2.	Senator Dr. Jehanzeb Jamaldini	Member
3.	Senator Ahmed Khan	Member
4.	Senator Mir Muhammad Yousaf Badini	Member
5.	Senator Syed Muhammad Sabir Shah	Member
6.	Senator Molana Abdul Ghafoor Haideri	Member
7.	Senator Dr. Ashok Kumar	Member
8.	Senator Agha Shahzaib Khan Durrani	Member
9.	Senator Muhammad Usman Khan Kakar	Member
10.	Senator Bahramand Khan Tangi	Member
11.	Senator Islamuddin Shaikh	Member
12.	Senator Liaqat Khan Tarakai	Member
13.	Senator Fida Muhammad	Member

3. The subject matter of the point of public importance was considered by the Standing Committee in its meeting held on 7th August, 2018. Senator Dr. Jehanzeb Jamaldini, Member / mover of point of public importance stated that fatal accidents have occurred on Quetta-Karachi and Quetta-Taftan roads due to lack of illuminators and backlights of vehicles especially trucks and trollies causing loss of precious lives.

4. The Inspector General, National Highways & Motorways Police (NH&MP) informed the Committee that Motorways police is facing shortage of vehicles and staff and it needs around twenty vehicles for patrolling these roads. However he assured the Committee that suitable corrective measures will be taken to check all vehicles especially the commercial vehicles and it will be ensured that no vehicle is running on the roads without back lights.

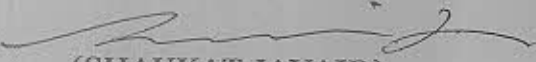
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5. Following members attended the meeting of the Committee held on 7th August, 2018:-

(i) Senator Dr. Jehanzeb Jamaldini	Member/Mover
(ii) Senator Ahmed Khan	Member
(iii) Senator Syed Muhammad Sabir Shah	Member
(iv) Senator Molana Abdul Ghafoor Haideri	Member
(v) Senator Agha Shahzaib Khan Durrani	Member
(vi) Senator Saleem Zia	Member
(vii) Senator Bahramand Khan Tangi	Member
(viii) Senator Liaqat Khan Tarakai	Member
(ix) Senator Fida Muhammad	Member
(x) Senator Samina Abid	Mover
(xi) Senator Mian Muhammad Ateeq Shaikh	Mover
(xii) Senator Nauman Wazir Khattak	By Special Invitation

6. On this assurance, the Committee disposed of the matter and decided to present report of the Committee in the House.


(SHAUKAT JAVAID)
Joint Secretary/Secretary Committee


(SENATOR HIDAYAT ULLAH)
Chairman Standing Committee on
Communications