

**SENATE OF PAKISTAN
HOUSE OF THE FEDERATION**



Report No.3

REPORT OF THE SENATE IMPLEMENTATION COMMITTEE

ON

**POINT OF PUBLIC IMPORTANCE RAISED BY SENATOR AURANGZEB
KHAN REGARDING “PROBLEMS FACED BY PENSIONERS OF LEVIES
PERSONNEL, WHO PERFORMED DUTIES IN KURRAM & ORAKZAI
DISTRICTS IN ERSTWHILE FATA”**

PRESENTED BY

SENATOR DILAWAR KHAN
Convener Senate Implementation Committee

SENATE SECRETARIAT

Subject: REPORT OF THE SENATE IMPLEMENTATION COMMITTEE ON THE POINT OF PUBLIC IMPORTANCE RAISED BY SENATOR AURANGZEB KHAN REGARDING "PROBLEMS FACED BY PENSIONERS OF LEVIES PERSONNEL, WHO PERFORMED DUTIES IN KURRAM & ORAKZAI DISTRICTS IN ERSTWHILE FATA.

I, Senator Dilawar Khan, Convener Senate Implementation Committee have the honour to present the report of the Committee on the Point of Public Importance raised by Senator Aurangzeb Khan regarding "Problems faced by Pensioners of Levies Personnel, who performed duties in Kurram & Orakzai districts in erstwhile FATA, referred by the House on 26.04.2019.

2. The composition of the Senate Implementation Committee is as follows:-

1.	Senator Dilawar Khan	Convener
2.	Senator Aurangzeb Khan	Member
3.	Senator Chaudhary Tanvir Khan	Member
4.	Senator Molvi Faiz Muhammad	Member
5.	Senator Muahammad Ayub	Member
6.	Senator Naseebullah Bazai	Member
7.	Senator Nighat Mirza	Member
8.	Senator Rana Mahmood ul Hassan	Member
9.	Senator Saleem Zia	Member
10.	Senator Sardar Muhammad Shafiq Tareen	Member

3. The Senate Implementation Committee considered the matter in its meetings held on 24.06.2019, 08.10.2019 & 29.10.2019 respectively and all concerned officials including Ministry of States & Frontier Regions and Government of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa were invited in the meeting. The following members of the Committee attended the meetings and taken part in the discussion:-

1.	Senator Dilawar Khan	Convener
2.	Senator Aurangzeb Khan	Member/Mover
3.	Senator Khanzada Khan	Member
4.	Senator Walid iqbal	Member
5.	Senator Nighat Mirza	Member
6.	Senator Molvi Faiz Muhammad	Member
7.	Senator Muhammad Ali Shah Jamot	Member
8.	Senator Muhammad Ayub	Member
9.	Senator Muhammad Asad Ali Khan Junejo	Member
10.	Senator Naseebullah Bazai	Member
11.	Senator Aurangzeb Khan	Member
12.	Senator Haji Momin Khan Afridi	Member

Meeting held on 08.10.2019

4. The Hon'ble Senator Dilawar Khan, Convener of the Senate Implementation Committee requested the Mover Senator Aurangzeb Khan to apprise the participants on the referred matter in relation to "Problems faced by Pensioners of Levies Personnel, who performed duties in Kurram & Orakzai districts in erstwhile FATA.

5. Senator Aurangzeb Khan, Mover while clarifying the subject said that this actually pertains to the pensioners of Levies Personnel's who performed duties in Kurram and Orakzai Districts in erstwhile FATA not belonging to Balochistan. The SAFRON officials while taking part in the briefing informed the participants that consequent to the 25th Constitutional Amendment, the erstwhile FATA has been merged into Khyber Pakhtunkhwa therefore the said matter has now become provincial matter. It was further informed that a Committee was constituted comprising of representatives of M/o SAFRON, Secretary Law & Order, Dept. FATA Secretariat and Deputy Commissioners / Commandants of Orakzai and Kurram Levy Forces to assess the financial implications. The matter now falls under the purview of the Government of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa. Presently, the administrative and controlling authority in respect of ex-Federal Levy and Khassadar forces is Home & T.As Department, Government of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa.

6. Considering the above facts as described in the briefing, the Committee was of the view that as the matter relates to the fundamental rights, therefore it needs to be addressed in letter & spirit. The Committee therefore decided to call upon the concerned provincial representatives in next meeting for further discussion.

Meeting held on 29.10.2019

7. During the meeting, the officers of the Provincial Government of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa informed the Committee that the matter is sub-judice as the employees have filed a writ petition in the Peshawar High Court.

8. The Convener of the Committee was of the view that since the matter is now in the court of law therefore, the Committee should avoid take any decision or making recommendations. He in this regard sought the views of the Committee members as well as Mover who were also agreed with the viewpoint of the Convener. A briefing on the issue was however taken from the officers of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Government.

9. After the detailed discussion and briefing by the concerned officers on the matter, the hon'ble Convener of the Committee after taking consent of the Mover Senator Aurangzeb Khan, disposed-off the matter with the following recommendations:-

Recommendations:-

The Committee advised the officers of the Provincial Government of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa to submit the decision of the Court as and when announced to the Secretary of Implementation Committee.



(HAFEEZULLAH SHEIKH)
AS/Secretary Committee



(SENATOR DILAWAR KHAN)
Convener Senate Implementation
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29.10.2019