

SENATE OF PAKISTAN
DAILY JOURNAL
(305TH SESSION)

Date and Day	5th January, 2021 (Tuesday)
Commenced at	03:00 p.m.
Adjourned at	05:50 p.m.
Presided by	Chairman Senate
Attendance	57
Total Working Hours	02 hours and 50 minutes

Recitation from the Holy Quran.

PANEL OF PRESIDING OFFICERS FOR 305th SESSION

1. Senator Muhammad Ali Khan Saif
2. Senator Dilawar Khan
3. Senator Rubina Khalid

LEAVE APPLICATIONS

Leave applications were read by the Chairman Senate.

DEBATES ON THE OCCASION OF KASHMIRIS' RIGHT TO SELF DETERMINATION DAY

Senator Sherry Rehman suggested that in the wake of 5th January, the House as per its tradition may discuss the issue of Kashmiris' Right to self-determination in order to show solidarity with the Kashmiri people.

Following Members spoke:-

1. Senator Sherry Rehman.
2. Senator Rana Maqbool Ahmed.
3. Senator Ghafoor Haideri.
4. Senator Sirajul Haq.
5. Senator Raja Muhammad Zafar-ul-Haq, Leader of the Opposition.
6. Senator Aisha Raza Farooq.
7. Senator Musadik Masood Malik.
8. Senator Mian Muhammad Ateeq Sheikh.

9. Makhdoom Shah Mehmood Hussain Qureshi, Minister for Foreign Affairs.

10. Mr. Ali Muhammad Khan, Minister of State for Parliamentary Affairs.

RESOLUTION

Senator Raja Muhammad Zafar-ul-Haq, Leader of the Opposition, with the permission of the Chair, moved a resolution condemning the illegal prolonged detention of Asia Andrabi, a Kashmiri Leader.

The Resolution was put to the House and adopted unanimously.

Chairman ruled that the copy of the Resolution may be sent to the Foreign Office for its onward forwarding to the concerned quarters.

COMMENCED M O T I O N S

[Under Rule 218]

The House started discussion on the following Motion moved by Senator Raja Muhammad Zafar-Ul-Haq, Leader of the Opposition on his behalf and on behalf of 33 other senators

“This House may discuss the Government’s unprecedented crackdown on opposition workers.”

Following Members spoke on the motion:-

1. Senator Aisha Raza Farooq.
2. Senator Musadik Masood Malik.
3. Senator Mian Muhammad Ateeq Sheikh.
4. Senator Sherry Rehman.

Further discussion on the motion was commenced.

At 5:50 p.m. the Chairman adjourned the proceedings of the House to meet again on Friday, the 8th January, 2021 at 10:30 a.m.

Islamabad,
the 5th January, 2021