

(315th Session)

SENATE SECRETARIAT

“QUESTIONS FOR ORAL ANSWER AND THEIR REPLIES”

to be asked at a sitting of the Senate to be held on

Wednesday, the 10th November, 2021

DEFERRED QUESTIONS

*[Questions Nos. 38, 41, 43 and 52 were deferred on 29th September, 2021
(314th Session)]*

(Def.) *Question No. 38 **Senator Haji Hidayatullah Khan:**
(Notice Received on 8/07/2021 at 10:55 AM) QID: 38044

Will the Minister for Information and Broadcasting be pleased to state whether it is fact that under the Rule of Business, each Division has to prepare Annual Book of performance, achievements of the Ministry and its attached departments, if so, the details of year books published during the last three years and if not, reasons thereof and action taken against the responsible functionaries?

Mr. Fawad Ahmed: Annual Book of performance, achievement of Ministry of Information and Broadcasting and its attach departments for the Years 2018-2019 and 2019-2020 has been uploaded on the Ministry's website. However, the compilation of Year book of the year (2020-2021) is underway and data is being collected from the departments of the Ministry to upload the same at the earliest.

(Def.) *Question No. 41 **Senator Irfan-Ul-Haque Siddique:**
(Notice Received on 8/07/2021 at 2:00 PM) QID: 38054

Will the Minister for Information and Broadcasting be pleased to state:

- (a) *the amount collected by Pakistan Television during the last financial year (2020-2021) against the TV fee charged through the electricity bill @ Rs. 35/-;*
- (b) *the profit earned by PTV through internal and external resources;*
- (c) *the overall profit earned by PTV during the last financial year, if not, the losses suffered thereof; and*
- (d) *the total amount of loans and liabilities against PTV as of 30th June, 2021?*

Mr. Fawad Ahmed: (a) Pakistan Television has collected Rs. 8,109.399 million during the last financial year (2020-21 Provisional) against. TV fee charged through electricity bills. The details of which is as under;

(Rs. In million)		
TV Fee billed	Amount Collected	Receivable
9,081.300	8,109.399	971.901

(b) PTV has earned an income of Rs. 1,300.031 million through internal and external resources during (2020-21 Provisional).

(c) The overall profit earned by PTV during last financial year (2019-20 Provisional) is Rs. 1,164.345 million.

(d) The total amount of loans and liabilities against PTV as of 30th June, 2021(Provisional) are as under;

(Rs. In million)	
Particulars	Amount
Govt. Loans Payable	58.753
Bank Loan Payable	650.918
Current Liabilities Payable	4,897.434
Pension Liability Payable	13,825.693

(Def.) *Question No. 43 **Senator Haji Hidayatullah Khan:**
(Notice Received on 9/07/2021 at 10:53 AM) QID: 38050

Will the Minister for Interior be pleased to state whether it is fact that under the Rule of Business, each Division has to prepare Annual Book of performance, achievements of the Ministry and its attached departments, if so, the details of year books published during the last three years and if not, reasons thereof indicating also the actions taken against the responsible functionaries?

Sheikh Rashid Ahmed: As per available records no year book has been published during the last three years but Ministry has compiled and shared last three years performance / achievements report from (August-2018 to August-2021) of Ministry of Interior and its attached departments **Annex-A**.

(Annexure has been placed on the table of the House as well as Library)

(Def.) *Question No. 52 **Senator Bahramand Khan Tangi:**
(Notice Received on 4/08/2021 at 9:25 AM) QID: 38154

Will the Minister for Interior be pleased to state the steps being taken by the Government to improve internal security of the country in relation to current situation in Afghanistan?

Sheikh Rashid Ahmed:

- A Border Management Wing for security on borders is working in Ministry of Interior.
- As per directions of honourable Prime Minister, National Crisis and Information Management Cell (NCIMC) has been established in Ministry of Interior which is directly dealing with internal security of Pakistan.
- A Foreign Nationals Security Cell under NCIMC has also been established to deal with security of foreigners, especially of Chinese nationals.
- Special Group comprising representatives of all concerned departments have been established to tackle the influx of foreigners and Afghans in Pakistan.

Supplementary Points:

- As per directions of honourable Prime Minister, National Action Plan's Secretariat has been established for coordination and effective implementation of revised NAP points.
- National Counter Terrorism Authority (NACTA) is fully functional and issuing timely threat alerts
- A multi-layer security mechanism has been developed for ensuring provision of security to CPEC projects and Chinese nationals.

***Question No. 24 Senator Nuzhat Sadiq:**

(Notice Received on 7/10/2020 at 1:15 PM) QID: 38384

Will the Minister for Interior be pleased to state:

- (a) *whether it is a fact that private wagons plying on different routes in Islamabad Capital Territory do not follow their prescribed routes causing problems to the commuters, if so, the details of monitoring and complaint registration mechanisms set up by the ICT administration and Islamabad Traffic Police thereof indicating also challans made under the same mechanisms during the last one year; and*
- (b) *the steps being taken by the Islamabad Capital Administration to ensure that the private wagons ply on prescribed and approved routes?*

Sheikh Rashid Ahmed: (a) Yes. Two teams are constituted by Islamabad Transport Authority to inspect and check violations by Public transport on daily basis. The complaints received in this office are also addressed and checked on regular basis and strict legal action is taken against such type of violations. Total challans issued by ITA during the last one year are 3623 and fines imposed Rs. 69,23,500/- Furthermore, Islamabad Traffic Police issues traffic violation tickets to the wagons and other Public Service Vehicles (PSVs) on complaints. During the year 2021 from 01-01-2021 to 31-09-2021, total 314 complaints for non-completion of routes have been received through traffic helpline 1915 and Islamabad Traffic Police (ITP) issued violation tickets under Code 46 of Twelfth

Schedule read with Section 116-A (Fine on Spot) of Motor Vehicle Ordinance, 1965. During the period under report, ITP issued 7827 Challan tickets and imposed fine of Rs. 3,913,500/- for non-completion of route by the PSVs.

(b) The teams of Secretary, ITA carried out inspections from time to time and takes action against the private wagons. The teams have reported that during the periods from 01-01-2021 to October, 2021, 422 vehicles were challaned for route violations. Furthermore, Islamabad traffic police issues tickets at route points from origin till terminating point to public transport to monitor route completion at designed routes.

***Question No. 25 Senator Mushtaq Ahmed:**

(Notice Received on 20/09/2021 at 3:10 PM) QID: 38332

Will the Minister for Interior be pleased to state that whether it is a fact that majority of women have not been issued National identity cards causing low registration ratio (45%) in the registered voters lists prepared between February, 2020 to October, 2020, if so, the steps being taken for issuance of National Identity Cards to all eligible women in Pakistan?

Sheikh Rashid Ahmed: NADRA has so far registered 83,623,553 female citizens out of 101,344,632 (as per Census data 2017) i.e. 82.5 % of the female population.

NADRA has taken various steps for issuance of CNIC to all eligible women in Pakistan like issuance of CNIC for fresh applicants free of cost, deployment of **10 x** Female Mobile Registration Vans (MRVs), establishment of **19 x** Female Registration Centers and observance of Friday as “**Female Day**” in all NADRA Registration Centers.

***Question No. 26 Senator Irfan-Ul-Haque Siddique:**

(Notice Received on 1/10/2021 at 12:00 PM) QID: 38379

Will the Minister for Interior be pleased to state the number of house owners booked and prosecuted under section 144 in the Federal Territory of Islamabad during the last three years from 1st October, 2018 to 30th September, 2021, for not submitting their tenant data in the concerned police station?

Sheikh Rashid Ahmed: A total number of 27 cases were registered under section 188 of PPC against the 54 violators, (House Owners) who did not submit details of tenant in their concerned police stations. After completion of investigation, challans against them were submitted in trial court where they are facing trial.

***Question No. 27 Senator Haji Hidayatullah Khan:**
(Notice Received on 4/10/2021 at 11:45 AM) QID: 38349

Will the Minister for Interior be pleased to state:

- (a) *the staff posted in NADRA Offices in Districts Upper and Lower Dir, both male and female;*
- (b) *the average number of people visited NADRA Offices in both districts, male and female during the last 6 months; and*
- (c) *whether there is any proposal under consideration to increase the staff at NADRA Offices in both districts?*

Sheikh Rashid Ahmed: (a) Total staff posted in Upper Dir is 49 and in Lower Dir is 56. Detail is attached at **Annex-A**.

b. Approximately, 0.2 Million people with an average of 1500 per day visited NADRA offices of both Districts.

c. Sufficient staff is available.

Annex-A

DAUs Operating in District Dir (Upper) & Dir (Lower)					
S #	District	DAUs	Male Staff	Female Staff	No of Staff
1	Dir Lower	NRC Dir Lower	6	4	10
2		NRC Odigram	7	2	9
3		NRC Khall	4	0	4
4		NRC Samarbagh	6	1	7
5		NRC Lal Qilla	6	1	7
6		NRC Talash	2	1	3
7		NRC Chakdara	11	2	13
8		MRV-50	3	0	3
Total			45	11	56

S #	District	DAUs			No of Staff
	Dir Upper	NRC Dir Upper	11	0	11
1		NRC Female Dir Upper	4	4	8
2		NRC Wari	9	0	9
3		NRC Female Wari	0	3	3
4		NRC Kalkot	5	0	5
5		NRC Sharingal	8	2	10
6		MRV-28	3	0	3
Total			40	9	49

***Question No. 28 Senator Professor Sajid Mir:**
(Notice Received on 4/10/2021 at 2:15 PM) QID: 38347

Will the Minister for Interior be pleased to state the reasons for ban on provision of electricity and gas connections to the inhabitants of Ghouri Town, Islamabad?

Sheikh Rashid Ahmed: The provision of utility Services is ban on all illegal / un-authorized Housing Societies including Ghouri Town. Moreover, Hon'ble Supreme Court of Pakistan and Islamabad High Court, Islamabad have also ban provision of utility services to illegal Housing Societies.

In this regard, a Sub-Committee of the Cabinet is constituted under the Chairmanship of Minister for Law and Justice to recommend policy guidelines to resolve the issue.

***Question No. 29 Senator Zeeshan Khanzada:**
(Notice Received on 4/10/2021 at 4:00 PM) QID: 38358

Will the Minister for Railways be pleased to state whether there is any proposal under consideration of the Ministry to extend and connect rail link between Pakistan and Afghanistan under CPEC project, if so, details thereof ?

Mr. Muhammad Azam Khan Swati: The proposal to extend and connect rail link between Pakistan and Afghanistan under CPEC project under consideration which was discussed in the 5th JCC meeting held on 12-11-2015. However, it has not been included in CPEC project yet.

It is stated that rail link between Pakistan and Afghanistan via ML-1 has been planned through another project of Mazar-e-Sharif-Kabul-Peshawar rail Link for which a Road Map between Uzbekistan Afghanistan and Pakistan has already been signed.

***Question No. 30 Senator Haji Hidayatullah Khan:**

(Notice Received on 5/10/2021 at 12:15 PM) QID: 38366

Will the Minister for Railways be pleased to state:

- (a) total projected expenditure for the completion of Karachi Circular Railways (KCR);*
- (b) the funds released for the project by the Federal Government; and*
- (c) tentative deadline for operationalisation of KCR indicating also the estimated number of commuters?*

Mr. Muhammad Azam Khan Swati: (a) As Hon'able Supreme Court ordered on 06-03-2021 to revive Karachi Circular Railways as it existed before its closure and continue working for a modern KCR. For Revival of KCR on existing alignment, a PSDP project with approved at cost of Rs. 1850 million has been envisaged and is under execution. Total expenditure so far is Rs. 590 million in this project.

Modern KCR on PPP has been envisaged @ cost of Rs. 222 billion. Technical and financial study completed and send to P3A.

For construction of grey structure for elimination of level crossings from KCR loop line, a PSDP project has been approved by ECNEC at the cost of Rs. 20.715 billion.

(b) For the project Revival of KCR on existing alignment, Rs. 685 Million has been released so far.

The project Construction of infrastructure (flyovers/under pass structures) for elimination of level crossings from the loop section of KCR will be reflected shortly and required funds will be released accordingly.

(c) KCR on existing alignment has been restored from Pipri to Karachi City (50 Km) on 19-11-2020 and it was extended up to Orangi Station on 10-02-2021.

The tentative deadline for operationalization of modern KCR on PPP mode is end of 2023 and there will be 475000 commuters per day.

***Question No. 31 Senator Haji Hidayatullah Khan:**

(Notice Received on 5/10/2021 at 12:15 PM) QID: 38362

Will the Minister for Interior be pleased to state the timelines for provision of basic amenities i.e. construction of roads, streets, culverts, drinking water, Sewerage, Sui gas, Mosques, Schools, Markets, Streets lights and recreational/public parks in Sector I-11/2, Islamabad by Capital Development Authority?

Sheikh Rashid Ahmed: The status of ongoing different development works in Sector I-11 is given as under:-

(1) **Roads, Drainage system & Culverts**

- (i) Construction of 25 VRs (Streets in I-11/1 and I-11/2 . (Work in Progress).
- (ii) Construction of 4 Nos. Box culverts in sector 1-11/2, Islamabad. (Work in Progress).
- (iii) providing and laying of Strom drainage System in Sector I-11/1-2. (Work in Progress).
- (iv) Rehabilitation of Service road (North) I-11/2. (Completed).
- (v) P/F sign Board I-11 (estimation under preparation).
- (vi) Masjid & Cat-III type shopping center (Design phase).

(2) **Sui Gas**

Provision of Sui Gas in Sector I-11/1 & 2 (Work in Progress)

(3) **Street Lights**

Provision of streets lights (Estimate process for approval)

(4) **Sewerage System**

Tender has been opened on 18-10-2021 and after acceptance work will be started at site.

(5) **Water Supply**

The work for water supply distribution network in sector I-11/2 was awarded in 2014 and completed up to 60% at site. The work remained suspended for a longtime due to shortage of funds as the said directorate was under administrative control of Metropolitan Corporation of Islamabad. At present contractor is not willing to complete the balance work. In this regard committee has been constituted to examine the case and put up recommendations to complete the balance work.

(6) **Environment Wing**

Construction of Parks in design phase. The above mentioned works will be completed with in one year subject to availability of funds.

***Question No. 32 Senator Fawzia Arshad:**

(Notice Received on 5/10/2021 at 1:55 PM) QID: 38367

Will the Minister for Interior be pleased to state the budget allocated by CDA during the current financial year for the cleanliness of Nallahs in Islamabad?

Sheikh Rashid Ahmed: It is informed that for the current financial year 2021-22, proposal of funds amounting to Rs. 100.00 million is demanded and it is in advance stage of allocation by Authority subject to completion of all codal formalities.

***Question No. 33 Senator Fawzia Arshad:**

(Notice Received on 5/10/2021 at 1:55 PM) QID: 38368

Will the Minister for Interior be pleased to state the steps taken to clear parking areas and green belts encroached by car dealers in ICT, during the last one year?

Sheikh Rashid Ahmed: In Exercise of the powers conferred with Municipal by Laws (1969), Directorate of Municipal Administration, MCI has issued Notices to the encroacher/ violators to vacate the CDA / MCI land within Municipal limit of Islamabad. So far Notices to violators (more than 100 defaulters) have been served. The activities of the encroachers are being monitored by the staff of the DMA. After fulfillment of the codal formalities the cases of these defaulters will be referred to the Senior Special Magistrate CDA to initiate legal proceedings against encroachers besides heavy fine and imprisonment too.

***Question No. 34 Senator Zeeshan Khanzada:**

(Notice Received on 6/10/2021 at 9:35 AM) QID: 38361

Will the Minister for Information and Broadcasting be pleased to state whether it is a fact that applications of journalists for allotment of plots in sector F-14 are laying pending with the Ministry for verification, if so, the deadline by which the pending applications will be verified and sent back to the Housing Foundation?

Reply not received.

***Question No. 35 Senator Kamran Murtaza:**

(Notice Received on 6/10/2021 at 3:30 PM) QID: 38403

Will the Minister for Interior be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that Jammu and Kashmir Housing Society Zone-V has not yet started development work despite of the fact that development charges have been deposited from the Members, if so, reasons thereof and tentative deadline for starting up the development work;*
- (b) the details of Members of the said society who have deposited cost of land and developmental charges indicating the details of amount deposited by each members tentative deadline for handing over of plots to those members; and*
- (c) the steps taken by the Government against the said Society for delayed development work and not handing over of possession of plots to the Members?*

Sheikh Rashid Ahmed: (a) Yes. The Management Committee is making all out efforts to execute the development work but it is not possible till the recovery of misappropriated resources of the Society and payment remaining dues by the members.

(b) 178 members have paid cost of plot including additional development charges. The possession of plots could only be handed over to the members after completion of development work for which any timeline cannot be given under current circumstances.

(c) At present 3 inquiries are ongoing in FIA. Moreover, on receiving complaints from the incumbent Management of the Society, Registrar Co-operatives / D.C. ICT has initiated 42 inquiries against ex-management of the Society. Out of these 42 inquiries, 12 have been completed determining 3.75 billion as embezzlement against ex-Management. Rest of the inquiries have almost been finalized.

***Question No. 36 Senator Bahramand Khan Tangi:**

(Notice Received on 7/10/2021 at 11:15 AM) QID: 38193

Will the Minister for Information and Broadcasting be pleased to state the details of persons appointed in PTV during the last three years indicating also the number of persons in PTV whose services have been terminated and the reasons thereof?

Reply not received.

***Question No. 38 Senator Bahramand Khan Tangi:**

(Notice Received on 8/10/2021 at 10:15 AM) QID: 38391

Will the Minister for Interior be pleased to refer to Senate starred question No.51 replied on 29th September, 2021 and to state the number of illegal/unregistered Housing Societies in Islamabad Capital Territory indicating also the action taken against them during the last three years?

Sheikh Rashid Ahmed: The number illegal/ unregistred Housing Societies Zone wise in Islamabad are as below:

Zone 2	-	03
Zone 3	-	04
Zone 4	-	39
Zone 5	-	14
Total		60

The details is attached at **Annex-A**.

Annex-A

**CAPITAL DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY
PLANNING WING
(Directorate of Regional Planning)**



Subject:- ILLEGAL/UNAUTHORIZED HOUSING SCHEMES/SOCIETIES IN ZONE 2, 3, 4 & 5 of ICT, ISLAMABAD.

Following housing schemes/societies are being developed in Zone 2, 3, 4 & 5 of ICT, Islamabad without prior approval of the Authority:

ZONE-2:			
S.No.	Title of Housing Scheme/Society	S.No.	Title of Housing Scheme/Society
1.	Islamabad Co-operative Farming Scheme, Sector D-17	4.	Pakistan Overseas Housing Scheme, Sector F-16
2.	Green City, Sector D-17, E-17	5.	Pakistan Town Phase-II G-16, F-16
3.	Gulshan-Rehman Sector C-17, D-17		
ZONE-3:			
S.No.	Title of Housing Scheme/Society	S.No.	Title of Housing Scheme/Society
1.	All Town	5.	Major Makhdoom Society
2.	Green Meadow (North Ridge) Housing Scheme	6.	Green Hills
3.	Al-Rayan Society	7.	Arcadia City
4.	Land Sub-Division, Sponsored by Mr. Raja Fakhar, on the South of Korang River near Banni Galla Bridge.	8.	Aryan Enclave, Main Korang Road, Banni Galla.
ZONE-4:			
S.No.	Title of Housing Scheme/Society	S.No.	Title of Housing Scheme/Society
1	Royal City Housing Scheme (near PINSTECH, Nilore) Lehtar Road	40.	Saif Garden, Ali Pur Farash, Lehtar Road
2	New University Town (near COMSATS), Park Road.	41.	Babar Enclave, Mohra Noor.
3	Japan Valley, Kirpa Road, Opposite Media City, Off Lehtar Road	42.	Adil Valley, Simly Dam Road.
4	Kiani Town, Kirpa Road, Off Lehtar Road.	43.	Al-Syed Avenue, Park Road.
5	Ghouri Town, (a1 phases) in Zone-4, Islamabad Expressway.	44.	Burma Town, Lehtar Road.
6	Ghouri Gardens, Lehtar Road	45.	Doctor's Enclave, Simly Dam Road.
7	Green Avenue, Park Road.	46.	Green Avenue-II, Kuri road
8	Green valley (1&2), Simly Dam Road.	47.	Green View Villas, off Lehtar Road
9	Gulberg Town (1&2), Lehtar Road.	48.	Hameed Town, (Mouza Mohrian), Kuri Road
10	Hill View Houses, Simly Dam Road.	49.	Marwa Town, Islamabad Highway
11	Iqbal Town, Islamabad Expressway.	50.	Media City-1, Kirpa Road
12	Muslim Town, Simly Dam Road.	51.	Paradise Point Housing Scheme, Lehtar Road
13	Park Lane Valley, Park Road.	52.	Iltefaq Town, old Kirpa Road, off Lehtar Road
14	PTV Colony, Simly Dam Road.	53.	Arslan Town, Lehtar Road
15	Royal Avenue, Park Road.	54.	Royal Homes/Residencia, Lehtar Road
16	Salti Town, Lehtar Road	55.	City Views near Nilore
17	Simly Valley (1&2), Simly Dam Road.	56.	City Town, Lehtar Road
18	Spring Valley, Simly Dam Road.	57.	Muti Mahmood Enclave, off Lehtar Road
19	Al-Rehman City View, Lehtar Road (near PS Nilore).	58.	OGDCL Town near Chattr, Murree Road
20	Makkah Town, Hurno Thanda Pani Nilore Islamabad.	59.	Samra Town, Kirpa Road, Off Lehtar Road
21	Danyal Town, Hurno Thanda Pani Nilore Islamabad.	60.	Government Officers Co-operative Farming Scheme
22	Ghakar Town, Lehtar Road (near Malal Bridge Nilore).	61.	Abu Bakar Town, Islamabad Highway
23	Zahoor Town, Lehtar Road (near B-1 Nilore Factory)	62.	Capital Gardens, Lehtar Road

	Usama Town, Hurno Thanda Pani (near Aziz Market Nilore), Islamabad		Al-Huda Town, Lehtar Road
25	Ali Model Town	64.	Faisal Town, Islamabad Highway
26	Abdullah Gardens, Kuri Road	65.	M/s Tricolor Agro Farms, Simly Dam Road
27	Centerbury Enclave near Park Road	66.	Adil Farms, Simly Dam Road
28	Al-Nahal Housing, Simly Dam Road	67.	Badar Farms, Simly Dam Road
29	Qurtbal Town, Islamabad Highway	68.	Green Fields, Simly Dam Road
30	Margalla Gardens Lehtar Road	69.	Shaheen Farms, Simly Dam Road
31	Commoners Sky Gardens (Flower Valley)	70.	J & K Farms Housing Scheme, Islamabad Expressway
32	Muzaffar Abad Town (Pind Begawal), Simly Dam Road	71.	Islamabad Farms, Simly Dam Road
33	Olive Wood Farms, Simly Dam Road	72.	Dream Land City Lathrar Road Thanda Pani
34	Al-Qamar Town, South of Margalla Town Phase-II	73.	Rawal Enclave Kuri Road
35	Gulf Residencia Lathrar Road	74.	Yaar Muhammad Society Banni Galla
36	Ideal Residencia near Park Enclave, Kuri	75.	Kohsaa Enclave near Naval Farms, Simly Dam Road, Sponsored by M/s Oneplus Builders & Real Estate Marketing (Pvt.) Ltd.,
37	The Enclave Housing Scheme, Main Banni Galla Road.	76.	Ameer Khan Enclave, Mallah Road, near Bahria Enclave-I, Sponsored by Mr. Allah Ditta.
38	Baylee Town, Kuri Road, near Attock Petroleum.	77.	Al-Rahman Villas, Kuri Road, near Attock Petroleum.
39	Land Sub-Division Sponsored by Mr. Shahzad, Sanjania Road opposite Beaconhouse Newlands, Banni Galla.		
ZONE-5:			
S.No.	Title of Housing Scheme/Society	S.No.	Title of Housing Scheme/Society
1	Gulshan-e-Rabia, Japan Road	15.	Askaria Town, Japan Road
2	Gulshan-e-Rehman, Japan Road	16.	Judicial Employees Housing Scheme, Kirpa Chirah Road
3	Parliamentarians Enclave, Japan Road	17.	Bankers City, Dharwala Road
4	Tele Town, Japan Road	18.	Rasheed Town, Japan Road
5	National Police Foundation, PWD Road, Islamabad Highway	19.	River View, Kahuta Road
6	Azim Town, Kahuta Road	20.	Fatima Villa, GT Road
7	Pak PWD, Islamabad Highway	21.	Television Media Town
8	Dhanyal Town, Kahuta Road	22.	Gulshan-e-Danish, GT Road
9	Ghouri Town, Phases in Zone-5 Japan Road, Islamabad Highway	23.	Aiza Garden, Mouza Lohi Bher Dakhli Jawa
10	Fiza Town, Hoar Dhanyal, Sihala	24.	Sadozai Town, Kangota Sayedan
11	Aliya Town, Mouza Lohi Bher, Dakhli Jawa	25.	New Model Town Humak / Roshan Enclave, Mouza Niazi
12	Danyal Town, Hoar Dhanyal, Sihala	26.	Downtown Residencia sponsored by M/s Downtown Properties, located at Islamabad Expressway.
13	Ayesha Town, located at Navy Road, Rawat.	27.	Rawat Housing Scheme sponsored by M/s National Police Foundation Employees Cooperative Housing Society located at G.T. Road, Rawat.
14	Rawat Enclave Housing Scheme, Kallar Syedan Road, Near F.G College, Main Rawat Chowk		

***Question No. 39 Senator Bahramand Khan Tangi:**
(Notice Received on 8/10/2021 at 10:15 AM) QID: 38390

Will the Minister for Interior be pleased to refer to Senate starred question No.50 replied on 29th September, 2021 and to state the acreage of state land in illegal occupation of trespassers in Islamabad capital territory at present with area wise break-up?

Sheikh Rashid Ahmed: In pursuance of the Section 2 (c) of Public Properties Removal of Encroachments 2021, the appointment of Authorized Officers has been made to carry out all or any purposes of the subject Ordinance including the issuance of notices for the vacation of the property, removal of structures and recovery of any fines, penalties, or recovery of the cost of demolition and removal of structures as arrears of land revenue also, the Authority is in the process of deployment of ICT based solutions with the assistance of SUPARCO and Surveyor General of Pakistan to conduct geo-mapping and other geo-sciences solutions.

***Question No. 40 Senator Mushtaq Ahmed:**
(Notice Received on 11/10/2021 at 9:50 AM) QID: 38418

Will the Minister for Interior be pleased to state the total number of applications received for issuance of gender change certificates by NADRA from July, 2018 to June, 2021 with original and intended genders wise breakup of the applicants.

Sheikh Rashid Ahmed: Gender Change Certificate is not issued by NADRA. However, gender is modified due to medical reasons or on request of a Transgender person Male/ Female to Transgender. Detail of gender change cases processed from July 2018 to June 2021 is as under:-

Sr. No	Gender Category	Number of Cases
1.	Male to Female	16,530
2.	Female to Male	12,154
3.	Male to Transgender	09
4.	Female to Transgender	0
5.	Transgender to Male	21
6.	Transgender to Female	09
Total		28,723

***Question No. 41 Senator Mohsin Aziz:**

(Notice Received on 11/10/2021 at 3:50 PM) QID: 38410

Will the Minister for Interior be pleased to state:

- (a) the total construction cost of “Peshawar Morr to New Islamabad International Airport Metro Bus Project” along with cost of buses and amount incurred thereon;*
- (b) the estimated monthly running / operating expenses and revenue generation from the project; and*
- (c) the average monthly number of commuters of the said facility?*

Sheikh Rashid Ahmed: (a)

PC-1 (Approved Cost) = Rs. 16.427 Billion
Expenditure (till-date) = Rs. 12.000 Billion (On-going)

(b) Estimated Cost for Buses = Rs.633.60 Million (30-units)

(c) Running Cost has been estimated **@ Rs.793.94 Million**

Revenue through sale of Tickets (tentative) **@ Rs. 408.90 Million**

Note: CDA is working on other revenue streams to make the System Self-sustainable.

***Question No. 42-A Senator Mohsin Aziz:**

(Notice Received on 15/10/2021 at 11:24 AM) QID: 38423

Will the Minister for Interior be pleased to state:

- (a) the steps taken or being taken by the Government to control dengue in Islamabad; and*
- (b) the details of public awareness campaign against dengue in Islamabad Capital Territory?*

Sheikh Rashid Ahmed: (a) The dengue epidemic has highly hit the country, specially Lahore, Karachi, Peshawar, Rawalpindi and Rural Islamabad.

Two departments of Health take measure to control dengue fever in Islamabad.

1. DHO office M/o NHR&C for the Rural and semi-urban areas of Islamabad where dengue epidemic is high.
2. Directorate of Health Services, MCI ----- Responsible for Sectoral Islamabad/Municipal limits of CDA.

Regular Coordination meetings at Chairman CDA Office, Chief Officer, MCI, M/o NHR&C, 10 Corps Chaklala, Deputy Commissioner Office Islamabad and Dy. Commissioner Rawalpindi Office by Directorate of Health Services, MCI to coordinate with, all stake holders to plan, control and execute dengue measures.

Directorate of Health services (DHS), MCI has taken Anti-Dengue Measures in Sectoral Islamabad/ Municipal limits of CDA. DHS, MCI since January, 2021, because DHS MCI is cognizant that dengue virus is endemic in twin cities and dengue cases are reported every year since 2010, DHS MCI has taken the following measures since January 2021:

1. Prepared high risk mapping of each street/sector.
2. Surveillance of vectors.
3. Social mobilization.
4. Teams building.
5. Trainings of teams.
6. Physical larviciding.
7. Chemical larviciding.
8. Space spray / fog.
9. Coordination meeting with other formations of CDA/MCI (Sanitation. Environment, Parks, Enforcement, DMA, Roads directorates) to contain dengue in the Municipal limits of CDA.

10. Coordination Meetings in M/o NHR&C. 10 corps, Chairman CDA. Chief Officer MCI, Dy. Commissioner ICT, Dy. Commissioner Pindi.
11. Zero period was initiated in Schools through DHS efforts
12. Through Auqaf department Mosques Clerics/ Mulanas were sensitised to convey messages especially after Jumma Prayer.

Moreover, Directorate of Health Services MCI was further strengthened through HR and budget increments. Upon, the direction of Chairman CDA, Directorate of Health Services. MCI has completed Anti-Dengue Campaign in Sectoral Islamabad. wherein street to fogging was done in all sectors of CDA including G-5, G-6, G-7, G-8. G-9, G-11, Mera-aabdi (G-12).G-13, G-14.I-8, I-9, I-10, I-11, I-12, I-14, F-5, F-6, F-7, F-8, F-9, F-10, F-11, H-8. H-9, H-10. H-11, H-12, G-7, E-11, D-12. Saidpur Model village, Margalla Town, Rawal Town and all urban slums. As a results dengue cases (949) were reported till date (8-11-2021) from Sectoral Islamabad which is four (04) time less than the surrounding areas.

All confirmed Dengue cases were strongly responded as per SOPs of WHO.

(b) Public Awareness play a vital role in dengue control. Directorate of Health Services MCI has done the following activities for public awareness in Municipal limits of CDA.

- Mass media
 - TV/Radio
 - News paper
- Printed material
- Health talk/Lectures
- Seminars
- Walk
- Community corner meeting
- Door to Door Campaign
- Medical Camps
- TV talks

***Question No. 43 Senator Dost Muhammad Khan:**

(Notice Received on 18/10/2021 at 2:04 PM) QID: 38425

Will the Minister for Interior be pleased to state:

- (a) *the number of casualties that have occurred due to landmine blast in South Waziristan during the last five years with year-wise break-up;*
- (b) *the details of financial compensation offered/paid to the victims of the said blasts; and*
- (c) *the steps being taken by the Government for cleaning the area from land mines?*

Reply not received.

***Question No. 44 Senator Zeeshan Khanzada:**

(Notice Received on 18/10/2021 at 2:08 PM) QID: 38276

Will the Minister for Railways be pleased to state:

- (a) *whether it is a fact that the railway line / service between Pakistan and Iran is operational, if so, the number of trains being operated from Quetta to Taftan, if not reasons thereof; and*
- (b) *whether there is any proposal under consideration to upgrade the same, if so, details thereof?*

Mr. Muhammad Azam Khan Swati: (a) Railway line between Pakistan and Iran is functional and there is consistent traffic between Pakistan-Iran.

An average 10 freight trains (5-Up / 5-Down) are running on the Quetta-Taftan section per month. The detailed position of the freight trains and commodities being transported is **Annexed**.

(b) Feasibility study for rehabilitation and improvement of track from Quetta to Taftan carried out in June, 2019 for design of 120 KM/h.

The estimated cost of rehabilitation and improvement of track from Quetta-Taftan is US\$698 Million. Pakistan Railways has offered this section for up-gradation to potential investors of different countries including Russia, Kazakhstan, Iran, Belarus on Public Private Partnership (PPP) / Built Operate Transfer (BOT) mode.

Annexure

INTERCHANGE OF WAGONS BETWEEN PAKISTAN – IRAN DURING 2020-21

Month	Trains	Wagons received from Iran										Trains		Wagons made over to Iran						Cont
		Tiles	Sulphur	Date	Cement	Misc	Bitumen	Sulphur	Empty	Rice	Oil	Total	Rice	Kit	Potato	Misc	Potato	Empty		
July	4	0	75	5	-	7	21	0	-	-	3	111	4	-	-	-	-	63	-	
Aug	5	0	111	3	-	-	43	-	1	-	-	158	5	-	-	-	-	160	-	
Sep	7	0	168	0	-	5	12	-	10	-	1	196	7	-	-	-	-	207	-	
Oct	6	0	163	1	-	10	-	-	-	-	4	178	6	-	-	-	-	132	-	
Nov	6	0	129	1	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	134	6	-	-	-	-	178	-	
Dec	5	0	139	2	-	8	-	-	1	-	-	150	6	-	-	-	-	163	-	
Jan	7	0	215	1	-	3	-	-	1	-	-	220	6	-	-	-	-	186	-	
Feb	6	0	178	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	178	7	-	-	-	-	206	-	
Mar	4	0	88	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	90	3	-	-	-	-	95	-	
Apr	4	0	103	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	1	110	4	-	-	-	-	103	-	
May	5	0	027	-	-	1	-	-	23	-	-	151	5	-	-	-	-	95	-	
June	4	0	73	-	-	10	-	-	34	-	-	117	4	-	-	-	-	61	-	
Total	63	0	1569	13	0	56	76	0	70	0	9	1793	63	79	0	0	0	1649	0	
Avg/Day	5	0	131	1	0	5	6	0	6	0	1	149	5	7	0	0	0	137	0	

***Question No. 45 Senator Afnan Ullah Khan:**

(Notice Received on 20/10/2021 at 10:25 AM) QID: 38282

Will the Minister for Interior be pleased to state names and designations of Government servants who were issued NBP Arms Licenses during last three years indicating also the number/details of pending cases/applications and reasons thereof?

Sheikh Rashid Ahmed: Detail of Government Servants who were issued NPB Arms licences during last three years is as under:

Year	Date	Total
2018	01-07-2018 to 31-12-2018	3348
2019	01-01-2019 to 30-12-2019	5791
2020	01-01-2020 to 30-12-2020	999
2021	01-01-2021 to 25-09-2021	246
	Total	10,384

ISLAMABAD,
the 9th November, 2021

HAFEEZ ULLAH SHEIKH,
Acting Secretary.