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(333rd Session)

SENATE SECRETARIAT

"QUESTIONS FOR ORAL ANSWERS AND THEIR REPLIES"

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

Friday, the 10th November, 2023

DEFFERED QUESTIONS

[Question No. 5 was deferred on 31st March, 2023 (327th Session)]

(Def.) *Question No.5 Senator Kauda Babar:

(Notice Received on 15/03/2023 at 11:47 AM) QID:40560

Will the Minister In-charge of the Cabinet Division be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of all the gifts submitted to the Tosha Khana from 1988 to 2023 indicating also the gifts available in Tosha Khana till date; and
- (b) the detailed account of the gifts auctioned so far indicating also the details of the persons who purchased those gifts?

Minister In-charge of the Cabinet Division: (a) The Federal Cabinet has declassified Toshakhana record. The record from 2002 onward is available on the website of Cabinet Division. Pre-2002 records of 412 verifiable gifts are also available on website of the Cabinet Division.

(b) Detailed account of the gift(s) auctioned is annexed (Annex-I).

(Annexure has been placed in Library and on Table of the mover/concerned member)

*Question No.22 Senator Dr. Afnan Ullah Khan:

(Notice Received on 10/08/2023 at 4:07 PM) QID:41471

Will the Minister for Aviation be pleased to state the losses suffered by PIA during the last five years indicating also the grants provided by the Government to the Airline during the said period? Reply Not Received.

*Question No. 23 **Senator Dr. Zarqa Suharwardy Taimur:** (Notice Received on 15/08/2023 at 2:27 PM) QID:41473

Will the Minister In-charge of the Cabinet Division be pleased to state:

- (a) the make and models of vehicles provided to the Cabinet Ministers during the period from May 2022 to 30th July 2023; and
- (b) whether it is a fact that the Government imported BMW cars for its Cabinet Members during the said period, if so, the present status of those cars?

Minister In-charge of the Cabinet Division: (a) As per rule 24 of the Rules for Use of Staff Cars 1980, Federal Ministers/Ministers of State/Advisors/ Special Assistants to the Prime Minister with the status of Minister/ Minister of State are entitled to use a 1800cc car to be provided by the respective Ministry. However, in case of non-availability of suitable entitled car with Ministry concerned, Cabinet Division provides the vehicles from its pool for the use of Federal Ministers / Ministers of State.

Further, a protected /higher engine vehicle shall be allocated to a vulnerable dignitary, subject to availability and approval of the Prime Minister in terms of rule 24 (2)(a) of the Staff Cars Rules, 1980 (Annex-I).

List of vehicles provided to the Federal Ministers /Ministers of State/ Advisors /Special Assistants to the Prime Minister during the period from May 2022 to 30th July, 2023 is enclosed as **Annex-II.**

(b) Cabinet Division has not imported / purchased any BMW vehicle, during the said period.

Annex-I

FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY

RULES FOR THE USE OF STAFF CARS 1980

GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN CABINET SECRETARIAT CABINET DIVISION 24. Categories of Staff Cars and their Entitlement for use:- (1) Staff cars for government use may be categorized as under:-

a Small Cars Up to engine power not exceeding 1300 CC.

b Medium Cars Cars with an engine power ranging from over 1300 CC to 1600 CC.

c Big Cars Engine power exceeding 1600 CC.

d All cars earmarked for foreign dignitaries and Federal / Provincial Ministers, Hon 'able Judges of Supreme Court and Chief Justices of the High Court will be air conditioned. (Add. vide No. 12/65/81-CS, dated 4th August, 1983)

(2) The Prime Minister of Pakistan has been pleased to approve the following revised entitlement of staff cars:-

Federal Ministers/Ministers of State/Advisors/ 1800 CC Special Assistants to the Prime Minister with status of Minister/Minister of State.

"Provided that the protected vehicle shall be allocated to a vulnerable dignitary subject to availability and approval of the Prime Minister. However, Secretary, Cabinet Division may allow expenses on maintenance, repair and POL of any vehicle from the budget of Cabinet Division, Foreign Office or any other Division, which he may approve; provided that the vehicle was bought by a Government Authority / Ministry / Division and was used by anyone, after due authorization, whose assigned work falls within the ambit of that Division".

Secretaries General/Secretary/Parliamentary 1300 CC Secretaries and Officers equivalent to BPS-22.

 Additional Secretaries/Senior Joint Secretaries/ 1000 CC Officers in BPS-21/20 and equivalent.

(3) The Senior government functionaries holding Staff Car with engine capacity above the entitlement will continue to use the existing vehicles till they are due for replacement as per rules subject to the condition that the vehicle is of older model than 2003.

(4) The Prime Minister has further been pleased to approve the responsibility of providing Staff Cars to various government functionaries as indicated below:-

a. Federal Minister / Minister of State Respective Ministry
b. Advisors to the Prime Minister/ Respective Ministry
Parliamentary Secretaries allocated a

 Advisors/Special Assistants to the Prime Cabinet Division Minister without portfolio.

(5) The netrol/CNG ceiling of entitled officers are as under :-

S.No.	BPS	Petrol Ceiling Per Month	CNG Ceiling
1.	BPS-20	180 lit	20 lit petrol + 125 Kg CNG
2.	BS-21	180 for 1000 CC Car 270 for 1300 CC Cars of model older than 2003	20 lit petrol + 125 Kg CNG
3	BS-22	360 lit petrol per month	35 lit petrol + 250 Kg CNG

Annex-II

<u>VEHICLES ALLOCATED TO THE EX-CABINET MEMBERS</u> (FEDERAL MINISTERS / MOS / ADVISORS /SAPMs)

	В	ULLET PE	ROOF VEHICLES	
S.#	Make & Type	Model	Current Status	W.e.f
1.	IDP-9999 Toyota Land Cruiser	2015	Rana Sanaullah Khan, Ex-Federal Minister for Interior	22-04-2022
2.	GAE-190 Toyota Land Cruiser	2017	Syed Amin-ul-Haq, Ex-Federal Minister for Information Technology & Telecom.	29-12-2022
3.	GAG-905 Toyota Land Cruiser	2015	Maulana Asad Mehmood, Ex-Federal Minister for Communications	30-04-2022
4.	GAB-649 Toyota Land Cruiser	2015	Engr. Amir Muqam, Ex-Advisor to the P Minister on National Heritage & Culture	25-04-2023
5,	GAD-053 BMW Jeep	2016	Mr. Attauallah Tarar, Ex-SAPM on Interior & Legal Affairs	29-07-2022
		SOFT	SKIN SUVs	
6.	GAD-098 Toyota Land Cruiser	2016	Maulana Abudul Wasay, Ex-Federal Minister for Housing & Works	10-04-2022
7.	GAF-599 Toyota Land Cruiser	2018	Khawaja Muhammad Asif, Ex-Federal Minister for Defense	23-04-2022
8.	GAD-091 Toyota Land Cruiser	2016	Mr. Abdul Qadir Patel, Ex-Federal Minister National Health Services. Regulation & Coordination	19-05-2022
9.	GAF-603 Toyota Land Cruiser	2018	Mr. Muhammd Israr Tareen Ex-Federal Minister for Defence Production	31-05-2022
10.	GAF-607 Toyota Land Cruiser	2018	Agha Hassan Baloch Ex-Federal Minister for Science & Technology	02-06-2022
11.	GAD-100 Toyota Land Cruiser	2016	Mr. Sajid Hussain Turi, Ex-Federal Minister for Overseas Pakistanis & HRD	21-06-2022
12.	GAD-095 Toyota Land Cruiser	2016	Khawaja Saad Rafique, Ex-Federal Minister for Aviation & Railways	26-06-2022
13.	TEMP-798 Toyota Land Cruiser	2016	Mian Javed Latif, Ex-Federal Minister (Without Portfolio)	24-01-2023
14.	GAF-610 Toyota Land Cruiser	2018	Mr. Qamar Zaman Kaira, Ex-Advisor to the Prime Minster on Kashmir Affairs & GB	12-05-2023
15.	GAD-093 Toyota Land Cruiser	2016	Sheikh Rohale Asghar, Ex-Advisor to the PM	13-06-2023
16.	TEMP-458 Toyota Prado Jeep	2016	Malik Nauman Ahmad Langrial, Ex-SAPM	29-11-2022
17.	TEMP-786 Toyota Land Cruiser	2016	Malik Muhammad Ahmad Khan, Ex-SAPM on Defence	19-01-2023
18.	GAD-042 BMW Jeep	2016	Mr. Irfan Qadir, Ex-SAPM on Accountability	14-05-2023

1800CC VEHICLES ALLOCATED AS PER ENTITLEMENT

S.#	Make & Type	Model	Current Status	W.e.f
1,	GAE-533 Honda Civic cur	2017	Syed Khursheed Ahmed Shah, Ex-Federal Minister for Water Resources	19-04-2022
2.	GAD-641 Toyota Corolla car	2016	Syed Murtaza Mahmud, Ex-Federal Minister for Industries & Production	19-04-2022
3.	GAD-635 Toyota Corolla car	2016	Syed Faisal All Subzwari, Ex-Federal Minister for Maritime Affairs	19-04-2022
1.	G Mr-529 Honda Civie car	2017	Syed Naveed Qamar, Ex-Federal Minister for Commerce	19-04-2022
5.	GAE-521 Honda Civic car	2017	Mr. Abid Hussain Bhayo, Ex-Federal Minister for Privatization	19-04-2022
6.	GA1:-525 Honda Civic car	2017	Rana Tanveer Hussain,	19-04-2022
7.	GAU-241 Toyota Corolla car	2023	Ex-Federal Minister for Federal Education & PT	05-06-2023
8.	GY-467 Toyota Corolla car	2018	Mr. Khurrum Dastigir Khan, Ex-Federal Minister for Power	13-5-2022
9.	GAK-315 Toyota Corolla car	2021	Ch. Ahsan Iqbal, Ex-Federal Minister for Planning. Development & SI	17-05-2023
10.	GAU-234 Toyota Corolla car	2023	Ms. Marriyum Aurangzeb, Ex-Federal Minister for Information & Broadcasting	09-06-2023
11.	GAK-316 Toyota Corolla car	2021	Mr. Muhammad Ishaq Dar, Ex-Federal Minister for Finance & Revenue	22-02-2023
12.	GAK-314 Foyota Corolla car	2021	Mr. Tariq Bashir Cheema, Ex-Federal Minister for National Food Security & Research	02-03-2023
13.	GAK-317 Toyota Corolla car	2021	Khawaja Saad Rafique, Ex-Federal Minister for Aviation & Railways	02-03-2023
14.	GAK-318 Foyota Corolla ear	2021	Mr. Azam Nazeer Tarar, Ex-Federal Minister for Law & Justice	02-03-2023
15.	GAF-594 Toyota Corolla car	2017	Chaudhry Salik Hussain. Ex-Federal Minister for Board of Investment	11-05-2022
16.	GAE-049 Foyota Corolla car	2017	Ms. Shazia Marri, Ex-Federal Minister for Poverty Alleviation & Social Safety	03-06-2022
17.	GAF-524 Honda Civie car	2017	Mian Riaz Hussain Pirzada. Ex-Federal Minister for Human Rights	30-08-2022
18.	GAD-634 Toyota Corolla car	2016	Mr. Murtaza Javed Abbasi, Ex-Federal Minister for Parliamentary Affairs	21-06-2023
19.	GAD-644 Toyota Corolla car	2016	Mr. Ahsanullah Rekl Ex-Minister of State for Defence Production	17-8-2022
20.	GY-474 Toyota Corolla car	2018	Ms. Hina Rabbani Khar, Ex-Minister of State for Foreign Affairs	19-04-2022
21.	GAE-532 Honda Civic cur	2017	Dr. Aisha Ghaus Pasha, Minister of State for Finance & Revenue	19-04-2022
22.	GAL-520 Honda Civic car	2017	Mr. Abdul Rehman Khan Kanju, Ex-Minister of State for Interior	22-04-2022
23.	GAI -048 Tayota Corolla car	2017	Mr. Muhammad Hashim Notezai. Ex-Minister of State for Power Division	04-07-2022
24.	GAE-516 Floada Civic car	2017	Senator Saleem Mandiviwala, Ex-Chief of Whip of Treasury/MOS	18-08-2022
25.	GY-932 Honda Civic car	2012	Mr. Ashfaq Tola, Ex-Chairman Reform and Resources Mobilization Commission/MOS, Revenue Division/FBR	15-02-2023
2 6 .	GAE-735 Honda Civic car	2017	Eng. Amir Muqam, Ex-Advisor to the P Minister on National Heritage & Culture	26-01-2023

			Ma Asua Chaudhaus	
27.	GAE-739 Honda Civic car	2017	Mr. Aoun Chaudhary,	30 5 5000
<i>''</i> '	GAE-739 Honda Civic car	2017	Ex-Advisor to the Prime Minister on Sports	28-5-2022
		├	&Tourism	
28.	GAE-736 Honda Civic car	2017	Ms. Shaza Fatima Khawaja,	19-04-2022
			Ex-Advisor to the Prime Minister on Youth Affairs	
29.	GAE-050 Toyota Corolla car	2017	Syed Tariq Fatemi,	12-05-2022
•			Ex-SAPM on Prime Minister Coordination	
30.	GAD-640 Toyota Corolla car	2016	Ms. Romina Khurshid, EX-SAPM	09-06-2022
31.	GAE-523 Honda Civic car	2017	Mr. Junaid Anwar Chaudhry, Ex-SAPM	17-06-2022
- 		T 1	Sheikh Fayyaz Ud Din.	22.04.2022
32.	GAE-530 Honda Civic car	2017	Ex-SAPM on Privatization	22-06-2022
		1	Mr. Sadiq Iftikhar,	13.07.2022
33.	GAE-519 Honda Civic car	2017	Ex-SAPM on Information Technology & Telecom.	13-07-2022
34.	GAE-317 Honda Civic car	2017	Shah Awais Noorani, Ex-SAPM	12-08-2022
35.	GAD-204 Toyota Corolla car	2016	Mr. Zafaruddin Mehmood, Ex -SAPM	15-07-2022
36.	GAD-637 Toyota Corolla cur	2016	Malik Abdul Ghaffar Dogar, Ex- SAPM	11-08-2022
37.	GAD-065 Toyota Corolla car	2016	Mr. Shahryar Ali Khan, Ex-SAPM	17-08-2022
J/.		 	Sardar Saleem Haider,	
38.	GAB-010 Honda Civic car	2015	Ex-SAPM on Overseas Pakistanis & HRD	16-09-2022
		-	Mr. Tasneem Ahmed Qureshi,	
39.	GY-935 Honda Civic car	2014	Ex-SAPM on Industries & Production	19-09-2022
		i	Dr. Muhesh Kumar Malani,	
40.	GAB-999 Honda Civic car	2015	Ex-SAPM on National Health Services,	22-09-2022
40.	CALD-377 I KAIGE CIVIO CIII		Regulation & Coordination	
41.	GAD-633 Toyota Corolla car	2016	Sardar Shahjehan Yousaf, Ex-SAPM	22-09-2022
			Nawabzada Iftikhar Ahmed Khan Babar,	
42.	GAE-531 Honda Civic car	2017	Ex-SAPM on Kashmir Affairs & GB	23-09-2022
	 		Mr. Fasail Karlm Kundl,	22 00 2022
43.	GAE-738 Honda Civic car	2017	Ex-SAPM on Poverty Alleviation & Social Safety	23-09-2022
		 	Mahar Irshad Ahmad Khan,	28-09-2022
44.	GAE-527 Honda Civic car	2017	Ex-SAPM on Inter Provincial Coordination	10-09-1022
		T	Syed Mohammad Ali Shah Bacha,	29-09-2022
45.	GU-859 Toyota Corolla car	2015	Ex-SAPM on Water Resources	29-09-2022
		1	Mr. Tariq Bajwa,	06-10-2022
46.	GAG-314 Toyota Corolla car	2018	Ex-SAPM on Finance	
47.	GAE-515 Honda Civic car	2017	Ms. Rubina Irfan, Ex-SAPM	26-01-2023
┢		****	Raza Rabani Khar,	30-11-2022
48.	GAB-284 Honda Civic car	2015	Ex-SAPM on Commerce	J4-11-1/22
	GAD-638 Toyota Corolla car	2016	Mr. Tariq Mehmood Pasha,	30-11-2022
49.	CVD-038 Tokota Cotona car	1 5010	SAPM on Revenue	ļ
		1	Mr. Shabir Ahmed Usmani,	
50.	GAE-51811onda Civie car	2017	Ex- Coordination to the Prime Minister on Religious	02-12-2022
İ			Affairs & Interfaith Harmony	ļ
51.	GAE-7371 Ionda Civic car	2017	Rana Mubashir Iqbai, SAPM	26-01-2023
	 	1	Mr. Fahd Haroon,	1
52.	GY-469 Toyota Corolla car	1 2018	Ex-SAPM on Public Communication	24-05-2023
1		i	& Digital Platform	<u> </u>
53.	GY-926 Honda Civic car	2012	Mr. Jehanzeb Khan, Ex-SAPM	08-03-2023
	- 	 	Makhdoomzada Syed Basit Ahmad Sultan,	28-7-2022
¦ 54.	GAB-41 Hlerda Civic car	2015	Ex-Chairman Parliamentary Committee on Kashmir	13-7-10-2
-			Mr. Muhammad Jawad Sohrab Malik	15-06-2023
	GAC-033 Honda Civic car	2015	Ex-SAPM on Interior	1

*Question No. 24 **Senator Dr. Afnan Ullah Khan**: (Notice Received on 15/08/2023 at 3:44 PM) QID:41475

Will the Minister In-charge of the Establishment Division be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that candidates/officers selected for Audit and Accounts group through CSS examination during the last five years do not passes the required educational qualifications of Accounts or Audit, if so, the details and reasons thereof; and
- (b) whether it is also a fact that a number of candidates with the required educational qualifications of Accounts and Audit have been selected for other APG groups, if so, the details and reasons thereof?

Minister In-charge of the Establishment Division: (a) Minimum educational qualification for appearance in the CSS Exam is Second Division or Grade "C" Bachelor Degree in any faculty/discipline. Occupational Groups are allocated to successful candidates in terms of their order of merit and preference of the candidate irrespective of any specific discipline. However, details are at Annex-I.

(b) No specific educational qualification for Audit & Accounts is required or any of the 12 Occupational Groups included in the scheme of recruitment through CSS Competitive Examination. It is possible that the candidates allocated to any occupational group may have an educational qualification relating to a discipline of Audit & Accounts. Details are at **Annex-II**.

Annex-I

DETAIL OF CSS CANDIDATES/OFFICERS ALLOCTED TO PAKISTAN AUDIT AND ACCOUNTS SERVICE & HAVING BACHELOR'S DEGREEE OTHER THAN AUDIT & ACCOUNTS DISCIPLINE

		CSS-	2018		
Sr.	Applicant Name	Highest Qualification	Sr.	Applicant Name	Highest Qualification
Ĩ	Aqsa Lodhi	M.Phil.	13	Ahsan Ali	B.E.
2	Muhammad Bilal	M.Sc. (H)	14	Muhammad Bilal Naseer	B.Sc -
3	Ghulam Mustafa	B.A.	15	Ghazanfar Ilyas	M.Phil.
4	Amna Zulfiqar	M.B.B.S	16	Akram Ali	M.A.
5	Maryam Khalid	M.Phil.	17	Mushahid Hussain	B.Sc. (Civil Engg.)
6	Munawar Hussain	B.Sc. (Elect. Engg)	18	Sadia Waheed	M.Sc.
7	Abu Saeed Arif	M.Sc.	19	Abdul Rauf	B.E.
8	Farwa Hussain	M.Phil.	20	Hasnain Ali Vistro	B.A. (Hons)
9	Rabia Muneer	B.S.	21	Ahmed Iqbal	B.S.C.S
10	Hafiz Muhammad Anwar Ul Haq	B.A. (Hons)	22	Muhammad Azam	M.A.
11	Wajahat Saleem	M.D.	23	Saeed Ur Rahman	B.A.
12	Sara Zainab	M.B.B.S			
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Sr.	Applicant Name	Highest Qualification	Sr.		Highest Qualification
1	Qasim Javed Butt	B.Sc. (Engg)	8	Farakh Jamal	B.Sc. (Mech.Engg.)
2	Ali Hassan	B.S.	9	Sami Ullah	M.B.B.S
3	Ahmed Ghazi	B.Sc. (Hons)	10	Marmareen Sumbal	B.Sc. (Hons)
4	Moiz Agha	M.S.	11	Munim Matin Afridi	B.Sc
5	Zermeen Aamer	B.Sc. (Hons)	12	Agha Shahriyar Khan	B.E.
6	Naveed Anjum	L.L.B.	13	Ramsha Tariq	B.S.
7	Mubra Tariq	B.S.(Hons)			
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Sr.	Applicant Name	Highest Qualification	Sr.		Highest Qualification
1	Muhammad Waqas	B.S.	14	Muhammad Taimoor Khan	B.A.
2	Muhammad Raheel Riaz	B.S.	15	Amna Mujahid	B.S.
3	Mohsin Gulzar	B.E.	16	Anam Wajceha Awan	M.Phil.
4	Muhammad Asad Riaz	M.B.B.S	17	Samia Niazi	M.Phil.
5	Rushna Imdad	B.Sc. (Hons)	18	Abdul Khalique	B.Sc
6	Mizna Nasir	B.Sc. (Engg)	19	Gul Hassan	B.A. (Hons)
7	Numair Liaqat	B.Sc. (Hons)	20	Mansoor Ahmed	B.E.
8	Zia Ur Rehman	M.S.	21	Ayesha Siddique Khan	B.S.
9	Muhammad Usman Manzoor	B.Sc. (Engg)	22	Aamir Amir	Ph.D
10	Abbas Maalik Wattoo	B.S (Cs)	23	Salimullah Khan Ayubi	B.E.
11	Pakeeza	M.Phil.	24	Alishba	B.Sc
12	Tamveel Mujahid	M.Phil.	25	Adeel Ali	B.E.
13	Awais Khan	B.Sc	26	Shafique Ahmed	B.E.

		· CSS-	2021		
Sr.	Applicant Name	Highest Qualification	Sr.	Applicant Name	Highest Qualification
1	Rana Ahmad Hafeez	L.L.B (Hons)	10	Qurat Ul Ain	M.B.B.S
2	Muhammad Hamza	B.S.	11	Sajjad Rehman Khuhro	B.E.
3	Sahar Ali	B.S.(Hons)	12	Altaf Hussain Shah	B.E.
4	Abdul Haseeb Asghar	B.Sc. (Hons)	13	Bushra	B.E.
5	Muhammad Azwar Khan	M.Sc.	14	Nasim Gul Soomro	M.B.A.
6	Warda Ghazal	M.B.B.S	15	Hadia Mukhtar	B.A.
7	Muhammad Shahrukh Haider	B.S.	16	Novaira Khan	B.Sc
8	Usman Ali	B.C.E.	-17-	Bilour Khan	M.Sc. (Engg)
9	Mian Hammad Ali	L.L.B.	18.	Asfantagin Khan	B.S.
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Sr.	Applicant Name	Highest Qualification	Sr.	Applicant Name	Highest Qualification
1	Mudassar Nisar	B.Sc. (Elect.Engg)	14	Muhammad Abubakar Farooqui	B.S.
2	Beenish Younis Cheema	B.E.	15	Umair Bukhari	B.S.
3	Muhammad Rizwan Talib	B.Sc	16	Muhammad Abdullah	B.Sc
4	Asad Ullah Malik	M.S.	17	Shiza Malik	M.S.
5	Muhammad Ahmad Asif	B.Sc. (Engg)	18	Farhan Sher	B.E.
6	Muhammad Shahrez Rafiq	B.S.	19	Murtaza Hussain	B.E.
7	Maria Hameed	B.Sc	20	Faryal Shuaib	M.Phil.
8	Hasnat Ahmed Khan Niazi	B. Sc (Software Engg.)	21	Muhammad Yaseen	B.Sc
9	Syed Mehdi Shah Al Mosavi	B.E.	22	Fasieh Ahmed Jalbani	M.Sc.
10	Ramish Khalil	B.Sc. (Engg)	23	Nirmal	M.Sc.
-1.1	, Muhammad Umar Draaz	B.Sc. (Mech.Engg.)	24	Erfan Mushtaq	B.Sc
12	Muhammad Ibrar Ibrahim	B.Sc	25	Mirza Ameen Hyder	B.Sc. (Hons)
14				Syed Munam Ali Zaidi	

Annex-II

DETAIL OF CSS CANDIDATES/OFFICERS ALLOCTED TO OTHER GROUPS/ SERVICES & HAVING BACHELOR'S DEGREEE RELATING TO AUDIT & ACCOUN DISCIPLINE

CSS-2018										
Sr.	Applicant Name	Highest Qualification	Sr.	Applicant Name	Highest Qualification					
1	Saifullah	M.B.A	6	Mariya Farheen	M.B.A					
2	Sadia Iqbal	M.B.A	7	Shahab Uddin	M.B.A					
3	Nighat Baig	M.B.A	8	Labiqa Akram	M.B.A					
4	Ghulam Mujtaba	M.B.A	. 9	Ahmed Nawaz	M.B.A					
5	Saba Shouket	M.B.A	10	Muhammad Usman	M.B.A					

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Sr.	Applicant Name	Highest Qualification	Sr.		Highest Qualification
1	Sabah Karim	M.B.A	6	Muhammad Zain ul Abadeen	M.B.A
2	Rukhsana Naz	M.B.A	7	Moomal Shahab	M.B.A
3	Maria Latif	M.B.A	. 8	Madiha Narejo	M.B.A
4	Asghar Ali Khan	C.A	9	Farheen Hassan	M.B.A
5	Shaffaque Mehboob	M.B.A			
		CSS	S-2020		
Sr.	Applicant Name	Highest Qualification	Sr.	Applicant Name	Highest Qualification
1	Hassan Jawad	M.B.A 4		Nida Saman	M.B.A
2	Muhammad Ateeq Akbar	C.A. (Inter)	5.	Syed Abdul Rahman	ACCA
3	Summaya Afaq	M.B.A	y .	1	
		CSS	S-2021		
Sr.	Applicant Name	Highest Qualification	Sr.	Applicant Name	Highest Qualification
1	Nimra Naeem	M.B.A	4	Ayesha Saeed	ACCA
2	Huda Tahir	M.B.A	5	Firasat Ullah Afridi	M.B.A
3	Ayesha Gulzar	M.B.A			
		CS	S-2022		
Sr.	Applicant Name	Highest Qualification	Sr.	Applicant Name	Highest Qualification
1	Mina Alam	M.B.A	3	Rabbia Ijaz	M.B.A
2	Anila Batool	M.B.A	4	Mehak Batool	M.B.A
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*Question No. 25 **Senator Dr. Afnan Ullah Khan:** (Notice Received on 16/08/2023 at 11:27 AM) QID:41480

Will the Minister In-charge of the Cabinet Division be pleased to state whether it is fact that OGRA, allows the usage of its official vehicles for private purposes on rent / payment basis, if so, the details of official vehicles allowed for private usage during the last six months indicating also the per km rent/payment charged for the same in each case?

Minister In-charge of the Cabinet Division: In the light of powers conferred under the OGRA Ordinance 2002, Regulation 84(4) OGRA's Service Regulations 2005 the OGRA Executives/Officers have been allowed the facility of hiring of car:

"Cost of Travelling: The mileage allowance ***@Rs.15/- per kilometer shall be admissible for using personal car or for hiring a taxi for official purposes. Further, subject to availability, the same rate shall be

charged for hiring of OGRA's pool vehicles for personal use by the Executives."

2. The details of payment by officers for utilization of official vehicles for personal use by OGRA employees with effect from March 2023 to August 2023 is attached as **Annex-I**.

Annex-I

Sr.#	Vehicle No.	Utilized KM	Rate per KM charged (as & when required by its officers subject to availability of vehicles)	Payment Charged/ Received (in Rs.)		
1	GV-785	60	Rs.15/- per KM charged pursuant to the Decision of the Authority	900/-		
2	GAD-019	710	-do-	10,650/-		
3	GAE-099	180	-do-	2,700/-		
4	GAF-880	96	-do-	1,440/-		
5	GAF-990	209	-do-	3,135/-		
6	GY-190	546	-do-	8,190/-		
7	GAJ-990	1152	-do-	17,280/-		
8	GAK-092	84	-do-	1,260/-		
9	GAK-093	117	-do-	1,755/-		
10	GAK-096	853	-do-	12,795/-		
11	GAK-097	130	-do-	1,950/-		
12	GAF-075	31	-do-	465/-		
13	GAS-305	670	Rs.3/- as permissible under Staff Cars Rules 1980 of the Cabinet Division	2,010/-		
14	GAT-74	3300	-do-	9,900/-		
15	GAF-079	3053	-do-	9,159/-		

^{*}Question No. 26 **Senator Mushtaq Ahmed:** (Notice Received on 16/08/2023 at 11:38 AM) QID:41478

Will the Minister for Housing and Works be pleased to state whether it is a fact that the electricity connection of Federal Lodges (QASR-E-NAAZ) has been disconnected due to non-payment of bills despite repeated reminders sent by the concerned administration to the Ministry of Housing and Work, if so, the reasons thereof indicating also the disciplinary action to be taken against the responsible persons and the date by which to the payment will be made?

Minister for Housing and Works: Due to financial constraints, meager funds amounting to Rs.5.80 million have been allocated in the

current financial year 2023-24 in the head account A03303 (Electricity) for Qasr-e-Naz Lodge, South Zone, Karachi. Out of Rs. 5.80 million, Rs.0.87 million have been released @ 15%. KESC bill is Rs. 7.26 for the month of September, 2023 along with arrears and the electricity connection has been disconnected in June, 2023 (Detail is Annex-I).

As per the statement of KESC, electricity connection will be restored after payment of complete amount along with arrears.

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*Question No. 27 **Senator Bahramand Khan Tangi**: (Notice Received on 21/08/2023 at 2:17 PM) QID:41138

Will the Minister In-charge of the Establishment Division be pleased to state the details / number of official / personal staff entitled to BS 20-22 serving officers of Federal Government at their residence?

Minister In-charge of the Establishment Division: Presently, serving Officers in BS-20-22 of the Federal Government are not entitled to have any official / personal staff at their residences.

*Question No. 28 **Senator Syed Waqar Mehdi:** (Notice Received on 21/08/2023 at 3:28 PM) QID:41452

Will the Minister for Housing and Works be pleased to state the names, parentage, CNIC No., Designation, place of domicile, name of current and previous department, details of previous allotment, if any, and length of service of the Government employees who have been allotted Cat-IV/D-Type Government accommodation by the Estate Office in Islamabad during the last two years indicating also the address of the accommodation and rule under which the allotment has been made in each case?

Reply Not Received.

*Question No. 29 **Senator Bahramand Khan Tangi:** (Notice Received on 22/08/2023 at 11:47 AM) QID:41306

Will the Minister for Climate Change and Environmental Coordination be pleased to state the details of Climatic challenges being faced by the country at present indicating also the steps being taken by the Government to tackle the same?

Mr. Ahmad Irfan Asalam: Despite a meagre overall contribution to the greenhouse gases, Pakistan is greatly affected by the climate threats including water stress, desertification, glacier melting, melting, extreme weather events and spread of diseases. These threats pose severe challenges to Pakistan in terms of ecology, agriculture, economic development. The challenges facing Pakistan are enumerated as under:

- Glacial Lake Outburst Floods:
 There has been a 300% increase in GLOF events in just one year
- Global Warming: High intensity heatwave persistence has increased to 41 days per year. Hottest cities in the world for three years straight 53.7 C
- Erratic Weather: Over the last decades, unprecedented monsoon rains have wreaked havoc with increased intensity over the years. Pakistan suffered a loss of 30 billion USD in last year's floods.
- Water Scarcity: It is expected that there will be absolute water scarcity by 2025.
- Food Insecurity: expected to rise from 40% to 60% by 2050
- Sea-level rise: It is expected that along the coast may rise, by 2 to 3 feet by 2100, threatening the existence of cities of Thatta, Badin and Karachi.
- CC induced Migration: Threefold increase in climate induced migration from 0.7 M to 2.0 M by 2050

The Government of Pakistan is aware of the dire situation and has taken a number of pro-active initiatives which are as under:

- 1. Benefiting optimally from the Global Shield initiative, announced at COP-27 paving the way to leverage climate-risk financing;
- 2. Preparation for voluntary carbon market framework, which will provide guidance in the establishment of carbon markets in Pakistan
- 3. Joined the Plastic Free Rivers and Seas for South Asia (PLEASE) initiative for effective plastic waste management in future and to get access to international financing for the same;
- 4. National Adaptation Plan has been developed which will steer the adaptation process with regard to climate change;
- 5. Strengthening Adaptation and Resilience (SAR) Project for climate change has interventions for climate resilience in priority sectors as

- identified by provincial stakeholders comprising of WASH, Health and Agriculture;
- 6. Pakistan has joined the Saudi and Middle East Green Initiative-(SMGI) which target planting or regenerating 50 billion trees across the region equivalent to 200 million hectares of land in regional member countries in Central Asia, West Asia, South Asia, North Africa and Sub-Sharan Africa to promote nature-based solutions and ecosystem-based approaches;
- 7. Pakistan has endorsed the Forest Climate Change Leaders Partnership proposed by the UK Government to halt and reverse forest loss and land degradation by 2030;
- 8. Pakistan has launched National Tree Plantation Campaign with the target of Planting of 303.77 million trees during Monsoon 2022 season out of which 71 million trees have been planted all over Pakistan so far;
- 9. National Clean Air Policy has been developed aiming to provide a framework for improving air quality in Pakistan. It is a national document and therefore focuses on actions at the national scale that can achieve improvements in air quality;
- 10. The "National Hazardous Waste Management Policy, 2022" has been developed which is a milestone achievement in addressing the issue of hazardous waste management in Pakistan. It enabled Pakistan to play a pivotal role in meeting the obligations under the Basel Convention on the Control of Transboundary Movements of Hazardous Wastes and their Disposal. In addition, it would also help Pakistan achieve the relevant Sustainable Development Goals and avail extension of the European Union's GSP Plus status post 2023.
- 11. The Living Indus Initiative aims to rejuvenate the Indus Basin into a thriving system by repairing and restoring the natural resources and ecosystems that are resilient in the face of climate change. The initiative proposes a diverse set of 25 interventions to initiate coordinated executive efforts to restore the health of the basin with particular focus on water, ecology, biodiversity, and agriculture sectors.

- 12. With a total budget of US \$77.8 million, Recharge Pakistan project focused on building Pakistan's climate resilience through eco-system-based adaptation for integrated flood management, better climate resilience, water, food, and energy security, and sustainable livelihoods in Pakistan. Its main components are enhancing resilience of vulnerable communities, and paradigm shift towards eco-based adaptation at critical tipping points within the country,
- 13. GLOF-II project is being implemented for helping vulnerable communities in the provinces of GB and KP, with objective to empower communities to identify and manage GLOFs risks, and related impacts of climate change, strengthen public services and improve community preparedness and disaster response capacities.

*Question No. 30 **Senator Bahramand Khan Tangi:** (Notice Received on 22/08/2023 at 11:49 AM) QID:41340

Will the Minister In-charge of the Establishment Division be pleased to state the number of officers in BPS-20 and above working in the Federal Government departments with grade-wise and province-wise breakup indicating also the salaries, allowances and other fringe benefits admissible to them?

Minister In-charge of the Establishment Division: The working strength of employees in BS-20 & above in Federal Secretariat/ Attached Departments/ Constitutional Bodies as per Annual Statistical Bulletin is as follow:

Classification	BPS-20	BPS-21	BPS-22	Total
Federal	284	116	52	452
Secretariat				
Attached	856	276	30	1162
Departments/				
Constitutional				
Bodies				

The province wise break up of employees working in BS-20 and above is at **Annex-I**. Furthermore, the matter of detail of salaries, allowances and other fringe benefits admissible to BPS-20 to 22 officers working in Federal Government Departments is the domain of the Finance Division. Accordingly Finance Division has been requested to provide the said details.

Annex-I

Government of Pakistan Establishment Division Pakistan Public Administration Research Centre Ground Floor, LG&RD Complex, G-5/2 Islamabad

<u>Province Wise Break up of Employees Working in BS-20 and Above in Federal Government Departments</u>

Federal Secretariat

Basic Total Islamabad Scale	Total	Islamabad	Punjab	Si	indh	KP	Balochistan	AJ&K	GB	FATA
		Rural	Urban							
22	52	0	28	5	8	8	2	0	0	1
21	116	4	59	12	11	21	2	5	2	0
20	284	8	154	27	14	51	12	8	2	8

Attached Departments/ Constitutional Bodies

Basic	Total	Islamabad	Punjab	S	indh	KP	Balochistan	AJ&K	GB	FATA
Scale				Rural	Urban					
22	30	1	16	5	4	3	1	0	0	0
21	276	3	140	24	33	51	14	2	1	8
20	856	31	460	87	64	116	37	14	8	39

*Question No. 31 **Senator Dr. Zarqa Suharwardy Taimur:** (Notice Received on 22/08/2023 at 3:54 PM) QID:41503

Will the Minister for Aviation be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that PIA has earned profit in first quarter of 2023 i.e. from January to March, if so, its details;
- (b) the details of operational profits earned by PIA during the period from 2019 to 2023 with year-wise break up; and
- (c) whether it is a fact that despite yielding considerable profits the Government has announced to privatize the national carrier, if so, its reasons?

Reply Not Received.

*Question No. 32 **Senator Quratulain Marri:** (Notice Received on 23/08/2023 at 2:31 PM) QID:41514

Will the Minister for Poverty Alleviation and Social Safety be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of children enrolled in and budget allocated for the Benazir Taleemi Wazaif Programme during the FY 2021-22 and 2022-23 separately; and
- (b) whether there is any proposal under consideration of the Government to enroll new children in the said programme during the FY 2023-24, if so, the details thereof?

Minister for Poverty Alleviation and Social Safety: (a) The budget allocated for Taleemi Wazaif Program along with number of active enrolled children for the last two fiscal years is given as below:

FY	Budget Allocated (PKR)	Number of Active Enrolled Children
2021-22	20.48 Billion	3.47 Million
2022-23	40.57 Billion	7.52 Million

(b) Yes, BISP has projected to reach **9.2 Million** active enrolled children till the end of current Fiscal Year (2023-2024) with the projected budget of **Rs. 55.42 Billion**.

*Question No. 33 **Senator Quratulain Marri:** (Notice Received on 23/08/2023 at 2:32 PM) QID:41327

Will the Minister for Poverty Alleviation and Social Safety be pleased to state:

- (a) the budget allocated for the Benazir Kafaalat programme during the fiscal years 2021-22 and 2022-23 indicating also the number of beneficiaries of the same during that period with year wise breakup; and
- (b) whether it is a fact that cash assistance to the beneficiaries of the said programme has been increased during the tenure of present Government, if so, the details thereof?

Minister for Poverty Alleviation and Social Safety: (a) It is apprised that the budget allocation for Benazir Kafaalat Programme during the fiscal year 2021-22 & 2022-23 and number of beneficiaries benefited during the said period is tabulated hereunder;

Sr.	Financial Year	Beneficiaries	Budget
		(In millions)	(In Billions PKR)
1.	FY 2021-22	7.76	168.246
2.	FY 2022-23	9.00	274.096

(b) It is further apprised that Cash Assistance to Benazir Kafaalat beneficiaries has been increased @ 25% w.e.f. January 1, 2023 as per the inflation indexation policy. The stipend amount of quarterly installment is Rs. 8,750/- per beneficiary, showing an increase of Rs. 1750/- per beneficiary from previously paid stipend of Rs.7,000/- per beneficiary.

*Question No. 34 **Senator Quratulain Marri:** (Notice Received on 23/08/2023 at 2:34 PM) QID:41288

Will the Minister for Poverty Alleviation and Social Safety be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of Benazir Income Support Programme beneficiaries blocked under the Benazir Kafaalat Programme, during the year 2019-20 with province wise breakup indicating also the criteria adopted for the same;
- (b) whether any right of appeal was given to those blocked beneficiaries, if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons thereof; and
- (c) the steps taken/being taken by the Government to reinstate the blocked beneficiaries of the said program?

Minister for Poverty Alleviation and Social Safety: (a) It is apprised that in December, 2019 BISP beneficiary profiling exercise was conducted by NADRA. The exercise was conducted on 5,783,389 BISP beneficiaries on a set of seven broad parameters. As a result of beneficiary profiling 820,165 beneficiaries were screened out as they fell in the abovementioned categories. The accounts of 820,165 beneficiaries were blocked immediately. Province/Region wise counts are as under:-

Sr No.	Province Region	Count
1	Azad Jammu & Kashmir	17,367
2	Baluchistan	45,270
3	Islamabad	2,074
4	FATAs	40,231
5	Gilgit Baltistan	8,297
6	Khyber Pakhtunkhwa	280,603
7	Punjab	243,314
8	Sindh	183,009
	Grand Total	820,165

820,165 beneficiaries exited as they fell in the following exclusion filters:

Categories/Criteria

Travelled abroad (self) once	
Travelled abroad (spouse) once	
Travelled abroad (self) more than once	
Travelled abroad (spouse) more than once	
One or more vehicles registered (self)	
One or more vehicles registered(spouse)	
Average monthly PTCL bill of more than	PKR 1,000 (self)
Average monthly PTCL bill of more than	PKR 1,000 (spouse)
Applied passport via executive centers (se	lf)
Applied passport via executive centers (sp	ouse)
Beneficiary's three or more family member	ers applied CNIC with executive fee
Government employee (self)	
Government employee (spouse)	

- (b) Since their exclusion from the program, right to appeal was not provided as data required from various departments was not available with NADRA and there were issues in data integration of various Federal and Provincial organizations.
- (c) After removal of above mentioned exclusion filters, 262, 291 beneficiaries falling within PMT score of 32.00 and not blocked on any other exclusion filters such as Government employee, High Income, dead etc. have become part of payment process.

*Question No. 35 **Senator Dr. Zarqa Suharwardy Taimur:** (Notice Received on 23/08/2023 at 3:57 PM) QID:41516

Will the Minister for Aviation be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Government has signed an advisory service agreement in March, 2023 to hand over

operations of three Pakistani international airports to a foreign country, if so, the details thereof indicating also the names of the airports, the name of the country to which the same have been outsourced and the period for which outsourced; and

(b) the amount earned/expected to be earned from the outsourcing of those airports?

Minister for Aviation: (a) It is apprised that a Transaction Advisory Services Agreement (TASA) has been signed by Pakistan Civil Aviation Authority with International Finance Corporation. (IFC), a subsidiary of World Bank Group on 11th April, 2023 after obtaining approval from the then Federal Cabinet in line with the Public Private Partnership Authority (P3A) Act and its relevant regulations for outsourcing the operations of three international airports of Islamabad, Karachi and Lahore. A Steering Committee constituted by the then Prime Minister of Pakistan has been overseeing the process of outsourcing of airports headed by the Minister for Finance.

IFC will act as a Transactional advisor for the outsourcing of airports. Islamabad International Airport has been selected to be outsourced at first for which tender documents have been advertised in international and national press with the date of opening of bids fixed as 9th November, 2023. In this regard, a pre-bid meeting has been held on 26th September, 2023. It has also been decided that Islamabad International Airport would be outsourced for a period of 15 years, whereas the time period of the remaining two airports would be decided by the Federal Government on the basis of the detailed study to be prepared by IFC. The name of the successful bidder would be known once the bidding process is completed. It is expected that award of concession for outsourcing of Islamabad International Airport should be completed before June, 2024.

Another important aspect that needs to be highlighted is that only the operation and management of Passenger Terminal Building, the landside of the airport including Carpark and its Apron as well as Cargo Terminal shall be outsourced for Islamabad International Airport whereas Airside including the Runways & Taxiways, Rescue & Fire Fighting Services, Air Traffic Control Tower as well as the Air Navigation services such as Air Traffic Services, Navigational services, Radar, etc. shall remain with Pakistan Civil Aviation Authority.

It has also been decided to outsource the remaining two airports in a sequence, i.e. one by one.

(b) Necessary analysis in this regard for Islamabad International Airport has been completed. The amounts to be earned would be on the basis of two aspects namely a fixed initial amount to be paid by the successful bidder at the time of award of work and a percentage of revenue earned from the airport. However, a one-time initial payment of US \$ 100 Million would be required to be paid by the successful bidder. The amounts for airports located in Karachi and Lahore would be finalized on the basis of the analysis prepared by IFC in due course of time.

*Question No. 36 **Senator Sania Nishtar**: (Notice Received on 24/08/2023 at 11:54 AM) QID:41204

Will the Minister for Poverty Alleviation and Social Safety be pleased to state the present status of implementation of the Ehsaas Catastrophic Healthcare Expenditure Policy?

Minister for Poverty Alleviation and Social Safety: The Catastrophic Healthcare Expenditure (CHE) Policy was approved by the Federal Cabinet on 14th March 2022. Sehat Tahafuz Program (STP) in accordance to the CHE Policy is complementing the Sehat Sahulat/Sehat Card Program which is being administered by the Ministry of National Health Services.

The Sehat Tahafuz Program (STP) is a Rs. 1,989 million PSDP project, with an implementation period from 2021 to 2024 and manifestion of the CHE Policy. STP is a Shock-Oriented safety net program providing medical coverage against Catastrophic Healthcare Expenditure to vulnerable communities, through empanelled Public Sector Hospitals. The program covers ~900 treatment packages spanning 21 medical departments. Under STP, medical assistance has been provided to 17,953 beneficiaries in the following major categories:

Cardiology	563
Gastroenterology	1413
Internal Medicine	3124
Paediatrics	1911
Cochlear Implantation	188
Others	10754

Presently, 14 hospitals across Pakistan are empanelled with the STP. However, the program is in the process of expanding its operations to additional ~ 30 hospitals in the poorest districts of Pakistan.

*Question No. 37 **Senator Sania Nishtar:** (Notice Received on 25/08/2023 at 1:45 PM) QID:40810

Will the Minister for Poverty Alleviation and Social Safety be pleased to state if quarterly meetings of Ehsaas Governance observatory are being held indicating the status of compliance with Ehsaas Governance and integrity policy?

Minister for Poverty Alleviation and Social Safety: It is clarified that the word "Ehsaas" was prefixed with different programs of Ministry of Poverty Alleviation and Social Safety and its allied entities / organizations without any legal cover. Therefore, it may be noted that the word "Ehsaas" cannot be used with any of the programs / ongoing projects/policies of this Ministry and its ancillary organizations.

The Governance Observatory compliance is ensured by the Ministry and its ancillary organizations. In this regard, a baseline was developed and accordingly four bi-annual meetings were held, while last review meeting was held on June 30, 2023. The next review meeting of the policy is due on December 31, 2023.

*Question No. 38 **Senator Sania Nishtar:** (Notice Received on 25/08/2023 at 1:47 PM) QID:41332

Will the Minister for Poverty Alleviation and Social Safety be Pleased to state the budget allocated to the BISP during the fiscal year 2022-2023 and the details of its utilization?

Minister for Poverty Alleviation and Social Safety: The budget allocated to BISP during FY 2022-23 and the details of its Utilization is given below:

(Rs. in Million)

Sr. No	Particulars	Final Budget Allocation	Utilization
1	Benazir Kafaalat-UCTs	274,096	274,096
2	Wheat Seed Subsidy (Government of Sindh)	8,390	8,390
3	Emergency Flood Relief Cash Assistance	50,420	50,419
4	Benazir Taleemi Wazaif-CCTs	40,575	40,575
5	Benazir Nashonuma - Nutritional Program	20,661	20,661
6	BISP Scholarships for Undergraduates (BSU)	8,615	8,615
7	Complementary Initiatives	163	163
8	NSER Project Cost	1,650	1,650
9	Direct Cost of Cash Transfers	2,944	2,942
10	Media Communication & Outreach	45	32
11	Payment for Services Rendered	733	728
12	Policy Research Unit Cost	11	11
13	Procurement of Assets	287	250
14	Admin. & General Expenditures	3,743	3,729
772	Total	412,333	412,261

^{*}Question No. 39 **Senator Danesh Kumar:** (Notice Received on 28/08/2023 at 2:48 PM) QID:41441

Will the Minister for Aviation be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is fact that PlA planes operating on long routes are still equipped with old model of inflight entertainment system, if so, the reasons thereof; and
- (b) the steps taken / being taken by the Government to upgrade the said system as per international standards indicating also the estimated cost and funds allocated for the same during the current financial year?

Minister for Aviation: (a) Seat Back IFE is only installed on PIA B777 airplanes. These airplanes are installed with M/S Panasonic MAS 3000/3000i IFE system and two airplanes are equipped with M/s Rockwell

Collins, but both of the systems are facing phase out and are now obsolete in aviation industry.

(b) Considering the current financial situation of PIA, the management has initiated a small-scale measure to introduce a portable entertainment system on personal devices of the passengers (such as smart phones, laptops, tablets etc.). This interim approach will offer a relatively swift and cost-effective solution for, PIA fleet.

*Question No. 40 **Senator Danesh Kumar:** (Notice Received on 28/08/2023 at 2:48 PM) QID:41384

Will the Minister for Aviation be pleased to state:

- (a) the names of countries / cities where PIA has established its offices indicating also the status of property (owned by PIA or hired on rent) in each case; and
- (b) the expenditure incurred on payment of rent of the said offices during the last three years with year wise break up?

Minister for Aviation: (a) The lists of countries / cites where PIA established its offices with status of property owned by PIA or hired on rent is at **Annex-I**.

(b) The list of expenditure incurred on payment of rent of the offices during the last three years is at **Annex-II**.

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Names of cities/ countries where PIA established its offices indicating also the status of property - Owned Properties

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PIA Open Plot ISB	Plot No. 57, Blue Area, Islamabad.	Islamabad	Pakistan	4608 sq.yds	01/01/2023 to 31/12/2023	200000 . Owned	

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Size	1 9200 sq.ft	95 Sq.meter	243
Country	USA	Netherland	Uzbekistan
, d	New York	Amsterdam	Tashkent
Location & Address	55 saxon woods road, Scarsdale New York ,USA	APT 835 Van Neijienrodeweg Amsterdam.	Drubba Narodov ST. Building No.4,
Name of Property	General Manager Residence	PIA Apartment at Ams	PIA Tashkent Property
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	District Sales Office, Sukkur.	House No. CS 550/34 Near Ali Filling Stations, Minara Road,	Sukkur	Pakistan	5208	01/01/2020	300000	Rented
100 To 10	Office,	Plot No. 112-8, Blcok B, Modeal Town B,	Bahawalpur	Pakistan	1890	01/12/2022	120000	Rented
	Office, r Khan.	04 - New Office Colony Abu Dhabi Road,	R.Y. Khan	Pakistan	2236	01/05/2021	81250	Rented
	Office,	Ghanta Ghar, Golbargh, Block E,	D. G. Khan	Pakistan	519	11/11/2021	35000	Rented
5 Sialkot.		Kaleem Tower, Raja Road, Near Abdullah Imam Bargha,	Sialkot	Pakistan	4000	01/01/2022	220000	Rented
6 Kharian.	C	G.T Road, Kharian Cantt.	Kharian	Pakistan	3300	01/01/2018	106250	Rented
PIA Medical Center,	Center,	Chaklala House No. 4946/1634, Mouza Gangal	Islamabad/.	Pakistan	1,476 Ground Floor, + 1,476 1st Floor	31/03/2022 28/02/2025	231250	Rented
		(near razai Iown) Old Airport Road,	Rawalpindi	Pakistan	204 basement	15/07/2022	20000	Rented
PIA Sales Office, Gilgit		CSD Complex Gilgit, HQ. FCNA.	*	Pakistan	1630	01/07/2020	78125	Rented

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	3600	161134	37500	26000	46874	28600	00099	24000
	04/03/2021	01/01/2022	01/07/2023	05/06/2023	04/03/2021	01/03/2021	01/10/2022	01/10/2022
	300	5700	2064	758	828	1950	480	009
	Pakistan	Pakistan	Pakistan	Pakistan	Pakistan	Pakistan	Pakistan	Pakistan
	Gilgit	Mirpur (AK)	Bannu	Zhob	Dalbandin	Skardu	Hyderabad	D.I. Khan
	W/s. Muhammad Musa, Shop No. 01, located at Khomer Yarkot, Asif Market	Al-Rehman Building Allama Iqbal Road,	Haji Gulzar Building Ground Floor,	11 - A Market Road,	Dawood Hotel, London	Ground Floor, Bottel NECK Palaza/Hotel.	Brujal mehran Tandi Sarak	Shop No. 26, Abdullah Medical Centre
	PIA Sales Office (Store) Gilgit.		PIA Sales Office, Bannu.	PIA Sales Office, Zhob.	PIA Sales Office, Dalbandin.	PIA Sales Office, Skardu.	PIA Sales Office, Hyderabad.	PIA Sales Office, S Dera Ismil Khan
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Rent Per Month	SAR 171,649 +15% VAT Per Annum	SAR 57,869 Per Annum
Date of Rental Agreement	16 ZUL HAJJ 1433AH	01/03/2022
Area Sq. Pt	87.8 Sq. Ft	17.25 Sq. Meter
Country	Saudi Arabia	Saudi Arabia
Clty	Dammam	Madinah
Location & Address	King Fahad Int'l Airport Office.	Office No. 16 King Abdul Aziz International Airport Madinah.
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	01/01/2023 31/12/2023	01/01/2023	01/01/2023	01/01/2023 31/12/2023	October 2021 October 2023	16/11/2019	01/01/2021	10/01/2020	01/01/2022	10/01/2014	On Monthly Basis
	27.07 Sq. Meter	93.65 Sq. Meter	483 Sq. Ft	1,696 Sq. Ft	415 Sq. Meter (Ground Floor. 200 Sq. Meter Mezz anine Floor 215 Sq Meter)	1,594 Sq. Ft	N/A	106 Sq. Meter	29.65	2,356	1,029 5q. Ft
	UAE	UAE	UAE	UAE	Iran	Malaysia	Malaysia	China	China	Canada	Canada
	Abu Dhabi	Abu Dhabi	Dubai	Dubai	Tehran	Kuala Lumpur Malaysia	Kuala Lumpur Malaysia	Beijing	Beijing	Toronto	Toronto
			Premises ID 09-TB1-1013 & 09-TB1-1015 Dubai Airport Terminal 1	CC4-GF-A008, Concourse-4, Dubai Airport. (Engineering Warehouse/Office).	Building No.48, Austad Najatullahi Avenue, Tehran.	Sdn Bhd, Wisma Chuang, 34 Jalan Sultan Ismail, 50250 Kuala Lumpur.	Lot No. 134, Mezzanine Level, Main Terminal Building, KL International Airport. Contract No. 310000000575	Room 1103, Tower 9, Jianwaisoho, Chaoyang District, Beljing.	Beijing Airport. Room 32091, Terminal 2.	56, Aberfoyle Crescent Suite 620, Toronto.	Toronto Pearson Airport Terminal 3 Room H09 Toronto.
	PIA Traffic Office (Airport).	PIA Engineering Office (Airport).	PHS Office at Airport.	PIA Engineering Office at Airport.	PIA Sales Office.	PIA Town / Sales Office.	PIA Airport Office.		Station Office Beijing B	Toronto Town Office.	Toronto Airport Office.
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31/05/2023 30/05/2026	03/07/2020	24/03/2020 24/03/2035	07/07/2021 20/07/2024	15/08/2022	22/10/2016 6 Month Periodic No Fixed End	10/01/2015 Rolling Lease
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vi 0	Name of Property	Location & Address	Clty	Country	So H	Date of Rental Agreement		Rent Per Rent Per Month 2021 Month 2022 Month 2023	Rent Per Month 2023	Annual Rent 2021	Annual Rent 2022	Annual Rent 2023	Total Rent Expenditure
-	District Sales Office, Sukkur,	House No. CS 550/34 Near Alf Filling Stations, Minara Road,	Sukkur	Pakistan	5208	01/01/2020	30000	30000	30000	3600000	3600000	3600000	10800000
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	PIA Sales Office, Bahawaipur.	Plot No. 112-8, Blcok B, Modeal Town B,			1890	01/12/2022	0	0	120000	0	130000	TANDOM	No.
m	PIA Sales Office, Rahim Yar Khan.	D4 - New Office Colorry Abu Dhabi Road,	R.Y. Khan	Pakistan	2236	01/05/2021	81250	81250	82150	975,000	000000	CONTRACT	DOODST
	PIA Sales Office	Khata No. 3065 House No. 11 Blook-15 DG Khan	DG Khan	Pakistan	1948	01-05-2020	65310	0	0	261340	20000	20000	2525000
4		Khata No. 3295 House No. 11 Blook-15 DG Khan	DG Khan	Pakistan	3292	01-09-2019	12187	12187		146344	07406	0 6	201740
	PIA Sales Office, D. G. Khan.	Ghanta Ghar, Golbargh, Block E,	D. G. Khan	Pakistan	519	11/11/2021	35000	35000	35000	Monor	85500	2	06/642
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	PIA Sales Office, Sialkot.	Kaleem Tower, Raja Road, Near Abdullah Imam Bargha,	Sialkot	Pakistan	4000	31/12/2024	0	220000	220000	0	880000	2640000	3520000
9	PIA Sales Office, Kharlan.	G.T.Road, Kharian Cantt.	Kharlan	Pakistan	3300	31/12/2018	106250	106250	106250	1275000	1275000	1275000	3825000
2 0	PIA Medical Center, 14 Rawalpindi.	Chaklala House No. 4946/1634, Mouza Gangal (near Fazal Town) Old	Islamabad/ Rawalpindi	Pakistan	Ground Ground Floor, + 1,476 1st	31/03/2019	185000	185000	0	2220000	255000	- 0	2775000
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2 2	PIA Medical Center, 45 Rawaipindi. (n	Chaklalı House No. 4945/1634, Mouza Gangal (near Fazal Town) Old	Islamabad/ Ravaipindi	Pakistan	1,476 Ground Floor,+ 1,476 1st	31/03/2022	231250	31250	231250	0	2081250	0005775	4856250

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	PIA Sales Office, Gilgit	GSD Complex Gilgit, HQ, FCNA.			1630	01/07/2020	62500	78126	78126	750000	843750	937512	2531262
0	PIA Sales Office (Store)	M/s. Muhammad Musa,	Gilgit	Pakistan						7			
	Gilgit.	Shop No. 01, located at Khomer Yarkot, Asif Market			300	03/03/2026	3600	3960	9556	36056	275.20	22772	125792
0	PIA Sales Office, Mirpur (A.K).	Al-Rehman Building Allama Iqbal Road,	Mirpur (AK)	Pakistan	8200	01/01/2022	161134	161134	161134	1933502	1933608	3092561	ACBON874
10	PIA Salar Office, Bannu.	Haji Guizar Building Ground Floor,	Bannu	Pakistan	2064	01/01/2020	37500	37500	37500	450000	450000	450000	1350000
=	PIA Sales Office,	11 - A Market Road,	Zhoh	1	920	01/01/2021	44000	44000	44000	528000	528000	528000	1584000
	7000.	11 - A Market Road,		Language	758	05/06/2023	0	0	26000	0	0	156000	155000
12	PIA Salas Office, Dalbandin.	Dawood Hotel, London	Dalbandin	Pakistan	828	04/03/2021	46874	46874	45874	468740	563480	887.033	31,0031
E	PtA Sales Office, Skardu,	Ground Floor, Bottel NECK Palaza/Hotel,	Skardu	Pakistan	1950	01/03/2024	28600	31460	34506	285000	Croose	A2520A.	1000001
4	PIA Sales Office, Hyderabad,	Brujal mehran Tandi Sarak	Hyderabad	Pakistan	480	01/10/2022	0	00099	00099	0	198000	792000	000066
15	PIA Sales Office DI Khan	Bungalow No.01-A, forth road DI Khan	2	0.00	4000	01-06-2020 31	78125	78125	0	937500	390625	0	1328125
= =	PIA Sales Office, Deta Ismil Khan	Shop No. 26, Abdullah Medical Centre	D.I. Khan	Pakistan	009	30/09/2025	0	24000	24000	0	73000	288000	DOUUSE
-			Total	Total Expenditure	ant					20,704,432	770,011,02	19,830,634	60,645,143

*Question No. 41 **Senator Fawzia Arshad:** (Notice Received on 29/08/2023 at 9:28 AM) QID:40428

Will the Minister In-charge of the Establishment Division be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that the Benevolent Fund is granting reimbursement of semester's fees up to University level to the dependent children of Federal Government employees, if so, the details of the BS and MS programmes which were allowed fee reimbursement; and
- (b) whether it is also a fact that few of the programmes were not covered under the above arrangement, if so, its reasons and the details of disallowed programmes?

Minister In-charge of the Establishment Division: (a) Yes, FEB&GIF in pursuance of Rule 25-A of FEBF&GI Rules, 1972 (amended from time to time) is paying reimbursement of semester /annual fee upto a maximum of Rs. 100,000/- per annum to every employee for professional education (degree programmes) of his or her two children in a year studying in Medical (MBBS&BDS), Engineering accredited by Pakistan Engineering Council, Architecture, IT (Computer Sciences, Software Engineering, Information Technology, Bio-Informatics, Information System), D-Pharmacy, Business Studies, (Business Administration, Accounting & Finance) upto MS/M.Phil levels (except Ph. D). For the purpose of this reimbursement of fee, children of Federal Government Employees should be enrolled in public sector universities, colleges and institutes duly recognized by Higher Education Commission and would have got admission on merit (Annexure-A).

(b) Yes, besides the above mentioned categories where reimbursement upto Rs.100,000/- is allowed, all other programmes are covered under educational stipend scheme that ranges from Rs.20,000 to Rs. 40.000 per annum for the students/children of the covered employees. It is informed that no program is disallowed for the purpose of stipend upto Rs.40,000/- per annum. All education degree programmes cannot be entertained under the fee reimbursement category (for payment of Rs. 100,000 per annum) as its financial implication would be too high & FEB & GIF is unable to cater such huge financial burden. As per Actuarial Report, the Group Insurance Fund (where from, fee reimbursement and education stipend etc., schemes are being paid) is in huge actuarial loss and keeping in view this, BoT in its 118th meeting rationalized the welfare

schemes and decided to curtail number of education stipends and fee reimbursement claims to 1000 each per annum (presently there is no limit on number of claims to be paid) respectively for which necessary amendment in FEBF&GI Rules 1972 is underway. Moreover, reimbursement to all such programmes would require significant increase in contribution rates as deducted from monthly salaries of the employees resulting in huge financial burden on the employees. The detail may be seen at (Annexure-B).

Annex-A

GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN CABINET SECRETARIAT ESTABLISHMENT DIVISION

TO BE PUBLISHED IN PART-II OF THE NEXT ISSUE OF THE EXTRA ORDINARY GAZETTE OF PAKISTAN.

Islamabad, the July 17, 2014

NOTIFICATION

S.R.O. (I)/2014.- In exercise of the powers conferred by section 23 of the Federal Employees Benevolent Fund and Group Insurance Act, 1969 (II of 1969), the Federal Government is pleased to direct that the following further amendments/additions shall be made in the Federal Employees Benevolent Fund and Group Insurance Rules, 1972, namely:-

- In the aforesaid Rules,
 - In rule-25, in sub-rule (3), after the words "PhD", the words "and MPhil" shall be omitted.
 - ii) After rule-25, the following new rule 25-A shall be added:

25-A Reimbursement of Semester / Annual Fees for Professional Education.

Reimbursement of actual semester / annual fees shall be admissible to every employee for professional education (degree programmes) of his or her two children in a year in Medical, Engineering, Architecture, IT and Business Studies except PhD in the public sector universities, colleges and institutes recognized by the Higher Education Commission for those children who get admission on merit basis.

Provided that the student shall have to obtain the minimum passing marks in all subjects/courses prescribed by the university, college or institute for his promotion to the next semester / class / professional year.

- Provided further that reimbursement will be made for the whole tenure/period prescribed for these studies but not for the semester in which the student fails in one or more subjects.
- This Notification shall be deemed to have taken effect from the academic year 2013-14.

(Muhammad Shahid Dayo)
Deputy Secretary (Admin)



GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN ESTABLISHMENT DIVISION FEDERAL EMPLOYEES BENEVOLENT AND GROUP INSURANCE FUNDS

No. 18-22/Act-Amdt/Plan/2013

December 16, 2013 .

CIRCULAR

Subject: EDUCATIONAL STIPENDS FOR OUTSTANDING CHILDREN OF THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES

The Board of Trustees, FEB & GI Funds as empowered under Rule-25(2 & 3) of the FEBF & GI Rules, 1972, has decided to revise the required percentage of marks and amount of Educational Stipends with effect from First day of December, 2013, as follows:

	4.4	Minimum	9.50
Category	Level of	Required	Amount
-	Study	percentage	(Rs.)
	Mar.	of made	9 4 -3
1	Intermediate	60% (for the children	20,000
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		70% (for the children	
		of employees in	Y
		BPS-11 and above	3
		or equivalent)	
II	Graduation	70%	24,000
(1)	Masters	70%	30,000
IV	Professionals	70%	40,000
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2. The aforesaid revised rates of Educational Stipends shall be admissible to the Federal Government non-gazetted employees (BPS-1 to BPS-15 or equivalent) from the First day of July, 2014 on receipt of contribution at the revised rates in respect of such employees from the Finance Division.

All Ministries/Divisions/Departments/Attached Departments/Sub-Ordinate Offices/Autonomous Bodies covered under FEBF & GI Schätte.

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*Question No. 42 **Senator Mushtaq Ahmed:** (Notice Received on 30/08/2023 at 9:11 AM) QID:41551

Will the Minister for Housing and Works be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that Federal Government Employees Housing Authority has announced to allot plots to general public in sectors G-12 and F-12, Islamabad, if so, the date / period during which the said land was acquired by the Government indicating also the rate at which the same was acquired;
- (b) whether it is also a fact that a Katchi abadi known as Mehar Abadi consisting of hundreds of houses, shops and markets etc. have been established/constructed on the said land, if so, the reasons for failure of the government to stop the said construction; and
- (c) whether it is further a fact that the Government, without taking the current owners and residents into confidence, acquired the land from the previous owners who have sold it to the current residents, if so, the procedure to be adopted for payment of compensation to the current owners of houses / shops and plots in the area?

Minister for Housing and Works: (a) • Yes, the Federal Government Employees Housing Authority has opened registration to allot plots to general public in sector G-12 and F-12, Islamabad on 27-08-2023.

- Award of land of Sectors F-12 & G-12 was announced by the Deputy Commissioner CDA on 30-06-1985 & 28-04-1985 respectively under section 25 of CDA Ordinance 1960.
- The said Sectors were allocated by the Federal Cabinet to the Federal Government Employees Housing Authority (FGEHA) vide Cabinet decision No. 455/26/2020 dated 07-07-2020. Since, there is no provision for de-notification the award once announced. Neither is there any provision in the Land Acquisition Act 1894, which allows for setting aside of an

award. Accordingly, Judgment of Land Award was passed by DC, FGEHA on 23-04-2021 after addressing the court orders and other relevant issues. The Rate for Award issued is Rs. 62,90,000+ 15% compulsory land acquisition charges (Total Rs. 72,33,500/-).

 Thereafter, a summary with the following proposal for amendment in Award was placed for approval from the Federal Cabinet:

"Entire record of Sectors G-12 & F-12 along with award issued in 1985 are withdrawn from CDA and assigned to FGEHA for decision of compensation, as per direction of Lahore High Court, Rawalpindi Bench and incorporation of modalities as decided by Cabinet Committee".

- The said proposal for amendment was approved by the Federal Cabinet in its meeting held on 07-12-2021. Thereafter, the CDA has handed over the said Land to FGE housing Authority.
- (b) Yes, a Katchi abadi known as Mehar Abadi consisting of hosues, shops and markets etc. have been established/ constructed on the said land.
 - Land Award of Sectors F-12 & G-12 was initially announced by the Deputy Commissioner CDA on 30-06-1985 & 28-04-1985 respectively. The Katchi abadi was not raised after handing over the said Sector to FGE Housing Authority. The FGEHA has taken several steps to stop encroachment.
- (c) Award of land of Sectors F-12 & G-12 was announced by the Deputy Commissioner CDA on 30-06-1985 & 28-04-1985 respectively.
 - The said Sectors were allocated by the Federal Cabinet to the Federal Government Employees Housing Authority (FGEHA) vide Cabinet decision No. 455/26/2020 dated 07-07-2020. Thereafter, Judgment of Land Award passed by DC, FGEHA on 23-04-2021 after addressing the court orders and other relevant issues. The Rate for Award issued is Rs. 62,90,000+15% compulsory land acquisition charges (Total Rs. 72,33,500/-).

The FGE Housing Authority has not paid any compensation of Land to any affecttee. However, compensation will be made as per laid down criteria.

*Question No. 43 **Senator Fawzia Arshad**: (Notice Received on 30/08/2023 at 2:41 PM) QID:41420

Will the Minister for Climate Change be pleased to refer to Senate starred Question No.25-A replied on 31st March, 2023 and state whether the Government has taken / initiated any action against the brick kiln owners in Islamabad capital territory who have not yet converted to environment friendly zigzag technology, if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons thereof?

Mr. Ahmad Irfan Aslam: Pakistan's brick sector is highly unregulated and non-registered industrial sector in the entire country. Within the jurisdiction of ICT, there are a total of sixty-three (63) Brick Kilns. Among these, four (4) have been permanently dismantled, while forty-nine (49) have transitioned to environmentally-friendly zigzag technology. However, the remaining ten (10) Brick Kilns are currently in the process of conversion out of the initial sixty-three.

All of these Kilns are located in either rural areas or in regions slated for future development by CDA.

Recently, Pak-EPA took legal action ,against six (6) Brick Kilns, shutting down their operations due to their non-compliance with the installation of environmentally-friendly zigzag technology, which was resulting, in pollution in the capital city's environment. (Annex-A).

The focus should be on expediting the conversion of the remaining ten kilns to environmentally-friendly zigzag technology.

Furthermore, a robust monitoring and enforcement mechanism have been put in place to prevent any backsliding into non-compliance to the National Environmental Quality Standards by the Brick Kilns.

Annex-A



GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN MINISTRY OF CLIMATE CHANGE PAKISTAN ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY PLOT NO # 42, STREET NO # 6, H/8-2 Islamabad



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	(Muhammad Ramzan)
	Assistant Director (Legal/Enf.) Ph # 051-9250730



GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN MINISTRY OF CLIMATE CHANGE PAKISTAN ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY PLOT NO # 42, STREET NO # 6, H/8-2 Islamabad



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Whereas, it had been noticed during the visit of Enforcement Team that you M/s Bricks and Protection Act, 1997, Rules and Regulations made thereunder.

- 2. Now therefore, in exercise of powers conferred Under Section 16 (2) of Pakistan Environmental Protection Act, 1997 to stop all operational activities of your Unit/Factory/Brick Kiln immediately and to seal all the entrance and exit gates of the said unit/factory so that the orders be enforced.
- This issues with the approval of Director General, Pak-EPA.

(Muhammad Ramzan) Assistant Director (Legal/Enf.) Ph#051-9250730



GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN MINISTRY OF CLIMATE CHANGE PAKISTAN ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY PLOT NO # 42, STREET NO # 6, H/8-2 Islamabad



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- 2. Now therefore, in exercise of powers conferred Under Section 16 (2) of Pakistan Environmental Protection Act, 1997 to stop all operational activities of your Unit/Factory/Brick Kiln immediately and to seal all the entrance and exit gates of the said unit/factory so that the orders be enforced.
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Subject:

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ORDER UNDER SECTION 16 (2) OF PAKISTAN ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ACT, 1997.

Whereas, it had been noticed several times that you M/s Range Rang

- 2. Now therefore, in exercise of powers conferred to Director General, Pak-EPA Under Section 16 (2) of Pakistan Environmental Protection Act, 1997 you are directed to stop all operational/process activities of your unit/project immediately and to seal all the entrance and exit gates of the said unit/project so that the orders be enforced.
 - This issues with the approval of Director General, Pak-EPA

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*Question No. 46 **Senator Kamran Murtaza:** (Notice Received on 31/08/2023 at 2:13 PM) QID:41560

Will the Minister for Aviation be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there is any policy regarding postings of PIA Officers/staff abroad, if so, details thereof; and
- (b) the mechanism devised / measure adopted by PIA to ensure equal opportunities to the officers/staff belonging to all provinces of Pakistan in respect of foreign postings?

Minister for Aviation: (a) PIA has a global network which is being managed with its business & administrative resources at each foreign station. For this purpose, the workforce / human resources at foreign stations are classified as Pak-based employees at foreign stations. These are the PIA's regular employees in Pakistan who are selected through a foreign posting board and appointed as expatriates in supervisory roles to oversee the interest of the company at the foreign stations normally for a tenure of 03 years mainly in 04 areas i.e. Commercial, PHS, Engineering and Finance.

PIACL has a comprehensive policy for foreign posting. This policy covers the eligibility criteria, selection process, compensation and benefits, travel arrangements, and other aspects of working abroad. Keeping in view the importance of the position and the level of authority and accountability required for working at foreign stations, only officers are considered for foreign posting. The salient features of foreign posting policy are narrated as under:

Eligibility:

Department wise seniority is prepared for each Pay Group which led to eligibility while giving preference to officers having zero/NIL foreign posting. Once, a list of employees with Zero posting is ascertained, they are further evaluated on the basis of certain conditions i.e:

- The employee shall not be due for retirement within three years.
- The employee shall have at least 03 Outstanding and 02 Above Average Performance Appraisal Rating (PAR) in the last 05 years of service.

• The employee shall have 03 years of experience in the trade/department.

Foreign Posting Board:

- Candidates are called with the ratio of 1:3 against each position in the sequence of eligibility whereby employees with zero postings are prioritized.
- In case there is no such employee with zero foreign posting, candidates in the seniority list having one posting are eligible for interview. Similarly; if no candidate is available with one posting, those employees are considered who have already done 2 postings.

Board Composition:

Composition	PG IX	Up to PG-VIII
President	Chief Executive Officer	Chief Human Resource Officer
Member	Chief Human Resource Officer	
Member	Chief Commercial Officer	Chief Commercial Officer
Member	Chief Concerned	Chief Concerned
Member/ Secretary	General Manager HRM	General Manager HRM

Selection Process

Employees who meet the required eligibility criteria are interviewed and assessed on the basis of Professional Knowledge, experience, communication and management skills. After the extensive interview of the eligible candidates, the most suitable employee is selected for the position based on collective wisdom by the constituted foreign posting board.

Foreign Posting Formalities

After formal approval by the management, foreign posting letter is issued to the selected employee with the advice to complete the mentioned below formalities in the timeline given therein:

S. No.	Nature of Formalities	Timeline
a)	DIB & ISI Clearance from Government of Pakistan	04 to 06 Weeks
b)	Procurement of Work Permit / Visa	Two (02) Weeks
c)	Medical Fitness Certificate for Self and family from PIA Medical Authorities	Two (02) Weeks
d)	*Undertaking / Declaration regarding education facility for children at foreign station or in Pakistan as per Appendix-B to Admin Order No. 07/97 dated 23.07.1997	Two (02) Weeks
e)	*Undertaking as per Annex-A to Admin Order No. 37/2010 dated 06.09.2010	Two (02) Weeks

Finally, upon completion of the formalities, the selected employee is moved from Pakistan for joining at respective foreign station and the officer already posted/working at foreign station is released with the advice to join Pakistan.

(b) Since only those employees who meet the criteria of foreign posting are eligible to appear before the foreign posting board, therefore, equal opportunity is provided to the candidates for competing in the interview and selection is based upon the performance, past experience, good communication skill and to compete the challenges at abroad and no selection is made having domicile of particular province.

*Question No. 47 **Senator Dost Muhammad Khan:** (Notice Received on 1/09/2023 at 10:50 AM) QID:41568

Will the Minister for Information Technology and Telecommunications be pleased to state the details of development projects lunched through Universal Service Fund during the last three years in backward areas of the country with province wise breakup including erstwhile FATA?

Dr. Umar Saif: Universal Service Fund Company is mandated to provide access to telecommunication services in the unserved and underserved areas of the country through their respective projects.

USF has awarded 73 projects in the last three years in the areas as per its mandate.

The details of interventions by USF for digital inclusion across the country with Province wise breakup including the erstwhile FATA are placed at $\underline{\mathbf{Annex-A}}$

Annex-A

<u>S.#</u>	Province	Number of Projects Awarded	Target Mauzas	Target Population	Target Road Segment (Kms)	Target OFC Length (KMS)	Target THO/ UC/ Towns	Target Tourist Locations
1	Balochistan	19	2,482	2,904,176	478.35	397	13	-
2	Khyber Pakhtunkhwa (including) erstwhile FATA	12	966	1,201,790	144.33	2,173	161	27
3 .	Sindh	16	1,779	3,971,986	-	4,269	396	•
4	Punjab	25	3,249	4,270,012	300.77	3,416	355	-
5	Islamabad	1	5	7,700	-	-	-	-
	Total .	73	8,481	12,355,664	923	10.255	925	27

^{*}Question No. 48 **Senator Danesh Kumar:** (Notice Received on 4/09/2023 at 10:29 AM) QID:41386

Will the Minister for Aviation be pleased to state the number of employees laid-off by PIA through golden handshake scheme during the last five years indicating also the expenditure incurred on payment to them and subsequent operational benefits to the organization?

Minister for Aviation: (1) A total of 1816 employees of PIACL opted for Voluntary Separation Scheme (VSS).

- (2) Rs. 7,907,000,243 (7.9 Billion approx.) was disbursed under financial assistance from GoP.
- (3) As a result, pay roll cost of PIACL decreased from PKR 14.86 Billion (2020) to PKR 10.83 (2021) saving PKR 4 billion/annum including other future liabilities i.e. Medical, Pension and free / rebated air travel.

*Question No. 49 **Senator Dost Muhammad Khan:** (Notice Received on 5/09/2023 at 12:25 PM) QID:41580

Will the Minister for Information Technology and Telecommunications be pleased to state the functions and responsibilities of the Special Communication Organization indicating also the details of the ongoing projects and those projects completed by it during the last 5 years?

Dr. Umar Saif: SCO is a strategic organization established in July 1976 on the directive of the then Prime Minister of Pakistan. The organization is mandated to plan, develop, operate and maintain telecom infrastructure in Azad Jammu & Kashmir (AJK) and Gilgit-Baltistan. This responsibility was shifted to SCO from erstwhile T&T Department.

Owing to strategic importance of these regions, difficult terrain and weather conditions, SCO operates under the auspices of Pakistan Army to overcome the challenges and carry out projects/initiatives as per the mandate.

The details of ongoing and completed projects of SCO during the last 5 years are placed at **Annex-A**.

Annex-A

Ongoing Projects 2023-24

Ser	Name of Project	Approved Cost	Cumulative Expenditure		Physical Progress	Completion
a.	Establishment of Data Centre for providing Cloud Based Services in AJ&K and GB	885,000	458.300	337.060		30-06-24
b.	Expansion of Broadband Services in cities & towns of AJ&K and GB (GPON - II)	1998.000	1299.819	397.000	90%	30-06-24
C.	Upgradation of Transmission Network and Replacement of OFC in AJ&K and GB	1999.00	1409,746	300.000	80%	30-06-24
d.	Expansion of FTTH Services in New & Existing Cities (GPON - III)	567.000	247.788	150.000	80%	30-06-24
e.	Hybrid Power Solution (Solarization) for Remote Sites of SCO in AJ&K	710.000	188.958	300.000	35%	30-06-24
f.	Hybrid Power Solution (Solarization) for Remote Sites of SCO in GB	695.000	188.903	300.000	35%	30-06-24
g.	Expansion of FTTH Services in Existing 11 Cities (GPON - IV)	780.000	- 0	50.000	0,%	30-06-26

3. Completed Projects (Last Five Years)

S/No	Project	Start Year	Completion Year	Financial Outlay (M)
a.	Construction of Cross – Border OFC System between China and Pakistan for International Connectivity	2011-12	2018-19	4340
b.	Replacement of GSM Network of AJ&K (NGMS - I)	2015-16	2019-20	1654
C.	Expansion and Upgradation of NGMS (3G/4G) Servcies and Seamless Coverage along KKH in GB (NGMS - II)	2017-18	2020-21	2,995
d.	Implementation of PECA, 2016 and DIRBS	2020-21	. 2020-21	235
e.	Expansion of Broadband Services through MSAN Tech and Upgradation of IP Core &	2019-20	2021-22	1771
	Access Network in AJ&K and GB (GPON - I)			
f.	Expansion of Cellular Services in AJ&K and GB (NGMS - III)	2019-20	2021-22	3208
g.	Protection and Up-gradation of Pak-China. Phase-I OFC	2020-21	2022-23	1,948
h.	Upgradation of Existing TDM Based Backhaul Microwave with IP Based Backhaul Microwave Network in GB	2020-21	2022-23	855

*Question No. 51 Senator Mushtaq Ahmed:

(Notice Received on 11/09/2023 at 9:19 AM) QID:41595

Will the Minister for Housing and Works be pleased to state:

- (a) the names and locations of residential projects/schemes initiated by Federal Government Employees Housing Authority during the period from January, 2001 to July, 2023 indicating also the amount collected from the same;
- (b) whether the applicants/allottees who have deposited the required amounts in the said schemes have been allotted plots / flats / houses, if not the reasons thereof;
- (c) whether it is a fact that the said authority has neither removed the encroachments nor have allotted plots to the applicants in Bara Kahu, Thalian, and Sectors F-14 and F-15 schemes despite the fact that it received the required amounts from the applicants, if so, the reasons thereof indicating also the time by which the same will be completed; and

(d) the amount collected from the said schemes indicating also the annual interest being accrued / received on the same and the head under which utilized?

Minister for Housing and Works: (a) The names and locations of residential projects/schemes initiated by Federal Government Employees Housing Authority *w.e.f.* January 2001 to July 2023 indicating also the amount collected is at **Annex-I**.

- (b) The allotments made under the schemes launched mentioned in Annex-I by the FGE Housing Authority have been made to the eligible / successful registered applicants whose names were within merit of the concerned Schemes as per laid down criteria.
 - (c)• FGE Housing Authority executed an agreement with M/s Green Tree Pvt. Ltd. on 01-04-2009 for purchase of 3000 kanals private land at Bara Kahu, Islamabad. Provision of clear land is the responsibility of the JV partner and land provided was clear in all respects. Whereas, in sector F-14 & F-15, the LAC, ICT has announced 85 BUPs Award on 15-06-2017. Several operations had been conducted with the help of District Administration Islamabad for vacation of acquired land. Presently, the matter is subjudice in Hon'able Supreme Court of Pakistan with regard to the allotment policy.
 - Allotments have been made to the eligible / successful registered applicants whose names were within merit of the concerned scheme as per laid down criteria. Whereas, Thalian Housing Scheme has been closed due to multiple land issues and its allotees will be accommodated in future schmes as per laid down criteria.

(d) Annex-II

Annex-I

Detail of Names and locations of residential projects/ schemes initiated by FGE Housing Authority during the period from January, 2001 to July, 2023 has launched the following Housing Scheme.

No.	Residential projects/ schemes	Location	Amount collected	Status / Remarks
=	G-14/1,2,3 & G-15/3 Phase-IV (Plots)	G-14/123, Islamabad	7,570,830,601	The Scheme was launched in 2004. Allotments have since been issued to the successful applicants as per terms & conditions of the scheme.
=	G-11 apartments Phase-V	G-11, Islamabad	2,479,805,849	The scheme was launched in 2005, allotment process has since been completed and apartments have been handed over to the allottees.
≡ I	Green Enclave-I (Phase-VI)	Bara Kahu, Islamabad	3,326,990,805	The Scheme was launched in 2009 & allotment process has been completed.
≥	F-14/F-15 Housing Scheme (Phase-VIII)	F-14/F-15, Islamabad	. 13,777,337,934	The scheme was launched in 2015 & allotment process was completed. However, allotment in this scheme is under litigation, and subjuidice in Supreme Court of Pakistan.
>	Lifestyle Residency (EHFPRO Apartments scheme), G-13	G-13, Islamabad	13349.65 million	The scheme was launched in 2016, allotment process has been completed by EHPRO administration.
Š	Thallian	Near thallian interchange on Motorway, Islamabad	2,218,062,470	The scheme was launched in 2016, process of allotment was underway, when the scheme was cancelled due to multiple land issues with the approval of Executive Committee / Board of FGEHA. Its allottees will be accommodated in future schemes.
Ĭ.	Park Road Housing Scheme	Park Road, Islamabad	3,317,715,682	The scheme was launched in 2017 and allotment process is going on in the scheme as per laid down criteria.

<u> </u>	Sky Garden Housing Scheme	Murree Express Way, Rawalpindi	5,115,280,178 (GE-II) 1,039,626,584 (SG)	The scheme was launched in 2019 and allotment process of the scheme is going on as per laid down criteria.
×	Kashmir Avenue	Mauve Area, G-13, Islamabad	4,657,011,538	These projects were started in year 2020 but slowed down due to COVID and halted due to unprecedented increase in the prices of steel, cement and other construction material. Contracts of Kashmir Avenue, Chaklala Heights &
×	Chaklala Heights	Chaklala, Rawalpindi	1,935,884,663	Skyline Apartments were terminated as contractor didn't resumes work at site. The Executive Board of FGEHA constituted a Committee headed by JS (Estate) to resolve the dispute through Amicable Settlement under relevant clause of the agreement
≅	Skyline Apartment	Near new Islamabad Airport Islamabad	2,719,488,063	The Committee submitted its report and FGEHA Executive Board in its meeting held on 20-07-2023 approved the report. The work shall be
XII.	Lifestyle Residency	Badian Road, Lahore	224,033,286	resumed at all sites by December, 2023. Membership for allotment of apartments is still open due to availability of apartments except Kashmir Avenue Project wherein all apartments have been allotted.

Annex-II

The amount collected from the schemes initiated by FGE Housing Authority w.e.f 2001 to 2023 is at Annex-I. However, the annual interest and its utilization is as under

ANNUAL INTEREST RECEIVED:

FGEHA has earned an amount of Rs.12,799,275,558/- on account of interest/ profit on the receipts of the allottees. The profit received on the receipts of the allottees is utilized for the establishment expenditure of FGEHA & the balance, if remained, is also utilized on expenditure of those projects where allottees receipts are yet to be received.

THE UTILIZATION OF FUNDS:

The allottees receipts are utilized directly for purchase of land, payment of Built up property of the affectees, infrastructure development & the utilities of the project.

*Question No.52 **Senator Dost Muhammad Khan:** (Notice Received on 11/09/2023 at 10:16 AM) QID:41597

Will the Minister for Housing and Works be pleased to state the details of the funds sanctioned and utilized for maintenance of PWD colony G-8/4, during the last two years?

Minister for Housing and Works: • No separate funds sanctioned against PWD Colony, G-8/4 (152 Cat-V flats) and funds sanctioned in residential building in routine maintenance work. However, no funds utilized for PWD Colony G-8/4 (152 Cat-V flats) for the last two years.

*Question No. 53 **Senator Samina Mumtaz Zehri:** (Notice Received on 13/09/2023 at 10:58 AM) QID:41623

Will the Minister for Information Technology and Telecommunication be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the project "Crime Analytics and Smart Policing in Pakistan" Launched in December 2019, under the Digital Pakistan Initiative;

- (b) whether it was a fact that it was decided at that time that the said project shall be launched in provinces also, if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) whether the said project has been launched in Balochistan, if so, its present status of implementation?

Dr. Umar Saif: (a) Crime Analytics and Smart Policing in Pakistan is a PSDP project of Ministry of Information Technology & Telecommunication and executed by Punjab Information Technology Board (PITB). This important project consists of integrated data system for analyzing crime patterns with respect to crime rate prediction, criminal networks and crime hot spot appraisal. This project aims to technology intervention in policing which can help in improving law and order situations and thereby creating positive impact on economic activities. The total cost of the project is 274.36 million rupees. 80% of the physical progress and 60% of the financial progress in respect of the said project has been achieved. This project has been extended recently up to 30th December, 2024 for rolling out its programme in all other provinces. The details in respect of the said project are placed at **Annex-A**.

(b) Yes, the said project has been rolled out in all provinces of Pakistan. In this regard the programme has been launched in the province of Punjab, Sindh, Balochistan, GB. The Core and Auxiliary Application deployment has been completed in the above provinces and Islamabad Capital Territory. Furthermore, the PC-I of the project has been extended upto December, 2024 to complete the rolling out programme of the project in KPK as well. At present 184 Police Stations have been planned under this project in the following cities:-

Islamabad 23 Police Stations
Quetta 26 Police Stations
Karachi 114 Police Stations
Muzaffargarh 110 Police Stations
GB 11 Police Stations

(c) Yes the said project has been rolled out in the province of Balochistan. The details in this regard are placed at **Annex-B**.

CRIME ANALYTICS AND SMART POLICING IN PAKISTAN

Crime Analytics and Smart Policing in Pakistan is a very important PSDP project means to digital intervention tools in Police Department leading to improvement in law and order situation by way of crime detections, crime pattern analysis and hot spot appraisals. This programme consist of deployment of Applications at designated areas, locations/points to seek the desired data/outcome in respect of a particular crime/criminal.

The Applications in this regard may be either Core Applications or Auxiliary Applications. Core applications includes Police Stations Record Management System (PSRMS), Human Resource Management Information System (HRMIS), Criminal Record Management System (CRMS), Complaint Management System (CMS). Similarly auxiliary applications include Police Khidmat Markaz (PKM), Hotel Eye (HE), Travel Eye (TE), E-Police Post (EPP). The hardware required for the operations of these applications has been procured which would enable these applications to operate to achieve the desired outcomes. Due to Covid constraints, austerity measures and spike in the exchange rates the project has been accorded more time with revised cost through reappropriation to replicate the success story in other provinces as well. The data base so maintained by law enforcement not only provide multi-dimensional features in respect of various crime patterns but also helps a great deal to fix it.

Annex-B

PRESENT STATUS OF IMPLEMENTATION OF BALOCHISTAN

- "Crime Analytics and Smart Policing in Pakistan", has been extended to the
 province of Balochistan and necessary automation process of Balochistan Police
 is under way. In this regard 26 Police Stations in Quetta have been selected for
 the requisite installation of Core and Auxiliary Applications alongwith
 procurement of the hardware for operating the Applications.
- All 4 core applications (PSRMS, HRMIS, CRO & CMS) and 3 Auxiliary
 applications (Hotel Eye & Travel Eye, TRS, PKM) have been deployed and
 operational in Quetta and similar replications shall be processed further in other
 major cities of Balochistan.
- Hardware for all Quetta Police Stations had been provided under said project to Balochistan provincial police department so it could operate these applications without any technical issues.
- Quetta Police is provided all necessary trainings in Quetta by PITB experts to
 execute these Applications and share their practical experiences for operations
 learned from deployments in Punjab.

*Question No. 54 **Senator Shahadat Awan:** (Notice Received on 13/09/2023 at 12:30 PM) QID:39073

Will the Minister In-charge of the Establishment Division be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that Establishment Division has engaged private lawyers instead of law officers of Attorney General office for pleading service matters / cases of PAS Officers to the disadvantage of other service groups, if so, reasons thereof; and
- (b) the detail of cases assigned to the said private lawyers and payments made thereon during the last five years?

Minister In-charge of the Establishment Division: (a) Establishment Division under the existing legal dispensation (Law and Justice Division's policy/ guidelines regarding nominations/ recommendations for appointment of legal advisors dated 03-06-2015 (Annex-A) read with provisions contained in Rule 14(IA) of Rule of Business (Annex-B) can hire private counsels in complex and challenging court cases. Private lawyers were engaged on three occasions during last five years with the approval of Attorney General's Office and the Law Division to defend government laws/rules/policies.

To conclude that private counsel was hired for pleading service matter cases of one service to the detriment of the other would be incorrect. The first occasions in last five years when private counsel was hired was to defend contempt filed before Supreme Court of Pakistan in promotion related cases. On two other occasions the services of private counsels were hired in order to defend amendments made in the Civil Service Rules, 1954.

(b)	Case No/title	Prayer	Amount paid to the private counsel
	W.P Nos. 939/2014, 1147 & 2353/2017 titled Abdul Sattar Khokhar and others VS FOP (Annex-C)	i) Impugned notification dated 10 th Feb. 2014 to extent of its effect on the incumbents of the Secretariat Group, as unconstitutional, illegal, malafide, arbitrary, capricious and the same may be set aside. ii) Declare the proceedings of the meeting held on 11 th to 13 th Feb. 2014 of CSB	Rs. 2 million (Khawaja Haris Ahmed, Sr. ASC)

Case No/title	Prayer	Amount paid to the private counsel
	-iii)-Suspend the Operation of the impugned notification till the decision of the Writ Petition and the respondents may also be restrained from finalizing the proceedings of the meeting dated 11 to 13 Feb. 2014.	
Crl. Org. Petition No.137/2017 in CP No. 2112/2016 filed by Qaiser Majeed Malik (Annex-D)	The petitioners Qaiser Majeed Malik and others through the instant Crl. Org. has inter alia prayed that the honourable court may graciously be pleased to strike down the office memorandum dated 18-06-2017 (Annex-I) and the revised objective assessment form (Annex-II) and quash all the proceeding having been conducted in pursuance thereof.	Rs. 750,000/- (Afnan Karim Kundi, Sr. ASC)
Appeal No. 1277 to 1279(R) CS/2019 filed by Arshad Farooq Faheem and Amjad Hafeez (Annex-E)	consent of Federating units the	Rs. 1.5 million (Afnan Karim Kundi, Sr. ASC)

(Annexures have been placed in Library and on Table of the mover/concerned Member).

*Question No. 55 **Senator Syed Waqar Mehdi:** (Notice Received on 18/09/2023 at 12:04 PM) QID:41109

Will the Minister for Aviation be pleased to state:

- (a) the criteria laid down for allotment of space to public and private offices, airline companies, protocol offices of various departments, cargo services, exchange companies and eateries etc. at all international airports in the country; and
- (b) whether any rent is charged on account of the said allotments, if so, the procedure laid down for assessment of the rent indicating also the income generated from the same during the last five years with year wise and airport wise breakup?

Minister for Aviation: (a) Commercial and Estates Directorate awards spaces/licenses in line with the Commercial Policy in vogue i.e. CAAO-004- CMPP-2.1, which categorizes the stakeholders/businesses in the following manner:

(a) Commercial Concessions:

- i. These include pure commercial businesses such as Exchange Companies, Food Outlets, Travel Requisite Shops, Travel and Tour Companies, Collection of Car Parking etc.
- ii. Licenses to commercial concessions are awarded through open tenders for a period up to five (05) years on monthly license fee with 10% annual cumulative enhancement during subsequent years of license.
- iii. Reserve price of new concessions for disposal through tendering is determined on the basis of data of similar businesses at other airports of same category, market potential and business growth.
- iv. Tendering of existing commercial concessions is initiated three (03) months prior to expiry of License Agreement, on Reserve Price calculated on the basis of last year's monthly license fee plus 10% added thereon.

(b) Semi-commercial Concessions:

- i. These include rooms and spaces allotted to Airline Offices, Ground Handling Agencies, Flying Clubs, Training and Educational Institutes, Charter Operators, Aircraft Manufacturing Industry, Aircraft Maintenance and Manufacturers, Cargo Clearing/Forwarding Agents, Cargo Sheds of GHAs and Airlines, Aircraft Hangers and Private Jet operators.
- ii. The aforementioned concessions are categorized as "Operational" except Cargo Clearing/Forwarding Agents and Private Jet Operators.
- iii. Spaces/Rooms to Semi-Commercial Concessions are granted at CAA Airports on direct allotment basis,

subject to availability, on CAA prescribed space charges which have been rationalized in line with National Aviation Policy 2019 (Operational Non-Operational), keeping in view category of the airports, for a period up to five (05) years which is further extendable by periods of up to five (05) years, on request of the licensee.

(c) Government Departments / Agencies:

- i. Government Departments directly connected to Operational Functioning of the Airports, Passenger Facilitations, Embarkation and Disembarkation of Passengers, Safety and Security of Passengers/ Aircraft / Airport Premises, Safety of Government Assets, Clearance of Passengers Baggage and Emplaning and Deplaning of Air Cargo are awarded spaces /rooms at Airports on direct allotment basis for a period up to five (05) years, further extendable for a period up to five (05) years on request of the licensee, subject to availability of spaces.
- ii. Spaces are awarded to Government Departments/ Agencies on the following basis;
 - Operational Spaces within Operational Areas: No Space Rent and Utilities are charged being essential operational requirements.
 - Operational Spaces Outside Operational Areas: No space rent is charged for such spaces. However, utilities are charged.
 - Non-operational Spaces: Space charges as per physical status (Non-operational) are charged including Utilities.
- (b) Procedure for assessment of rent/license fee has been elaborated above in response to question 15(a) for each category of concessions. Moreover, income garneted from rent during last five years with year-wise/airport-wise breakup is enclosed as **Annex-A.**

<u>Annex-A</u> Rs. In '000'

		Non-A	Non-Aeronautical Revenue	nue	
Location	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
JIAP, Karachi	3,385,815	3,928,644	5,036,362	4,830,403	5,521,371
AllAP, Lahore	2,043,525	2,454,929	3,491,877	3.083.813	3377.062
Islamabad	931,753	FA 1.985,640	2,244,469	2 003 900	2 561 474
Head Quarter	1,769,306,		3,697,594	2 559 236	3 499 882
Multan Airport	218,979		306,592	231.852	364 610
Peshawar Airport	191,143	188,291	267,235	198,217	300.710
Faisalabad Airport	49,729	70,486	105,802	58,336	123.626
Quetta Airport	36,471	53,046	65,117	78,739	91.458
BBIAP	í	56,262	139,307	15,789	19,699
Walton Airport	23,333	23,551	25,060	23,495	17.184
Civil Aviation Training Instituet Hyderabad	22,310	14,378	8,544	7.607	20.746
Sukkur Airport	14,294	16,217	15,886	13.511	13.306
R.Y. Khan Airport	13,253	10,987	10,889	11,515	11.404
Supply Depot	. 89	1,745	10,389	13.650	21.249
Gawader Airport	4,741	6,018	7,158	2,950	5.414
Gilgit Airport	2,162	4,179	3,142	2.737	10.447
Bahawalpur Airport	4,632	3,973	3,471	2.834	2,672
Nawabshah Airport	2,508	. 5,239	3,223	3.038	3 290
Skardu Airport	2,591	1,888	1.814	2 661	5 069
Panjgur Airport	645	4,586	707	774	1 309
D.G.Khan Airport	1,512	1,403	2,448	606	1.060
Pasni Airport	1,083	1,833	1,174	1221	1177
Turbat Airport	1,127.	1,238	1,106	1,294	902
Moenjodaro Airport	1,625	. 696	792	867	857
Chitral Airport	2,088	693	. 638	629	718
Dalbadin Airport	617	675	914	987	1.022
Hyderabad Airport	451	1,166	842	446	324
D.I.Khan Airport	790	564	476	689	282
Zhob Airport	442	438	553	596	464
Sialkot Airport	,				1,789
Saidusharif Airport			1	-	1.074
Supply Depot North	-	194	197		25
Talhar Airport	- 318	18		-	-
Total	8,726,694	11,998,691	15,453,776	13.152.689	15 981 673

*Question No. 56 **Senator Fawzia Arshad:** (Notice Received on 28/09/2023 at 10:59 AM) QID:41653

Will the Minister for Climate Change & Environmental coordination be pleased to state whether guidelines under climate change policy, 2021 have been issued to all stakeholders including multinational firms to take measures for the promotion of green environment, if so, the details thereof indicating also the present status of implementation of the same?

Mr. Ahmad Irfan Aslam: The updated National Climate Change Policy 2021 was developed following a comprehensive stakeholder consultation at the provincial level. The goal of the policy is to steer Pakistan towards climate resilient and low carbon development. It provides a comprehensive framework for addressing the issues that Pakistan faces and will face in future due to changing climate. This policy document is a 'living' document and will be reviewed and updated regularly to address emerging concepts and issues in the ever-evolving science of climate change.

The Ministry of Climate Change and Env Coordination is working with the provinces and has developed Provincial Climate Change Action Plans in collaboration with UNDP. Extracts of the Action Plans are provided as Punjab Climate Change Action Plan (Annex-II), Sindh Climate Change Action Plan (Annex-III), Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Climate Change Action Plan (Annex-III), Balochistan Climate Change Action Plan (Annex-IV).

MoCC & EC is determined to aid provinces to mainstream these policies and commitments in their mandates. Thus, the action plan provides a comprehensive framework to support the provinces to maximize the efforts on adaptation and mitigation actions in agriculture, water resources, forestry, wildlife and fisheries, health, energy, transport, industry, waste and urban planning sectors.

(Annexures have been placed in Library and Table of the mover/concerned Members).

*Question No. 57 **Senator Haji Hidayatullah Khan**: (Notice Received on 12/10/2023 at 11:18 AM) QID:41665

Will the Minister for Information Technology and Telecommunications be pleased to state whether it is fact that dues of some of the PTCL Pensioners have not been paid so far, if so, the details and reasons thereof?

Dr. Umer Saif: In this regard, kindly note that all the Pensioners are regularly drawing their pension through their irrespective bank accounts as per entitlement and no amount is pending so far from the pension of the retired employees of erstwhile T&T Department by Pakistan Telecommunication Employees Trust.

ISLAMABAD, the 9th November, 2023

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Friday, the 10th November, 2023

Question No. 6 Senator Hilal Ur Rehman: (Notice Received on 21/08/2023 at 10:09 AM) QID: 40449

Will the Minister for Housing & Works be pleased to state:

- (a) the details / measurement of land acquired by the Federal Government Employees Housing Authority (FGEHA) from the Jammu & Kashmir Housing Society (JKCHS) for its project in sector F-14 and F-15 indicating also the rate at which the same was acquired; and
- (b) the amount payable by the FGEHA to JKCHS on account of acquisition of the said land indicating also the details of payments made so far with date wise break up and the time by which the remaining amount will be paid?

Minister for Housing and Works: (a) Land measuring 188 Kanal — 00 Marla as conveyed by JKCHS vide letter No. 11 / 2021 / Land / H.A / 1375 dated 05-10-2021.

It is apprised that 136K-12M land as detailed below, out of the said 188 Kanal land in Sector F-14/15 has been verified by revenue staff of FGEHA as per Naqsha No. 2 while verification of remaining land is under process.

The said land has been acquired as per award rates of Rs. 3,300,000/- Per Kanal for Sector F-14 and Rs. 3,800,000/- Per kanal for Sector F-15.

(b) The details for payments made along with dates of payment paid to the JKCHS by the FGE Housing Authority is as under:

Sector	Land	Payment (Rs.)	Date	
F-14	49K-17M	164,505,000	08-02-2022	
1 11	19K-0M	62,700,000	26-08-2022	
	17K-15M	67,450,000	01-02-2022	
F-15	21K-0M	79,800,000	11-08-2022	
	29K-0M	110,200,000	14-06-2023	
Total	136K-12M	484,655,000		

Question No. 7 **Senator Haji Hidayatullah Khan:** (Notice Received on 22/08/2023 at 11:50 AM) QID: 41499

Will the Minister for Information Technology and Telecommunications be pleased to state the details of the amount collected from customers under the Universal Services Fund (USF) during the last three years?

Dr. Umar Saif: Universal Service Fund (USF) has been established under Sub-Section (1) of Section 33A of Pakistan Telecommunication (Re-Organization) Act 1996, in 2006. The objective of the Fund is to provide access to telecommunication services in rural and remote areas of Pakistan.

No amount is collected from customers of Telecom Operators on account of USF, however, under the provision of Telecom Act, the Telecom Operators are required to contribute 1.5% of the Adjusted Gross Revenue (AGR) in USF on annual basis.

The detail of contribution collected from Telecom Operators during the last three years is placed at **Annex-A.**

Government of Pakistan Ministry of Information Technology & Telecommunication Digital Pakistan

Contribution in USF by Telecom Operators during FY 2020-2023

Amount in Million PKR

Financial year	Contribution received from Telecom Operators		
2020-21	6,960		
2021-22	7,588		
2022-23	8,325		
Total:	22,873		

Question No. 8 **Senator Haji Hidayatullah Khan:** (Notice Received on 22/08/2023 at 11:51 AM) QID: 41500

Will the Minister for Information Technology and Telecommunications be pleased to state the function and responsibilities of the Special Communication Organization indicating also the details of the ongoing projects and those completed by it during the last 3 years? **Dr. Umar Saif**: SCO is a strategic organization established in July 1976 on the directive of the then Prime Minister of Pakistan. The organization is mandated to plan, develop, operate and maintain telecom infrastructure in Azad Jammu & Kashmir (AJK) and Gilgit Baltistan. This responsibility was shifted to SCO from erstwhile T&T Department. Owing to strategic importance of these regions, difficult terrain and weather conditions, SCO operates under the auspices of Pakistan Army to overcome the challenges and carry out projects/initiatives as per the mandate.

The details of ongoing and completed projects of SCO during the last 5 years are placed at **Annex-A**.

Annex-A.

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Ser	Name of Project	Approved Cost	Cumulative Expenditure		Prograss	
a.	Establishment of Data Centre for providing Cloud Based Services in AJ&K and GB	385.000	458.300	337.060	80%	30-06-24
b.	Expansion of Broadband Services in cities & towns of AJ&K and GB (GPON - II)	1998.000	1299.819	397.000	90%	30-06-24
C.	Upgradation of Transmission Network and Replacement of OFC in AJ&K and GB	1999.00	1409.743	300.000	80%	30-03-24
d.	Expansion of FTTH Services in New & Existing Cities (GPON - III)	567.000	247.783	150.000	80%	30-06-24
e.	Hybrid Power Solution (Solarization) for Remote Sites of SCO in AJ&K	710.000	183.953	300.000	35%	20-03-24
f.	Hybrid Power Solution (Solarization) for Remote Sites of SCO in GB	695.000	138.903	300.000	35%	30-05-24
g.	Expansion of FTTH Services in Existing 11 Cities (GPON - IV)	780.000	0	50.000	0%	30-06-23

3. Completed Projects (Last Five Years)

S/No	Project	Start Year	Cemp!ation Year	Financiel Outlay (M)
a.	Construction of Cross – Border OFC System between China and Pakistan for International Connectivity	2011-12	2010-13	4) 34))
b.	Replacement of GSM Network of AJ&K (NGMS - I)	2015-16	2019-20	1654
c.	Expansion and Upgradation of NGMS (3G/4G) Servcies and Seamless Coverage along KKH in GB (NGMS - II)	2017-18	2020-21	2,955
d.	Implementation of PECA, 2016 and DIRBS	2020-21	2020-21	235
e.	Expansion of Broadband Services through MSAN Tech and Upgradation of IP Core & Access Network in AJ&K and GB (GPON - I)	2019-20	2021-22	1771
f.	Expansion of Ceilular Services in AJ&K and GB (NGMS - III)	2019-20	2021-22	3208
g.	Frotection and Up-gradation of Pak-China Phase-I OFC	2020-21	2022-23	1,943
h.	Upgradation of Existing TDM Based Backhaul Microwave with IP Based Backhaul Microwave Network in GB	2020-21	2022-23	255

Question No. 9 **Senator Haji Hidayatullah Khan:**

(Notice Received on 29/08/2023 at 12:11 PM) QID: 41543

Will the Minister Incharge of the Establishment Division be pleased to state whether Psychological test / assessment of the candidates of CSS examination is made, if so, the details of those candidates who were failed on the basis of their psychological test/assessment during the last five years?

Minister Incharge of the Establishment Division: The Psychological Assessment is conducted for written qualified candidates of CSS Competitive Examination. Their pen picture is prepared and psychological assessment report is submitted to Viva Voce Board of the Commission. It does not contain remarks like passed/failed or recommended/ not recommended.

ISLAMABAD, the 9th November, 2023

MOHAMMAD QASIM SAMAD KHAN, Secretary.