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REPORT NO.1 OF 2019

REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON STATES AND FRONTIER REGIONS

ON

"POINT OF PUBLIC IMPORTANCE
REGARDING DELAY IN RE-HABILITATION AND
RE-CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITIES IN FATA, RAISED
BY SENATOR AURANGZAIB KHAN IN THE
HOUSE ON 08-11-2018".

Presented by

Senator Taj Muhammad Afridi Chairman of the Committee

SENATE SECRETARIAT

REPORT OF THE SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON STATES AND FRONTIER REGIONS ON THE SUBJECT MATTER OF A POINT OF PUBLIC IMPORTANCE REGARDING DELAY IN RE-HABILITATION AND RECONSTRUCTION ACTIVITIES IN FATA, RAISED BY SENATOR AURANGZAIB KHAN IN THE HOUSE ON 08-11-2018

I, Senator Taj Muhammad Afridi, Chairman of the Standing Committee on States and Frontier Regions have the honour to present, on behalf of the Committee, this report on the subject matter of a point of public importance regarding delay in re-habilitation and re-construction activities in FATA, raised by Senator Aurangzaib Khan in the House on 08-11-2018 and referred to the Standing Committee on States and Frontier Regions for consideration and report.

2. Following is the composition of the Committee:-

1	Senator Taj Muhammad Afridi	Chairman
2	Senator Atta Ur Rehman	Member
3	Senator Aurangzeb Khan	Member
4	Senator Haji Momin Khan Afridi	Member
5	Senator Hidayat Ullah	Member
6	Senator Hillal-Ur-Rehman	Member
7	Senator Lt. General (R) Salahuddin Tirmizi	Member
8	Senator Muhammad Ayub	Member
9	Senator Sajjad Hussain Turi	Member
10	Senator Sardar Muhammad Yaqoob Khan Nasar	Member
11	Senator Shammim Afridi	Member
12	Minister for States and Frontier Regions	Ex-Officio Member

- 3. The subject matter of the point of public importance was considered by the Standing Committee in its meetings held on 11-12-2018, 11-03-2019 and 08-04-2019.
- 4. The Director General, FDMA, former FATA Secretariat, informed the Committee that there are four types of projects i.e. Rehabilitation Projects, Permanent re-construction Projects, Compensation Projects and Grant Projects. He stated that under TDPs Rehabilition package of Rs.80,000/- Millions, Rs.5,353.00 Million were approved, released and utilized for immediate rehabilitation, Moreover Rs.15,147.00 Million were also approved as additional funds for immediate rehabilitation in TDPs return areas, however these funds are yet to be released.
- 5. Senator Aurangzeb Khan, Member/Mover stated that people of FATA have not yet received the funds for their damaged Houses. Similarly many Colleges, Schools and hospitals are yet to be re-constructed. He was of the opinion that on grounds there is very little work of rehabilitation / reconstruction. Director General, FDMA stated that reconstruction work has been done almost in all the Agencies of FATA except South Waziristan Agency. Reconstruction

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work is done after receipt of survey report, which is slow at the moment. Senator Momin Khan Afridi also expressed his dissatisfaction over the progress of reconstruction work and stated that people of FATA are facing many hardships. He asked the M/O SAFRON to take special interest in this regard.

- 6. Secretary, M/O SAFRON stated that these days weather is very cold in certain areas of FATA, due to which people cannot be forced to return to their areas. He directed Director General, FDMA to have meeting with Senators Aurangzeb Khan and Momin Khan Afridi to know their reservations and take further action accordingly.
- It was informed to the Committee that Rs. 5,353 Million were approved, released and utilized on immediate rehabilitation under Temporary Displaced Persons (TDPs) package of Rs.80,362 Million. These funds were approved for immediate Rehabilitation, Permanent Reconstruction, Citizen Losses Compensation Programme and cash Grant. The M/O SAFRON also provided the detail of projects under immediate Rehabilitation completed for the years 2015-16, 2016-17 and 2017-18 on which a total of Rs.5,353 Million were utilized. In addition to that an additional funds of Rs. 15,164 Million for Immediate Rehabilitation projects have been approved over and above of TDPs funds. Rs. 8,000 Million approved by the Federal Cabinet for current financial year 2018-19 whereas Rs. 7,164 Million will be released in next year 2019-20.
- 8. Under the Citizen Losses Compensation Programme (CLCP) a total of 105000 units were estimated out of which 89,955 houses were surveyed. An amount of Rs. 18,858 Million have been released by the Finance Division whereas Rs. 18,744/- Million have been transferred to Tribal Districts of NWA, SWA, Kurram, Orakzai and Khyber and Rs. 15,319/- Million were distributed to 47,741 beneficiaries. Complete details regarding financial analysis, survey analysis, beneficiaries analysis and projects completed in different fields was provided to the Committee.
- on a query raised by members of the Committee, it was informed that rehabilitation funds are spent by different formation of armed forces in North, South Waziristan, Khyber and Kurram tribal districts of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa. Project estimates alongwith PC-Is are submitted to RRU for approval and the Finance Department releases funds to the Chief Engineer Merged Areas (erestwhile FATA) for onward transfer to 11 Corp, Peshawar for execution, after approval by FDWP. Armed Forces prepared DCEs/PC-Is will be submitted to DRRC for approval.
- 8. The following Members attended the last meeting of the Committee held on



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08-04-2019, wherein the Committee decided to dispose off the matter and present report in the House:-

- (i) Senator Taj Muhammad Afridi, Chairman
- (ii) Senator Haji Momin Khan Afridi, Member
- (vi) Senator Hilal-ur-Rehman, Member
- (vii) Senator Najma Hameed, Member
- (viii) Senator Mirza Muhammad Afridi, Special Invitee

(SHAUKAT JAVAID)

Joint Secretary/Secretary Committe

(SENATOR TA) MUHAMMAD AFRIDI)
Chairman Standing Committee on
States and Frontier Regions