

SENATE OF PAKISTAN
DAILY JOURNAL
(294th SESSION)

Date and Day	8 th November, 2019 (Friday)
Commenced at	10:30 a.m.
Adjourned at	12:22 p.m.
Presided by	Chairman Senate
Attendance	62
Total Working Hours	1 hour and 52 minutes

Recitation from the Holy Quran.

Chairman Senate felicitated the members on the Eid-Milad-un-Nabi.

LEAVE

Leave applications were read by the Chairman Senate.

COMMENCED MOTION
[Under Rule 218]

Further discussion on the following motion moved by Senator Raja Muhammad Zafar-Ul-Haq, Leader of the Opposition, on his behalf and on behalf of thirty two other Senators on 6th November, 2019:-

"The House may discuss the recent wave of alleged political victimization and denial of fundamental rights to members of Opposition parties and revocation of citizenship of a former member of Parliament".

The following members spoke on the Motion:

1. Senator Sirajul Haq
2. Senator Muhammad Tahir Bizinjo
3. Senator Dr. Jehanzeb Jamaldini
4. Senator Sassui Palijo
5. Senator Mir Kabeer Ahmed Muhammad Shahi
6. Senator Molvi Faiz Muhammad
7. Senator Syed Shibli Faraz, Leader of the House
8. Senator Kauda Babar
9. Senator Muhammad Ali Khan Saif

POINT OF ORDER

- Senator Sherry Rehman raised points of orders on the delay in Laying of Ordinances by the Government on the table of the Senate and the absence of Secretary Ministry of Interior and others officers from ministries.

Chairman Senate sought attendance of the Officers' Gallery wherein it was found that the Secretary Ministry of Interior was not present. Thereafter, the Chairman Senate directed that Secretary Interior should explain his absence and ministries should ensure compliance of Senate Rules and Standing Orders whereby officers not below the rank of Joint Secretary are required to be present in the House during the transaction of their business.

- Raja Zafar ul Haq, Leader of the Opposition raised the point of order on the speech of the Senator Syed Shibli Faraz, Leader of the House and stated that he should apologize and take his words back.

[At 12:11 p.m. the Opposition staged a walk-out wherein the Chairman Senate directed Senator Muhammad Azam Khan Swati, Federal Minister for Parliamentary Affairs, Senator Sajjad Hussain Turi Chief Whip and Senator Fida Muhammad to convince the opposition to end the walk-out.]

[At 12:18 p.m. Senator Moula Bux Chandio pointed out that the House was not in Quorum thereafter the Chairman directed that the count be made wherein it was found that the House is not in Quorum and the bells were rung for 5 minutes. After ringing of the bells, the count was made again and the House was not in Quorum thereafter the Chairman Senate adjourned the proceedings of the House to meet again on Monday.]

At 12:22 p.m. the Chairman adjourned the proceedings of the House to meet again on Monday, the 11th November, 2019, at 03:30 p.m.

Islamabad,
the 8th of November, 2019.