

**SENATE OF PAKISTAN**  
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<b>Date and Day</b>	22 <sup>nd</sup> November, 2016 (Tuesday)
<b>Commenced at</b>	02:05 pm
<b>Adjourned at</b>	05:03 pm
<b>Presided by</b>	Mian Raza Rabbani Chairman Senate of Pakistan
<b>Attendance</b>	66
<b>Total working hours</b>	2 hours & 58 minutes

**QUESTION HOUR**

17 questions were replied in the House whereas replies to 4 questions were treated as laid on the table of the House, due to absence of concerned members. The remaining printed questions and their replies were treated as laid on the table of the House.

**LEAVE APPLICATIONS**

- The leave applications were read by the Chairman.

**CONSIDERATION OF ADMISSIBILITY OF ADJOURNMENT MOTION**

<b>Sr. No.</b>	<b>Subject matter of the adjournment motion</b>	<b>Name(s) of the Mover(s)</b>	<b>Concerned Ministry</b>	<b>Ruling of the Chairman</b>
<b>1.</b>	Infliction of huge loss of Rs. 4.46 billion by Nandi Pur Power Plant in the month of June, 2016.	Senator Col. (R) Syed Tahir Hussain Mashhadi	Water and Power	The motion was held out of as it does not pertain to a matter of urgent public importance.
<b>2.</b>	The 36% increase in the gas prices by the Federal Government as reported in newspapers dated 10th October, 2016.	Senators Kamil Ali Agha, Col. (R) Syed Tahir Hussain Mashhadi and Sirajul Haq,	Petroleum and Natural Resources	The Motion was held out of order being infructuous as OGRA has already clarified that no increase is being made in gas prices

3.	The need of introduction of waste-to-energy incinerators to produce energy from waste produced every day in the country which could play a vital role to meet the energy needs of the country from local resource.	Senator Dr. Jehanzeb Jamaldini	Water and Power	The Motion was held out of order. The Chair suggested the Member to use some other parliamentary tool.
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**REPORT BY THE ADVISOR TO THE PRIME MINISTER ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS**

Mr. Sartaj Aziz, Advisor to the Prime Minister on Foreign Affairs made implementation report on the policy guidelines issued by the Committee of the Whole in view of the latest situation developing between Pakistan and India

**CALLING ATTENTION NOTICE**

- **Senator Col. (R) Syed Tahir Hussain Mashhadi**, to draw attention of the Minister for National Health Services, Regulations and Coordination, towards the fact that as many as 12000 patients have been tested positive for Hepatitis-C at PIMS during the last one year which is 20% increase as compared to the previous year and the problems being faced by such patients to get treatment in PIMS Hospital.

**Dr. Tariq Fazal Chaudhry, Minister of State for Capital Administration & Development Division, made the statement and notice was disposed of.**

- **Senators Muhammad Usman Khan Kakar, Sardar Muhammad Azam Khan Musakhel and Gul Bashra**, to draw attention of the Minister for Water and Power, towards the non-construction of Chashma-Zhob transmission line despite its approval and inclusion in PSDP.

**The Calling Attention Notice was deferred on request of Members.**

**MOTIONS UNDER RULE 194(1) FOR EXTENSION IN TIME TO  
PRESENT REPORTS**

Sr. No.	Name of the Member	Nature of Motion	Rulings of the Chair
		For extension of time	
1.	Senator Saleem Mandviwala	The period for presentation of report of the Committee on the Bill further to amend the Partnership Act, 1932 [The Partnership (Amendment) Bill, 2016] introduced by Senator Mohammad Azam Khan Swati, on 26 <sup>th</sup> September, 2016, may be extended for a period of sixty working days with effect from 26 <sup>th</sup> November, 2016, as the concerned Ministry has sought time for response, therefore, more time is needed.	The motion was carried and requisite extension was granted.
2.	Senator Saleem Mandviwala	The period for presentation of report of the Committee on the Bill further to amend the Protection of Economic Reforms Act, 1992 [The Protection of Economic Reforms (Amendment) Bill, 2016] introduced by Senator Saleem Mandviwala, on 3 <sup>rd</sup> October, 2016, may be extended for a period of sixty working days with effect from 3 <sup>rd</sup> December, 2016.	The motion was carried and requisite extension was granted.
3.	Senator Muhammad Javed Abbasi	The period for presentation of report of the Committee on the Bill further to amend the Civil Courts Ordinance, 1962, in its applications to the Islamabad Capital Territory [The Civil Courts (Amendment) Bill, 2016] introduced by Senator Mohammad Azam Khan Swati, on 26 <sup>th</sup> September, 2016, may be extended for a period of thirty working days with effect from 26 <sup>th</sup> November, 2016, as the Committee has not been able to finalize its report due to absence of the Mover in the Committee Meetings.	The motion was carried and requisite extension was granted.

4.	Senator Dr. Jehanzeb Jamaldini	The period for presentation of report of the Committee on the Privilege Motion No. 03(252)/2016-M, moved by Senator Muhammad Daud Khan Achakzai, Advocate on his behalf and on behalf of Senators Rozi Khan Kakar, Muhammad Ali Khan Saif and Liaqat Khan Tarakai, on 27 <sup>th</sup> September, 2016, may be extended for a period of forty-five working days with effect from 27 <sup>th</sup> November, 2016.	The motion was carried and requisite extension was granted.
5.	Senator Abdul Rehman Malik,	The period for presentation of report of the Committee on the Bill further to amend the Registration Act, 1908 [The Islamabad Registration (Amendment) Bill, 2016] introduced by Senator Mohammad Azam Khan Swati, on 26 <sup>th</sup> September, 2016, may be extended for a period of thirty working days with effect from 26 <sup>th</sup> November, 2016, in order to enable the Committee to finalize its report.	The motion was carried and requisite extension was granted.
6.	Senator Abdul Rehman Malik	The period for presentation of report of the Committee on the Bill further to amend the Pakistan Penal Code, 1860 [The Pakistan Penal Code (Amendment) Bill, 2016] (Insertion of new sections 320A and 337JJ) introduced by Senator Mohammad Azam Khan Swati, on 26 <sup>th</sup> September, 2016, may be extended for a period of thirty working days with effect from 26 <sup>th</sup> November, 2016, in order to enable the Committee to finalize its report.	The motion was carried and requisite extension was granted.
7.	Senator Abdul Rehman Malik	The period for presentation of report of the Committee on the Bill further to amend the Pakistan Penal Code 1860 [The Pakistan Penal Code (Amendment) Bill, 2016] (Amendment in section 364A) introduced by Senator Mohammad Azam Khan Swati, on 26 <sup>th</sup> September, 2016, may be extended for a period of thirty working days with effect from 26 <sup>th</sup> November, 2016, in order to enable the Committee to finalize its report.	The motion was carried and requisite extension was granted.

8.	Senator Abdul Rehman Malik	The period for presentation of report of the Committee on the Bill to prohibit the employment of children and to restrict the employment of adolescents in certain occupations and processes [The Islamabad Restriction on Employment of Children Bill, 2016] introduced by Senator Mohammad Azam Khan Swati, on 26 <sup>th</sup> September, 2016, may be extended for a period of thirty working days with effect from 26 <sup>th</sup> November, 2016, in order to enable the Committee to finalize its report.	The motion was carried and requisite extension was granted.
9.	Senator Abdul Rehman Malik	The period for presentation of report of the Committee on the Bill further to amend the Police Order, 2002 [The Police Order (Amendment) Bill, 2016] introduced by Senator Mohammad Azam Khan Swati, on 26 <sup>th</sup> September, 2016, may be extended for a period of thirty working days with effect from 26 <sup>th</sup> November, 2016, in order to enable the Committee to finalize its report.	The motion was carried and requisite extension was granted.
10.	Senator Abdul Rehman Malik	The period for presentation of report of the Committee on the Bill to combat the smuggling of migrants by land, sea and air [The Smuggling of Migrants Bill, 2016] introduced by Senator Mushahid Hussain Syed, on 26 <sup>th</sup> September, 2016, may be extended for a period of thirty working days with effect from 26 <sup>th</sup> November, 2016, in order to enable the Committee to finalize its report.	The motion was carried and requisite extension was granted.
11.	Senator Abdul Rehman Malik	The period for presentation of report of the Committee on the Bill to prevent and Combat Trafficking in persons, especially Women and Children [The Trafficking in Persons Bill, 2016] introduced by Senator Mushahid Hussain Syed, on 26 <sup>th</sup> September, 2016, may be extended for a period of thirty working days with effect from 26 <sup>th</sup> November, 2016, in order to enable the Committee to finalize its report.	The motion was carried and requisite extension was granted.

## **ORDINANCE TO BE LAID**

**Mr. Zahid Hamid, Minister for Law and Justice on behalf of Senator Mohammad Ishaq Dar**, Minister for Finance, Revenue, Economic Affairs, Statistics and Privatization, laid before the Senate the Companies Ordinance, 2016 (Ordinance No. VI of 2016) as required by clause (2) of Article 89 of the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan.

## **LEGISLATIVE BUSINESS**

Following Government Bills were passed by the Senate:-

- 1) The Pakistan Engineering Council (Amendment) Bill, 2016
- 2) The Code of Civil Procedure (Amendment) Bill, 2016
- 3) The Central Law Officers (Amendment) Bill, 2016
- 4) The Islamabad High Court (Amendment) Bill, 2016

## **ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF PRESENCE**

The House acknowledged the presence of a group of 37 students and 5 faculty members of Dawa'h Academy International Islamic University Faisal Masjid Campus, Islamabad who were present in the visitors' gallery to witness the proceedings.

## **RESOLUTION**

Senator Raja Muhammad Zafar Ul Haq, Leader of the House moved resolution condemning the launching of a ballistic missile towards Makkah Al-Mukarramah region on Thursday the 27th October, 2016 which fortunately was intercepted by Air Defence Forces of the Kingdom and destroyed

## **ANNOUNCEMENT REGARDING PUBLIC PETITIONS**

The Secretary Senate made announcement regarding the receipt and disposal of public petitions during the intervening period of 253<sup>rd</sup> and 255<sup>th</sup> session.

**MATTERS OF PUBLIC IMPORTANCE RAISED DURING ZERO HOUR**

<b>Sr. No.</b>	<b>Name of the Member(s)</b>	<b>The issue in brief</b>	<b>Direction of the Chairman, if any</b>
1.	Senator Col. (R) Syed Tahir Hussain Mashhadi	Pointed out the miserable condition of “Kavan” the elephant in Margalla Zoo	The Chairman narrated the background of the issue and the steps taken by the House in resolving the miseries of the animal. The Chairman directed the Minister of State for CADD to look into the matter and apprise the House about the latest situation.
2.	Senator Nasreen Jalil	Pointed out the repatriation of teachers of Pak-Turk School system on the instigation of Government of Turkey	Chairman stated that Calling Attention Notices have also been received in the Secretariat on the issue which will be set down in the Orders of the day on priority.
3.	Senator Dr. Jehanzeb Jamaldini	Pointed out the enforced disappearances of the innocent persons in	The Chairman directed the Secretariat to refer the matter of enforced

		Balochistan after the recent wave of terrorism in the province but the Government is not apprehending the real culprits	disappearances to the Minister of State for Interior who shall appear in the House tomorrow and submit report on the same
4.	Senator Hafiz Hamdullah	Pointed out the violation of rights of transgender and exploitation of that community throughout the country whereas the State has remained unable to protect their fundamental rights being humans and citizens of the State	The Chairman referred the matter to the special committee on marginalized segments of the society with the direction to report back within two months and suggest that what legislative measures are required to be taken to give rightful place to such segments in the society. The Chairman suggested the Mover as well as the Members of the Functional Committee on Human Rights to appear before the Committee



5.	Senator Khushbakht Shujat	Pointed out the subjection to torture of a student of Larkana Cadet College. She has stated that only the statements are being given by the authorities but neither his treatment has started nor the culprits have been identified	The Chairman stated that he will personally speak to Chief Minister Sindh and report back to the House
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- The House was adjourned to meet again on Wednesday the 23<sup>rd</sup> November, 2016 at 02:00 p.m.

**Islamabad, the**  
**22<sup>nd</sup> November, 2016**