

SENATE OF PAKISTAN

DAILY JOURNAL

Date and Day	16 th May, 2016 (Monday)
Commenced at	04:01 pm
Adjourned at	04:28 pm
Presided by	Mian Raza Rabbani Chairman Senate
Attendance	60
Total working minutes	27 minutes

PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS

Sr. No.	Title of the Bill	Introduced by (Member In-charge)	Whether opposed by the Government, if opposed by whom	Directions
1.	The Supreme Court (Number of Judges) (Amendment) Bill, 2016	Senator Zaheer-Ud-Din Babar Awan	Zahid Hamid, Federal Minister of Law	Referred to concerned Standing Committee
2.	The Motor Vehicles (Amendment) Bill, 2016	Senator Mohammad Azam Khan Swati	Not opposed	Referred to concerned Standing Committee
3.	The Provincial Motor Vehicles (Amendment) Bill, 2016	Senator Mohammad Azam Khan Swati	Not opposed	Referred to concerned Standing Committee

REPORT OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE, PRESENTATION OF

Sr. No.	Name of the Committee	Report presented by	Subject matter of the report	Direction of the Chairman
1.	Defence	Senator Lt. General (R) Salahuddin Tirmizi on behalf of Senator Senator Mushahid Hussain Syed	The visit and meetings of the Senate Standing Committee on Defence at Pakistan Navy installations Karachi, Ormara and Gwadar.	Report stands laid

MOTIONS UNDER RULE 218

Sr. No.	Subject matter of the motion	Name(s) of the Mover(s)	Wound up by (Minister/Advisor)	Direction of the Chairman
1.	The need to increase intra-regional trade especially with neighboring countries for economic development.	Senator Mian Muhammad Ateeq Shaikh	-	Motion was dropped due to absence of the Mover.
2.	The situation arising out of the involvement of India in terrorism and anti-state activities in Pakistan and the steps being taken by the Government in this regard.	Senator Sehar Kamran	-	Motion was dropped due to absence of the Mover.
3.	The trade policy of the Government.	Senator Muhammad Talha Mehmood	-	Motion was dropped due to absence of the Mover.
4.	The situation arising out of reduction in the production of natural-gas in the country.	Senator Col. ® Syed Tahir Hussain Mashhadi	-	Motion was dropped due to absence of the Mover.

PRIVATE MEMBERS' RESOLUTIONS

Sr. No.	Subject matter of the Resolution	Opposed by the Government or not If opposed, by whom	Adopted unanimously or with majority/ Rejected	Direction of the Chairman, if any
1.	The provincial Governments of Punjab, Balochistan and Khyber Pakhtunkhwa to make necessary legislation to regulate the Mental Health Act on priority basis.	-	-	Deferred on the request of the Mover.
2.	The practice of holding written test for admission in Grade One in primary schools working under the administrative control of the Federal Directorate of Education Islamabad be abolished forthwith in view of Article 25-A of the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan, 1973.	-	-	Dropped due to absence of the Mover.
3.	The immediate steps for handing over Kuchlak-Zhob Highway (N-50) and Saranan-Chaman Highway (N-25) to	Not Opposed	Passed unanimously	-

	National Highways and Motorway Police and to create new posts in that police for that purpose, if required.			
4.	The effective steps to open more air routes with Iran.	-	-	Dropped due to absence of the Mover
5.	The preparation of a complete dossier about the Indian interference in Pakistan's internal affairs fomenting unrest, instability and terrorism and send the same to key international countries and institutions.	Not Opposed	Passed unanimously	-

- The House was adjourned to meet again on Tuesday, the 17th May, 2016 at 3:00 p.m.

Islamabad, the
16th May, 2016