

**SENATE OF PAKISTAN**  
**DAILY JOURNAL**  
**(303<sup>RD</sup> SESSION)**

Date and Day	15 <sup>th</sup> September, 2020 (Tuesday)
Commenced at	11:00 a.m.
Adjourned at	07:25 p.m.
Presided by	Chairman Senate
Attendance	87
Total Working Hours	08 hours and 25 minutes (morning and evening sittings)

Recitation from the Holy Quran.

**PANEL OF PRESIDING OFFICERS FOR 303<sup>RD</sup> SESSION**

1. Senator Ayesha Raza Farooq
2. Senator Walid Iqbal
3. Senator Pervaiz Rasheed

**FATEHA**

The House offered Fateha for the deceased persons of the following incidents:-

- i. Incident of collapse of buildings in Karachi.
- ii. Incident of collapse of marble mines in Mohmand.
- iii. Incident of terrorist attack on Armed forces in Waziristan.
- iv. Incident of Rainfall and floods.

**OATH TAKING**

Mr. Mir Khalid Bazinjo, Member-elect, took oath and signed the Roll of Member.

**QUESTIONS**

Questions entered in a separate list were asked and their replies were given.

**LEAVE APPLICATIONS**

Leave applications were read by the Chairman Senate.

## **DISCUSSION ON THE BARBARIAN INCIDENT ON LAHORE SIALKOT MOTORWAY**

Following Members' spoke on the issue:-

1. Senator Pervaiz Rasheed
2. Senator Dr. Asif Kirmani
3. Senator Sherry Rehman
4. Senator Aurangzeb
5. Senator Mohsin Aziz
6. Senator Mian Raza Rabbani
7. Senator Muhammad Ali Khan Saif
8. Senator Mushahid Ullah Khan

**[At 1:55 p.m. the proceedings were suspended and resumed at 4:35 p.m.]**

9. Senator Sirajul Haq
10. Senator Muhammad Azam Khan Swati

**[At this stage, Senator Ayesha Raza Farooq, presided]**

11. Senator Muhammad Usman Khan Kakar
12. Senator Sitara Ayaz
13. Senator Mir Kabeer Muhammad Shahi
14. Senator Raja Zafar-Ul-Haq, Leader of the Opposition
15. Senator Dr. Shahzad Waseem, Leader of the House

**[At this stage, Chairman Senate presided]**

16. Senator Abdul Rehman Malik
17. Senator Mushtaq Ahmed
18. Senator Sassui Palijo

### **MOTION**

**[Under Rule 194(1)]**

Senator Mir Kabeer Muhammad Shahi on behalf of Senator Professor Sajid Mir, Chairman, Standing Committee on Kashmir Affairs and Gilgit-Baltistan, moved under sub-rule (1) of Rule 194 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Senate, 2012, that the time for presentation of report of the Committee on a motion under Rule 218 moved by Senators Agha Shahzaib Durrani and Muhammad Ali Khan Saif on 13<sup>th</sup> July, 2020, regarding need for reforms in Gilgit-Baltistan may be extended for a period of thirty working days with effect from 11<sup>th</sup> September, 2020.

**The Motion was put to the House and carried and the requisite extension was granted.**

## **PRESENTATION OF REPORTS OF THE COMMITTEES**

- 1.** Senator Ayesha Raza Farooq, Chairperson, Committee on Rules of Procedure and Privileges, presented report of the Committee on a Privilege Motion moved by Senators Hidayat Ullah and Muhammad Usman Khan Kakar on 24<sup>th</sup> July, 2020, against the Secretary Ministry of National Health Services, Regulations and Coordination who flouted the ruling of the Chairman Senate.
- 2.** Senator Kamran Michel on behalf of Senator Mustafa Nawaz Khokhar, Chairman, Functional Committee on Human Rights, presented report of the Committee on the Working Women (Protection of Rights) Bill, 2020, introduced by Senator Seemee Ezdi on her own behalf and on behalf of Senator Samina Saeed, on 8<sup>th</sup> June, 2020.
- 3.** Senator Khushbakht Shujat, Chairperson, Standing Committee on National Health Services, Regulations and Coordination, presented report of the Committee on the subject matter of starred question No. 50, asked by Senator Abdul Rehman Malik on 14<sup>th</sup> January, 2020, regarding names and locations of pharmaceutical companies sealed on account of manufacturing spurious medicines in the country during the last three years.
- 4.** Senator Khushbakht Shujat, Chairperson, Standing Committee on National Health Services, Regulations and Coordination, presented report of the Committee on the subject matter of starred question No. 51, asked by Senator Mushtaq Ahmed on 24<sup>th</sup> July, 2020, regarding the number of pilgrims diagnosed with corona virus in quarantine center established in Taftan for the pilgrims returning.
- 5.** Senator Khushbakht Shujat, Chairperson, Standing Committee on National Health Services, Regulations and Coordination, presented report of the Committee on a Point of Public Importance raised by Senator Sajjad Hussain Turi on 14<sup>th</sup> May, 2020, regarding termination / repatriation of doctors serving at PIMS as per 5 % quota policy from provinces and on a Point of Public Importance raised by Senator Muhammad Usman Khan Kakar on 20<sup>th</sup> January, 2020, regarding promotion cases of senior doctors at PIMS.
- 6.** Senator Rahila Magsi, Chairperson, Standing Committee on Federal Education, Professional Training, National History and Literary Heritage, presented report of the Committee on a point of public importance raised by Senator Dr. Jehanzeb Jamaldini on 15<sup>th</sup> July, 2020, regarding Scholarship issues faced by the students from Balochistan.

- 7.** Senator Behramand Khan Tangi on behalf of Senator Rahila Magsi, Chairperson, Standing Committee on Federal Education, Professional Training, National History and Literary Heritage, presented report of the Committee on a point of public importance raised by Senator Mushtaq Ahmed on 20<sup>th</sup> July, 2020, regarding inclusion of inappropriate content about Pashtun Community in Curriculum.
- 8.** Senator Behramand Khan Tangi on behalf of Senator Rahila Magsi, Chairperson, Standing Committee on Federal Education, Professional Training, National History and Literary Heritage, presented report of the Committee on a point of public importance raised by Senator Muhammad Usman Khan Kakar on 22<sup>nd</sup> July, 2020, regarding Establishment of Forest University in Ziarat and Live Stock University in Musakhel Balochistan.
- 9.** Senator Muhammad Asad Ali Khan Junejo, Chairman, Standing Committee on Railways, presented report of the Committee on the subject matter of starred question No. 258, asked by Senator Mushtaq Ahmed on 28th January, 2020, regarding the irregularities in the appointment against the post of CEO, Railways.
- 10.** Senator Muhammad Asad Ali Khan Junejo, Chairman, Standing Committee on Railways, presented report of the Committee on a point of public importance raised by Senator Lt. General Abdul Qayyum HI (M) Retd. on 30<sup>th</sup> July, 2020, regarding Revival of Mandra-Chakwal Railway Line.
- 11.** Senator Muhammad Asad Ali Khan Junejo, Chairman, Standing Committee on Railways, presented report of the Committee on the subject matter of starred question No. 27, asked by Senator Muhammad Usman Khan Kakar on 22<sup>nd</sup> July, 2020, regarding the PC-I, Feasibility Report and completion status of Railway lines from Gwadar to Quetta, Quetta to Zhob, Zhob to Kohat and distance in KMs of Railway lines from Gwadar to Quetta, Quetta to Zhob, Zhob to Kohat, Kohat to Peshawar, Gwadar to Khuzdar, Khuzdar to Ratodero, Ratodero to Sukkur, Sukkur to Lahore and Lahore to Peshawar.
- 12.** Senator Samina Saeed on behalf of Senator Hillal Ur Rehman, Chairman, Standing Committee on Overseas Pakistanis and Human Resource Development, presented report of the Committee on the Resolution moved by Senator Ghous Muhammad Khan Niazi, on 13<sup>th</sup> July, 2019, regarding reduction in the Pension, being granted to retired and old aged workers by the Employees Old age Benefit Institution, from Rs. 8500/- to Rs. 6500/-.

## **LEGISLATIVE BUSINESS**

1. Mr. Zaheer-Ud-Din Babar Awan, Adviser to the Prime Minister on Parliamentary Affairs, moved that the Bill further to amend the Cooperative Societies Act, 1925 [The Cooperative Societies (Amendment) Bill, 2020], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration.

**The Bill stands referred to Standing Committee Concerned with direction to give report tomorrow.**

2. Senator Sajjad Hussain Turi moved that the Bill further to amend the Anti-terrorism Act, 1997 [The Anti-terrorism (Third Amendment) Bill 2020], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration.

Following Members' spoke on the Bill:-

- i. Senator Mian Raza Rabbani
- ii. Senator Sherry Rehman
- iii. Senator Muhammad Azam Khan Swati
- iv. Senator Molana Atta Ur Rehman

**The Bill stands referred to Standing Committee Concerned with direction to give report tomorrow.**

- **At 7:25 p.m. the Chairman adjourned the proceedings of the House to meet again on Wednesday, the 16<sup>th</sup> September, 2020, at 10:30 a.m.**

**Islamabad,**  
**the 15<sup>th</sup> of September, 2020.**