

SENATE SECRETARIAT ORDERS OF THE DAY

for the meeting of the Senate to be held at 3:30 p.m. on Monday, the 31st May, 2021.

1. Recitation from the Holy Quran.

BILLS TO BE INTRODUCED

2. **SENATOR MOHSIN AZIZ**, to move for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the Guardians and Wards Act, 1890 [The Guardians and Wards (Amendment) Bill, 2021].
3. **SENATOR MOHSIN AZIZ**, to introduce the Bill further to amend the Guardians and Wards Act, 1890 [The Guardians and Wards (Amendment) Bill, 2021].
4. **SENATOR MIAN RAZA RABBANI**, to move for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan [The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2021] (**Amendment of Article 89**).
5. **SENATOR MIAN RAZA RABBANI**, to introduce the Bill further to amend the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan [The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2021].
6. **SENATOR SEEMEE EZDI**, to move for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan [The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2021] (**Amendment of Article 59**).
7. **SENATOR SEEMEE EZDI**, to introduce the Bill further to amend the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan [The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2021].

LEGISLATIVE BUSINESS

8. **SENATORS FAWZIA ARSHAD AND SEEMEE EZDI**, to move that the Bill further to amend the Islamabad Rent Restriction Ordinance, 2001 [The Islamabad Rent Restriction (Amendment) Bill, 2020], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration.
9. **SENATOR FAWZIA ARSHAD AND SEEMEE EZDI**, to move that the Bill further to amend the Islamabad Rent Restriction Ordinance, 2001 [The Islamabad Rent Restriction (Amendment) Bill, 2020], be passed.
10. **SENATOR SAADIA ABBASI**, to move that the Bill to make provisions for prohibition of corporal punishment against children [The Islamabad Capital Territory Prohibition of Corporal Punishment Bill, 2021], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration.
11. **SENATOR SAADIA ABBASI**, to move that the Bill to make provisions for prohibition of corporal punishment against children [The Islamabad Capital Territory Prohibition of Corporal Punishment Bill, 2021], be passed.

RESOLUTIONS**12. SENATOR MOHSIN AZIZ** to move the following resolution:-

“This House strongly recommends that the Government should take necessary steps for operating PIA flights between Peshawar and Lahore on regular basis.”

13. SENATOR FAISAL SALEEM REHMAN to move the following resolution:-

“The Government of Pakistan is cognizant that Pakistan like every other country is making continuous efforts to combat COVID-19 pandemic for which the healthcare workers were on the priority list to be vaccinated. However, the national and international trends have identified another key player in addition to the front-line workers that are directly exposed to the virus which are the police, rangers and administrative officers and staff. These officials that are on ground are helping the Government of Pakistan in maintaining order through enforcing lockdowns and making sure that the public follow the Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs) laid down in order to deal with the ongoing pandemic and are also providing assistance as well as information to the public. The officials aforementioned, are working closely to stem the outbreak, therefore, are as much exposed to COVID-19 as healthcare workers working in hospitals. As the House is aware numerous officials have lost their lives while safeguarding the public from the pandemic.

The House, therefore, urges the Government to prioritize the vaccination of aforesaid law enforcing personnel working on ground as they are working tirelessly to ensure SOPs, maintaining law and order and are therefore, put at risk in order to perform their duties.”

14. SENATOR KAMRAN MURTAZA to move the following resolution:-

“This House urges upon the Government to take concrete steps for provision of internet services across the province of Balochistan.”

15. SENATOR SEEMEE EZDI to move the following resolution:-

“Recognizing Pakistan's commitment in fulfilling Sustainable Development Goal-5 encompassing a continued commitment to achieve gender equality as state's responsibility to “ensure” women's full and effective participation and equal opportunities for leadership at all levels of decision-making in political, economic and public life;

Cognizant of the fact that women constitute half of our population share but despite that their share in decision-making and senior positions level and leadership is small and shows no clear trend toward improvement;

This House recommends that the Government should initiate a review process through all Ministries in order to ascertain the following areas:

- a) To update the ratio of female officers at senior positions in all the Government entities and institutions;
- b) To identify the gaps in gender inequality at senior level positions indicating also the reasons of the lower number of female officers thereof;

This House further recommends that on the basis of the review action conducted by the relevant quarters the Government should take immediate measures to increase the number of women officers at decision making positions and ensure their meaningful representation at all levels in the Federal Government entities / institutions.”

16. SENATOR MOHSIN AZIZ to move the following resolution:-

“This House expresses its grave concerns over the improper, unjustified and inequitable credit/lending by the commercial banks in the small provinces of the country especially Balochistan and Khyber Pakhtunkhwa which are leading to deprivation, disparity and slow progress of industrialization and commercial activities in those provinces.

This House strongly demands the Government to take immediate and result oriented steps to ensure that the minimum credit/lending of the commercial banks to the private sector for establishing industry and commercial activities in the provinces of Balochistan and Khyber Pakhtunkhwa is at par with those provinces' total deposits in the banks.

This House also recommends the Government either to introduce a new legislation or amend the present laws/regulations in that regard.”

M O T I O N S

[Under Rule 218]

17. SENATOR KAMRAN MURTAZA to move that the House may discuss the problems being faced by the common lot of the country due to recent exorbitant increase in the electricity tariff by the Government.

18. SENATOR MOHSIN AZIZ to move that this House may discuss the report of Broadsheet Commission headed by Mr. Justice (R) Azmat Saeed Sheikh regarding investigation of the Broadsheet scandal.

MOHAMMAD QASIM SAMAD KHAN
Secretary

Islamabad, the
28th May, 2021.