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**SENATE SECRETARIAT**

No.F. 8(1)/2021-24/C-I

Islamabad, the 10<sup>th</sup> February, 2022.

**NOTICE**

A meeting of the Senate Standing Committee on Foreign Affairs will be held on 17<sup>th</sup> February, 2022 at 11: 00 a.m. in Committee Room No.1, Parliament House, Islamabad. **In case Senate session in the morning, the meeting will be held at 2.00 p.m.**

2. The agenda before the Committee would be as under:-
  - i. Briefing on increase in terrorist attacks into Pakistan from Afghan soil and necessary steps and precautions taken by Pakistan to avoid recurrence in future.
  - ii. Detailed briefing on the status of Pakistani prisoners abroad, steps being taken by the government to facilitate their release and return to Pakistan.
  - iii. Briefing on the closure of Badini and Qamar Din Karez (QDK) borders, steps taken in this regard with the Afghanistan Govt for opening of closed routes and resolution of problems being faced by the traders of both countries.
  - iv. Senate Starred Question No.3, asked by the Senator Mushtaq Ahmed during the Senate sitting held on 4th January, 2022 and referred to the Committee for consideration and report.
  - v. Point of Public Importance raised by Senator Dr. Asif Kirmani during the sitting held on 25th January, 2022 regarding "Pakistani Students studying in China who can not return to China due to Covid-19 restrictions by Chinese authorities" referred to the Committee for consideration and report.
  - vi. "Discussion/briefing on the recent surge in serious human rights violations in IIOJK under the violent and Blatant use of Unlawful Activities (Prevention) Act (UAPA) and PSA/Public Safety Acts of Indian Government as well as the need to take up the matter at all the international human rights forums including Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights." Matter raised by Senator Dr. Zarqa Suharwardy Taimur vide letter dated 31st January, 2022 addressed to Chairperson Committee, with the request to take up in the Committee meeting.
  - vii. Any other item with permission of the Chair.
3. Members are requested to kindly make it convenient to attend the meeting.
4. **In view of social distancing and precautionary measures against COVID-19, SoPs shall be observed for the Committee meetings.**

  
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AS/Secretary Committee

1. Senator Sherry Rehman	Chairperson
2. Senator Dr. Shahzad Waseem, Leader of the House	Member
3. Senator Mushahid Hussain Sayed	Member
4. Senator Saadia Abbasi	Member
5. Senator Molana Abdul Ghafoor Haideri	Member
6. Senator Faisal Javed	Member
7. Senator Anwaar ul Haq Kakar	Member
8. Senator Walid Iqbal	Member
9. Senator Muhammad Tahir Bizenjo	Member
10. Senator Sarfaraz Ahmed Bugti	Member
11. Senator Palwasha Muhammad Zai Khan	Member
12. Senator Dr. Zarqa Soharwardy	Member
13. Senator Samina Mumtaz Zehri	Member
14. Senator Mustafa Nawaz Khokhar	Member
15. Senator Zeeshan Khanzada	Special Invitee
16. Senator Mushtaq Ahmed	Mover
17. Senator Dr. Asif Kirmani	Mover
18. Minister for Foreign Affairs	Ex. Officio Member

**Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to:-**

1. The Secretary, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Islamabad, with the request to kindly attend the meeting along with all concerned.
2. The Director General (NASA), Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Islamabad, with the request to kindly provide 35 copies of the working papers (if any) both in Urdu & English positively (The soft versions may be emailed to:- [committee1@senate.gov.pk](mailto:committee1@senate.gov.pk)) along with list of participants to this Secretariat 48 hours prior to the Committee meeting otherwise it will be treated as "**NOT RECEIVED**".
3. Sr. P.S. to Minister for Foreign Affairs, Islamabad, to request the Minister to kindly attend the meeting.

**Copy also forwarded for information to:-**

1. The Attorney General of Pakistan.
2. The Accountant General Pakistan Revenues, Islamabad.
3. The Secretary, Ministry of Law and Justice, Islamabad.
4. The Secretary, Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs, Islamabad.
5. The Secretary, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
6. The Additional Secretary (Legislation), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
7. The Joint Secretaries (Com/Adm/IPR), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
8. The Principal Secretary to Chairman, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
9. The E.D, Pakistan Institute of Parliamentary Services (PIPS), Islamabad.
10. The Director (IT), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
11. The Director (Media), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
12. **The Deputy Director (I.T), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad for SMS.**
13. The Deputy Secretaries (Admn / Committee I & II), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
14. The Director Staff to Deputy Chairman, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
15. The Director Staff to Leader of the House, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
16. The Director Staff to Leader of the Opposition, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
17. The Director Staff to Chief Whip, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
18. **The Private Secretary to Chairperson, Standing Committee on Foreign Affairs with the request to make confirmation about the attendance of the Hon'ble Members.**
19. The Deputy Director Library, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
20. **The Sergeant-at-Arms, Senate Secretariat, with the request to facilitate entry of the participants and official coverage team (PID and PTV Cameramen) into Parliament House, Islamabad.**



21. The Section Officer (F & A), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
22. The Director News P.T.V, Islamabad, with the request to make necessary arrangements for the T.V. coverage of the meeting.
23. The Executive Director, Federal Government Poly Clinic (FGPC), Islamabad with the request to make necessary medical arrangement in the Parliament House, Islamabad.
24. All Director Staff to Chairpersons/Convener Standing/Functional/Special Committees, Islamabad.
25. The Medical Officer, Parliament House, Islamabad.
26. The Deputy Director (Civil/Electrical), CDA, Parliament House, Islamabad.
27. The Building Superintendent, Parliament House, Islamabad.
28. The Information Officer, (Senate) P.I.D. Islamabad.
29. The Engineer Incharge, Senate/N.A Secretariats, Islamabad.
30. The Committee Branch-II, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad
31. The Committee Branches I & II, National Assembly Secretariat, Islamabad.
32. **The I.T. Branch, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad (For Senate Website).**
33. The Lady Senators Services Center, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
34. The Senators Services Center, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
35. The Assistant Director (Protocol/Cafeteria), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
36. The Parliamentary Reporters Association, Parliament House, Islamabad.
37. The Annunciator Cell, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
38. Master File.

  
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