

SENATE OF PAKISTAN
DAILY JOURNAL
(318th SESSION)

Date and Day	27 th May, 2022 (Friday)
Commenced at	10:36 a.m.
Adjourned at	12:28 p.m.
Presided by	Chairman Senate
Attendance	73
Total Working Hours	1 hours and 52 minutes

Recitation from the Holy Quran.

QUESTION HOUR

Printed questions were asked and their oral replies were given by the ministers concerned.

Chairman adjourned the proceedings of the House for five minutes 11:45 to 11:50.

REPORTS OF THE STANDING COMMITTEES - PRESENTATION OF:
[Under Rule 195]

1. Senator Saleem Mandviwalla, Chairman, Standing Committee on Planning, Development and Special Initiatives, to present report of the Committee on the Bill further to amend the Public Private Partnership Authority Act, 2017 [The Public Private Partnership Authority (Amendment) Bill, 2022], introduced by Senator Mohammad Abdul Qadir on 7th February, 2022.

The Motion was not taken up

2. Senator Rana Maqbool Ahmad, Chairman, Standing Committee on Cabinet Secretariat, to present report of the Committee on a point of public importance raised by Senator Dilawar Khan on 25th January, 2022, regarding decisions made by the Central Selection Board (CSB).

The Motion was not taken up

3. Senator Syed Ali Zafar, Chairman, Standing Committee on Law and Justice, to present report of the Committee on the Bill further to amend the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan [The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2021] introduced by Senator Seemee Ezdi, on 31st May, 2021 **(Amendment of Article 59)**.

The Motion was not taken up

4. Senator Syed Ali Zafar, Chairman, Standing Committee on Law and Justice, to present report of the Committee on the Bill further to amend the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan [The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2021] introduced by Senator Shahadat Awan, on 15th November, 2021 **(Amendment of Articles 111, 140, 260 and 275)**

The Motion was not taken up

5. Senator Syed Ali Zafar, Chairman, Standing Committee on Law and Justice, to present report of the Committee on the Bill further to amend the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan [The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2022] introduced by Senator Farooq Hamid Naek, on 17th January, 2022 **(Amendment of Articles 175A, 181, 182, 183, 184, 195, 196, 197 and 209).**
The Motion was not taken up

6. Senator Syed Ali Zafar, Chairman, Standing Committee on Law and Justice, to present report of the Committee on a point of public importance raised by Senator Sardar Muhammad Shafiq Tareen on 27th December, 2021, regarding establishment of Income Tax Tribunal in Quetta, Balochistan.
The Motion was not taken up

7. Senator Mohsin Aziz, Chairman, Standing Committee on Interior, to present report of the Committee on a calling attention notice moved by Senator Fawzia Arshad on 10th November, 2021, regarding non-development of Sector I-12 by CDA since its inception more than three decades.
The Motion was not taken up

8. Senator Mohsin Aziz, Chairman, Standing Committee on Interior, to present report of the Committee on a motion under Rule 218 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Senate, 2012, raised by Senator Kamran Murtaza on 17th January, 2022, regarding abysmal performance of CDA with respect to repair and maintenance of Government accommodations.
The Motion was not taken up

9. SENATOR MOHSIN AZIZ, Chairman Standing committee on Interior, to present report of the Committee on the Bill further to amend the Price Control and Prevention of Profiteering and Hoarding Act, 1977 [The Price Control and Prevention of Profiteering and Hoarding (Amendment) Bill, 2022], introduced by Senator Mohsin Aziz on 31st January, 2022.
The Motion was not taken up

10. Senator Mohsin Aziz, Chairman, Standing Committee on Interior, to present report of the Committee on the Bill further to amend the Payment of Wages Act, 1936 [The Payment of Wages (Amendment) Bill, 2022], introduced by Senator Mohsin Aziz on 14th February, 2022.
The Motion was not taken up

11. Senator Mohsin Aziz, Chairman, Standing Committee on Interior, to present report of the Committee on the Bill to provide for prevention of vagrancy and rehabilitation of vagrants in the Islamabad Capital Territory [The Prevention and Rehabilitation of Vagrants Bill, 2022] introduced by Senator Seemee Ezdi on 7th February, 2022.
The Motion was not taken up

12. Senator Mohsin Aziz, Chairman, Standing Committee on Interior, to present report of the Committee on a point of public importance raised by Senator Mushtaq Ahmed on 12th November, 2021, regarding NADRA offices in Upper and Lower Dir.
The Motion was not taken up

13. Senator Mohsin Aziz, Chairman, Standing Committee on Interior, to present report of the Committee on the subject matter of Starred Question No.43 raised by Senator Dost Muhammad Khan on 29th December, 2021, regarding the casualties in South Waziristan due to landmines.

The Motion was not taken up

MOTION

[Under Rule 263]

1. Mr. Murtaza Javed Abbasi, Minister for Parliamentary Affairs, moved under Rule 263 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Senate, 2012, that the requirement of Rule 120 of the said Rules regarding notice period, be dispensed with in order to take into consideration the Bills at Order Nos. 17 to 20.

The Motion was put to the House and Adopted

LEGISLATIVE BUSINESS

1. Mr. Murtaza Javed Abbasi, Minister for Parliamentary Affairs, moved that the Bill further to amend the Elections Act, 2017 [The Elections (Amendment) Bill, 2022], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration.

The Motion was put to the House which was not opposed by the Minister for Parliamentary Affairs. Thereafter, the House started second reading of the Bill i.e. clause by clause consideration.

2. Mr. Murtaza Javed Abbasi, Minister for Parliamentary Affairs, moved that the Bill further to amend the Elections Act, 2017 [The Elections (Amendment) Bill, 2022], as passed by the National Assembly, be passed.

The Motion was put to the House and the Bill was passed.

3. Senator Azam Nazeer Tarar, Minister for Law and Justice, moved that the Bill further to amend the National Accountability Ordinance, 1999 [The National Accountability (Second Amendment) Bill, 2022], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration.

The Motion was put to the House which was not opposed by the Minister for Parliamentary Affairs. Thereafter, the House started second reading of the Bill i.e. clause by clause consideration.

4. Senator Azam Nazeer Tarar, Minister for Law and Justice, moved that the Bill further to amend the National Accountability Ordinance, 1999 [The National Accountability (Second Amendment) Bill, 2022], be passed.

The Motion was put to the House and the Bill was passed.

CALLING ATTENTION NOTICES

1. Senator Shaukat Fayaz Ahmed Tarin, to draw attention of the Minister of Finance and Revenue towards current deteriorating economic condition of the country and the steps taken by the Government.

The Calling Attention Notice was not taken up

2. Senators Mian Raza Rabbani, Mushtaq Ahmed, Fawzia Arshad, And Danesh Kumar, to draw attention of the Minister for Water Resources towards water scarcity in the country.

The Calling Attention Notice was not taken up

POINT OF PUBLIC IMPORTANCE

1. Senator Dr. Shahzad Waseem, Leader of the Opposition, spoke regarding highhandedness by the Government during PTI protest.

Senator Senator Azam Nazeer Tarar Leader of the House respond the issue.

At 12:28 p.m. the Chairman adjourned the proceedings of the House to meet again on Monday , 30th May, 2022, at 4:00 p.m.

**Islamabad, the
27th May, 2022.**