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SEPTEMBER, 2021.**

PRESENTED BY:

SENATOR MOHAMMAD ABDUL QADIR

SENATE SECRETARIAT

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I, Senator Mohammad Abdul Qadir, Chairman Standing Committee on Petroleum has the honor to present on behalf of the Committee, this report on the point of public importance regarding non-provision of jobs to local skilled and unskilled workers of districts Kohat, Hangu and Karak by OGDCL and M/s MOL raised by Senator Bahramand Khan Tangi during the sitting of the Senate held on 29th September, 2021 and referred to the Standing Committee for consideration and report.

2. The composition of the Committee is as under:-

1.	Senator Mohammad Abdul Qadir	Chairman
2.	Senator Fida Muhammad	Member
3.	Senator Mohsin Aziz	Member
4.	Senator Aon Abbas Bappi	Member
5.	Senator Prince Ahmed Omer Ahmedzai	Member
6.	Senator Sarfaraz Ahmed Bugti	Member
7.	Senator Qurat ul Ain Marri	Member
8.	Senator Engr. Rukhsana Zuberi	Member
9.	Senator Saadia Abbasi	Member
10.	Senator Afnan Ullah Khan	Member
11.	Senator Alta ur Rehman	Member
12.	Senator Kauda Babar	Member
13.	Senator Shammim Afridi	Member
14.	Minister for Energy	Ex-officio Member

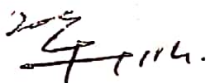
3. The Committee took up the issue in its meeting held on 10th February, 2022 which was attended by the following members:

1.	Senator Mohammad Abdul Qadir	Chairman
2.	Senator Fida Muhammad	Member
3.	Senator Mohsin Aziz	Member
4.	Senator Aon Abbas Bappi	Member
5.	Senator Prince Ahmed Omer Ahmedzai	Member
6.	Senator Saadia Abbasi	Member
7.	Senator Afnan Ullah Khan	Member
8.	Senator Bahramand Khan Tangi	Mover
9.	Senator Syed Muhammad Sabir Shah	Mover
10.	Senator Muhammad Qasim	Mover

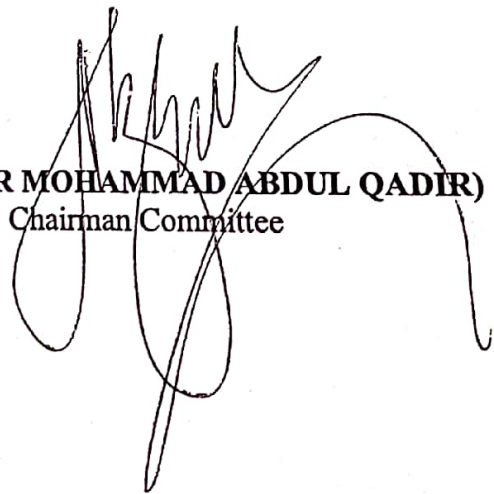


4. Senator Bahramand Khan Tangi informed the Committee that OGDCL and M/s MOL has been earning huge profits from oil and gas fields in Kohat, Hangu and Karak. He was of the view that these districts are very backward and underdeveloped. So it is the responsibility of the two companies to contribute in the development of these areas from where they are earning their profits. He was of the view that there is a need that these companies provide jobs to the local youth and undertake development work in those areas. The representative of OGDCL informed the Committee that their company has provided 1542 jobs to the residents of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa in its fields in the said districts out of which 1289 are locals. The representative of M/s MOL informed the Committee that they have total strength of 1252 employees at its fields in those districts out of which about 600 are locals. However, Senator Bahramand Khan Tangi showed dissatisfaction on the figures of local employees provided by the two companies. Apart from him, other Members of the Committee also showed their dissatisfaction on the performance of the two companies in those areas in terms of provision of jobs to locals and other CSR activities. They deplored the fact that no sufficient welfare schemes have been launched by the two companies for the welfare of the local people.

5. **Recommendation.** After thorough discussion, the Committee disposed of the issue raised in the instant point of public importance by directing both OGDCL and M/s MOL to prioritize provision of jobs to the locals of the three districts. The Committee also directed both the companies to expedite and expand their ongoing welfare schemes in those districts under the CSR and also launch more such schemes for the welfare and development of local population in those areas.


(RAFIULLAH)
Secretary Committee

Islamabad, the
11th February, 2022.


(SENATOR MOHAMMAD ABDUL QADIR)
Chairman Committee