

## **SENATE SECRETARIAT ORDERS OF THE DAY**

for the meeting of the Senate to be held at 4:00 p.m. on Monday, the 10<sup>th</sup> October, 2022.

1. Recitation from the Holy Quran.

### **BILLS TO BE INTRODUCED**

2. **SENATOR SANIA NISHTAR**, to move for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the Pakistan Bait-ul-Mal Act, 1991 [The Pakistan Bait-ul-Mal (Amendment) Bill, 2022].

3. **SENATOR SANIA NISHTAR**, to introduce the Bill further to amend the Pakistan Bait-ul-Mal Act, 1991 [The Pakistan Bait-ul-Mal (Amendment) Bill, 2022].

4. **SENATOR SEEMEE EZDI**, to move for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the National Disaster Management Act, 2010 [The National Disaster Management (Amendment) Bill, 2022].

5. **SENATOR SEEMEE EZDI**, to introduce the Bill further to amend the National Disaster Management Act, 2010 [The National Disaster Management (Amendment) Bill, 2022].

6. **SENATOR SAMINA MUMTAZ ZEHRI**, to move for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the Benazir Income Support Act, 2010 [The Benazir Income Support (Amendment) Bill, 2022].

7. **SENATOR SAMINA MUMTAZ ZEHRI**, to introduce the Bill further to amend the Benazir Income Support Act, 2010 [The Benazir Income Support (Amendment) Bill, 2022].

8. **SENATOR FAWZIA ARSHAD**, to move for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the General Clauses Act, 1897 [The General Clauses (Amendment) Bill, 2022].

9. **SENATOR FAWZIA ARSHAD**, to introduce the Bill further to amend the General Clauses Act, 1897 [The General Clauses (Amendment) Bill, 2022].

10. **SENATOR SEEMEE EZDI**, to move for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the Factories Act, 1934 [The Factories (Amendment) Bill, 2022].

11. **SENATOR SEEMEE EZDI**, to introduce the Bill further to amend the Factories Act, 1934 [The Factories (Amendment) Bill, 2022].

12. **SENATOR FAWZIA ARSHAD**, to move for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan [The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2022]. **(Amendment of Article 51)**

13. **SENATOR FAWZIA ARSHAD**, to introduce the Bill further to amend the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan [The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2022].

14. **SENATOR SEEMEE EZDI**, to move for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the Provincial Motor Vehicles Ordinance, 1965 [The Provincial Motor Vehicles (Amendment) Bill, 2022].

15. **SENATOR SEEMEE EZDI**, to introduce the Bill further to amend the Provincial Motor Vehicles Ordinance, 1965 [The Provincial Motor Vehicles (Amendment) Bill, 2022].

## **RESOLUTIONS**

**16. SENATORS TAJ HAIDER AND SALEEM MANDVIWALLA**, to move the following resolution:-

"The Senate of Pakistan is cognizant of the longstanding electricity crisis in the country and high electricity tariffs in the country causing heavy burden on domestic, commercial and industrial consumers.

The House recommends that the Government may allow Public-Private Partnership and Private Sector to install their own energy parks in the country with minimum thirty Mega Watts electricity generation capacity.

The House further recommends that the said energy parks may be authorized to sell electricity to the consumers on pre-determined tariff formula and install their own captive transmission and distribution grids for domestic, commercial and industrial consumers."

**17. SENATOR DR. SHAHZAD WASEEM LEADER OF THE OPPOSITION AND SENATORS MIAN RAZA RABBANI, SARFRAZ AHMED BUGTI, NASEEBULLAH BAZAI, MOLANA ABDUL GHAFOOR HAIDERI, MOHAMMAD ABDUL QADIR, DR. ZARQA SUHARWARDY TAIMUR, SAIFULLAH ABRO, DILAWAR KHAN, MUHAMMAD TAHIR BIZINJO, SANA JAMALI, ANWAAR-UL-HAQ KAKAR, TAJ HAIDER, HIDAYAT ULLAH KHAN, JAM MAHTAB HUSSAIN DAHAR, MANZOOR AHMED, MUHAMMAD AZAM KHAN SWATI, ZEESHAN KHAN ZADA AND DANESH KUMAR**, to move the following resolution:-

**"WHEREAS** the Constitution of Pakistan creates two co-equal House of Parliament, the Senate -providing equal and adequate representation to the federating units hence creating equality amongst the provinces and the National Assembly -allocating seats on the basis of population hence providing the principle of majority;

**WHEREAS** the Constitution of Pakistan empowers the Parliament to exercise parliamentary oversight on public exchequer to ensure transparency and accountability in the public spending;

**WHEREAS** the Public Accounts Committee acts as extension of the both Houses of the Parliament to effectively carry out the scrutiny and oversight on public exchequer by examining Auditor General's Report relating to the Accounts of Federation laid before the both Houses of Parliament and other related matters;

**WHEREAS** as per the Constitutional scheme, the Senate promotes national cohesion and harmony by alleviating fears of the smaller provinces regarding domination by largely populated provinces in the National Assembly;

**WHEREAS** it is expedient to provide adequate representation to the Members of Senate in the Chairpersonship of Public Accounts Committee to ensure that diversity present in the Senate is recognized and respected; and

**WHEREAS** rotation of Chair of Public Accounts Committee amongst the both Houses of parliament will ensure that no part of the country is left without adequate representation in the state institutions, more so, in the ethnically diversified state like Pakistan.

**THEREFORE**, the Senate of Pakistan hereby RESOLVES that the Chairpersonship of Public Accounts Committee shall be rotated/shared amongst the Members of Senate and National Assembly for its half terms i.e. for a period of two and a half years, respectively."

**MOTIONS****[Under Rule 218]**

**18. SENATOR MOHSIN AZIZ,** to move that the House may discuss the total income tax, Federal Excise duty, Custom duty and Regulatory duty collected by the Federal Board of Revenue with special emphasis on the tax collected from Sindh province during the last three years.

**19. SENATORS BAHRAMAND KHAN TANGI AND RUBINA KHALID,** to move that the House may discuss the unabated use of narcotics drugs specially "ice" in the country with particular reference to the educational institutions.

**20. SENATOR ENGR. RUKHSANA ZUBERI,** to move that the House may discuss the causes of pending cases/backlog in Supreme Court / High Courts and steps taken by the Government for speedy disposal of such cases.

**21. SENATOR DR. ZARQA SUHARWARDY TAIMUR,** to move that the House may discuss the issue of alarming rise in our population in the light of a recently released United Nations report 'World Population Prospects 2022' according to which Pakistan is expected to see a fifty six percent increase in population to three hundred sixty six million individuals by the year 2050.

**22. SENATORS SEEMEE EZDI AND ZEESHAN KHAN ZADA,** to move that the House may discuss the causes and steps taken by the Government to contain stark food price inflation endangering food security in the country in the light of United Nations Global Report on Food Crises, 2022.

**MOHAMMAD QASIM SAMAD KHAN**  
**Secretary**

**Islamabad, the**  
**7<sup>th</sup> October, 2022.**