

SENATE OF PAKISTAN
DAILY JOURNAL
(326th SESSION)

Date and Day	17 th March 2023, (Friday)
Commenced at	10:34 a.m.
Adjourned at	11:52 a.m.
Presided by	Chairman Senate
Attendance	40
Total Working Hours	1hour and 18minutes

Recitation from the Holy Quran.

At this stage the National Anthem was played

GOLDEN JUBILEE CELEBRATIONS

Felicitations Speeches on the occasion of Golden Jubilee of Senate of Pakistan

Following Member's also spoke on this occasion:-

1. Senator Azam Nazeer Tarar, Minister for Law and Justice
2. Senator Moula Bux Chandio
3. Senator Manzoor Ahmed
4. Senator Shamim Afridi
5. Senator Palwasha Mohammad Zai Khan
6. Senator Muhammad Qasim
7. Senator Prof. Sajid Mir
8. Senator Hilal Ur Rehman
9. Senator Mohammad Ishaq Dar, Leader of the House

RESOLUTIONS

1. Senator Saleem Mandviwalla, moved the following resolution to acknowledge and appreciate the hard work of employees of Senate Secretariat:-

"This House acknowledges and appreciates all the senate secretariat employees who have gone an extra mile in making this august House a true representative of the federating units by contributing their bits in enabling the constitutional supremacy since the last 50 years.

The House recognizes the role and contributions of the secretariat employees in strengthening the foundations of the senate of Pakistan, their hard work,

dedication and invariable assistance and contributed well in enabling the House committee and the members to perform their constitutional obligations in a benefiting manner.”

The Resolution passed by the House unanimously.

2. Senator Mian Raza Rabbani, on behalf of **Senator Mohammad Ishaq Dar, Leader Of the House**, moved the following resolution on the commemorative 50th Anniversary Session of the Senate of Pakistan:-

“The Senate of Pakistan resolves to:-

Acknowledge the importance of this commemorative 50th Anniversary Session of the Senate aimed at strengthening national harmony, unity and inclusiveness.

Express gratitude to the architects of the 1973 Constitution, former Chairmen, Deputy Chairmen and Senators, staff and other stakeholders towards transforming the Senate into a chamber of parliamentary excellence over the past 50 years.

Reaffirm our commitment to upholding the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan and promoting democratic values, federalism, tolerance and constitutionalism in the country, as envisaged by the father of the Nation, Quaid-e-Azam Muhammad Ali Jinnah.

Pledge to continue our efforts in protecting the rights of the provinces and marginalized communities, promoting gender equality, and strengthening the democratic process in Pakistan. Promote constructive dialogue and debate on the issues of national importance and provide policy guidelines to the government for implementation.

Call upon civil society, academia, youth, women and the media to provide feedback on the working of the parliament with a view to making it more effective, transparent, open and a repository of people’s trust.

Express our optimism and confidence that the celebration and commemoration of the 50th anniversary of the Senate will strengthen our commitment and resolve towards fulfilling the ideals of provincial autonomy, federalism and aspirations of the people of Pakistan”.

The Resolution passed by the House unanimously.

**At 11:52 a.m. the Chairman Senate read out the
prorogation order received from the President.**

**Islamabad, the
17th March, 2023.**
