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<b>Date and Day</b>	7 <sup>th</sup> August 2023, (Monday)
<b>Commenced at</b>	03:17 p.m.
<b>Adjourned at</b>	05:48 p.m.
<b>Presided by</b>	Chairman Senate
<b>Attendance</b>	69
<b>Total Working Hours</b>	2 hours and 31 minutes

Recitation from the Holy Quran.

**REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE - PRESENTATION OF:**  
**[Under Rule 195]**

**1. Senator Rana Maqbool Ahmad**, Chairman, Standing Committee on Cabinet Secretariat, presented report of the Committee on the Bill further to amend the Federal Public Service Commission Ordinance, 1977 [The Federal Public Service Commission (Amendment) Bill, 2023].

**The Report stood laid.**

**FOLLOWING MOTIONS WERE DEFERRED**

**2. Senator Dr. Zarqa Suharwardy Taimur**, to move for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the Right of Access to Information Act, 2017 [The Right of Access to Information (Amendment) Bill, 2023].

**The Motion was deferred**

**3. Senator Samina Mumtaz Zehri**, to move for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the Factories Act, 1934 [The Factories (Amendment) Bill, 2023].

**The Motion was deferred**

**4. Senator Samina Mumtaz Zehri**, to move for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the Prevention of Electronic Crimes Act, 2016 [The Prevention of Electronic Crimes (Amendment) Bill, 2023].

**The Motion was deferred**

**5. Senator Seemee Ezdi**, to move that the Bill further to amend the Pakistan Penal Code, 1860 and the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 [The Criminal Laws (Amendment) Bill, 2023], as reported by the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration at once..

**The Motion was deferred**

**6. Senator Seemee Ezdi**, to move that the Bill further to amend the Easements Act, 1882 [The Easements (Amendment) Bill, 2023], as reported by the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration at once.

**The Motion was deferred**

**7. Senator Rubina Khalid,** to move that the Bill to provide for the establishment of National Excellence Institute [The National Excellence Institute Bill, 2023], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration.

**The Motion was deferred**

**8. Senator Syed Muhammad Sabir Shah,** to moved under sub-rule (3) of Rule 166 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Senate, 2012, that the Bill further to amend the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan [The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2022] introduced in the House on 7<sup>th</sup> February, 2022 and referred to the Standing Committee but not reported by the Committee within the stipulated time, may be treated as withdrawn from the Committee and be taken into consideration at once.

**The Motion was deferred**

**FOLLOWING PRIVATE MEMBERS' BILLS WERE INTRODUCED AND REFERRED TO CONCERNED STANDING COMMITTEES**

**1.** A Bill to provide for protection, relief and rehabilitation of the rights of khunsa (intersex) persons and their welfare [The Khunsa (Intersex) Persons (Protection of Rights) Bill, 2023] (introduced by Senator Mushtaq Ahmad)

**2.** A Bill to provide for compulsory harvesting of rainwater in every Government, residential, commercial and institutional building in urban areas to conserve water [The Rain Water Harvesting Facility in Urban Areas Bill, 2023]. **(Introduced by Senator Palwasha Mohammed Zai Khan)**

**3.** A Bill to constitute the Pakistan Animal Science Council in Pakistan [The Pakistan Animal Science Council Bill, 2023]. **(Introduced by Senator Kamran Murtaza)**

**4.** A Bill further to amend the Pakistan Penal Code, 1860 and the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 [The Criminal Laws (Amendment) Bill, 2023]. Omission of section 124A of PPC and subsequent amendment in Schedule II of Cr.PC. **(Introduced by Senator Fawzia Arshad)**

**5.** A Bill to provide for the protection of street vendors' livelihood [The Rehribaan (Street Vendors) Livelihood Protection Bill, 2023]. **(Introduced by Senator Sania Nishtar)**

**6.** A Bill to provide for the establishment and regulation of Students Unions in Educational Institutions of the Islamabad Capital Territory [The Islamabad Capital Territory Students Unions Bill, 2023]. **(introduced by Senator Bahramand Khan Tangi)**

**7.** A Bill further to amend the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan [The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2023]. **(Amendment of Article 84).(Introduced by Senator Sania Nishtar)**

**8.** A Bill to provide for the establishment of the Rahim Jan University [The Rahim Jan University Bill, 2023]. **(introduced by Senator Syed Muhammad Sabir Shah )**

**9.** A Bill for the establishment of the University of Innovation and Technology [The University of Innovation and Technology Bill, 2023]. **(Introduced by Senator Umer Farooq)**

**10.** A Bill to provide for the establishment of the Pakistan Institute of Engineering and Technology [The Pakistan Institute of Engineering and Technology Bill, 2023]. (**Introduced by Senator Fida Muhammad**)

**11.** A Bill further to amend the Societies Registration Act, 1860 [The Societies Registration (Amendment) Bill, 2023]. (**Introduced by Senator Kamran Murtaza**)

**12.** A Bill to provide for establishment of Islamabad University of Communication and Emerging Sciences [The Islamabad University of Communication and Emerging Sciences Bill, 2023]. (**Introduced by Senator Mohammad Abdul Qadir**)

### **FOLLOWING PRIVATE MEMBERS' BILLS WERE INTRODUCED AND PASSED**

**1.** A Bill further to amend the Civil Servants Act, 1973 [The Civil Servants (Amendment) Bill, 2023]. (**introduced by Senator Engr. Rukhsana Zuberi**)

### **MOTION**

**[Under Rule 263]**

**1.** **Senator Kauda Babar**, on behalf of **Senators Dilawar Khan And Sarfraz Ahmed Bugti**, moved under Rule 263 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Senate, 2012, that the requirement of proviso to sub-rule (1) of Rule 100 of the said Rules regarding referral of the Bill to provide for the establishment of the Al-Ala University [The Al-Ala University Bill, 2022], to a Select Committee be dispensed with in order to take it into consideration at once.

**The Motion was put to the House and Adopted.**

### **BILLS AS REPORTED BY THE STANDING COMMITTEES**

**1.** **Senator Kauda Babar**, on behalf of **Senators Dilawar Khan And Sarfraz Ahmed Bugti**, moved that the Bill to provide for the establishment of the Al-Ala University [The Al-Ala University Bill, 2022], as reported by the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration at once.

**The Motion was put to the House which was opposed by the Minister for Federal Education and Professional Training. Thereafter, Bill Referred back to Standing Committee concerned**

**FOLLOWING PASSAGE BILLS WERE INTRODUCED AND REFERRED TO CONCERNED STANDING COMMITTEES**

- 1.** The Bill to provide for the establishment of an Authority for promotion and protection of Gandhara Culture [The Promotion and Protection of Gandhara Culture Authority Bill, 2023], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration. **(Introduced by Senator Rana Mahmood UI Hassan)**
- 2.** The Bill to provide for the establishment of the Thar International Institute [The Thar International Institute Bill, 2023], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration. **(Introduced by Senator Rana Mahmood UI Hassan)**
- 3.** The Bill to establish Indus University of Science and Technology [The Indus University of Science and Technology Bill, 2023], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration. **(Introduced by Senator Rana Mahmood UI Hassan)**
- 4.** The Bill to provide for the establishment of the Margalla International University [The Margalla International University Bill, 2023], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration. **(Introduced by Senator Rana Mahmood UI Hassan)**
- 5.** The Bill to provide for the establishment of the Shah Bano Institute Jaranwala [The Shah Bano Institute Jaranwala Bill, 2023], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration. **(Introduced by Senator Rana Mahmood UI Hassan)**
- 6.** The Bill to provide for the establishment of the Cosmic Institute of Science and Technologies Islamabad (CISTI) [The Cosmic Institute of Science and Technologies Islamabad (CISTI) Bill, 2023], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration. **(Introduced by Senator Rana Mahmood UI Hassan)**
- 7.** The Bill to provide for the establishment of Islamabad International University Pakistan [The Islamabad International University Bill, 2023], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration. **(Introduced by Senator Rana Mahmood UI Hassan)**
- 8.** The Bill to provide for the establishment of RAVI Institute (RI) Sahiwal [The RAVI Institute (RI) Bill, 2023], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration. **(Introduced by Senator Rana Mahmood UI Hassan)**
- 9.** The Bill to provide for the establishment of Sheikhpura Institute of Advance Sciences (SIAS) [The Sheikhpura Institute of Advance Sciences Bill, 2023], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration. **(Introduced by Senator Rana Mahmood UI Hassan)**
- 10.** The Bill to provide for the establishment of the Falcon University of Sciences and Technology [The Falcon University of Sciences and Technology Bill, 2023], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration. **(Introduced by Kamran Michael)**

- 11.** The Bill to provide for the establishment of Askari Institute of Higher Education [The Askari Institute of Higher Education Bill, 2023], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration. **(Introduced by Hidayatullah Khan)**
- 12.** That the Bill to provide for the establishment of the Metropolitan International Institute of Science and Technology [The Metropolitan International Institute of Science and Technology Bill, 2023], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration. **(Introduced by Kauda Babar Khan)**
- 13.** The Bill to provide for the establishment of an International Islamic Institute for Peace (IIIP) [The International Islamic Institute for Peace (IIIP) Bill, 2023], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration. **(Introduced by Rana Maqbool Ahmad)**
- 14.** The Bill for the establishment of National University of Health, Emerging Science and Technologies [The National University of Health, Emerging Science and Technologies Islamabad Bill, 2023], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration. **(Introduced by Irfan-Ul-Haque Siddiqui)**
- 15.** The Bill to provide for the establishment of Akhuwat Institute Kasur [The Akhuwat Institute Kasur Bill, 2023], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration. **(Introduced by Irfan-Ul-Haque Siddiqui)**
- 16.** The Bill further to amend the Kalam Bibi International Women Institute Bannu Act, 2023 [The Kalam Bibi International Women Institute Bannu (Amendment) Bill, 2023], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration. **(Introduced by Kamran Murtaza)**
- 17.** The Bill to provide for the establishment of Mufti-e-Azam Islamic University [The Mufti-e-Azam Islamic University, Islamabad Bill, 2023], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration.
- 18.** The Bill further to amend the Pakistan Penal Code, 1860 and the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 [The Criminal Law (Amendment) Bill, 2022], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration. **(Introduced by Mushtaq Ahmed)**
- 19.** The Bill further to amend the Legal Practitioners and Bar Councils Act, 1973 [The Legal Practitioners and Bar Councils (Amendment) Bill, 2022], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration. **(Introduced by Danesh Kumar)**
- 20.** The Bill to provide for the establishment of the International Memon University [The International Memon University Bill, 2023], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration. **(Introduced by Khalida Ateeb)**
- 21.** The Bill to provide for the establishment of Babrak Institute of Science, Arts and Technology [The Babrak Institute of Science, Arts and Technology Bill, 2023], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration. **(Introduced by Hidayatullah Khan)**
- 22.** The Bill to provide for the establishment of Institute of Gujrat (IOG) [The Institute of Gujrat (IOG) Bill, 2023], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration. **(Introduced by Muhammad Akram)**

**23.** The Bill to provide for the establishment of the Institute of Health and Professional Studies [The Institute of Health and Professional Studies Bill, 2023], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration. **(Introduced by Danesh Kumar)**

**24.** The Bill to provide for the establishment of Ume Abeeha Institute of Health Sciences [The Ume Abeeha Institute of Health Sciences (UIHS) Bill, 2023], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration. **(Introduced by Danesh Kumar)**

**25.** The Bill to prove for the establishment of the University of Shaheed Benazir Bhutto [The University of Shaheed Benazir Bhutto Bill, 2023], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration. **(Introduced by Engr. Rukhsana Zuberi)**

**26.** The Bill to prove for the establishment of the Monarch Institute Hyderabad [The Monarch Institute Bill, 2023], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration. **(Introduced by Engr. Rukhsana Zuberi)**

**27.** The Bill to provide for establishment of the King's Institute of Higher Education at Karachi [The King's Institute of Higher Education Bill, 2023], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration. **(Introduced by Engr. Rukhsana Zuberi)**

**28.** The Bill to provide for the establishment of Bulleh Shah International University, Kasur [The Bulleh Shah International University Bill, 2023], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration. **(Introduced by Engr. Rukhsana Zuberi)**

**29.** The Bill to provide for the establishment of the Islamabad Institute of Modern Sciences [The Islamabad Institute of Modern Sciences Bill, 2023], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration. **(Introduced by Engr. Rukhsana Zuberi)**

**30.** The Bill to provide for the establishment of the Quaid-e-Azam Institute of Management Sciences, Sargodha [The Quaid-e-Azam Institute of Management Sciences, Sargodha Bill, 2023], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration. **(Introduced by Dr. Afnan Ullah Khan)**

**31.** The Bill for the establishment of Al-Biruni International University Islamabad [The Al-Biruni International University Bill, 2023], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration. **(Introduced by Mohammad Abdul Qadir)**

**32.** The Bill for the establishment of Islamabad University of Health Sciences and Emerging Technologies [The Islamabad University of Health Sciences and Emerging Technologies Islamabad Bill, 2023], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration. **(Introduced by Rana Maqbool Ahmad)**

### **FOLLOWING BILLS WERE TRANSMITTED FROM THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY AND PASSED IN THE SENATE**

**1.** The Bill further to amend the Pakistan Penal Code, 1860 and the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 [The Criminal Laws (Amendment) Bill, 2023], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration. **(Introduced by Senator Hafiz Abdul Karim)**

2. The Bill to provide for the establishment of Federal Ziauddin University at Islamabad [The Federal Ziauddin University Bill, 2023], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration. **(Introduced by Saleem Mandviwalla)**

3. The Bill to provide for absorption of employees working under the administrative control of the Federal Directorate of Education whose spouses are working, posted or residing in the Islamabad Capital Territory to ensure protection of family as provided in Article 35 and full participation of women in national life as provided in Article 34 and guaranteed in Article 25 of the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan [The Protection of Family Life and Wedlock Bill, 2023], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration. **(Introduced by Senator Kamran Murtaza)**

### **RESOLUTIONS**

1. **Senator Dost Muhammad Khan**, on behalf of **Senators Fida Muhammad, Prof. Dr. Mehr Taj Roghani, Kauda Babar, Falak Naz, Gurdeep Singh, And Fawzia Arshad**, to move the following resolution:-

"The Senate of Pakistan recommends that the name of present District Upper Waziristan in Province of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa be Changed to District Mahsud".

**The Resolution passed by the House unanimously.**

2. **Senator Kamran Mutaza**, on behalf of **Senators Molvi Faiz Muhammad, Molana Abdul Ghafoor Haideri And Mushtaq Ahmed**, to move the following resolution:-

"The Senate of Pakistan recalls 5th August 2019, as a "Black Day" when BJP led Government, abrogated Articles 35-A and 370 of India's Constitution and took away the autonomy of Jammu and Kashmir and divided the state into two Union territories;

The House rejects India's illegal and unilateral actions of 5 August 2019 which are in direct violation of UNSC Resolutions and are aimed at changing the demographic structure of Indian Occupied Kashmir, suppressing the realization of the inalienable right to self-determination of the Kashmiris as well as violating their civil, political, economic, social and cultural rights;

The House expresses deep concern over the additional draconian human rights violations being committed by the Indian Government further increasing the impunity of Indian occupation forces, resulting in egregious violations of basic human rights and fundamental freedoms of the Kashmiri people in IOJK;The House reaffirms the principles and objectives of the UN Charter regarding the sanctity of the universal realization of the right of peoples to self- determination and recalling the numerous unimplemented UN Security Council Resolutions on Jammu and Kashmir dispute which declare that the final disposition of the state of Jammu and Kashmir will be made in accordance with the will of the people;The House strongly deplores the state sponsored terrorism and crimes against humanity by Indian occupation forces against people of IOJK;The House acknowledges the efforts of the international human rights organizations, international media, international

parliamentary fora especially European Parliament for expressing concerns over the gross human rights violations in Indian Occupied Kashmir;

The House Calls upon the international community to support the freedom struggles of the people of Indian Occupied Kashmir both morally, legally and materially as the international community supporting Ukraine morally and materially in the current Russian Ukraine war; This House recommends that the Government should expedite its diplomatic efforts to continuously highlight the Kashmir issue at the UN Human Rights Council, including through periodical brief and joint letters to the President of the Human Rights Council and all international Human Rights bodies about the evolving developments in Indian Occupied Kashmir".

**Qamar Zaman Kaira, Adviser to the Prime Minister on Kashmir Affairs and Gilgit-Baltistan with the Status of Federal Minister, responded the issue.**

**The Resolution passed by the House unanimously.**

**3. Senators Manzoor Ahmed, Mohammad Abdul Qadir, Muhammad Tahir Bizinjo, Muhammad Akram, Prince Ahmed Umer Ahmedzai, Sarfaraz Ahmed Bugti And Naseebullah Bazai, to move the following resolution:-**

"Cognizant of the fact that Gwadar is not only the emerging port city of the country but also the gateway to landmark CPEC project;

Observing that development of Gwadar on sound lines has been a longtime dream of the people of Balochistan and projects such as the deep sea port, road connectivity and the soon to be completed international airport are gradually turning this dream into reality;

Noting that over the years Gwadar has become a household name and gained international recognition to the extent that Gwadar and CPEC have become synonymous;

The Senate of Pakistan, therefore, recommends that the new international airport in the port city shall be named as Gwadar International Airport which will not only be befitting as an international identity of Gwadar city and its people but will also synchronize well with all the development scenarios associated with Gwadar and would add to the commercial marketability of the new airport."

**The Resolution was withdrawn.**

**FOLLOWING BILL PASSED IN THE SENATE**

**1.** The Bill further to amend the Federal Public Service Commission Ordinance, 1977 [The Federal Public Service Commission (Amendment) Bill, 2023, as reported by the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration at once. **(Introduced by Senator Shahadat Awan, Minister of State for Law and Justice)**

**At 05:48 p.m. the Chairman Senate adjourned the proceedings of the House .**

**Islamabad, the  
7<sup>th</sup> August, 2023.**