

## SENATE SECRETARIAT

No. F. 6(3)/2024-27/C-II

Islamabad, the 13<sup>th</sup> August, 2024

### NOTICE

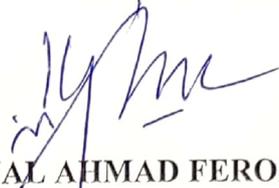
A meeting of the Senate Standing Committee on Science and Technology will be held on **Monday, the 19<sup>th</sup> August, 2024 at 11:00 a.m. in the Old PIPS Hall, Parliament Lodges, Islamabad.**

2. The agenda before the Committee would be as under:

- (i) Further consideration of the Private Member's Bill titled "PAKISTAN HALAL AUTHORITY (AMENDMENT) BILL, 2023", introduced by Senator Dr. Zarqa Suharwardy Taimur, in the Senate sitting held on 30<sup>th</sup> January, 2023, referred to the Committee for consideration and report back to the House till 3<sup>rd</sup> September, 2024.
- (ii) Briefing by the following organizations on their role, functions and performance along with their ongoing projects, if any:
  - a. Scientific and Technological Development Corporation of Pakistan (STEDEC);
  - b. National Institute of Electronics (NIE); and
  - c. Pakistan Halal Authority (PHIA)
- (iii) Briefing by the MoST on the implementation status of the policy initiated in 2022 on restructuring of the Scientific and Technological Development Corporation of Pakistan (STEDEC) as Indigenous Research and Development Agency (IRADA).
- (iv) Briefing by PCSIR on the Hemp Development Program along with details of revenue generated by the said program during the last three years.
- (v) Briefing by Secretary MoST on the status of the PSDP project of STEM Education Program indicating the trainings conducted so far under the said program.
- (vi) Briefing by Secretary MoST on the updated status of transferring the administrative control of National Energy Efficiency and Conservation Authority (NEECA) from Power Division to Ministry of Science & Technology.
- (vii) Ratification of nomination of Senator Muhammad Aslam Abro as member of the Board of Governors of National Institute of Oceanography in terms of sub-rule (6) of Rule 166 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Senate, 2012.
- (viii) Any other item with permission of the chair.

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3. Members are requested to kindly make it convenient to attend the meeting.

  
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1.	Senator Kamil Ali Agha	Chairman
2.	Senator Husna Bano	Member
3.	Senator Nadeem Ahmed Bhutto	Member
4.	Senator Muhammad Aslam Abro	Member
5.	Senator Syed Shibli Faraz	Member
6.	Senator Dr. Afnan Ullah Khan	Member
7.	Senator Nasir Mehmood	Member
8.	Senator Musadik Masood Malik	Member
9.	Senator Anwaar ul Haq	Member
10.	Senator Faisal Ali Subzwari	Member
11.	Minister for Science and Technology	Ex-Officio Member

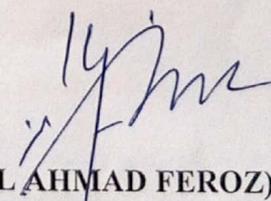
(I) Copy for information and necessary action to:

1. Secretary, Ministry of Science & Technology, Government of Pakistan, Islamabad with the request to attend the meeting with all concerned.
2. Private Secretary to Minister for Science and Technology, Government of Pakistan, Islamabad.
3. Director General Pakistan Halal Authority (PHA), Ground Floor, M/o Science and Technology, Constitution Avenue, G-5/2, Islamabad with the request to attend the meeting along with all concerned.
4. Director Automation Senate Secretariat, Islamabad, with the request to make necessary arrangements for uploading Committee notice on Senate website and send SMS to all Committee Members.
5. Section Officer (Council), M/o Science & Technology, Islamabad, with the request to provide 30 copies of the working papers/brief in Urdu and English positively {the soft versions may be emailed to: [committee2@senate.gov.pk](mailto:committee2@senate.gov.pk)} along with a list of participants to this Secretariat before the meeting. In case said material is not received at least two days before the Committee meeting, it will be treated as NOT RECEIVED.
6. Secretary Ministry of Law & Justice, Islamabad, with the request to attend the meeting or depute an officer to assist the Committee.
7. Joint Secretary (Legislation), Senate Secretariat with the request to depute an officer to assist the Committee.
8. Executive Director (PIPS), Ataturk Avenue, Service Road, F-5/2, Islamabad with the request to make necessary arrangements and reserve (PIPS Hall) at Parliament Lodges for the meeting.
9. Manager PRC (PIPS), Parliament Lodges, Islamabad.

10. **DSP, Parliament Lodges, Islamabad with the request to facilitate entry of the participants and official coverage team (PID&PTV Cameramen) into the Parliament Lodges, Islamabad.**
11. **Executive Director (FGPC), Islamabad with the request to make necessary medical arrangements in the Parliament Lodges, Islamabad.**
12. **Director, News, PTV, Islamabad with the request to make necessary arrangements for the T.V coverage of the meeting.**

**(II) Copy also forwarded for information to:**

1. Attorney General for Pakistan.
2. Accountant General of Pakistan Revenues, Islamabad.
3. Principal Secretary to Chairman Senate, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
4. Director Staff to Deputy Chairman, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
5. Senior Director Staff to Leader of the Opposition, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
6. Director Staff to Leader of the House, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
7. Private Secretary to Chief Whip, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
8. Director General (Research) Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
9. Secretary, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
10. Secretary, Ministry of Law & Justice, Islamabad.
11. Joint Secretaries (Committees and Admn.), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
12. Deputy Secretary (Committees), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
13. Deputy Secretary (Transport), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
14. DSP, Parliament Lodges, Islamabad with the request to facilitate entry of the participants and official coverage team (PID & PTV Cameramen), into the Parliament Lodges, Islamabad.
15. **Director (Media), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.**
16. **Director (Automation), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad** with the request to make necessary arrangements for uploading of Committee Notice on Senate Website, operating of Multi-Media in meeting venue and send SMS to all Committee Members.
17. Executive Director (FGPC), Islamabad with the request to make necessary medical arrangements in the Parliament Lodges.
18. **Director, News, PTV, Islamabad** with the request to make necessary arrangements for the T.V coverage of the meeting.
19. Deputy Director (Protocol/Cafeteria), **Senate Secretariat, Islamabad**, with the request to make necessary arrangements for light refreshment at meeting venue.
20. Deputy Director (Library), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
21. Senior Finance and Accounts Officer, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
22. **Private Secretary to Chairperson, SSC on Science & Technology, PCSIR Building, One Constitution Avenue, G-5/2, Islamabad.**
23. Information Officer (Senate) P.I.D, Islamabad.
24. Medical Officer, Parliament Lodges, Islamabad.
25. Deputy Director (Civil/Electrical), CDA, Parliament Lodges, Islamabad.
26. Engineer-in-charge, Senate/N.A. Secretariats, Islamabad.
27. All Senators Services Centers, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
28. All Directors (Staff) to Chairpersons Standing/ Functional Committees, Standing Committees Chairmen Building (Block-C), G-5/1, Islamabad.
29. Sub-Engineer (Civil), CDA, Parliament House, Islamabad.
30. Annunciator, Senate Secretariat, Parliament House, Islamabad.
31. Parliamentary Reporters Association, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
32. I.T Branch, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
33. Master File.

  
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