

SENATE OF PAKISTAN
DAILY JOURNAL
(342nd SESSION)

Date and Day	10 th September 2024, (Tuesday)
Commenced at	03:03 p.m.
Adjourned at	05:52 p.m.
Presided by	Chairman Senate & Deputy Chairman Senate
Attendance	68
Total Working Hours	2hours and 48minutes

Recitation from the Holy Quran.

QUESTION HOUR

Printed questions were asked and their oral replies were given by the ministers concerned.

LEAVE APPLICATIONS

Leave applications were read by the Deputy Chairman Senate.

MOTION

[Under Rule 194(1)]

1. Senator Jam Saifullah Khan, Chairman, Standing Committee on Railways, moved under sub-rule (1) of Rule 194 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Senate, 2012, that the time for presentation of report of the Committee on the subject matter of Starred Question Nos. 1, 2 and 3 regarding steps taken by the Government to control corruption, suffering of loss amounting to rupees 55 Billion in fiscal year 2023 and train accidents took place during the last five years asked by Senator Shahadat Awan, may be extended for a period of sixty working days with effect from 8th September, 2024.

The Motion was put to the House and Adopted.

REPORTS OF THE STANDING COMMITTEES- PRESENTATION OF:

[Under Rule 195]

1. Senator Kamil Ali Agha, Chairman, Standing Committee on Science and Technology, presented report of the Committee on the Bill to regulate the cultivation of cannabis plant, extraction, refining, manufacturing and sale of derivatives of the plant for medicinal and industrial use [The Cannabis Control and Regulatory Authority Bill, 2024].

Report stood laid.

2. Senator Farooq Hamid Naek, Chairman, Standing Committee on Law and Justice, presented report of the Committee on the Bill further to amend the General Clauses Act, 1897 [The General Clauses (Amendment) Bill, 2024], introduced by Senator Shahadat Awan on 1st January, 2024.

Report stood laid.

3. Senator Zeeshan Khan Zada, Chairman, Standing Committee on Overseas Pakistanis and Human Resource Development, to present report of the Committee on the Bill to establish special courts for adjudication of petitions in respect of immovable properties of overseas Pakistanis [The Establishment of Special Court (Overseas Pakistanis Property) Bill, 2024].

Report stood laid.

CALLING ATTENTION NOTICES

1. Senator Sherry Rehman, on behalf of **Senators Zamir Hussain Ghumro, Jam Saifullah Khan, Poonjo And Sarmad Ali**, drew attention of the Minister for Water Resources towards proposed changes in the IRSA Act, 1992, undermining the spirit of the Accord and is also in violation of the constitutional intent of CCI due to which there are strong reservations in Sindh province in this regard.

At 04:13 p.m the Chairman Senate started the proceeding of the House.

Following Member's also spoke on the issue:-

1. Senator Zamir Hussain Ghumro
2. Senator Jam Saifullah Khan
3. Senator Poonjo

Senator Musadik Masood Malik, Minister for Petroleum and Water Resources, responded the issued.

Discussion on the issue of arrest of Members of the National Assembly belonging to PTI

Following Member's also spoke on the issue:-

1. Senator Syed Shibli Faraz, Leader of the opposition
2. Senator M. Fesal Vawda

05:52 p.m. the Chairman Senate adjourned the proceedings of the House to meet again on Tuesday , 12th September, 2024, at 03:00 p.m

**Islamabad, the
10th September,2024.**