

SENATE SECRETARIAT

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

Islamabad, the 5th November, 2024.

NOTICE

Meeting of the Senate Standing Committee on Overseas Pakistanis and Human Resource Development will be held on 13th November, 2024 at 02:00 p.m. in Committee Room No. 4, Parliament House, Islamabad. [In case of Senate Session in the evening, the meeting will be re-scheduled].

2. The agenda before the Committee would be as under:-
- i. Consideration of subject matter of Point of Public Importance raised by Senator Raja Nasir Abbas regarding "the treatment being meted out to the Zaireen travelling to Iraq and Iran".
 - ii. Recommendations made by the Committee during its meeting held on 30th July, 2024, regarding involvement of Pakistani Workforce in criminal activities in UAE, now it has become matter of urgency as issuance of visas by the UAE authorities have been restricted. Therefore, the Committee may be apprised regarding the latest update about interaction with UAE authorities to remove the restrictions on issuance of visas as well as reasons of drastic decline in emigrant numbers. [D.G. Middle east, MoFA may also apprise the Committee about action taken by MoFA in this regard].
 - iii. Community Welfare Attaches UAE (Abu Dhabi, Dubai-I and Dubai-II) to brief regarding initiatives taken so far regarding promoting overseas employment, safeguarding emigrants interests as well as welfare of overseas Pakistanis in their respective stations;
 - iv. MD OPF to brief the committee regarding OPF Housing Scheme, Islamabad, w.r.t
 - a) Total land of society, indicating residential & commercial plots as well as OPF schools, parks, OPF club, & community centers sector-wise;
 - b) The reasons of non-provision of basic amenities such as electricity, gas, and water; and
 - c) Total fund collected from the allottees for the provision of basic amenities and its utilization.
 - v. Any other item with the permission of the Chair.
3. Members are requested to kindly make it convenient to attend the meeting.


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| 1. Senator Zeeshan Khanzada | Chairman |
| 2. Senator Muhammad Ishaq Dar (Leader of the House) | Member |
| 3. Senator Shahadat Awan | Member |
| 4. Senator Syed Kazim Ali Shah | Member |
| 5. Senator Zamir Hussain Ghumro | Member |
| 6. Senator Dr.Zarqa Suharwardhy Taimur | Member |
| 7. Senator Nasir Mehmood | Member |
| 8. Senator M.Fesal Vawda | Member |
| 9. Senator Saeed Ahmed Hashmi | Member |
| 10. Senator Raja Nasir Abbas | Member |
| 11. Minister for Overseas Pakistanis and Human Resource Development | Ex-Officio Member |

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(i) Copy for information and necessary action to:-

1. The Secretary, Ministry of Overseas Pakistanis and Human Resource Development, Islamabad, with the request to attend the meeting along with all concerned and to ensure participation of atleast two Overseas Employment Promoters (OEPs) to brief the Committee on agenda items No.(I&II) as desired by the Chairman Committee.
2. The Secretary, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Islamabad.
3. **Director General (Middle East), Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Islamabad. (with the request to attend the meeting and brief the Committee on agenda items No. I&II)**
4. **The Section Officer (Council), Ministry of Overseas Pakistanis and Human Resource Development, Islamabad. He is requested to provide 35 copies of the working paper in Urdu and English (The soft versions may be emailed to: Committee2@senate.gov.pk) along with list of participants to this Secretariat 48 hours before the meeting.**
5. **P.S to Minister for Overseas Pakistanis and Human Resource Development, Islamabad with the request to inform the Minister to kindly attend the meeting.**

(ii) Copy for information to:-

1. The Attorney General for Pakistan, Islamabad.
2. The Accountant General Pakistan Revenues, Islamabad.
3. The Secretary, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
4. The Secretary, Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs, Islamabad.
5. The Secretary, Ministry of Law and Justice, Islamabad.
6. The Special Secretary, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
7. The Joint Secretaries, (Admn, Committees) Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
8. The Principal Secretary to Chairman Senate, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
9. The Director Staff to Deputy Chairman, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
10. The Director Staff to Leader of the House, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
11. The Director Staff to Leader of the Opposition, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
12. **The P.S to Chairman, SSC on Overseas Pakistanis & Human Resource Development, Block-C, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.**
13. The Director (Automation), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad, with the request to upload Committee Notice on Senate's Website and send SMS to all Committee Members.
14. **Mr. Muhammad Shafique, Assistant Director, LDU, Block-C, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.**
15. The Executive Director (FGPC), Islamabad, with the request to make necessary medical arrangements at meeting's venue.
16. The Director (Media), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad, with the request to make necessary arrangements for the issuance of Press Release and TV coverage of the meeting.
17. The Deputy Director (Civil/Electrical), Parliament House, Islamabad.
18. The Director General (IT), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
19. The Sr. Finance & Accounts Officer, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
20. The Deputy Director (Library), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
21. All Directors Staff to Chairpersons, Senate Block-C, Islamabad.
22. The Assistant Director (Protocol P-I/Cafeteria), Parliament House, Islamabad.
23. The Sub-Engineer (Civil), CDA, Parliament Lodges, Islamabad.
24. The Director, News, PTV, Islamabad with the request to make necessary arrangements for the T.V. coverage of the meeting.
25. The Office of Parliamentary Reporter Association, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
26. The Lady Senators' Services Centre, Parliament House, Islamabad.
27. The Senators Services Centre, Parliament House, Islamabad.
28. The Information Officer (Senate) P.I.D, Islamabad.
29. The Superintendent (C-I), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
30. The Medical Officer, Parliament House, Islamabad.
31. The Media Cell Media, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
32. The Annunciator, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
33. The I.T, Branch Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.


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