

SENATE SECRETARIAT

No. F. 2(6)/2024-27/C-II

Islamabad the, 26th December, 2024

NOTICE

A meeting of the Senate Standing Committee on Information Technology and Telecommunication will be held on **1st January, 2025 at 11:00 a.m. in Old PIPS HALL, Parliament Lodges, Islamabad. In case of Senate Session in the morning, the meeting will be held at 02.00 pm.**

2. The **agenda** of the meeting would be as under:-

- i. Consideration of the Bill titled "The Personal Data Protection Bill, 2023" introduced by Senator Dr. Afnan Ullah Khan in the Senate sitting held on 13th February, 2023.
- ii. Consideration of the Bill titled "The Regulation of Artificial Intelligence Bill, 2024" introduced by Senator Dr. Afnan Ullah Khan in the Senate sitting held on 9th September, 2024.
- iii. Briefing by Secretary, M/o IT&T and Chairman, PTA on the issue of internet disruption and the efforts being made to resolve the issue.
- iv. Briefing by the Secretary, M/o IT&T on the plan for enhancing I.T exports of the country. Vision, mechanism, and the milestone set for achieving the export in future.
- v. Briefing by the Secretary M/o I.T&T on budgetary allocation of M/O I.T&T and the details of expenses and utilization so far under each head of account for financial year 2024-25.
- vi. Briefing by the Secretary M/o I.T&T on the contract employees in the Ministry and the fresh hired during last one year till to date, along with appointment criteria and domicile of candidates applied for each post.
- vii. Detail briefing on the revenue generated and tax paid by the Telecom companies (Zong, Jazz and Nayatel) during last 10 years and comparison of revenue generated and tax paid side by side for each year by each company.
- viii. Any other agenda item with the permission of the Chair.

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


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| 1 | Senator Palwasha Mohammad Zai Khan | Chairperson |
| 2 | Senator Kamran Murtaza | Member |
| 3 | Senator Nadeem Ahmed Bhutto | Member |
| 4 | Senator Dr Afnan Ullah Khan | Member |
| 5 | Senator Anusha Rahman Ahmad Khan | Member |
| 6 | Senator Dr Mohammad Humayun Mohmand | Member |
| 7 | Senator Manzoor Ahmed | Member |
| 8 | Senator Syed Kazim Ali Shah | Member |
| 9 | Senator Saifullah Sarwar Khan Nyazee | Member |
| 10 | Senator Gurdeep Singh | Member |
| 11 | Minister for Information Technology and Telecommunication | Ex-Officio Member |

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(I) Copy for information and necessary action to:

1. **The Secretary, Ministry of Information Technology and Telecommunication, Islamabad.** He is requested to attend the meeting along with all concerned.
2. **The Secretary, Ministry of Law and Justice, Islamabad.** He is requested to depute an officer not below the rank of BPS-20 to assist the Committee on the Bills.
3. **The Section Officer (Council), Ministry of Information Technology and Telecommunication, Islamabad.** He is requested to provide **35 Copies of the working paper in Urdu & English (hard and soft copy thorough email at Committee2@senate.gov.pk)** along with list of participants two working days, 48 hours prior to Committee meeting otherwise it will be treated as not received.
4. **Sr. PS to Minister for Information Technology and Telecommunication, Islamabad** to request the Minister to kindly attend the meeting.
5. **Assistant Director (IT), Senate Secretariat Islamabad.** He is directed to upload the Committee Notice on senate website and send sms to all the Committee Members.

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

1. The Attorney General for Pakistan.
2. The Secretary, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
3. The Secretary, Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs, Islamabad.
4. The Secretary, Ministry of Law and Justice, Islamabad.
5. The Accountant General Pakistan Revenues, Islamabad.
6. The Additional Secretary, (Service.), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
7. The Joint Secretary, (Admn, Service, HRM, IPR, Legis.), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
8. **The P.S.O to Chairman Senate, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.**
9. The Deputy Secretary (Admn, Service, HRM, IPR, Legis), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
10. The Deputy Secretary (Comm. I, II) Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
11. **The Sr. Director (Staff) to Leader of the Opposition, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.**
12. **The Director (Staff) to Deputy Chairman, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.**
13. **The Director (Staff) to Leader of the House, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.**
14. **The Deputy Director (LDU), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad with the request to depute an officer of the LDU to assist on legislative Business during the meeting of the Committee.**
14. The Director General (Research) Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
15. **The Deputy Director (Media), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad, with the request to make necessary arrangements for the issuance of Press Release and TV coverage of the meeting.**
16. The Director General (I.T), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
17. The Director Reporting Cell, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
18. The Director General (Protocol), Parliament House, Islamabad.
19. The Assistant Director (Media), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
20. The Executive Director (FGPC), Islamabad, to make necessary medical arrangements at meeting venue.
21. The Director, News, PTV, Islamabad, to make necessary arrangements for T.V coverage of the meeting.
22. The Sergeant-at-Arms, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
23. The Deputy Director (Library), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
24. The Sr. Finance & Accounts Officer, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
25. All Directors (Staff) to Chairpersons, Senate Committees, Block-C, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
26. The Information Officer (Senate), P.I.D, Islamabad.
27. **The APS to Chairperson, SSC on Information Technology and Telecommunication, Block-C, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.**
28. The Medical Officer, Parliament House, Islamabad.
29. The Deputy Director (Civil/Electrical), CDA, Parliament House, Islamabad.
30. The Engineer In charge, Senate/N.A. Secretariats, Islamabad.
31. The Committee Branches I, Senate & I & II N.A. Secretariat, Islamabad.
32. The Lady Senators Services Centre, Parliament House, Islamabad.
33. The Senator's Services Centre, Parliament House, Islamabad.
34. The Sub-Engineer (Civil), CDA, Parliament House, Islamabad.
35. The Enunciator (Cell), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
36. The Automation (Cell) Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
37. Master File.


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