

**SENATE SECRETARIAT**

No. F. 6(1)/2024-27/C-II

Islamabad, the 07<sup>th</sup> April, 2025.

**NOTICE**

A meeting of the Senate Standing Committee on National Health Services, Regulations and Coordination will be held on 10<sup>th</sup> April, 2025 at 11:00 a.m. in Committee Room No. 01, Parliament House, Islamabad. **In case of Senate Session in the morning the meeting will be held at 02:30.p.m.**

2. The **agenda** before the Committee would be as under:-
1. Compliance report on the directions/recommendations of the Standing Committee's meeting held on 14<sup>th</sup> November, 2024.
  2. Detailed briefing on the budget for the financial year 2024-2025 utilized by the Ministry of National Health Services, and proposed budget for the fiscal year 2025-2026.
  3. Consideration of a Private Member's Bill titled "The Mental Health (Amendment) Bill, 2025" introduced by Senator Samina Mumtaz Zehri, in the Senate sitting held on 17<sup>th</sup> February, 2025 referred to the Committee for consideration and report.
  4. Follow-up briefing on the Polio eradication Campaign, as decided in meeting of the Standing Committee held on 12<sup>th</sup> December, 2024.
  5. A comprehensive briefing by the Secretary, National Health Services on the Hepatitis Initiative Program and Procurement concerns:
    - i. How does this procurement align with National Health policies and international standards?
    - ii. What criteria were used to select the local company for procuring hepatitis kits?
    - iii. Whether any alternate suppliers, including international manufacturers, were considered? If not, what are the reasons?
    - iv. What steps have been taken to verify the efficacy and reliability of the hepatitis kits?
  6. Point of public importance raised by Senator Haji Hidayatullah in the Senate sitting held on 11<sup>th</sup> March, 2025, regarding alleged corruption and mismanagement in Pakistan Nursing Council, referred to the Committee for consideration and report.
  7. 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.	<b>Senator Amir Waliuddin Chishti</b>	<b>Chairman</b>
2.	Senator Abdul Qudoos	Member
3.	Senator Palwasha Mohammed Zai Khan	Member
4.	Senator Syed Masroor Ahsan	Member
5.	Senator Liaqat Khan Tarakai	Member
6.	Senator Mohammad Humayun Mohmand	Member
7.	Senator Irfan-ul-Haque Siddiqui	Member
8.	Senator Muhammad Abdul Qadir	Member
9.	Senator Ahmed Khan	Member
10.	Senator Fawzia Arshad	Member
11.	Minister for National Health Services, Regulations and Coordination	Ex-officio Member
12.	Senator Samina Mumtaz Zheri	Mover
13.	Senator Haji Hidayatullah Khan	Mover
13.	Senator Anusha Rahman Ahmad Khan	Special Invitee

**(I) Copy for information and necessary action to:-**

1. **The Secretary, M/o National Health Services, Regulations and Coordination, Islamabad** to attend the meeting along with all concerned.
2. **The Section Officer (Council) M/o National Health Services, Regulations and Coordination, Islamabad** to provide 36-copies of the working papers (in Urdu and English) along with list of participants to this Secretariat 48 hours before the meeting.
3. **The Secretary, Ministry of Law & Justice, Islamabad.** He is requested to depute an officer not below the rank of BPS-20 to assist the Committee on the Bill at **Agenda Item No. 3.**
4. **P.S to Minister for National Health Services, Regulations and Coordination, Islamabad.** He is requested to kindly inform the Coordinator to attend the meeting.

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

1. The Attorney General for Pakistan.
2. The Accountant General of Pakistan Revenue, Islamabad.
3. The Principal Secretary to Chairman Senate, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
4. The Director Staff to Deputy Chairman, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
5. The Director Staff to Leader of the Opposition, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
6. The Director Staff to Leader of the House, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
7. The Private Secretary to Chief Whip, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
8. The Secretary, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
9. The Joint Secretaries (Committees, Admn. & Legis), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
10. **The Joint Secretary (Legislation), Senate Secretarial, Islamabad with the request to depute an officer of the LDU to assist in the meeting of the committee at Agenda Item No.3.**
11. The Deputy Secretary (Committees), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
12. The Sergeant-at-Arms, Senate Secretariat with the request to facilitate entry of the participants and official coverage team (PID & PTV Cameramen), into the Parliament House, Islamabad.
13. The Director (Media), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
14. **The 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.**
15. The Executive Director (FGPC), Islamabad with the request to make necessary medical arrangements in the Parliament House.
16. The Director, News, PTV, Islamabad with the request to make necessary arrangements for the T.V coverage of the meeting.
17. The Deputy Director (Protocol /Cafeteria), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad, with the request to make necessary arrangements for light refreshment at meeting venue.
18. The Deputy Director (Library), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
19. Syed Muhammad Ali Naqi, Consultant to the SSC on NHR&C. Contact No.0300-4640593.
20. The Senior Finance and Accounts Officer, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
21. The P.S to Chairman Senate Standing Committee on National Health Services, Regulations and Coordination, Block-C, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
22. The Information Officer (Senate) P.I.D, Islamabad.

23. The Medical Officer, Parliament House, Islamabad.
24. The Deputy Director (Civil/Electrical), CDA, Parliament House, Islamabad.
25. The Engineer In charge, Senate/N.A. Secretariats, Islamabad.
26. All Senators Services Centers, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
27. The Sub-Engineer (Civil), CDA, Parliament House, Islamabad.
28. The Assistant Engineer, SIS, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad, with the request to make necessary arrangements for audio recording at meeting venue.
29. The Annunciator, Senate Secretariat, Parliament House, Islamabad.
30. The Parliamentary Reporters Association, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.



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