

SENATE OF PAKISTAN
DAILY JOURNAL
(350th SESSION)

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| Date and Day | 14 th May 2025, (Wednesday) |
| Commenced at | 04:07 p.m. |
| Adjourned at | 05:15 p.m. |
| Presided by | Deputy Chairman Senate |
| Attendance | 47 |
| Total Working Hours | 1hours and 08minutes |

Recitation from the Holy Quran.

PANEL OF PRESIDING OFFICERS FOR 350th SESSION

1. Senator Sherry Rehman
2. Senator Irfan-ul-Haque Siddiqui
3. Senator Manzoor Ahmed

LEAVE APPLICATIONS

Leave applications were read by the Deputy Chairman Senate.

FATEHA

“The House offers “Fateha” for the departed soul of Senator Prof. Sajid Mir.”

CONDOLENCE RESOLUTION AND REFERENCE

- 1. Condolence Resolution and Reference for Senator Taj Haider, sitting Member of the Senate of Pakistan who passed away on 8th April, 2025.**

Following Member’s spoke on the sad demise of Senator Prof. Sajid Mir :-

- 1. Senator Syed Shibli Faraz, Leader of the opposition**
- 2. Senator Irfan-ul-Haq Siddiqui**
- 3. Senator Atta-ur-Rheman**
- 4. Senator Haji Hidayatullah Khan**
- 5. Senator Raja Nasir Abbas**
- 6. Senator Shahadat Awan**
- 7. Senator Jan Muhammad**
- 8. Senator Naseema Ehsan**
- 9. Senator Mohammad Abdul Qadir**
- 10. Senator Mohammad Ishaq Dar, Leader of the House**
- 11. Senator Rana Mahmood ul Hassan**
- 12. Senator Fawzia Arshad**
- 13. Senator Azam Nazeer Tarar, Minister for Law and Justice**

2. Condolence Resolution moved by Senator Azam Nazeer Tarar, Minister for Law and Justice, expressing profound grief and sorrow over the sad demise of Senator Prof. Sajid Mir:-

"The House expresses its profound grief and sorrow over the sad demise of Senator Prof. Sajid Mir, a veteran parliamentarian and an eminent Islamic scholar, who passed away on 3rd May, 2025.

Senator Sajid Mir was a distinguished leader of the Pakistan Muslim League (Nawaz) and a prominent religious figure who served as the Second Amir of Jamiat Ahle Hadees from 1987 until his passing. A man of profound learning, he held multiple academic qualifications, including a Master's degree in English, a Master's in Islamic Studies, and a Bachelor's in Economics. He was also a graduate of the traditional Dars-e-Nizami curriculum, making him a rare blend of classical religious scholarship and modern education.

A seasoned legislator, he was elected multiple times to the Senate of Pakistan, beginning with his first tenure from 1994. In March, 2003 he was re-elected to the Senate and remained Member of this August House till his passing away. Throughout his Parliamentary career, Senator Sajid Mir rendered invaluable services in various capacities. He served as Chairman and Member of the Senate Standing Committee on Science and Technology, Member of the Senate Committee on Rules of Procedure and Privileges, Chairman Senate Standing Committee for Kashmir, the Functional Committee on Government Assurances and the Committee on Overseas Pakistanis and Human Resource Development.

Known for his humility, integrity, and soft-spoken nature, Senator Sajid Mir was a strong advocate of democratic continuity, Inter-Sectarian Harmony, and Constitutionalism. His voice in the Senate reflected wisdom, compassion, and a deep commitment to both his party and his faith. He also made valuable diplomatic contributions, particularly in promoting Pakistan's bilateral ties with the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia.

He leaves behind a rich legacy of public service, scholarship, and principled political engagement. His absence will be deeply felt by his colleagues, students, followers, this House and the Nation at large.

This House expresses its heartfelt condolences to the bereaved family and prays to Almighty Allah to shower His infinite blessings upon the departed soul. May his soul rest in eternal peace (Ameen).

A copy of this resolution, if I may add, is entirely inadequate to do justice to his stellar life, may be sent to the bereaved family."

The Resolution was passed by the House unanimously.

LAYING A COPY OF THE MONEY BILL

1. Senator Mohammad Ishaq Dar, Leader of the House, laid before the Senate a copy of the Money Bill to impose an off the grid levy on natural gasbased Captive Power Plants [The Off the Grid (Captive Power Plants) levy Bill, 2025] as required under Article 73 of the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan.

The Money Bill introduced and referred to Standing Committee of Finance and Revenue.

2. Senator Mohammad Ishaq Dar, Leader of the House, moved that the Senate may make recommendations, if any, to the National Assembly on the Money Bill to impose an off the grid levy on natural gas-based Captive Power Plants [The Off the Grid (Captive Power Plants) Levy Bill, 2025] as required under Article 73 of the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan.

Deputy Chairman Senate, The proposals received for making recommendations on the Bill shall be sent to the Senate Standing Committee on Finance and Revenue which shall present its report on tomorrow morning that's is 15th May, 2025.

05:15 p.m. the Deputy Chairman Senate adjourned the proceedings of the House to meet again on Thursday ,15th May, 2025, at 03:30 p.m.

**Islamabad, the
14th May ,2025.**