

SENATE SECRETARIAT

No. F. 19(1)/2024-27/C-I

Islamabad, the 31st July, 2025.

NOTICE

A Meeting of the Senate Standing Committee on Information & Broadcasting will be held on 6th August, 2025 at 2:30 p.m. in Old PIPS Hall, Parliament Lodges, Islamabad. In case of Senate Session in the evening, the meeting will be held at 11:30 a.m.

2. The **agenda** before the Committee would be as under:-
- i) Further consideration of "The Motion Picture (Amendment) Bill, 2024" introduced by Mr. Murtaza Solangi, the then Minister for Information and Broadcasting in the Senate sitting held on 25-04-2024.
 - ii) Report by the Ministry of Interior and the Ministry of Information and Broadcasting on a Point of Public Importance regarding "Grievances of Journalists" raised by Senator Irfan ul Haq Siddiqui in the Senate Sitting held on 15th July 2025.
 - iii) Further briefing by the Ministry of Information and Broadcasting / Ministry of Interior on the number and details of cases registered under PECA Act with special focus on actions against journalists, media persons, digital content creators and social media activists.
 - iv) Further discussion on the issues of salaries, pension and budget of PTV and PBC employees and complete details of employment in PTV and PBC during the last 5 years on regular, contract and daily wages with post and pay package along with station-wise breakup and domicile separately.
 - v) Briefing by the Ministry of Information and Broadcasting with concrete proposals of income generation in PTV and PBC for the revival of these organizations in future.
 - vi) Briefing on the details of expenditures incurred on advertisements awarded by the Federal Government to all print and electronic media from 5th March, 2024 till to date separately.
 - vii) Any other item (s) 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 Syed Ali Zafar	Chairman
2.	Senator Asharaf Ali Jatoi	Member
3.	Senator Sarmad Ali	Member
4.	Senator Aon Abbas Buppi	Member
5.	Senator Irfan-ul-Haque Siddiqui	Member
6.	Senator Muhammad Tallal Badar	Member
7.	Senator Pervaiz Rashid	Member
8.	Senator M. Faisal Vawda	Member
9.	Senator Abdul Shakoor Khan	Member
10.	Senator Jan Muhammad	Member
11.	Senator Syed Waqar Mehdi	Member
12.	Minister for Information & Broadcasting	Ex-Officio Member

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

1. **The Secretary**, M/o Information & Broadcasting, Islamabad to attend the meeting along with all concerned.
2. **The Secretary**, M/o Finance & Revenue, Islamabad to attend the meeting regarding agenda item number (iv) along with all concerned.

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3. **The Secretary, M/o Interior, Islamabad, to attend the meeting regarding agenda items number (ii and iii) along with all concerned.**
4. **The Secretary, M/o Law and Justice, Islamabad, to attend the meeting along with all concerned.**
5. **The Section Officer (Council), M/o Information & Broadcasting, Islamabad. He is requested to provide 36 copies of the working paper (*in Urdu and English*) along with a list of participants to this Secretariat 48 hours before the meeting.**
6. **The Section Officer (Council), M/o Finance & Revenue, Islamabad. He is requested to provide 36 copies of the working paper (*in Urdu and English*) along with a list of participants to the Secretariat 48 hours before the meeting.**
7. **The Section Officer (Council), M/o Interior, Islamabad. He is requested to provide 36 copies of the working paper (*in Urdu and English*) along with a list of participants to the Secretariat 48 hours before the meeting.**
8. **The Section Officer (Council), M/o Law and Justice, Islamabad. He is requested to provide 36 copies of the working paper (*in Urdu and English*) along with a list of participants to the Secretariat 48 hours before the meeting.**
9. **Sr. P.S to Minister Information & Broadcasting, Islamabad, with request to inform the Minister to attend the meeting.**

(II) Copy also forwarded for information to:-

1. The Attorney General for Pakistan.
2. The Accountant General for Pakistan Revenue, Islamabad.
3. The Secretary, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
4. The Secretary, Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs, Islamabad.
5. P.S.O to Chairman Senate, Senate of Pakistan, Islamabad.
6. The Joint Secretaries (Committees, Admn), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
7. The Joint Secretary (Legislation), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad with the request to depute an Officer of the LDU to assist in the meeting.
8. The Director Staff to Deputy Chairman, Senate of Pakistan, Islamabad.
9. The Director Staff to Leader of the House, Senate of Pakistan, Islamabad.
10. The Director Staff to Leader of the Opposition, Senate of Pakistan, Islamabad.
11. The Director Staff to Chairman Senate Standing Committee on Information and Broadcasting, Islamabad.
12. The Director General (Research/ Library), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
13. The Director (PR), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad with the request to make necessary arrangements for the issuance of Press Release and TV coverage of the meeting.
14. **The Executive Director (FGPC), Islamabad with the request to make necessary medical arrangements in the Parliament Lodges, Islamabad.**
15. **The Director, News, PTV, Islamabad with the request to make necessary arrangements for the T.V coverage of the meeting.**
16. **The Director (CDA), Parliament Lodges, Islamabad with the request to make necessary arrangements for the meeting.**
17. **The Director (I.T), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad. (For Whatsapp).**
18. **Ms. Bushra Nazli Naqvi, Manager, PIPS, Parliament Lodges, Islamabad.**
19. The Deputy Director (Protocol/Cafeteria), Parliament House, Islamabad.
20. The Deputy Director (Library), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
21. The Finance & Accounts Officer, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
22. The Section Officer (F&A), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
23. The Assistant Director (Media), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
24. The Assistant Director (I.T), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad. (For Senate Website).
25. The Information Officer (Senate) P.I.D, Islamabad.
26. The Engineer In-charge, Senate/N.A Secretariats, Islamabad.
27. The Medical Officer, Parliament Lodges, Islamabad.
28. The Committee Branches II, Senate & I & II N.A. Secretariat, Islamabad.
29. The Ladies Senator's Services Centre, Parliament House, Islamabad.
30. The Senator's Services Centre, Parliament House, Islamabad.
31. The Parliamentary Reporters Association, Parliament House, Islamabad.
32. The Deputy Director (Civil/Electrical), CDA, Parliament Lodges, Islamabad.
33. The DSP, Parliament Lodges, Islamabad.
34. The Annunciator Cell, Parliament House, Islamabad.
35. Master file.



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