

SENATE SECRETARIAT

F.No. 7(1)/2024-27/C-II

Islamabad, the 15th October, 2026

REVISED NOTICE

A meeting of the Senate Standing Committee on Federal Education and Professional Training will be held on **Thursday, 22nd October, 2026 at 02:00 p.m.** at Committee Room No. 4 Parliament House Islamabad.

2. The **agenda** before the Committee would be as under:-

- i. Briefing by the Higher Education Commission (HEC) on the attestation of degrees, particularly with reference to the complaints raised during the recent meeting regarding the recognition/attestation of degrees of Al-Khair University. The briefing shall also include the total number of degrees attested to date, the number of pending cases, and the expected timeline for their processing and clearance.
- ii. Briefing by Ministry concerning the Federal Urdu University of Arts, Science and Technology (FUUAST), Karachi, particularly the non-payment of salaries and pensions to its employees. The briefing shall also cover the registration of an FIR against teachers and the initiation of disciplinary proceedings in connection with their participation in the meeting of the Senate Standing Committee held at Governor House, Karachi, on 4th September, 2026.
- iii. Briefing by the Ministry of Federal Education and Professional Training regarding the Private Educational Institutions Regulatory Authority (PEIRA), particularly the implementation of the mandatory 10% quota for free education for poor and needy students, as referred by Senator Jan Muhammad.
- iv. Briefing by the Ministry concerned regarding complaints received from students of PIMSAT about the alleged charging of additional fees by the Vice Chancellor for the issuance of revised documents and degrees.
- v. Briefing by the Vice Chancellor of Dow University of Health Sciences (DUHS), Karachi on the administrative affairs of the University, particularly matters relating to the transfer and posting of employees, and other administrative, human resource management and institutional issues.
- vi. 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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Secretary Committee

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Chairperson

1. **Senator Bushra Anjum Butt**
2. Senator Mohammad Ishaq Dar (Leader of the House)
3. Senator Rahat Jamali
4. Senator Ashraf Ali Jatoi
5. Senator Syed Masroor Ahsan
6. Senator Khalida Ateeab
7. Senator Falak Naz
8. Senator Fawzia Arshad
9. Senator Mirza Muhammad Afridi
10. Senator Gurdeep Singh
11. Senator Kamran Murtaza
12. Senator Jan Muhammad
13. Minister for Federal Education and Professional Training

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1) Copy forwarded to the following for necessary action:-

1. The Secretary, M/O Federal Education and Professional Training Islamabad, with the request to kindly attend the meeting with concerned head of departments and attached departments keeping in view the agenda items.
2. The Chairman Higher Education Commission (HEC) with request to kindly attend the meeting with concerned keeping in view the concern agenda item.
3. The Vice-Chancellor of Federal Urdu University of Arts, Science and Technology (FUUAST), Karachi.
4. The Registrar of Federal Urdu University of Arts, Science and Technology (FUUAST), Karachi.
5. The Section Officer (Council), M/o Federal Education, Professional Training, Islamabad, with the request to provide **35 copies** of the working paper/brief in both Urdu and English positively (The soft versions may be emailed to **committee2@senate.gov.pk** along with a list of participants to this Secretariat by **Monday, 19th October, 2026**).
6. The P.S. to Minister for M/o Federal Education, Professional Training Islamabad, with the request to inform the Minister to kindly attend the meeting.

2) Copy also forwarded for information and necessary action to:-

1. The Attorney General for Pakistan.
2. The Accountant General Pakistan Revenues, Islamabad.
3. The Secretary, Ministry of Parliamentary Affair, Islamabad.
4. The Secretary, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
5. The Special Secretary (II), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
6. The Joint Secretaries, (Committee & Admn.), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
7. The Deputy Secretaries (Committee / Admn). 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 Sr. Director (Staff) to Leader of the Opposition, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
12. 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.
13. The Director General (I.T), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
14. **The Director (Automation)**, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad, with the request to make necessary arrangements for operating of Multi-Media in the meeting. Uploading of notice on Senate website and send SMS to all Members.
15. DG Reporter, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
16. The Assistant Director (Media), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
17. The Executive Director (FGPC), Islamabad, with the request to make necessary medical arrangements in the Parliament House Islamabad.
18. The Director, PTV, Islamabad, with the request to make necessary arrangements for the T.V coverage of the meeting.
19. The Deputy Director (Library), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
20. The Finance & Accounts Officer, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
21. All Directors (Staff) to Chairpersons /Functional Committees, Block-C, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
22. The Information Officer (Senate) P.I.D, Islamabad.
23. The Director (Staff) to Chairperson, SSC on Federal Education & Professional Training, Block-C, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
24. The Medical Officer, Parliament House, Islamabad.
25. The Deputy Director (Civil/Electrical), CDA, Parliament House, Islamabad.
26. The Engineer In charge, Senate/N.A. Secretariats, Islamabad.
27. The Committee Branches I, Senate & I & II N.A. Secretariat, Islamabad.
28. The Ladies Senator's Services Centre, Parliament House, Islamabad.
29. The Senator's Services Centre, Parliament House, Islamabad.
30. The Annunciator, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
31. The I.T, Branch Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
32. Master file.



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