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تذکرہ اور اس سے ظالم کون جو خدا پر جھوٹ بہتان باندھے یا
 جب حق بات اس کے پاس لائے تو اس کی تکذیب کرے۔
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 رستے دکھا دیں گے۔ اور خدا تو نیکو کاروں کے ساتھ ہے ۵۱

OATH OR QUORUM*

Mr. Chairman : Next item is oath by a new Member.

Mr. Muhammad Ali Khan : Sir, there is no quorum.

جناب چیئرمین: دیکھیں جی کورم ہے یا نہیں — گھنٹی بجائیں۔
 (گھنٹیاں بجائی گئیں)

جناب چیئرمین: میرے خیال میں پانچ منٹ ہو گئے ہیں۔

Law Minister Sahib, what is your opinion ? should I adjourn for a few minutes or should I adjourn it for the day because it appears that there is no quorum today ?

Syed Iftikhar Hussain Gilani: If the intention Mr. Chairman Sir, is to

defeat the proceedings of this House then we can not do anything because the Leader of the Opposition has raised objection himself in the House. So, the intention I think is to deprive the elected member to take oath today. It is unfortunate, I must say.....

جناب چیئرمین: تقریر نہ کریں۔

Because I don't think we are in a regular session I just want your opinion, should I adjourn it for a few minutes or should I adjourn it for the day and meet again?

Syed Iftikhar Hussain Gilani : I thought Mr. Chairman, we were thinking of to pass a resolution for Mohsin Siddiqui.

Mr. Chairman : No resolution unless we have a quorum.

Syed Iftikhar Hussain Gilani : Sir, for Mohsin Siddiqui if we could persuade them.

جناب چیئرمین: نہیں مجھے صرف اس پر گائیڈ کر دیں کہ

should I adjourn for a few minutes or for the day?

Syed Iftikhar Hussain Gilani: That is up to you

ہم تو چاہتے ہیں کہ وہ ہو جائے۔

جناب چیئرمین: آج کورم کے امکانات بھی مجھے نہیں نظر آ رہے۔

خواجہ احمد طارق رحیم: میں کچھ عرض کر سکتا ہوں جی

جناب چیئرمین: جی، صرف اس مسئلے پر۔

Khawaja Ahmad Tariq Raheem : As the Leader of the Opposition has made this point, it appears that there is no intention of completing the quorum.

Mr. Chairman : O.K. then I will adjourn this House till day after tomorrow at 5.30 P.M.

[The House adjourned to meet again at five thirty of the clock in the evening on Tuesday, August 07, 1990.]

Subsequently, the Chairman Senate under Rule 20 (2) (b) of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Senate, 1988 adjourned the sitting scheduled to be held at 5.30 p.m. on 7th August, 1990 till 5.30 p.m. on Wednesday, the 15th August, 1990. A circular to that effect was issued by the Senate Secretariat vide No. F.5(3)/90-Legis-dated 7th August, 1990.
