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Friday, the June 12, 2026

The Senate of Pakistan met in the Senate Hall (Parliament House) Islamabad at fifty minutes past six in the evening Mr. Chairman (Syed Yousaf Raza Gilani) in the Chair.

Recitation from the Holy Quran

أَعُوذُ بِاللَّهِ مِنَ الشَّيْطَانِ الرَّجِيمِ-

بِسْمِ اللَّهِ الرَّحْمَنِ الرَّحِيمِ-

إِنَّ رَبَّكُمُ اللَّهُ الَّذِي خَلَقَ السَّمَوَاتِ وَالْأَرْضَ فِي سِتَّةِ أَيَّامٍ ثُمَّ اسْتَوَى عَلَى الْعَرْشِ يُغْشَى اللَّيْلَ النَّهَارَ يَطْلُبُهُ حَثِيثًا وَالشَّمْسُ وَالْقَمَرُ وَالنُّجُومُ مُسَخَّرَاتٌ بِأَمْرِهِ ۗ أَلَا لَهُ الْخَلْقُ وَالْأَمْرُ تَبَارَكَ اللَّهُ رَبُّ الْعَالَمِينَ ﴿٥٢﴾

ترجمہ: کچھ شک نہیں کہ تمہارا پروردگار اللہ ہی ہے جس نے آسمانوں اور زمین کو چھ دن میں پیدا کیا پھر عرش پر جا ٹھہرا وہی رات کو دن کا لباس پہناتا ہے کہ وہ اس کے پیچھے دوڑتا چلا آتا ہے اور اسی نے سورج اور چاند اور ستاروں کو پیدا کیا سب اسی کے حکم کے مطابق کام میں لگے ہوئے ہیں دیکھو سب مخلوق بھی اسی کی ہے اور حکم بھی (اسی کا ہے) یہ اللہ رب العالمین بڑی برکت والا ہے۔ سورة الاعراف (آیات ۵۳)

Recitation of Naat

دیکھی نہیں کسی نے اگر شانِ مصطفیٰ ﷺ

دیکھے کہ جبرائیلؑ ہے دربانِ مصطفیٰ ﷺ

لطفِ خدا میں آپؐ کی تصویر کھنچ گئی

پھرنے لگے جب آنکھ میں احسانِ مصطفیٰ ﷺ

دیکھی نہیں کسی نے اگر شانِ مصطفیٰ ﷺ

دیکھے کہ جبرائیلؑ ہے دربانِ مصطفیٰ ﷺ

میں ہوں ہزار جان سے تصدق حضور ﷺ پر
میری ہزار جان ہو قربانِ مصطفیٰ ﷺ
رشتہ مرا خدا کی خدائی سے ٹوٹ جائے
چھوٹے مگر نہ ہاتھ سے دامنِ مصطفیٰ ﷺ

Mr. Chairman: I want to make an announcement. I warmly welcome Mr. Jianqian Chen, Mr. Jun Guaochu, along with other delegates from the World Peace Bottle Forum People's Republic of China. Senator Mohammad Aurangzeb, Minister for Finance and Revenue, may move Order No.02.

Laying a copy of [The Finance Bill, 2026]

Senator Muhammad Aurangzeb (Minister for Finance and Revenue): Mr. Chairman! I lay before the Senate a copy of the Finance Bill, 2026, containing the Annual Budget Statement, as required under Article 73 of the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan.

(At this stage, the Opposition started protesting against the Bill on their desks)

Mr. Chairman: A copy of the Finance Bill, 2026 containing Annual Budget Statement stands laid. Order No.02. Senator Muhammad Aurangzeb, Minister for Finance and Revenue may move Order No.03.

Motion to make recommendations to the National Assembly by the Senate on [The Finance Bill, 2026]

Senator Muhammad Aurangzeb: Mr. Chairman! I move that the Senate may make recommendations, if any, to the National Assembly on the Finance Bill, 2026, containing the Annual Budget Statement, as required under Article 73 of the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan.

Mr. Chairman: The notices for the proposals for making recommendations together with the statement of reasons for such proposals on the Finance Bill, 2026, containing the Annual Budget Statement, may be submitted by the Members to the Secretary Senate by Monday, the 15th June, 2026. No proposals will be entertained after that time. These recommendations should be with reference to the Finance Bill, 2026, containing the Annual Budget Statement. The recommendations having no relevance to the Finance Bill, is outside the purview of Article 73 and hence not admissible.

Furthermore, a Member shall not give notice of a proposal for making recommendations to the Annual Budget Statement which relates to the expenditure charged upon the Federal Consolidated Fund under Clause (1) of the Article 82 of the Constitution. The proposals received for making recommendations on the Finance Bill shall be sent to the Senate Standing Committee on Finance and Revenue, whereas the recommendations pertaining to the PSDP shall be sent to the Standing Committee on Planning, Development and Special Initiatives shall examine the recommendations pertaining to the PSDP and forward the same to the Senate Standing Committee on Finance and Revenue by Wednesday, the 17th June, 2026, which after incorporating the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Planning, Development and Special Initiatives in its own recommendations, shall present its report before the House by Thursday, the 18th June, 2026.

In the meantime, the Senate would discuss the Finance Bill, 2026, containing the Annual Budget Statement and would finally consider and adopt the report of the Standing Committee on Finance and Revenue and make recommendatons to

the National Assembly on the Finance Bill, 2026, containing the Annual Budget Statement on Friday the 19th June, 2026. The Parliamentary party leaders are requested to provide the names of speakers of their respective parties in order of preference in line with the decision of the Business Advisory Committee. The leader of the Opposition will open the debate on Budget. Parliamentary Party leaders will speak for upto 15 minutes, whereas, Members will speak upto 10 minutes.

It is further informed that the performance and training guidelines for submitting budgetary recommendations has been placed on the tables of the House, which may be used to submit recommendations. Moreover, the Pakistan Institute of Parliamentary Services has established a Budget desk at the National Assembly Secretariat to facilitate the honourable Members of the Parliament. The relevant officers of PIPs shall remain available there throughout the Budget Session to guide and facilitate the Members. The Members may avail the facility for better understanding of the Budget provisions.

It is for the information of the Members that the complete Budget documents have also been provided by the government in soft forms of USBs which have been placed on the tables of the Members.

Fateha

Mr. Chairman: House may offer fateha for the former Senator Taj Muhammad Afridi and the Lakki Marwat incident.

(اس موقع پر ایوان میں فاتحہ پڑھی گئی)

The proceeding of the House stands adjourned to meet again on Monday, the 15th June, 2026 at 12:30 p.m.

[The House was then adjourned to meet again on Monday, the 15th June, 2026 at 12:30 p.m.]
