

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY SECRETARIAT

Subject:- REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON RULES OF PROCEDURE AND PRIVILEGES ON THE AMENDMENTS PROPOSED IN THE RULES OF PROCEDURE AND CONDUCT OF BUSINESS IN THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY, 2007

I, Chairman of the Standing Committee on Rules of Procedure and Privileges have the honor to present the report of the Committee on the amendments in Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the National Assembly, 2007, referred to the Committee on 24-3-2015.

2. The Committee consists of the following:-

1. Rana Muhammad Qasim Noon	Chairman
2. Chaudhary Khadim Hussain	Member
3. Chaudhary Mahmood Bashir Virk	Member
4. Rana Umar Nazir Khan	Member
5. Ch. Bilal Ahmed Virk	Member
6. Mr. Najaf Abbas Sial	Member
7. Mr. Muhammad Raza Hayat Harraj	Member
8. Mr. Muhammad Arshad Khan Leghari <i>Minister of State for Industries and Production</i>	Member
9. Mr. Azhar Qayyum Nahra	Member
10. Mr. Abdul Majeed Khan Khanankhail	Member
11. Sheikh Muhammad Akram	Member
12. Mr. Mumtaz Ahmed Tarar <i>Federal Minister</i>	Member
13. Ms. Kiran Haider	Member
14. Ms. Maiza Hameed	Member
15. Nawab Muhammad Yousuf Talpur	Member
16. Mr. Muhammad Ayaz Soomro	Member
17. Ms. Shagufta Jumani	Member
18. Mr. Ghulam Sarwar Khan	Member
19. Mr. S.A. Iqbal Quadri	Member
20. Mr. Muhammad Ali Rashid	Member
21. Ms. Asiya Nasir	Member
22. Sheikh Aftab Ahmad <i>Minister for Parliamentary Affairs</i>	Ex-officio Member

3. The Committee considered the amendments placed at Annexure-A as moved in the National Assembly, in its meetings held on 12-5-2015, 29-5-2015, 22-7-2015, 19-10-2015, 26-10-2015, 28-3-2017, 28-4-17 and 29-9-2017 and proposed the following amendments therein:-

Amendments in the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in National Assembly, 2017

(1) **Clause-1**

The amendment proposed in sub-rule (1) of rule 2 may not be passed.

(2) **Clause-2**

The amendment proposed in sub-rule (2) of rule 48 may not be passed.

(3) **Clause-3**

- a) in rules 110,118(3), 129(2), 170(5), 170-A (3) and 175(1) for the expression "Law, Justice and Parliamentary Affairs" the expression "Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs and Ministry of Law and Justice" shall be substituted;
- b) in second proviso to sub-rule (2) of rule 198, for the expression "Law, Justice and Parliamentary Affairs" the expression "Ministry of Law and Justice" shall be substituted;
- c) in second proviso to sub-rule (2) of rule 200, for the expression "Law, Justice and Parliamentary Affairs" the expression "Ministry of Law and Justice" shall be substituted;
- d) in sub-rule (4) of rule 200, for the expression "Law, Justice and Parliamentary Affairs" the expression "Ministry of Law and Justice" shall be substituted; and
- e) in sub-rule (4) of rule 244-A, for the expression "Law, Justice and Parliamentary Affairs" the expression "Ministry of Law and Justice" shall be substituted.

(4) **Insertion of new clause**

After clause-3, the following new clause 4, shall be inserted, namely:-

"4. In rule 66, in sub-rule (1), in paragraph (b), after the word "character", the expression "i.e; laying of reports, papers, etc.," shall be inserted."

4. The Committee recommends that the amendments placed at Annexure-B may be passed by the National Assembly.

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(JAWAD RAFIQUE MALIK)
Secretary

Islamabad, the 1st November, 2017

(RANA MUHAMMAD QASIM NOON)
Chairman
Standing Committee on
Rules of Procedure and Privileges

**AMENDMENTS TO THE RULES OF PROCEDURE AND CONDUCT OF BUSINESS
IN THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY, 2007 DR. RAMESH KUMAR VANKWANI, MNA**

“(1) Amendment in sub-rule (1) of rule 2 of the Rules of Procedure.- that in the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the National Assembly, 2007, in sub-rule (1) of rule 2, after the word “Constitution” the following new definition may be inserted namely:-

“Formal Character” means all sorts of business which takes place in the House except the “Adjournment Motion” and the “Bill”.

(2) Amendment in sub-rule (2) of rule 48 of the Rules of Procedure. That in the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the National Assembly, 2007, in sub-rule (2) of rule 48, the word “Holly” may be substituted with the word “Holy”.

(3) Amendments in rule 52, sub-rule (2) of rule 60, rule 110, sub-rule (3) of rule 118, sub-rule (2) of rule 129, sub-rule (5) of rule 170, sub-rule (3) of rule 170A, rule 175, sub-rule (2) of rule 198, sub-rule (3) of rule 198, sub-rule (2) of rule 200, sub-rule (4) of rule 200, rule 206, rule 210 and rule 244 of the Rules of Procedure.- that in rule 52, sub-rule (2) of rule 60, rule 110, sub-rule (3) of rule 118, sub-rule (2) of rule 129, sub-rule(5) of rule 170, sub-rule (3) of rule 170A, rule 175, sub-rule (2) of rule 198, sub-rule (3) of rule 198, sub-rule (2) of rule 200, sub-rule (4) of rule 200, rule 206, rule 210 and rule 244 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the National Assembly, 2007:

the words “Law, Justice and Parliamentary Affairs” wherever it occur may be substituted with the words “Parliamentary Affairs”.

[AS REPORTED BY THE STANDING COMMITTEE]

ANNEX-B

**AMENDMENTS TO THE RULES OF PROCEDURE AND CONDUCT OF BUSINESS
IN THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY, 2007 DR. RAMESH KUMAR VANKWANI**

1)

Clause 1

Amendments in rule 52, sub-rule (2) of rule 60, rule 110, sub-rule (3) of rule 118, sub-rule (2) of rule 129, sub-rule (5) of rule 170, sub-rule (3) of rule 170A, rule 175, sub-rule (2) of rule 198, sub-rule (3) of rule 198, sub-rule (2) of rule 200, sub-rule (4) of rule 200, rule 206, rule 210 and rule 244 of the Rules of Procedure.-

- a) in the proposed amendments in rules 52, 60(2), 198(3), 206 and 210 of the Rules of Procedure for the expression "Law, Justice and Parliamentary Affairs" the expression "Parliamentary Affairs" shall be substituted.
- b) in the rules 110, 118(3), 129(2), 170(5), 170-A (3) and 175(1) for the expression "Law, Justice and Parliamentary Affairs" the expression "Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs and Ministry of Law and Justice" shall be substituted;
- c) in the proviso to sub-rule (2) of rule 198, for the expression "Law, Justice and Parliamentary Affairs" the expression "Ministry of Law and Justice" shall be substituted;
- d) in the proviso to sub-rule (2) of rule 200, for the expression "Law, Justice and Parliamentary Affairs" the expression "Ministry of Law and Justice" shall be substituted;
- e) in the sub-rule (4) of rule 200, for the expression "Law, Justice and Parliamentary Affairs" the expression "Ministry of Law and Justice" shall be substituted; and
- f) the proposed amendment in sub-rule (4) of rule 244-A, for the expression "Law, Justice and Parliamentary Affairs" the expression "Ministry of Law and Justice" shall be substituted.

(2)

Insertion of new clause

After clause-3, the following new clause 4, shall be inserted, namely:-

"4 In rule 66, in sub-rule (1), in paragraph (b), after the word "character", the expression "i.e. laying of reports, papers, etc.," shall be inserted."
