

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY SECRETARIAT

BULLETIN OF THE ASSEMBLY

(50TH SESSION)

Date	Wednesday, the 20 th December, 2017
Commenced at	4.30 P.M.
Adjourned at	6.20 P.M.
Total working hours	01 Hour
Presided by	1. Sardar Ayaz Sadiq, Speaker 2. Mr. Murtaza Javed Abbasi, Deputy Speaker National Assembly of Pakistan
Attendance	191

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TILAWAT AND NAAT

1. *Tilawat* by Qari Ibrar Hussain
2. *Naat* by Mr. Ali Raza Arshad

QUESTIONS

2.	Questions entered in a separate list to be asked and answers given.	All starred Questions were treated as un-starred. <u>OBSERVATION MADE BY MR. SPEAKER</u> Mr. Speaker took serious notice of non-submission of reply of Question No. 71 relating to Ministry of States and Frontier Regions and directed Lt. Gen. (Retd) Abdul Qadir Baloch, Minister for States and Frontier Regions to suspend the concerned Secretary otherwise entire House had the right to pass a Question of Privilege against the concerned Secretary.
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POINTS OF ORDER

Name of member(s)	Subject
Syed Khursheed Ahmed Shah, Leader of the Opposition	The Opposition would continue boycott of the proceedings of the National Assembly until "the Supreme Court and High Court (Extension of Jurisdiction to Federally Administered Tribal Areas) Bill, 2017" was taken up in the House. <i>Lt. Gen. (Retd) Abdul Qadir Baloch, Minister for States and Frontier Regions informed that the said Bill would be taken up as early as possible.</i>

WALK-OUT

1. Syed Khursheed Ahmed Shah, Leader of the Opposition alongwith all members belonging to PPPP, PTI, MQM, JI, ANP, QWP, Mr. Jamshaid Ahmed Dasti, MNA and some members of FATA staged a walk-out against non-inclusion of the Supreme Court and High Court (Extension of Jurisdiction to Federally Administered Tribal Areas) Bill, 2017 in the Orders of the Day.
2. Shaikh Salahuddin, MNA alongwith some members belonging to MQM staged a walk-out against not resolving grievances of people of Karachi.

QUORUM

Quorum.- At 4.44 p.m. Alhaj Shah Jee Gul Afridi, (Independent member from FATA) drew attention of the Chair towards the lack of quorum. Count was made, the quorum was not available. Mr. Speaker suspended the proceedings till the completion of quorum. The House re-assembled at 5.35 p.m. Count was made, the House was in order.

LEAVE APPLICATIONS

The leave applications of the Members who requested for grant of leave were read out by the honourable Deputy Speaker and granted.

CALLING ATTENTION NOTICE

3.	MR. ABDUL QA HAR KHAN WADAN MS. NASEEMA HAFEEZ PANEZAI to invite attention of the Minister for Energy to a matter of urgent public importance regarding low gas pressure in the Province of Balochistan especially in Quetta, causing grave concern amongst the public.	Attention invited by Ms. Naseema Hafeez Panezai, MNA. Ms. Shahzadi Umerzadi Tiwana, Parliamentary Secretary for Petroleum made a brief statement followed by one question each asked by Ms. Naseema Hafeez Panezai and Mr. Abdul Qahar Khan Wadan, MNAs and answers given.
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MOTION OF THANKS

4.	<p>Discussion on the following motion moved by Shaikh Aftab Ahmed, Minister for Parliamentary Affairs on 04-10-2017:-</p> <p>“This House expresses its deep gratitude to the President of Pakistan for his address to both Houses assembled together on 1st June, 2017”.</p>	Left over
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MATTERS OTHER THAN POINTS OF ORDER

5. Raising matters under Rule 18 which are not Points of Order.

Name of Member(s)	Subject
Engineer Mohammad Usman Badini	Non-provision of sui gas to Quetta and various other areas of Balochistan.
Shaikh Salahuddin	Federal government should intervene to resolve the grievances of the people of Karachi.
Ms. Shaista Pervaiz	Photos of Shaikh Rashid Ahmed with NAB officials published in the newspapers who were abroad in connection with investigation in court cases against Sharif family.
Ms. Mussarat Ahmad Zeb	Worst load-shedding of sui gas and electricity in Swat.
Mr. Mahmood Khan Achakzai	Government should review its decision to cancel automatic arm licenses all over the country in view of prevailing law and order situation.
Mr. Abdul Rashid Godil	Spending huge money on advertisements by Provincial Governments for promotion of political parties on electronic media.
Ms. Naeema Kishwer Khan	Imposition of compulsory bio-metric identification for Umra Pilgrims by the Saudi Government.
Rana Muhammad Hayat Khan	Grievances of sugar-cane growers should be addressed.

CALLING ATTENTION NOTICE

6.	<p>SHAZIA MARRI MR. MUHAMMAD JAMAL-UD-DIN MS. NAEEMA KISHWER KHAN MS. SHAHIDA AKHTAR ALI to invite attention of the Minister for Energy to a matter of urgent public importance regarding non-compliance of the Petroleum Production and Exploration Policy, 2012 of the Federal Government by the companies carrying out exploration/production operations at the Oil and Gas Fields in District Sanghar resulting into non-execution of social welfare programs and employment of non-locals, causing grave concern amongst the public.</p>	Left over
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The sitting of the Assembly was adjourned to meet again on Thursday, the 21st December, 2017 at 10.30 a.m.

Islamabad, the
20th December, 2017

TAHIR HUSSAIN
Secretary