

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY SECRETARIAT

BULLETIN OF THE ASSEMBLY (56th SESSION 2018)

Date	Wednesday, the 16 ^h May, 2018
Commenced at	10.45 A.M.
Adjourned at	2.50 P.M.
Total working hours	3 Hours 35 Minutes
Presided by	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Sardar Ayaz Sadiq, Speaker, National Assembly of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan.2. Mr. Murtaza Javed Abbasi, Deputy Speaker, National Assembly of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan.
Attendance	210

TILAWAT AND NAAT

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

LEAVE APPLICATIONS

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

OBSERVATION MADE BY MR. SPEAKER

Mr. Speaker made an observation after breakdown of electricity in the Parliament House during the proceeding of the National Assembly and asked Sardar Awais Ahmed Khan Leghari, Minister for Power about breakdown of electricity. Sardar Awais Ahmed Khan Leghari, Minister for Power informed the the breakdown of electricity was due to tripping of grid stations in Punjab, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa and Islamabad. He also stated that an inquiry in that regard would be conducted in that regard.

ANNOUNCEMENT WITH REGARD TO CUT MOTIONS

Mr. Speaker informed the honourable members that the Demands for Grants in respect of Ministries on which Cut Motions are admitted would be taken in alphabetical order. The procedure to be followed is that first the Finance Minister will move the Demand. Thereafter, two or three cut motions on the Demand will be moved and the remaining cut motions will be clubbed together and treated as moved. When all the Demands alongwith Cut Motions stand moved, discussion will commence on those Cut Motions. After winding-up by the Minister concerned, the Cut Motions on the Demands will be disposed off and thereafter that Demand will be put to the House for vote.

WALK OUT

Dr. Shireen Mehrunnisa Mazari, MNA alongwith all members belonging to PTI and PPPP staged walk-out as a protest as they were not taking part in the discussion on cut motions.

THE BUDGET

4.	DISCUSSION and voting on demands for Grants in respect of voted expenditure.	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>CABINET SECRETARIAT</u></p> <p><u>Demands granted.- Demands No. 1, 2, 4, 5, 8 to 11, 15, 108</u> were assented to one by one by the Assembly without any reduction. All the cut motions as moved were rejected by the House.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>CLIMATE CHANGE</u></p> <p><u>Demands granted.- Demand No.18</u> was assented to by the Assembly without any reduction. All the cut motions were withdrawn by the movers.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>COMMERCE AND TEXTILE</u></p> <p><u>Demands granted.- Demand No.20</u> was assented to by the Assembly without any reduction. All the cut motions were withdrawn by the movers.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>COMMUNICATIONS</u></p> <p><u>Demands granted.- Demand No.2</u> was assented to by the Assembly without any reduction. All the cut motions were withdrawn by the movers.</p>
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DEFENCE

Demands granted.- **Demand No.23** was assented to by the Assembly without any reduction. All the cut motions were withdrawn by the movers.

ENERGY

Demands granted.- **Demands No. 28, 29 and 31** were assented to one by one by the Assembly without any reduction. All the cut motions as moved were rejected by the House.

FINANCE

Demands granted.- **Demands No. 33, 34, 40 to 45 and 124** were assented to one by one by the Assembly without any reduction. All the cut motions as moved were rejected by the House.

FOREIGN AFFAIRS

Demands granted.- **Demands No. 47 and 48** were assented to one by one by the Assembly without any reduction. All the cut motions as moved were rejected by the House.

QUORUM

Quorum.- **At 12.31 p.m.** Mr. Salim Rehman, MNA belonging to PTI drew attention of the Chair towards the lack of quorum. Count was made, the House was found in order.

POINTS OF ORDER

Name of member(s)	Subject
Mir Zafarullah Khan Jamali (11.03 a.m. to 11.16 a.m.)	Criticized summoning of the Chairman NAB by the Standing Committee on Law and Justice.
Sahibzada Tariq Ullah (11.16 a.m. to 11.17 a.m.) (1.46 p.m. to 1.49 p.m.)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Worst load-shedding in his Constituency.➤ Merger of FATA.
Mian Riaz Hussain Pirzada, Minister for Inter-Provincial Coordination (11.42 a.m. to 11.45 a.m.)	Walk-out of the reporters from Press Gallery on 15-05-2018.
Maulana Fazal-ur-Rehman (12.54 p.m. to 1.18 p.m.)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Criticized the passage of Transgender Persons (Protection of Rights) Bill, 2018.

	➤ FATA reforms should be made in consultation with thire people.
Mr. Aftab Ahmed Khan Sherpao (1.18 p.m. to 1.27 p.m.)	FATA issue should be resolved before the next general elections.
Mr. Bilal Rehman (1.27 p.m. to 1.31 p.m.)	FATA should not be merged with the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa
Khawaja Sohail Mansoor (1.31 p.m. to 1.36 p.m.)	Protested over the charges of money laundering against his wife made by the FIA.
Dr. Azra Fazal Pechuho (1.40 p.m. to 1.41 p.m.)	Emphasized the support of PPPP on FATA reforms.
Engineer Ali Muhammad Khan Advocate (1.41 p.m. to 1.45 p.m.)	Emphasized the support of PTI on FATA reforms.
Shaikh Salahuddin (1.50 p.m. to 1.54 p.m.)	FATA issue should be resolved according to the wishes of the people of FATA.
Lt. Gen. (Retd.) Abdul Qadir Baloch, Minister for States and Frontier Regions (1.54 p.m. to 2.08 p.m.)	Decision on merger of FATA had not yet been finalized.
Dr. Arif Alvi (2.14 p.m. to 1.15 p.m.)	Emphasized the support of PTI on FATA reforms.
Mr. Abdul Sattar Bachani (2.16 p.m. to 2.17 p.m.)	FATA issue should be resolved according to wishes of the people of FATA.

QUORUM

Quorum.- At 2.19 p.m. Dr. Arif Alvi, MNA belonging to PPPP drew attention of the Chair towards the lack of quorum. Count was made, the quorum was not available. Mr. Deputy Speaker suspended the proceedings till the completion of the quorum. The House reassembled at 2.50 p.m. Count was made, the House was not in order. Mr. Deputy Speaker adjourned the House for next day.

The sitting of the Assembly was adjourned to meet again on Thursday, the 17th May, 2018 at 10.30 a.m.

Islamabad, the
16th May, 2018

TAHIR HUSSAIN
Secretary

