

**NATIONAL ASSEMBLY SECRETARIAT**  
**BULLETIN OF THE ASSEMBLY**  
**(19<sup>th</sup> SESSION)**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Friday, the 31<sup>st</sup> January, 2020</b>
<b>Commenced at</b>	10.53 A.M.
<b>Adjourned at</b>	12.56 P.M.
<b>Total working hours</b>	2 Hour 03 Minutes
<b>Presided by</b>	1) Mr. Asad Qaiser, Speaker, National Assembly of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan. 2) Mr. Muhammad Qasim Khan Suri, Deputy Speaker, National Assembly of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan.
<b>Attendance</b>	214

1. **TILAWAT, NAAT AND NATIONAL ANTHEM**

- *Tilawat and Naat by Qari Muhammad Younus*
- National anthem

**QUESTIONS**

2.	Questions entered in a separate list to be asked and answers given.	Question No. 7, 9, 10, 12, 14, 15, 16,17,19, 92 104, 177 were asked and their answers given.
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**LEAVE APPLICATIONS**

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

**CALLING ATTENTION NOTICE**

3.	Malik Muhammad Ehsan Ullah Tiwana to invite attention of the Minister for National Food Security and Research to a matter of urgent public importance regarding unabated invasion of swarms of the locusts on standing crops and green trees worth millions of rupees spreading on thousands of acres in Sindh and South Punjab, causing grave concern amongst the public.	Attention invited by Malik Muhammad Ehsan Ullah Tiwana, MNA ; Makhdoom Khusro Bakhtiar, Minister for National Food Security and Research made a brief statement followed by Question asked by Malik Ehsan Ullah Tiwana and answer given.
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**INTRODUCTION OF BILLS**

4.	MR. Mr. Ali Muhammad Khan , Minister of State for Parliamentary Affairs to introduce a Bill further to amend the Anti-terrorism Act, 1997 [The Anti-terrorism (Amendment) Bill, 2020].	Introduced
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5.	Mr. Ali Muhammad Khan , Minister of State for Parliamentary Affairs to introduce a Bill further to amend the Post Office Cash Certificate Act, 1917 [The Post Office Cash Certificate (Amendment) Bill, 2020].	Introduced
6.	Mr. Ali Muhammad Khan , Minister of State for Parliamentary Affairs to introduce a Bill further to amend the Post Office National Savings Certificate Ordinance, 1944 [The Post Office National Savings Certificate (Amendment) Bill, 2020].	Introduced
7.	Mr. Ali Muhammad Khan , Minister of State for Parliamentary Affairs to introduce a Bill further to amend the Post Office National Savings Certificate Ordinance, 1944 [The Post Office National Savings Certificate (Amendment) Bill, 2020].	Introduced
8.	Ms. Javairia Zafar Aheer, Parliamentary Secretary for Overseas Pakistanis and Human Resource Development to introduce a Bill further to amend the Emigration Ordinance, 1979 [The Emigration (Amendment) Bill, 2020].	Introduced

#### MOTION OF THANKS

9.	<b>MR. MUHAMMAD AZAM KHAN SAWATI</b> , Minister for Parliamentary Affairs, to move the following motion:- “This House expresses its deep gratitude to the President of Pakistan for his address to both Houses assembled together on 12 <sup>th</sup> September, 2019.”	Left Over
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#### MATTERS OTHER THAN POINTS OF ORDER

10.	Raising matters under Rule 18 which are not Points of Order.	
	Rana Tanveer Hussain, MNA 12.13 p.m to 12.17 p.m	Suggested to appoint Special Committee on wheat crisis.
	Abdul Qadir Patel, MNA 12.18 p.m to 12.19 p.m	Criticized on Anti-Terrorism (amendment) Bill, 2020.
	Mr. Ali Muihammad Khan, Minister for Parliamentary Affairs 12.19 p.m to 12.24 p.m	Responded to points raised by Mr. Abdul Qadir Patel, MNA
	Raja Pervez Ashraf, MNA 12.36 p.m to 12.38 p.m	Award of contract by Pakistan International Airlines.
	Ms. Mehreen Razaq Butto, MNA 12.40 p.m to 12.43 p.m	Award of contract by Pakistan International Airlines.

	Nawab Muhammad Yousaf Talpur, MNA 12.23 p.m to 12.48 p.m	Swarm/locust crisis in Sindh
	Engr. Sabir Hussain Kaim Khani 12.48 p.m to 12.50 p.m	Criticized publication of photographs of Party Leaders on textbooks in Sindh.
	Mr. Faiz Ullah 12.50 p.m to 12.53 p.m	Faisalabad Industrial Hub is facing problems due to over billings of Electricity.
	Murtaza Javed Abbasi 12.53 p.m to 12.55 p.m	27 people died due to low gas pressure in Abbotabad and Mansehra.
	Mr. Omar Ayub Khan Minister for Energy 12:55 p.m to 12:56 p.m	Responded to the points raised by Mr. Faiz Ullah and Murtaza Javed Abbasi, MNAs regarding low gas pressure.

**CALLING ATTENTION NOTICE**

14.	Jam Abdul Karim Bijar Syed Agha Rafiullah Mr. Abdul Qadir Patel Raja Pervaiz Ashraf Dr. Mehreen Razaq Bhutto, MNAs to invite attention of the Minister for Aviation Division to a matter of urgent public importance regarding awarding a contract of Rs. 700 million for the up-gradation of In Flight Entertainment (IFE) in eight Boeing 777 aircraft in dubious manners by the Pakistan International Airlines, causing grave concern amongst the public.	Attention invited by Jam Abdul Karim Bijar, MNA; Mr. Ghulam Sarwar Khan, Minister for Aviation Division, made a brief statement followed by each question asked by :-  1. Syed Agha Rafiullah; 2. Mr. Abdul Qadir Patel; and 3. Raja Pervaiz Ashraf, MNAs and answers given.
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The sitting of the Assembly was adjourned to meet again on Monday, the 3<sup>rd</sup> February, 2020 at 4.00 p.m.

**Islamabad, the  
31<sup>st</sup> January, 2020.**

**TAHIR HUSSAIN  
Secretary**