

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY SECRETARIAT

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Islamabad, 11th March, 2020; 29th meeting of the Standing Committee on Law and Justice was held today under the Chairmanship of Mr. Riaz Fatyana, MNA in Committee Room No.7,4th floor Parliament House Islamabad.

2. The meeting started with the recitation from the Holy Quran, and then the Committee decided to proceed with the agenda. The Committee unanimously confirmed the minutes of its previous meetings held on 24th and 25th February, 2020.

3. The Committee considered the Bills "The Muslim Family Laws (Amendment) Bill, 2019 (Section 4) (Government Bill)" and "The Muslim Family Laws (Amendment) Bill, 2019 (Section 7) (Government Bill)". After detailed deliberations the Committee recommends with majority that the Bills may be passed by the Assembly.

4. The Committee considered the Bills: The National Accountability (Second Amendment) Bill, 2019 (Ordinance No. XXVII of 2019); The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2019 (Article No. 89), moved by Mr. Abdul Qadir Patel, The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2019(Article 51) moved by Mr. Junaid Akbar, MNA; and The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2019(Article 223) moved by Mr. Junaid Akbar, MNA. After detailed deliberations the Committee deferred the Bills for further consideration in next meeting.

5. The Committee did not considered the Bills, due to non-availability of the Movers The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2020 (Amendment in Third Schedule) moved by Mr. Mohsin Nawaz Ranjha, MNA; The Constitution (Amendment) Bill 2020 (Amendment 251) moved by Kesoo Mal Kheal Das, MNA, and deferred the same.

6. The Committee deferred the agenda due to paucity of time, regarding the Implementation status of previous recommendations of the Committee and Current status of Delegated Legislation in Pakistan.

7. Hon. Members/MNAs/Movers Mr.Lal Chand,Mr. Mr. Muhammad Farooq Azam Malik Ms. Kishwar Zehra, Ms. Maleeka Ali Bokhari, Mr. Muhammad Sana Ullah Khan Masti Khel Malik Muhammad Ehsan Ullah Tiwana,Mr.Sher Ali Arbab, Ms.Shunila Ruth,Rana Sana Ullah Khan, Ch.Mehmood Bashir Virk, Mr.Usman Ibrahim,Khawaja Saad Rafique,Mr.Saad Waseem, Syed Hussain Tariq, Ms. Nafeesa Shah,Syed Naveed Qamar Ms. Aliya Kamran, Mr. Abdul Qadir Patel, MNA, Mr. Junaid Akbar, MNA Khawaja Muhammad Asif, Sardar ayaz Sadiq MNA Mr.Shahid Khaqan Abbasi MNA Mr.Ahsan Iqbal MNA and Minister for law and justice along with staff from Ministry of Law and Justice, Allama Iftikhar Naqvi, Member Council of Islamic ideology and Khanum Syeda Tayyaba Bukhari attended the meeting besides the senior officers from the Ministry of Law and Justice with their staff.


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Director (I. D)/Secretary Committee