

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY SECRETARIAT

ORDERS OF THE DAY

for the meeting of the National Assembly to be held on Tuesday, the 17th May, 2016 at 10.30 a.m.

1. *Tilawat and Naat.*

CALLING ATTENTION NOTICE

2. **MS. NAEEMA KISHEWER KHAN** **MS. SHAHIDA AKHTAR ALI**
MS. ALIYA KAMRAN **MS. ASIYA NASIR**
MOLANA AMEER ZAMAN to invite attention of the Minister for Foreign Affairs to a matter of urgent public importance regarding holding of first meeting of Standing Committee on Science and Technology of OIC in Kazakhstan instead of Pakistan, causing grave concern amongst the public.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

3. **MR. SANJAY PERWANI**, to move for leave to introduce a Bill to provide for the establishment of Pakistan Minorities Rights Commission [The Pakistan Minorities Rights Commission Bill, 2016].
4. Also to introduce the Bill, if leave is granted.
5. **MR. SAJID AHMED** **MR. MUHAMMAD MUZAMMIL QURESHI**, to move for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan [The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2016] (Amendment of Article 140A).
6. Also to introduce the Bill, if leave is granted.
7. **MS. KISHWER ZEHRA** **MR. SUFYAN YUSUF**
MR. SANJAY PERWANI **MS. SAMAN SULTANA JAFRI**, to move for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the Pakistan Penal Code, 1860 (Act No. XLV of 1860) and the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act No. V of 1898) [The Criminal Law (Amendment) Bill, 2016].
8. Also to introduce the Bill, if leave is granted.
9. **DR. NIKHAT SHAKEEL KHAN** **MS. SAMAN SULTANA JAFRI**
MS. KISHWER ZEHRA **MR. MUHAMMAD MUZAMMIL QURESHI**, to move for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act No. V of 1898) [The Code of Criminal Procedure (Amendment) Bill, 2016].
10. Also to introduce the Bill, if leave is granted.
11. **MS. SHAHIDA REHMANI**, to move for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908 (No. V of 1908) [The Code of Civil Procedure (Amendment) Bill, 2016].
12. Also to introduce the Bill, if leave is granted.
13. **SHEIKH RASHID AHMED**, to move for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan [The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2016] (Amendment of Article 142).
14. Also to introduce the Bill, if leave is granted.
15. **MR. SANJAY PERWANI**, to move for leave to introduce a Bill to provide for the protection of persons against forced conversion [The Protection of Minorities Bill, 2016].
16. Also to introduce the Bill, if leave is granted.
17. **SAHIBZADA TARIQ ULLAH** **SAHIBZADA MUHAMMAD YAQUB**
MR. SHER AKBAR KHAN **MS. AISHA SYED**, to move for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan [The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2016] (Amendment of Articles 5 & 6).
18. Also to introduce the Bill, if leave is granted.

LEGISLATIVE BUSINESS

19. **MR. MUHAMMAD AYAZ SOOMRO**, to move that the Bill further to amend the Law Reforms Ordinance, 1972 (XII of 1972) [The Law Reforms (Amendment) Bill, 2015], as reported by the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration at once.

20. **MR. MUHAMMAD AYAZ SOOMRO**, to move that the Bill further to amend the Law Reforms Ordinance, 1972 (XII of 1972) [The Law Reforms (Amendment) Bill, 2015], be passed.

21. **MS. SHAISTA PERVAIZ**, to move that the Bill further to amend the Pakistan Penal Code, 1860, the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 and the Qanun-e-Shahadat Order, 1984 [The Criminal Law (Amendment) Bill, 2014], as reported by the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration at once.

22. **MS. SHAISTA PERVAIZ**, to move that the Bill further to amend the Pakistan Penal Code, 1860, the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 and the Qanun-e-Shahadat Order, 1984 [The Criminal Law (Amendment) Bill, 2014], be passed.

MOTION

23. **MR. MUHAMMAD MUZAMMIL QURESHI**, to move that the following amendment in the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the National Assembly, 2007, referred to the Standing Committee on 28th April, 2015, be considered without waiting for the report of the Standing Committee:

“Amendment in sub-rule (1) of rule 200 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 200, for the words “ascertainment of the Leader of the House”, the words “election of the Prime Minister”, shall be substituted.”

24. **MR. MUHAMMAD MUZAMMIL QURESHI**, to move under sub-rule (5) of rule 293 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the National Assembly, 2007, that the proposed amendments be taken into consideration.

25. **MR. MUHAMMAD MUZAMMIL QURESHI**, to move that the proposed amendment in the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the National Assembly, 2007, be adopted.

AMENDMENTS TO THE RULES OF PROCEDURE AND CONDUCT OF BUSINESS IN THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY, 2007

26. **DR. RAMESH KUMAR VANKWANI**, **MR. NAJAF ABBAS SIAL**,
MR. MUHAMMAD MOEEN WATTOO, **MR. SIRAJ MUHAMMAD KHAN**,
to seek leave under sub-rule (4) of rule 293 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the National Assembly, 2007 to move the following amendments:-

(1) **Amendment in rule 200 of the Rules of Procedure.**- That in rule 200, after sub-rule (4), the following new sub-rule (5) shall be added, namely :-

“(5) The concerned Minister or Minister of State or Parliamentary Secretary shall attend the meeting of the Committee.”

(2) **Insertion of rule 201-A of the Rules of Procedure.**- that after rule 201, the following new rule 201-A, shall be inserted namely:-

“201-A.Procedure for submission of Public Petition.- (1) Subject to the provision of these rules, a person may submit a petition to the Speaker containing clear suggestion relating to the business before the House, business before a Committee or issue of public importance concerning the Federal Government, The petitioner shall make himself responsible for the accuracy of the matter raised by him. The petition shall be submitted online by filling in the Performa on the website of Assembly or by post or by delivering in the National Assembly Secretariat by hand. Every petition shall be registered in the Register as prescribed and allotted a serial number and updated record of each petition shall be maintained by the Secretariat. A consolidated statement of the petitions received and disposed of shall be made by the Secretary in the House in each session.

(2) Unless the Speaker directs otherwise, the following shall be the procedure for processing and disposal of petitions:-

(a) On every Monday and Thursday, the petitions, received during the intervening period, will be submitted to the Speaker for appropriate order. The Speaker will decide the admissibility of petitions and mode of action thereon;

(b) A petition admitted by the Speaker for referral to Committee shall be transmitted to the Committee concerned which shall present its report within thirty working days;

- (c) The petitions admitted by the Speaker for taking up in the House and those received back from the Committees concerned requiring discussion in the House will be taken up in the forthcoming session of the Assembly;
- (d) If the House makes any recommendation or the Speaker gives any direction or the Minister gives any understanding on a petition, the Ministry/Division/Authority concerned shall report to the National Assembly Secretariat about the action taken thereon within twenty working days. The response of the Ministry/Division/Authority concerned shall be submitted to the Speaker for appropriate orders; and
- (e) The petitioner concerned shall be informed of the action taken on his petition within three working days after completion of action thereon.”
- (3) **Insertion of rule 201-B of the Rules of Procedure.-** That after rule 201-A, the following new rule 201-B, shall be added namely:-
“**201-B.** The unanimous recommendations of the Committee shall be binding on Government or concerned Ministry and compliance report thereof shall be submitted to the Committee within three months.”
- (4) **Amendment in rule 211 of the Rules of Procedure.-** That the rule 211, shall be re-numbered as sub-rule (1) of rule 211 and the following new sub-rules (2) and (3) shall be added, namely :
“(2) During a session, National Assembly Secretariat shall submit on daily basis the record of Government Assurances to the Chairman Committee so that the Committee may take cognizance of the matters referred to in sub-rule (1);
(3) The Minister concerned shall submit report of implementation within 15 days to the Committee.”
- (5) **Amendment in rule 216 of the Rules of Procedure.-** That in rule 216, after sub-rule (2), the following new sub-rules (3), (4) and (5), shall be added, namely:-
“(3) At least five women shall be elected as Chairpersons of the Standing Committees.
(4) The Chairpersons of the Committees shall be from all Parliamentary Parties and Groups including Opposition as per their strength in the National Assembly;
(5) Chairperson of the Public Accounts Committee shall be the Leader of the Opposition or any other Member from the Opposition.”
- (6) **Amendment in rule 225 of the Rules of Procedure.-** That in rule 225, after sub-rule (5), the following new sub-rule (6) , shall be added namely:-
“(6) There shall be at least six meetings of the Committee every year.”
- (7) **Amendment in rule 230 of the Rules of Procedure.-** That in rule 230, for the words “Confidential or Secret ” wherever occurring, the word “open” shall be substituted.”
- (8) **Amendment in rule 234-A of the Rules of Procedure.-**That in rule 234-A, for the word “six”, the word “four”, shall be substituted.”
- (9) **Amendment in rule 237 of the Rules of Procedure.-**That in rule 237, in sub-rule (3), between the word “may” and “allot”, the words “within seven days in the same session, and if not possible, in the next session” shall be inserted.
- (10) **Amendment in rule 249 of the Rules of Procedure.-** That in rule 249;
(i) for the word “Chairmen” wherever occurring, the word “Chairpersons” shall be substituted.
(ii) after marginal heading, the brackets and figure “(1)” shall be inserted; and
(iii) following new sub-rule (2) shall be added namely:-
“(2) The meeting of the Counsel of Chairpersons shall be held after every three months.”
- (11) **Insertion of new rules after rule 292 of the Rules of Procedure.-** That after rule 292, the following new rules shall be added, namely:-
“**292-A. National Assembly Forum for Policy Research.-** There shall be a Forum known as the “National Assembly Forum for Policy Research.
292-B. Composition of the Forum.- (1) The Forum shall consist of twenty Members, ten sitting Members of the National Assembly and ten former Members of the Assembly as nominated by the Speaker in consultation with the Parliamentary Leaders in the House.

(2) The Speaker shall be the Patron of the Forum.

(3) The Members of the forum shall elect from amongst themselves a Member as Chairman of the forum within one month of the constitution or reconstitution of the forum or the occurrence of vacancy, as the case may be. The term of office of the Chairman shall be one year and he shall be eligible to be reelected.

(4) The Secretary of the National Assembly shall be the ex-officio Secretary of the Forum and will be responsible for maintaining the record of the Forum and to correspond on its behalf.

292-C. Tenure of the Members.- (1) The tenure of the Members shall be for a period of three years.

(2) The Speaker shall nominate members of the Forum within thirty days of the commencement of the term of the newly elected members.

292-D. Casual vacancies.- A member may resign at any time. If a seat becomes vacant due to resignation of a member or any other eventuality, the Speaker shall appoint another member of the Forum in his place, in the manner provided in Rule 292-B.

292-E. Functions of the Forum.- The functions of the Forum shall be following:-

(a) It shall assist and advice, as and when required, the Assembly, the Speaker, the Committee, the Members and the Secretariat:-

(b) It shall study questions of public importance that are already under consideration or likely to come up before the Assembly and recommend policy options/solutions;

(c) It shall act as an ideas generation and support forum for the members of Assembly in discharge of their functions;

(d) It shall promote partnership amongst sitting and former members of the Assembly. Besides Workshops, Seminars etc., it shall organize an Annual General Meeting of former and sitting members;

(e) It shall suggest ways and means to enhance the efficiency, working and effectiveness of the Committees;

(f) It shall compile and disseminate knowledge generated by Assembly proceedings, Committee reports and proceedings at international and regional Parliamentary meetings;

(g) It shall provide input on policy issues;

(h) It shall supervise the compilation of a book on Parliamentary Practice and Procedure with special reference to Parliament of Pakistan;

(i) It shall supervise the compilation of a book containing the Rulings of the Speaker given by him/her from time to time:

(j) It shall suggest ways and means to promote democratic traditions and principles;

(k) It shall advise and guide the legislative drafting unit and research cell of the Assembly and the PIPS; and

(l) It shall, in consultation with the Speaker, advice the donor agencies regarding Parliamentary Development Programs.

292-F. Meetings of the Forum.- (1) The Chairman of the Forum shall call the meeting of the Forum, at least once in two months or when a majority of the members give a notice in writing.

(2) The agenda of the meeting shall be proposed by the Secretary, under the directions of the Chairman of the Forum and shall be sent to the members at least seven days before the meeting.

(3) All the decisions of the Forum shall be taken by majority of the members present and voting.

(4) All the proceedings of the Forum shall be recorded by the Secretary in the minute's book and shall be signed by the Chairman of the Forum.

(5) The Chairman may call an extraordinary meeting at a shorter notice if so required.

292-G. Reports of the Forum.- The Forum shall present the annual report of its activities to the Assembly in the first session after completion of first year :

(2) The report shall be presented by the Chairman of the Forum or a member authorized by him in this behalf.

(3) The Assembly may discuss the report of the Forum and pass such directions as it may deem fit.

292-H. Miscellaneous.- (1) The expenses for running the Forum shall be provided by the Assembly.

(2) It shall have the status of Standing Committee of the Assembly and shall be regulated by the Rules of Procedure of the Assembly.

(3) A former member of the Assembly appointed to the Forum shall be allowed the TA, DA and accommodation expenses available to a sitting member while attending meetings or performing functions related to or in connection with the Forum”.

**27. DR. RAMESH KUMAR VANKWANI, MR. NAJAF ABBAS SIAL,
MR. MUHAMMAD MOEEN WATTOO, MR. SIRAJ MUHAMMAD KHAN,** to move, under sub-rule (5) of rule 293 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the National Assembly, 2007, that the proposed amendments be taken into consideration.

**28. DR. RAMESH KUMAR VANKWANI, MR. NAJAF ABBAS SIAL,
MR. MUHAMMAD MOEEN WATTOO, MR. SIRAJ MUHAMMAD KHAN,** to move that the proposed amendments in the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the National Assembly, 2007, be adopted.

29. DR. NAFISA SHAH DR. AZRA FAZAL PECHUHO,
to seek leave under sub-rule (4) of rule 293 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the National Assembly, 2007 to move the following amendments:-

(1) **Amendment in rule 122 of Rules of Procedure.-** In rule 122, the following new proviso shall be added, namely:-

“Provided further that the National Assembly may refer a Bill to the Committee of the Whole House.”

(2) **Amendment in rule 244 of Rules of Procedure.-** In rule 244, after sub-rule (C), the following new sub-rule (D) shall be added, namely:-

“D. Committee of the Whole House.- (1) The House may resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House on a motion moved by any member of the House. When the House constitutes itself into a Committee of the Whole House it functions as one Committee acting upon any legislation, resolution or a matter referred to it by the House. Its membership shall be composed of all the members of the House.

(2) The proceedings of the Committee shall be according to the rules of the House, but a member may speak more than once.

(3) The Committee shall be presided over by a Chairperson who can be any member nominated by the Speaker. The Speaker’s Chair will remain vacant and the Chairperson will occupy the Tables with designated officials sitting on either side.

(4) The Quorum of the Committee shall be one fourth of the total membership of the House.

(5) The Committee shall present its report to the House on completion of the deliberation and the process thereafter will follow the same process as that of the report of the Standing Committee.”

30. DR. NAFISA SHAH DR. AZRA FAZAL PECHUHO, to move, under sub-rule (5) of rule 293 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the National Assembly, 2007, that the proposed amendments be taken into consideration.

31. DR. NAFISA SHAH DR. AZRA FAZAL PECHUHO, to move that the proposed amendments in the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the National Assembly, 2007, be adopted.

RESOLUTIONS

32. **MS. AISHA SYED,** to move the following resolution:-
“This House is of the opinion that the Government should take steps to alleviate poverty in the country.”
33. **MS. TAHIRA AURANGZEB,** to move the following resolution:-
“This House is of the opinion that the Government should take immediate steps to complete Bara Kahu Housing Scheme for Federal Government employees.”
34. **MS. SURRIYA ASGHAR,** to move the following resolution:-
“This House is of the opinion that the Government should take steps to deploy female employees for making photographs of women in the NADRA centers.”
35. **DR. NAFISA SHAH** **DR. AZRA FAZAL PECHUHO,** to move the following resolution:-
“This House is of the opinion that the Government should take effective steps to improve maternal health facilities in Federal hospitals in order to prevent child mortality.”
36. **DR. NIKHAT SHAKEEL KHAN,** to move the following resolution:-
“This House is of the opinion that the Government should take immediate steps to control price-hike in the country.”

MOTIONS UNDER RULE 259

37. **MS. TAHIRA AURANGZEB,** to move the following motion:-
“This House may discuss the situation arising out of non-availability of small hospitals along-side Motorways.”
38. **MS. KHALIDA MANSOOR,** to move the following motion:-
“This House may discuss the situation arising out of un-employment in the country.”
39. **DR. NAFISA SHAH** **MIR AIJAZ HUSSAIN JAKHRANI**
DR. AZRA FAZAL PECHUHO, to move the following motion:-
“This House may discuss the Tax Amnesty Scheme and its progress.”
40. **SHAIKH ROHALE ASGHAR,** to move the following motion:-
“This House may discuss the situation arising out of non-construction of Kala Bagh dam in the country.”
41. **MS. SAJIDA BEGUM,** to move the following motion:-
“This House may discuss the performance of Karachi Port Trust (KPT).”

MOTION UNDER RULE 244(B)

42. **MR. MUHAMMAD MUZAMMIL QURESHI** to move the following motion:-
“that a Special Committee, consisting of not more than eight members, four each from Treasury and Opposition, may be constituted by the Honourable Speaker, to investigate into the loans of billions of rupees written off by the banks presently and during the last three financial years and report to the House within thirty days.”

MATTERS OTHER THAN POINTS OF ORDER

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

CALLING ATTENTION NOTICE

44. **MIR AIJAZ HUSSAIN JAKHRANI** **SYED GHULAM MUSTAFA SHAH**
MR. NAUMAN ISLAM SHAIKH **DR. MAHREEN RAZAQUE BHUTTO**
DR. SHAZIA SOBIA, to invite attention of the Minister for National Health Services, Regulations and Coordination to a matter of urgent public importance regarding use of illegal steroids and prohibited drugs by the young bodybuilders resulting in deaths of four bodybuilders in the country, causing grave concern amongst the public.