

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY SECRETARIAT**“QUESTIONS FOR ORAL ANSWERS AND THEIR REPLIES”**

to be asked at a sitting of the National Assembly to be held on

Monday, the 19th December, 2016

121. ***Sardar Muhammad Amjad Farooq Khan Khosa:**
(Deferred during 36th Session)

Will the Minister In-charge of the Capital Administration and Development Division be pleased to state:

- (a) *whether it is a fact that the bridge leading to the Quaid-e-Azam University from Bari Imam, Islamabad is in a dilapidated condition at present; and*
- (b) *whether there is any proposal under consideration of the Government to re-construct the said bridge; if so, the time by which it will be reconstructed?*

Transferred to Interior Division for answer on Next Rota Day.

140. ***Sheikh Salahuddin:**
(Deferred during 36th Session)

Will the Minister In-charge of the Capital Administration and Development Division be pleased to state:

- (a) *the steps being taken by the Government to concrete streets, replace faulty street lights, improve sanitation system and renovate Government owned residential accommodations in Islamabad; and*
- (b) *the steps being taken to clean and green the capital city?*

Transferred to Interior Division for answer on Next Rota Day.

94. ***Mr. Sher Akbar Khan:**
(Deferred during 37th Session)

Will the Minister In-charge of the Capital Administration and Development Division be pleased to state:

- (a) *whether it is a fact that fences of Park near Street No.49, opposite Khan Market, Sector G-10/3, Islamabad have been broken and the vehicles being entered in the Park;*
- (b) *the details of broken items of the said Park alongwith the expenditure to be incurred thereon;*
- (c) *the time by which the arrangements will be made for its repair/maintenance;*
- (d) *the number of guards and gardeners deputed to look after the said Park alongwith the salaries being paid to them;*
- (e) *the action taken against those employees deputed on the said Park who do not perform their duties; and*
- (f) *the planning made for its repair/maintenance in future?*

Transferred to Interior Division for answer on Next Rota Day.

100. ***Ms. Naeema Kishwar Khan:**
(Deferred during 37th Session)

Will the Minister for Federal Education and Professional Training be pleased to state:

- (a) *the total number of schools to whom funds given under "Tawana Pakistan Project" for the provision of food to the students during the year 2003-04 alongwith the details of utilization of the said funds;*
- (b) *whether it is a fact that extra number of students were shown in those schools under the said project and embezzlement found in the said project/programme; if so, the details thereof; and*
- (c) *the action taken against the responsables thereof?*

Transferred to Cabinet Division for answer on Next Rota Day.

104. ***Ms. Shamas Un Nisa:**
(Deferred during 37th Session)

Will the Minister In-charge of the Capital Administration and Development Division be pleased to state:

- (a) *the steps being taken by the Government to provide potable water at public places including parks and bus stops in Islamabad; and*
- (b) *the funds allocated for the said purpose during the budget 2015-16?*

Transferred to Interior Division for answer on Next Rota Day.

118. ***Dr. Fouzia Hameed:**
(Deferred during 37th Session)

Will the Minister In-charge of the Capital Administration and Development Division be pleased to state:

- (a) *whether it is a fact that trees/plants planted by the Capital Development Authority in Islamabad causing pollen allergy;*
- (b) *whether any enquiry has been conducted for plantation of such trees; if so, the action taken against responsables therefor;*
- (c) *the kinds of plants planned/to be planted in Islamabad under Tree Plantation Drive being carried at present alongwith affects thereof on livings things including human being; and*
- (d) *the steps being taken by the Government to plant human health friendly trees in Islamabad?*

Transferred to Interior Division for answer on Next Rota Day.

131. ***Dr. Mahreen Razaque Bhutto:**
(Deferred during 37th Session)

Will the Minister In-charge of the National Security Division be pleased to state the steps/actions taken by the Government to ensure better implementation of the National Action Plan after Quetta carnage?

Minister In-charge of the National Security Division: Soon after the brutal suicide attack in Civil Hospital Quetta on 8th August 2016, due to which large number of lawyers from legal fraternity embraced “Shahadaat,” the Prime Minister alongwith some Federal Ministers and National Security Adviser flew to Quetta on the same day, where Chief of Army Staff had already arrived. A meeting was held in Governor’s House Quetta on the same afternoon under the Chairmanship of Prime Minister duly attended by all relevant Dignitaries and Provincial authorities. All of them unanimously reiterated to fight against terrorism with full resolve through proper implementation of National Action Plan.

2. Later the Prime Minister chaired a high level meeting in the Prime Minister’s House on 24th August, 2016, which was attended by all stakeholders. It was decided in the meeting that National Security Adviser shall supervise / monitor the implementation of National Action Plan in all parts of the country in true letter and spirit including AJ&K and Gilgit-Baltistan. He was also appointed Convener of the Implementation Committee for National Action Plan with membership of the following:—

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| i. Secretary Interior | <i>Member</i> |
| ii. Director General (NACTA) | <i>Member</i> |
| iii. Provincial Chief Secretaries,
Chief Secretary AJ&K,
Chief Secretary Gilgit-Baltistan and
Additional Chief Secretary FATA | <i>Members</i> |
| iv. All Provincial IG Police Officers,
IGP (AJ&K) &
IGP (Gilgit-Baltistan) | <i>Members</i> |
| v. Director General (Military Operation) | <i>Member</i> |
| vi. Additional Secretary,
Prime Minister’s Office | <i>Member</i> |
| vii. Home Secretaries, Punjab/Sindh/
KPK/Balochistan | <i>Members</i> |
| viii. A representative each of ISI, MI and IB | <i>Members</i> |
| ix. Additional Secretary, M/o Foreign Affairs | <i>Member</i> |

3. The Prime Minister chaired another high level meeting in the Prime Minister's House on 4th October, 2016, which was attended by all stakeholders as well as the Chief Ministers from all Provinces. Since most of the points of NAP pertain to law and order and fall in domain of Provincial Governments, Provincial Implementation Committee (s) were constituted under the respective Chief Ministers alongwith AJ&K Implementation Committee under the Prime Minister AJ&K. It was also decided in the said meeting that all the points related to the Provinces / AJ&K will be executed / monitored by these Committees and it is heartening to note that progress on National Action Plan has been much accelerated due to the constant supervision of all the Chief Ministers and Prime Minister (AJ&K).

4. Thereafter, the National Action Plan Implementation Committee met twice in the Prime Minister's Office under the Chairmanship of National Security Adviser, firstly on **22-08-2016** and then on **14-10-2016**. After thorough consultations, all the stakeholders and executing authorities from the Federal as well as Provincial Governments made appropriate decisions for implementation of each point of National Action Plan within stipulated time lines with strategic planning, way forward and end results. National Security Adviser sent letters to all Chief Ministers and Prime Minister (AJ&K) for their all out efforts to implement each and every point of National Action Plan as almost all points are related to the Provincial Governments after the devolution of powers under the 18th Constitutional Amendments. All Chief Secretaries have also been emphasized to ensure proper implementation of National Action Plan. Progress reports are being submitted by them to National Security Adviser regularly which is quite encouraging and hopefully we will get rid of the menace of extremism, terrorism and other evils from our beloved country in coming times.

142. ***Ms. Belum Hasnain:**
(Deferred during 37th Session)

Will the Minister for Railways be pleased to state:

- (a) *whether it is a fact that a new agreement is being made with China by the Ministry regarding upgradation of railway tracks; if so, the details thereof; and*
- (b) *whether the said agreement will be the part of the China-Pakistan Economic Corridor?*

Minister for Railways (Khawaja Saad Rafique): (a) Yes, Framework Agreement for up-gradation and rehabilitation of Karachi-Lahore portion and

Taxila-Havelian (including construction of new Dryport near Havelian) portion of Mainline-1 (ML-1) has been prepared by Ministry of Railways and input from all relevant Ministries *i.e.* Finance, Planning and Economic Affairs Division obtained and vetted from Law and Justice Division. The Agreement has been submitted to the Cabinet for approval. After approval of the Cabinet, the same will be shared with the Chinese side, for negotiations and signing. The Framework Agreement is expected to be signed during the 6th meeting of Joint Cooperation Committee of CPEC. Simultaneously, for Peshawar-Lahore portion of ML-1, Ministry of Railways has engaged Asian Development Bank for financing.

(b) Yes, the Framework Agreement will be a part of China Pakistan Economic Corridor.

91. ***Mr. Sher Akbar Khan:**

Will the Minister In-charge of the Cabinet Division be pleased to state:

- (a) *the total number of Dispensaries constructed/established under the People Works Programme in District Buner;*
- (b) *the total number of Dispensaries out of said functional at present;*
- (c) *the total number of Dispensaries whose construction work have not been completed so far in the said district alongwith reasons thereof; and*
- (d) *the time by which the construction works of said Dispensaries will be completed and made functional?*

Minister In-charge of the Cabinet Division: (a), (b), (c) & (d) Peoples Works Programme (PWP) ran through FY 2008-09 to 2012-13. During FY 2008-09 and FY 2009-10, the releases under PWP-II were made directly by the Prime Minister's Secretariat and Finance Division. PWP-II was assigned to M/o Local Government & Rural Development (LG&RD) (defunct) in FY 2010-2011. As per approved mechanism of PWP-II (**Annex**), M/o LG&RD (defunct) was responsible only for releasing of funds to executing agencies against Prime Minister's Directives. Therefore, funds were not released scheme-wise. Further, monitoring and timely completion of the schemes and their progress etc. was exclusively under Prime Minister's Secretariat and the line ministries.

(Annexure has been placed in the National Assembly Library)

92. ***Mr. Muhammad Jamal Ud Din:**

Will the Minister for Information, Broadcasting and National Heritage be pleased to state the total number of employees of Associated Press of Pakistan Corporation dismissed from services since 01-01-2014 alongwith reasons thereof?

Minister for Information, Broadcasting and National Heritage: The total number of employees of the Associated Press of Pakistan Corporation (APPC) dismissed from service *w.e.f.* 01-01-2014 till date stands at **42** as per details given at **Annex-I & II** along with the reasons thereof.

(Annexures have been placed in the National Assembly Library)

93. ***Ms. Naseema Hafeez Panezai:**

Will the Minister In-charge of the Establishment Division be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that the National Assembly has passed a Resolution wherein it had been emphasized upon the Government to implement the quota allocated for jobs for Balochistan; if so, the steps taken by the Government so far in this regard;*
- (b) whether it is also a fact that the Government has reviewed/ noticed that the posts reserved for said province in the Federal Government departments are not being filled as per quota; if so, the steps being taken in this regard; and*
- (c) the letters written by the Establishment Division in this regard to other Ministries/Divisions during the last one year?*

Minister In-charge of the Establishment Division: (a) Yes. The National Assembly during its meeting held on 10-05-2016 has passed following Resolution (**Annex-I**):—

“This House is of the opinion that the Government should take steps to ensure observance of appointment quota for Balochistan in Federal Government Departments”.

In order to implement the said Resolution, all Ministries/Divisions were issued directions to ensure strict compliance regarding observance of quota reserved for Balochistan *vide* OM No.8/2/2010-R-II dated 31-05-2016 (**Annex-II**).

(b) In order to remove disparity and deprivation among the people of Balochistan, a package called Aghaz-e-Haqooq-e-Balochistan was introduced in 2009 to fill up around 10,000 vacancies against the allocated quota of Balochistan. According to the report of PPARC, Management Services Wing the -detail of recruitment made by different Ministries/Divisions as on 21-03-2016 against 10,039 identified posts under the quota reserved for Balochistan, 7,185 vacancies has been filled and recruitment against remaining 2,854 posts is in process and is likely to be completed in near future.

(c) An OM No. 8/2/2010-R-II dated 31-05-2016 containing directions to all Ministries/Divisions for strict implementation was issued (Annex-II).

(Annexures have been placed in the National Assembly Library)

94. ***Dr. Mahreen Razaque Bhutto:**

Will the Minister In-charge of the Capital Administration and Development Division be pleased to state the details of plots except commercial plots auctioned by the Capital Development Authority during the last two years?

Minister In-charge of the Capital Administration and Development Division: The detail of the residential plots auctioned in the last two years is at **Annex-“B”**.

THE DETAIL OF PLOTS AUCTIONED IN LAST TWO FINANCIAL YEARS.

Sr. No.	Plot #	Sector	Date of Auction
1.	6	G-10/2	22-04-2015
2.	35	G-10/2	22-04-2015
3.	39	G-10/2	22-04-2015
4.	263	G-10/2	22-04-2015

Sr. No.	Plot #	Sector	Date of Auction
5.	10	G-10/2	22-04-2015
6.	11-A	0-10/2	22-04-2015
7.	11-B	G-10/2	22-04-2015
8.	24	G-10/2	22-04-2015
9.	24-A -	G-10/2	22-04-2015
10.	25	0-10/2	22-04-2015
11.	44	G-10/2	22-04-2015
12.	44-A	0-10/2	22-04-2015
11.	45	G-10/2	22-04-2015
14.	46	G-10/2	22-04-2015
15.	46-A	G-10/2	22-04-2015
16.	47	G-10/2	22-04-2015
17.	1	E-11	22-04-2015
18.	12-C	F-7/2	22-04-2015
19.	12-B	F-7/2	22-04-2015
20.	12-D	F-7/2	22-04-2015
21.	12-E	F-7/2	22-04-2015
22.	261	G-10/2	22-04-2015

95. ***Dr. Nafisa Shah:**

Will the Minister In-charge of the Cabinet Division be pleased to state:

- (a) *the total number of people are currently associated with the Tourist Industry;*
- (b) *the steps taken by the present Government for the promotion of said Industry in the country;*
- (c) *the milestones achieved by the present Government so far; and*
- (d) *whether Tourism is a the Federal subject after the Constitution (Eighteenth Amendment) Act, 2010?*

Minister In-charge of the Cabinet Division: (a) The subject of tourism was *inter-alia* devolved to the provinces and the defunct Ministry of Tourism earlier used to conduct statistical surveys to collect data and researches in field of

tourism in Pakistan and abroad, was abolished and particular subject was also devolved. As such federal government is not in a position to provide requisite information. However according to an estimate of defunct M/o Tourism, there were around 746,000 people associated with hospitality and tourism trade sector as laid down in aforesaid defunct ministry's report "Tourism in Pakistan 2009".

(b) Steps taken by the present Government to promote tourism in the country are enclosed at **Annex-I**.

(c) After betterment of security, law and order situation in the country, as compared to previous years, the overall foreign tourist arrival in the country is increased.

YEAR	Tourists (million)	Percentage Change over previous year
2013	0.5652	(-) 11.7
2014	0.9654	17.2
2015	1.247	11%

PTDC Participated in 12 International Tourism Exhibitions / Seminars / Conferences Germany, India, Turkey, Malaysia, Kazakhstan, South Korea, Colombia and China.

(d) As per Notification No. 4-5/2011-Min-I dated 5-4-2011. The Tourism is provincial subject after the 18th Constitutional Amendment act 2010. However, PTDC is working under the administrative control of Cabinet Division. The proposal regarding functioning of PTDC as a Federal Corporate entity is under consideration with Cabinet Division.

(Annexure has been placed in the National Assembly Library)

96. ***Ms. Amra Khan:**

Will the Minister for Climate Change be pleased to state:

(a) *whether it is a fact that the smog is being occurred in some areas of the country; if so, the reasons alongwith negative effects on economy of the country thereof;*

- (b) *the steps being taken by the Government to resolve said issue in future; and*
- (c) *whether academia has been approached to conduct research to resolve said problem; if so, the details thereof?*

Minister for Climate Change: (a)

Smog situation in Pakistan

The cold and continuous dry conditions, due to delayed winter rainfall concentrate all the pollutants in the lower levels of the atmosphere, resulted in heavy smog loaded with pollutants over Punjab and Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, causing breathing problems and disrupting normal traffic.

The mixture of smoke and fog over large cities is called smog. Fog over a city is usually more intense than over the surrounding countryside because the city discharges a greater amount of moisture into the atmosphere. This, combined with dust, heavy chimney smoke from factories, and auto exhaust fumes makes a thick vapor that does not disperse easily unless the wind is strong.

Air pollution is an issue that needs to be urgently addressed as Lahore is now considered amongst the most polluted cities in Asia.

The contributing causes of smog over country are:

- Cold and continuously dry conditions due to delayed winter rainfall
- Increasing air pollution (particularly CO₂ and nitrous oxides)
- Increased vehicular and industrial emissions
- Increased urban population and unplanned development / construction.
- Crop residue burning
- Estimated crop burning of 30 million tons after harvesting rice.

Negative effects on economy

There is no such data available regarding negative effects of smog on economy. General negative effects are:

- Impacts of smog on human health that can be quantified as medical treatment costs and lost worker productivity associated with hospital admissions and emergency department visits due to respiratory and cardiac illnesses.
- Particulate Matter impact materials through accelerating naturally-occurring processes such as discoloration, fading, tarnishing, which could increase the rates at which materials need to be replaced or cleaned.

(b) After 18th Constitution Amendment, the subject of environment is devolved to the provinces and now provincial Environmental Protection Agencies (EPAs) are responsible for the implementation of rules and regulations in respective provinces.

Pakistan Environmental Protection Agency (Pak-EPA) has developed National Environmental Quality Standards for air under S.R.O 1062(I)/2010 which are being enforced (**Annex-I**). Accordingly, industries are bound to control air pollution and waste emission through installation of anti-pollution devices. Pak-EPA has taken vigorous steps to control air pollution in I-9 and I-10 Industrial Area, as well as cement, marble and steel re-rolling industry and urged them to install pollution control technology.

The following steps have been taken to control air pollution:

1. Environmental Protection Agency files 726 cases in the Environmental Protection Tribunals (EPTs) against polluters of which 555 cases have so far been disposed off.
2. All diesel driven vehicles, imported or locally manufactures, including trucks, buses and wagons will comply with the Euro-II emission standards *w.e.f.* 1st July 2012.
3. Pak-EPA in collaboration with Islamabad Traffic Police (ITP) has so far checked 40,000 vehicles in Islamabad Capital Territory (ICT) area.

4. With a view to address the vehicular air pollution, the government has taken concrete steps to introduce mass transit system in the country. Metro Bus Service has been introduced in Rawalpindi/ Islamabad.

(c) There is a plan to involve academia for research on this issue in future.

(Annexure has been placed in the National Assembly Library)

97. ***Ms. Saman Sultana Jaffri:**

Will the Minister In-charge of the Capital Administration and Development Division be pleased to state:

(a) *the total expenditures incurred on development of grounds and parks in Islamabad during tenure of the present Government;*

(b) *whether it is a fact that the infrastructural instruments which were installed by the Capital Development Authority in said grounds and parks are available and functional at present; if so, the details thereof; if not, the action taken by the Government thereon; and*

(c) *the steps being taken by the Government to investigate such menace?*

Transferred to Interior Division for answer on Next Rota Day.

98. ***Mr. Sher Akbar Khan:**

Will the Minister In-charge of the Cabinet Division be pleased to state:

(a) *the total number of Dispensaries constructed/established under the Social Action Programme in District Buner;*

(b) *the total number of Dispensaries out of the same are functional at present;*

- (c) *the total number of Dispensaries whose construction works have not been completed so far alongwith reasons thereof; and*
- (d) *the time by which construction works of said Dispensaries will be completed?*

Transferred to Planning Division for answer on Next Rota Day.

99. ***Ms. Amra Khan:**

Will the Minister In-charge of the Capital Administration and Development Division be pleased to state the steps being taken by the Government to control the increasing trend of utilization of drugs among students in the public and private schools/colleges in Islamabad?

Minister In-charge of the Capital Administration and Development Division :

FDE

Every effort is being made by the Federal Directorate of Education to create conducive, safe and secure environment to the students in the Educational Institutions. Following steps have been taken to control the usage of drugs in the public institutions in Islamabad:—

- Smoking/use of drugs is completely banned and prohibited in the Educational Institutions and its surrounding.
- During the school/college hours, it is make sure that students do not indulge themselves in immoral activities.
- Presence of duty staff including Day Master/Mistress, Physical Training Instructor is ensured, who lookafter the students during break hours, Sports period and during the co curricular activities.
- In addition awareness among the students is created by conducting different seminars, workshops highlighting the hazard of smoking/ drugs.

PEIRA

Role of Private Educational Institutions Regulatory Authority (ICT-PEIRA) is to frame rules and regulations for functioning of private educational institutions. In the instant case, Rule 23 of the Rules relating to registration of Private Educational Institutions clearly states as under:

“23. Ban on smoking, etc.—*Smoking shall be strictly forbidden in the institutional premises*”.

Accordingly, whenever any violation is reported to ICT-PEIRA, it shall undertake strict legal action against the violating private educational institution under ICT-PEIRA Act, 2013 and Private Educational Institutions (Registration and Fee Determination) Rules, 2016.

100. ***Mrs. Shahida Rehmani:**

Will the Minister In-charge of the Capital Administration and Development Division be pleased to state:

- (a) *whether it is a fact that the busses of Islamabad Model College for Girls, Gali/Street No.25, Sector F-6/2, Islamabad having 62 seats separately at present;*
- (b) *whether it is also a fact that the said busses remain always over loaded with 140 to 150 students;*
- (c) *if the answers to part (a) and (b) above are in the affirmative, the steps taken/being taken by the Government to avoid incidents thereby?*

Minister In-charge of the Capital Administration and Development Division: (a) Fact is that Islamabad Model College for Girls St. 25, F-6/2 has a fleet of 09 buses out of which 07 buses have 65 seating capacity each, whereas 02 buses have 52 seating capacity each for the students.

(b) Fact is that the buses having seating capacity 52 students are over loaded with 70 to 75 students whereas 04 out of 07 buses having seating capacity of 65 students are aver loaded with 115 to 120 students each.

(c) In order to resolve the issue following steps have been taken by the college and FDE administration:—

- The buses which are over loaded have been deputed in 02 trips.
- To overcome the situation, provision of 02 new buses is in progress under Prime Minister Education Reforms Program.
- Qualified and having HTV/PSV license holder drivers have been appointed.

101. ***Shazia Marri:**

Will the Minister for Railways be pleased to state:

- (a) *the total amount of land owned by the Pakistan Railways is under illegal encroachments in the country at present alongwith province-wise details thereof; and*
- (b) *the steps taken by the present Government to vacate the land therefrom?*

Minister for Railways (Khawaja Saad Rafique): (a) Railway land under encroachment at present with province wise detail is as under:—

Province	Commercial (Urban)	Agriculture (Rural)	Residential	Govt. Dept	Total encroached land (in acres)
Khyber Pakhtunkhwa	-	11.435	-	239.479	250.914
Punjab	7.836	1254.747	463.279	444.328	2170.190
Sindh	47.749	643.630	448.275	49.685	1189.339
Balochistan	73.252	46.191	441.611	58.414	619.468
Total:	128.837	1956.003	1353.165	791.906	4229.911

➤ Residential encroachment includes unauthorized Kachi Abadis.

(b) Following steps have been taken by the Pakistan Railways to retrieve the encroached land:—

- Detailed survey was carried out to identify the railway land under un-authorized occupation.
- In order to retrieve the encroached land, anti- encroachment campaign was initiated and land measuring 3522 acres has been retrieved so far, out of which about 1000 acres land has been retrieved during last three years.
- It is an ongoing campaign which will continue till the elimination of encroachments.
- The campaign is being monitored by the Divisional Superintendents, Railway Headquarter and at the level of Ministry of Railways.
- Meanwhile, a comprehensive policy has been drawn to prevent further encroachments. This policy makes the concerned Pakistan Railway officers/officials and Railway Police officials jointly responsible in case of any new encroachment.
- Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) and joint Procedure orders have since been issued for strict implementation of this policy. FIRs are being lodged and cases are registered and sent to railway judicial magistrate for expeditious trial.
- During the current campaign 1487 cases were registered and 1614 accused were arrested. The cases are being trialed in the courts and the land under un-authorized occupation of encroachers has been retrieved.
- A project for computerization of Railway land record has been initiated in order to harmonize the Railway land record with the record of all the Provincial Revenue Departments.
- The work was awarded to Urban Wing and physically commenced on 01-04-2015 and is likely to be completed by the end of this year. This project, on completion will ensure safeguard of Railway land through a computerized monitoring system and render total transparency in land management and commercialization.

102. ***Ms. Khalida Mansoor:**

Will the Minister In-charge of the Capital Administration and Development Division be pleased to state whether it is a fact that the doctors of the Federal Government Polyclinic, Islamabad are doing private practice in the said hospital in the evening shift; if so, the justification thereof?

Minister In-charge of the Capital Administration and Development Division: The doctor of Federal Government polyclinic, Islamabad are not doing private practice in the said hospital in the evening shifts.

103. ***Mr. Muhammad Muzammil Qureshi:**

Will the Minister In-charge of the Establishment Division be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that the Government has taken notice of decreasing passing ratio of examinations of the Central Superior Services during the recent years;*
- (b) if the answer to part (a) above is in the affirmative, whether there is any proposal under consideration of the Government to identify the reasons behind such decrease and devise an appropriate coping mechanism; if not, the reasons thereof?*

Minister In-charge of the Establishment Division: (a) Yes. The Government has taken serious notice on low passing ratio in CSS exams particularly in CE-2016.

(b) The reasons for low passing percentage in CSS identified so far are massive failure in compulsory subjects of English Essay, English Precis & Composition and some optional subjects. CSS CE-2016 result underscores the deteriorating standards of education in universities/colleges. The examiners reports also reveal that candidates attempted the paper in such a way that ideas were not coherent, organized or focused. Random thoughts were prevalent without any logical reasoning. There was lack of creativity. The candidates could not build up argument from multiple angles and substantiated invalid facts and arguments. The reports indicate problems like poor comprehension, expression much below the secondary school level, heavy reliance on guidebooks, without creativity or genuineness.

2. The Commission has considered this issue and taken following decisions:

- i. Constituted a Consultative Group comprising three members of the Commission with the task to look into the issues and submit recommendations within a period of three and a half months.
- ii. Placement of last two years Examiner's reports for each discipline on FPSC website for the aspiring candidates to inform them of the common weak areas, for guidance of candidates.
- iii. To take up the matter with Higher Education Commission, Vice Chancellors of the Universities / Educational Institutions / Colleges and Education Departments of the provinces regarding sharing their concerns on deteriorating standards of education / instruction for immediate and appropriate measures in particular to enhance English language proficiency and written expression.

104. ***Mr. Waseem Akhtar Shaikh:**

Will the Minister In-charge of the Capital Administration and Development Division be pleased to state:

- (a) *the estimated date of completion of repair works of IJP Road from Pir Wadhai to Faizabad;*
- (b) *the mechanism adopted to monitor the standard of material being used to repair the said Road;*
- (c) *whether it is a fact that repair works of said road are not being carried out as per best standard;*
- (d) *if the answer to part (c) above is in the affirmative, whether it is also a fact that the authorities concerned have taken action thereon; if so, the details thereof; and*
- (e) *the steps being taken by the Government to ensure standard of works of said Road?*

Minister In-charge of the Capital Administration and Development

Division: (a) The work Rehabilitation of IJP road from Pindoni Chowk to G.T Road is in progress and will be completed up to 31-03-2017.

(b) The material being used for repair work is tested by Central Engineering Laboratory, MCI as per standard specifications of NHA/MES.

(c) No.

(d) Not applicable.

(e) As replied in "B" above.

105. ***Ms. Shamas Un Nisa:**

Will the Minister for Federal Education and Professional Training be pleased to state:

(a) *the total number of students enrolled in M.Phil in the Management Sciences Programme in the International Islamic University, Islamabad during the last five years till date; and*

(b) *the year-wise total number of students passed therefrom during the said period?*

Minister for Federal Education and Professional Training: (a) A total of **611** *i.e.* six hundred and eleven students enrolled in M.Phil. in the Management Sciences Program in the International Islamic University, Islamabad during the last five years (till date)

(b) The year-wise total number of students passed therefrom during the said period is as under:

Year	Total number of passed students
2011-12	25
2012-13	20
2013-14	82

Year	Total number of passed students
2014-15	91
2015-16	48
Total:	266

106. ***Ms. Aisha Syed:**

Will the Minister for Information, Broadcasting and National Heritage be pleased to state as to what extent media has been bound to follow the code of conduct?

Minister for Information, Broadcasting and National Heritage:

Print media

The Government generally expects from the print and electronic media to voluntarily adhere to broad principles of professional ethics, truthfulness and accuracy as enshrined in their respective Codes of Conduct. The development of a free, independent and responsible media remains the fundamental policy goal of the government. However, the enforcement of Code of Conduct for media to protect the matters of national interest is also a responsibility of the state, which is entrusted to the respective regulatory bodies *i.e.* PEMRA for electronic media and Press Council of Pakistan (PCP) for print media.

Electronic media

The Government on August 19, 2015 notified a revised Code of Conduct-2015 (Programmes and Advertisements) for private Electronic Media in Pakistan. Same has been also circulated to all private channels, Pakistan Broadcasters Association PBA and Cable TV Operators (CTV) for strict compliance.

2. The broadcast industry is still in a nascent state and it is also a fact that our industry has not so far been able to effectively develop mechanism to apply self-regulating best principles adopted by media in the developed countries. Therefore PEMRA has to largely rely on the mechanism provided for in its laws for implementation of the code.

3. PEMRA regulates the private electronic media through following regulatory tools:

- i. PEMRA Ordinance 2002 as amended by PEMRA (Amendment) Act 2007.
- ii. PEMRA Rules 2009.
- iii. PEMRA (Television Broadcast Station Operations) Regulations, 2012.
- iv. PEMRA (Radio Broadcast Station Operations) Regulations, 2012.
- v. PEMRA (Distribution Service Operations) Regulations, 2011.
- vi. PEMRA (Council of Complaints) Rules, 2010.
- vii. Electronic Media (Programmes and Advertisements) Code of Conduct-2015.

4. Moreover, under Section 20 (f) the PEMRA Ordinance 2002, all licensees are obliged to follow the Code of Conduct. The relevant provision is reproduced as under:

PEMRA Ordinance 2002 as amended by the PEMRA (Amendment) Act 2007

Section 20: A person who is issued a license under this Ordinance shall:

- (f) *“Comply with the codes of programmes and advertisements approved by the Authority and appoint an in-house monitoring committee, under intimation to the Authority, to ensure compliance of Code”.*

5. It is worth mentioning here that the forum of PEMRA Council of Complaints, established under Section 26 of the PEMRA Ordinance 2002, is also available to the general public for lodging complaints. The Councils submit appropriate recommendations to the Authority lodged by the general public. The business of the Councils is governed through the PEMRA (Councils of Complaints) Rules 2010. The Councils are obliged to take cognizance on complaints received

on content violations and furnish appropriate recommendations for consideration of the Authority.

PEMRA takes cognizance of violation by any of its licensee and proceeds against them as per provisions of PEMRA laws providing them with opportunity of show-cause, personal hearing and referring the matter to Council of Complaints for appropriate disposal / recommendation to the Authority (PEMRA).

6. List of actions taken by PEMRA against Satellite TV channels on violation of Code of Conduct-2015 during the last six months is attached at **Annex-I**.

(Annexure has been placed in the National Assembly Library)

107. ***Ms. Shaista Pervaiz:**

Will the Minister for Federal Education and Professional Training be pleased to state whether there is any proposal under consideration of the Government to seek assistance of the Foreign Universities for preparing the syllabus for Colleges and Universities in order to bring level of education of the country at par with the international standards?

Minister for Federal Education and Professional Training: At present there is no such proposal under consideration of the Government to seek assistance of foreign Universities for preparation of the curriculum for Pakistani Universities.

As a practice, HEC follows a standardized pattern of curriculum development to bring it *at par* with international standards wherein following aspects are taken into consideration:

- Centralized National Curriculum Review Committees (NCRCs) are constituted in which representation from the Professional Councils, industry, R&D organizations, Universities/DAIs across the Pakistan is ensured with emphasis on the nominees having the highest qualification with a broader awareness of the indigenous needs and familiarity with the international trends in the relevant area.
- For having a broader outlook, curriculum development process also entails the consultation of relevant international curricula.

108. ***Ms. Nighat Parveen Mir:**

Will the Minister for Federal Education and Professional Training be pleased to state:

- (a) *whether it is a fact that the boundary wall has been constructed around the whole piece of land of the Quaid-e-Azam University, Islamabad;*
- (b) *if not, whether there is any proposal under consideration of the Government to protect it by the construction of boundary wall or to protect it by the installation of fences?*

Minister for Federal Education and Professional Training: (a) No, the boundary wall has not been constructed around the entire piece of land of the Quaid-i-Azam University, Islamabad. So far, wall around 20% of the boundary has been constructed.

(b) Quaid-i-Azam University, Islamabad submitted a draft PC-I which included among other things construction of 31000 Rft Boundary Wall. The project was dropped from the HEC PSDP 2016-17 by the National Economic Committee (NEC).

109. ***Ms. Asyia Naz Tanoli:**

Will the Minister In-charge of the Capital Administration and Development Division be pleased to state:

- (a) *the names of Dams from where the water is being supplied to Islamabad and Rawalpindi at present; and*
- (b) *whether there is any proposal under consideration of the Government to provide water from the Ghazi Brotha Dam to residents of said cities; if so, the time by which it will be implemented?*

Transferred to Interior Division for answer on next Rota day.

110. ***Dr. Nafisa Shah:**

Will the Minister for Railways be pleased to state:

- (a) *the procedure adopted by the Pakistan Railways Workshops for the sale and purchase of scraps since 01-01-2013; and*
- (b) *the names of responsible authorities therefor?*

Minister for Railways (Khawaja Saad Rafique): (a)

Prior to the Policy	After new Policy <i>w.e.f</i> Oct., 2013
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The disposal of entire scrap was centralized and collected at Lahore which resulted in financial burden of transport charges to collect scrap material at Lahore. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Now the disposal of entire atscrap has been decentralized. Instead of collecting entire scrap at Lahore the scrap generated in Locomotive Factory Risalpur, Carriage Factory, Islamabad and Concrete Sleeper Factories, shall be disposed off by the Managing Director. Similarly all Divisions are authorized to sale the scrap, with the approval of CEO/ Sr. GM.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ferrous and non ferrous material was considered as a single lot which was disadvantageous in terms of revenue generation. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ferrous and non ferrous has not been considered as single lot in fact the scrap has been segregated in separate lot on the basis of Ferrous and non ferrous
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The lots were segregated in very large size. The larger lot size restricts healthy competition, equal opportunity and favours only few bidders. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Lots sizes has been restricted up to 2000 Tonnes of the identical nature of items for better competition given equal opportunities to all bidders.

Prior to the Policy	After new Policy <i>w.e.f</i> Oct., 2013
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The check & balance system was not very robust and was not transparent enough 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The delivery shall be given in the present of representatives of Stores Department, Accounts Department, DSP/Inspector of Railway Police (as nominated by IG/PRP, Dy. Director Vigilance Directorate and will be monitored by a BS-18 officer of Stores Branch.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The authority responsible for entire sale of scrap was BS-20 officer <i>i.e.</i> Chief Controller of Stores (CCS). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Now the authority committee of Principal Officers comprising CCS, FA & CAO/PR and Principal Officer of concerned department who recommend to sale of scrap & CEO/Sr G.M will approve the same.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No sense of security for Pakistan Railways was present in terms of payment system 	<p>The successful bidder is to deposit 35% payment at the time of signing the contract while remaining 65% amount is paid within delivery period of the contract.</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No oversight 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A committee comprising Chief Controller of Stores (CCS), Financial Adviser & Chief Accounts Officer (FA& CAO/PR), Director General (DG) Vigilance and representative of Director General Railway Audit (DGRA) will oversee the sale of scrap, ensuring transparency of sale of scrap on the entire system. CCS will act as the Convener of the committee.

(b) The names of responsible authorities as under:

The Tender Committee of Principal Officer (BS-20) *i.e.* Chief Controller of Stores, Financial Advisor & Chief Accounts Officer and Chief Mechanical Engineer prepares recommendations to finalize the tender and after completion of all procedural /codal formalities sale contract is awarded to the highest responsive bidder with the approval of Chief Executive Officer/Senior General Manager.

111. ***S.A. Iqbal Qadri:**

Will the Minister In-charge of the Cabinet Division be pleased to state:

- (a) *whether it is a fact that Pakistan Bait-ul-Mall distributed food bags during the last Ramdan; if so, the details thereof; and*
- (b) *the National Assembly Constituency-wise names of beneficiaries thereof?*

Minister In-charge of the Cabinet Division: (a) It is a fact that Pakistan Bait-ul-Mal distributed 57,700 food bags during the Holy Month of Ramadan 2016 among the needy and poor families throughout the country (**Annex-I**).

(b) The food bags have been distributed, district wise. Breakup is as under:—

Ration Bags		
Province	District	No. of Bags
Balochistan	Quetta	5000
	Panjgur	
	Kharan	
	Washuk	
	Chagai	
	Noshki	
	Loralai	

Province	District	No. of Bags
	Qilla Abdullah	
	Musakhail	
	Barkhan	
	Qilla Saifullah	
	Khuzdar Kalat	
	Mastung Turbat	
	Sibi	
	Bolan	
ICT	Gilgit	4500
	Islamabad	
	Muzaffarabad	
	Skardu	
KPK	Abbottabad	6700
	D.I.Khan	
	Peshawar	
Punjab-I	Bhakkar	26400
	Faisalabad	
	Gujranwala	
	Jehlum	
	Kasur	
	Lahore Cantt	
	Lahore City	
	Lahore Mufassal	
	Rawalpindi	
	Sargodha	
	Sheikhupura	
	Sialkot	
	T.T. Singh	

Province	District	No. of Bags
Punjab-II	Bahawalpur	6650
	D.G Khan	
	Khanewal	
	Layyah	
	Multan	
	Okara	
	Pakpattan	
	R. Y.Khan	
Sindh	Karachi	8450
	Hyderabad	
	Thatta	
	Mirpurkhas	
	Tharparkar	
	Matiari	
	Nowshero Feroz	
	Sukkur	
	Kamber Larkana	
	Dadu	
Grand Total:		57700

Sr.#	SKU	ACCT .Unit
1	Dall Channa	2 Kg
2	Sugar White	2 Kg
3	Ghee Banaspati Mezan / Pure/ Golden Son	2 Kg
4	Rice Basmati Super Kernal	2 Kg
5	Tea Danedar Tapal	385 Grams
6	Atta Potohar Fine	10 Kg
7	Red Chilli Power	400 Grams
8	Cooking Salt Crystal	800 Grams
9	Dates	1 Kg
10	Basin	2 Kg
	Total weight	22.58kg

112. ***Mr. Mohammad Ayaz Soomro:**

Will the Minister In-charge of the Cabinet Division be pleased to state:

- (a) *the total number of board meetings held by the Public Procurement Regulatory Authority (PPRA) during the last five years till date;*
- (b) *the total number of exemptions/recommendations granted under Section 21 of PPRA Ordinance, 2002 alongwith the number of same rejected during the said period;*
- (c) *whether all the approval/recommendations of board meetings of PPRA have been implemented; if not, the reasons thereof;*
- (d) *the decisions have been made and implemented regarding staff issues in board meetings of the said authority; and*

- (e) *the total number of such decisions pending so far; if so, the reasons thereof?*

Minister In-charge of the Cabinet Division: (a) “During the last five years, from December 2011 till date, a total number of 22 PPRA Board meetings were held.

(b) There were 21 cases of exemption cases in total were brought under consideration in PPRA Board meetings during the said period. Out of total 21 exemption cases, the PPRA Board recommended 06 cases for grant of exemption under section 21 of PPRA Ordinance, 2002. The PPRA Board did not recommend the rest of 15 cases for the exemption. The detail of cases is placed at **Annex -I.**

(c) Under section 21 of PPRA Ordinance, 2002, the PPRA Board can only grant recommendation to the Federal Government. It is the prerogative of Federal Government to grant exemption after recommended by PPRA Board.

(d) The detail of decisions made and implemented is placed at **Annex-II.**

(e) The pending decisions with reference to employees is placed at **Annex-III.**

(Annexures have been placed in the National Assembly Library)

113. ***Dr. Fehmida Mirza:**

Will the Minister for Railways be pleased to state:

- (a) *the steps taken by the Ministry/Railways Division to prepare subject-wise list of titles of all Laws and Rules made thereunder with reference to business allocated to the said Division and its Attached Departments under the Rules of Business, 1973;*
- (b) *the subject-wise list of titles of said Laws/Rules;*
- (c) *whether it is a fact that the steps have been taken by the said Division to consolidate and amend the said Laws and Rules to keep pace with changes in the society; if so, the details; if not, reasons thereof;*

(d) *whether it is also a fact that the steps have been taken by the said Division to determine the anomalies, inconsistencies and difficulties in the administration and implementation of said Laws and Rules; and*

(e) *the names of officers/branches appointed/designated therefor?*

Minister for Railways (Khawaja Saad Rafique): Following steps have been taken to improve the Laws/rules of Pakistan Railways:—

(a) Previously the laws and rules in Railways were dealt with by non professional people of Commercial Branch. In 1999, the Directorate of Law was established but without any proper structure. In the year 2014, the present Government took proper initiative to revamp the legal directorate. A proper Directorate of Legal Affairs was established headed by a former judge and professional team of leading lawyers was engaged to look after all laws & Rules made there under. Certain amendments in existing laws and rules are in pipeline.

(b) Detailed list of Laws/Rules placed at Annex-A

(c) The amendments are issued in time through special gazette (issued by Govt. of Pakistan) to keep pace with changing environment and to cope with the requirement as and when required.

(d) In recent past, the Courts of Law have given few judgments in cases of special ticket examiners, station masters and Guards etc. which created anomalies in the service structure of Railways employees resulting in disturbance of the administrative hierarchy. In order to find out a solution of all employees of BS-1 to BS-16 over the system, the services of M/s ABS & Co. (expert on the subject), have been hired *w.e.f* 20-05-2016 after observing all codal formalities to provide ‘‘Institutional Restructuring and Reforms of Human Resources in Pakistan Railways’’. The firm is assigned the task of clear line of distinction between operational and non categories and accordingly determination of training needs recruitment and eligibility criteria, different type of facilities and different type of allowances to these categories. This firm shall also address certain questions pertaining to laws. Compilation of all important service cases of Supreme Court/High Courts/Federal Service Tribunal /National Industrial Relation Commission and lower courts having profound affect on Pakistan Railways and the proposed course of action to resolve them. The firm will complete its task within 9 months.

(e) Personnel Branch of Pakistan Railways Headquarters Office Lahore has under taken this exercise in guidance of high powered committee consisting of following members:

1. Mr. Ishfaq Khattak, Ex. GM/Operation and presently Head of CPEC Project.
2. Mr. Anjum Pervaiz, Advisor to Federal Minister.
3. Rana Abrar, rolling stock specialist, CPEC.
4. Tahir Pervaiz, Director General/Legal Affairs, Pakistan Railway, Headquarters Office, Lahore.
5. Mr. Shoaib Adil, Chief Personnel Officer, PR HQ Office Lahore.

Annex-A

List of Railways Laws,

- ⌘ Appropriation (railways) Ordinance 1961
- ⌘ Appropriation (railways) Supplementary Ordinance 1962
- ⌘ Pakistan railways Personnel Manual
- ⌘ Pakistan railways Police Act 1973
- ⌘ Pakistan railways Police Act 1977
- ⌘ Pakistan railways Police Ordinance 1976
- ⌘ railway Regulatory Authority Ordinance 2002
- ⌘ railway Stores (Unlawful Possession) Ordinance 1944
- ⌘ railways (Local Authorities, Taxation) Act 1941
- ⌘ railways (Transport of Goods) (Amendment) Ordinance 1973
- ⌘ railways (Transport of Goods) Act 1947
- ⌘ railways Act 1890
- ⌘ railways Rules and Orders 1987
- ⌘ Transfer of railways (Amendment) Ordinance 1998
- ⌘ Transfer of railways (Amendment) Ordinance 2000
- ⌘ Transfer of railways (Amendment) Ordinance 2002
- ⌘ Transfer Of railways (Amendment) Ordinance 2012

- ‡ Transfer of railways Order (P.O. 33 of 1962)
- ‡ West Pakistan railway Servants Welfare Fund (Amendment) Ordinance 1984
- ‡ West Pakistan railways Servants Benevolent Fund Ordinance 1969
- ‡ West Pakistan railways Servants Welfare Fund Ordinance 1969

List of Rules.

- ‡ General Rules for Pakistan Railways
- ‡ Pakistan Railway Servants Benevolent Fund (Disbursement) Rules 1969
- ‡ Pakistan Railways Police (Composition, Cadre and Seniority) Rules 1985
- ‡ Pakistan Railways Employees Travelling Allowance Rules
- ‡ Pakistan Railways Police (Efficiency and Discipline) Rules 1996
- ‡ Pakistan Railways Police Rules 1980
- ‡ Pakistan Railways Subsidiary Rules
- ‡ Pakistan Western Railway Coaching Tariffs Rules
- ‡ Payment of Wages (Federal Railways) Rules 1938
- ‡ Railway Employees (Efficiency and Discipline) Rules 1975
- ‡ Railway Personnel Manual 1982
- ‡ Railway Rules Governing Promotion of Class III Staff
- ‡ Railway Servants (Efficiency and Discipline) Rules 1961
- ‡ Railway Servants (Efficiency and Discipline) Rules 1975
- ‡ Railway Servants (Further Usefulness In Public Service) Rules 1962
- ‡ Railway Servants (Hours of Employment) Rule 1931
- ‡ Railways Hours of Employment Rules 1931
- ‡ Railways Servants (Efficiency and Discipline) Rules 1971
- ‡ West Pakistan Railways servants (Further Usefulness in Public Service) Rules 1964

114. ***Dr. Fehmida Mirza:**

Will the Minister In-charge of the National Security Division be pleased to state:

- (a) the steps taken by the National Security Division to prepare subject-wise list of titles of all Laws and Rules made thereunder with reference to business allocated to the said Division and its Attached Departments under the Rules of Business, 1973;*
- (b) the subject-wise list of titles of said Laws/Rules;*
- (c) whether it is a fact that the steps have been taken by the said Division to consolidate and amend the said Laws and Rules to keep pace with changes in the society; if so, the details; if not, reasons thereof;*
- (d) whether it is also a fact that the steps have been taken by the said Division to determine the anomalies, inconsistencies and difficulties in the administration and implementation of said Laws and Rules; and*
- (e) the names of officers/ branches appointed/designated therefor?*

Reply not received.

115. ***Dr. Mahreen Razaque Bhutto:**

Will the Minister In-charge of the Capital Administration and Development Division be pleased to state the details of market and official value of the land allocated for the Grand Hyatt Hotel, Islamabad?

Minister In-charge of the Capital Administration and Development Division: It is submitted that official price was fixed by Finance Wing in 2005 was Rs. 14,500- per sq yard for the land/ plot reserved for construction of five star hotel near Convention Center, Islamabad.

M/s BNP Group offered the highest bid of Rs. 75,000/- per sq. yard.

116. ***Mrs. Shahida Rehmani:**

Will the Minister for Climate Change be pleased to state the research made by the present Government regarding the impacts of the Global Climate Change on Agricultural Sector in the country?

Minister for Climate Change: Climate Change is the biggest challenge being faced by the world today and no country including Pakistan is an exception to it. Pakistan due to its geographic location and poor resource base is ranked 7th amongst the countries which are most vulnerable to the vagaries of climate. Being cognizant of the need to act on climate change the Ministry has established Global Change Impact Studies Centre (GCISC), a dedicated research institute for Climate Change studies in the country. GCISC serves as the research arm of the Ministry of Climate Change and is conducting research to assess the impacts of projected climatic changes on agriculture sector. For the impact assessment studies, various crop simulation and water management models are being employed.

Climate change projections made at GCISC indicate that average temperature over Pakistan will increase in the coming decades at a pace faster than that of the average global temperature and may exceed by about 2°C by the end of this century. Studies carried out at GCISC point towards yield losses and reduced growing cycles in the various climatic zones of the country under the influence of increasing temperatures. The water security of the country is also threatened by the climate change which further accentuates the food insecurity concerns.

Comprehensive studies carried out at the Center to assess the impact of climate change on various crops in different climatic zones of the country using crop simulation models. It reveals that wheat crop yield will be reduced by 3.4-12.5%, in semi-arid irrigated areas (like Faisalabad, Sheikhpura), 3.8-14.5% in arid areas (like Hyderabad, Badin, Bahawalpur, Multan) and more than 16% in rainfed (Chakwal) areas under different climate change scenarios towards the end of the century. Similarly, rice yields are expected to decline by 12- 22% under different climate change scenario by end of the century. The growing season length of these crops will also be shortened resulting in significant decline in yields. Research studies also reflect an increase in net crop water requirements owing to the increase in temperatures and likely yield reductions call for adaptation measures to protect/ increase the yield. Some adaptation measures like increased rate of fertilizer application, use of higher seed rate, 3-split application of fertilizer, change in sowing window, improved scheduling of irrigation and dry sowing of rice have been evaluated and have shown promise to maintain yield to a certain extent.

Studies to assess the impact of climate change on wheat, rice and maize crops in 30 districts of the country using other crop simulation models; and on evaluating the impact of climate change on livestock sector are underway. Agriculture is also a contributor to greenhouse gas emissions (GHG) and GCISC has prepared the national GHG inventory for the year 2014-15. This inventory describes agriculture as the 2nd largest GHG emitting sector with 174.56 MT CO₂ Eq. (Total 405 MT CO₂ Eq.) with larger share from the livestock sub-sector. This inventory, besides estimating that sectoral and sub-sectoral share in the total national GHG emissions will help identify the prospects and aligning national strategies for moving towards climate-smart agriculture.

117. ***Ms. Aisha Syed:**

Will the Minister In-charge of the Capital Administration and Development Division be pleased to state:

- (a) *the total number of doctors presently working in the Nephrology Department of the Pakistan Institute of Medical Sciences, Islamabad alongwith the experiences thereof; and*
- (b) *the facilities available in said department at present?*

Minister In-charge of the Capital Administration and Development Division: The reply of parts (a) and (b) is at **Annex-A**.

Annex-A

Total number of doctors working in Nephrology Department with experience:

<u>Name</u>		<u>Experience</u>
<u>Professor of Nephrology</u> Dr. Ghias-ud-Din Butt	- 01 (on Ex-Pakistan Leave)	20 years
<u>Associate Professor of Nephrology</u> - Dr. Muhammad Imtiaz Masroor Current Charge of Head of Nephrology Department	01	30
<u>Assistant Professor of Nephrology</u> - Dr. Sohail Tanvir	01	25
<u>Registrar of Nephrology</u>	- Vacant Post	
<u>Medical Officer</u>	- 02	
<u>Postgraduates Residents</u>	- 11 MD & FCPS-II Nephrology	

Services offered by Nephrology Department:

1. 24 hour services for critically ill patients through Accident and Emergency including admission
2. Provision of treatment of various kidney disease indoor admission
3. Heamodialysis services in 04 shifts
4. Provision of All types of temporary vascular access procedures for dialysis.
5. Renal biopsy and ultrasound
6. Provision of Nephrology consultation and treatment to various department of PIMS including Surgical and Medical ICU
7. Hemodialysis services to patients of Children Hospital
8. Nephrology consultation and dialysis services to MCH Centre.
9. Nephrology consultation and dialysis services to Burn Centre.
10. 06 days a week provision of out patients services to nephrology patients including specialist consultancy.
11. Special Transplant Clinic Follow up once week for all the transplant patients.
12. Special G.N Clinic once a week.

118. ***Ms. Shamas Un Nisa:**

Will the Minister for Federal Education and Professional Training be pleased to state the total number of scholarships for Masters and Ph.D awarded by the Higher Education Commission during the year 2015-16 alongwith the province-wise details of expenditure incurred thereon?

Minister for Federal Education and Professional Training: A total of 743 *i.e.* seven hundred and forty three scholarships for Master and PhD were awarded by the Higher Education Commission during the year 2015-16. The province-wise detail of expenditure incurred thereon is at **Annex-I**.

Summary of awarded Scholarships for (MS/PHD) during FY 2015-16												
S.No.	Province	Local MS/M.Phil.		Foreign MS/M.Phil.		Local PHD		Foreign PHD		TOTAL		
		Scholarships	Expenditure	Scholarships	Expenditure	Scholarships	Expenditure	Scholarships	Expenditure	Scholarships	Expenditure	
1	Azad Jammu & Kashmir	0	0.000	3	4.880	14	5.670	13	17.049	30	27.599	
2	Balochistan	0	0.000	0	0.000	41	16.605	73	126.453	114	143.058	
3	Khyber Pakhtunkhwa	0	0.000	0	0.000	24	9.720	50	86.107	74	95.827	
4	Punjab	0	0.000	0	0.000	146	59.130	209	386.488	355	445.618	
5	Sindh	0	0.000	1	1.700	18	7.290	76	125.113	95	134.103	
6	Gilgit Baltistan	3	0.357	0	0.000	13	5.265	12	20.862	28	26.484	
7	Federal	0	0.000	0	0.000	0	0.000	47	39.503	47	39.503	
Total		3	0.357	4	6.580	256	103.680	480	801.575	743	912.192	

119. ***Shaikh Rohale Asghar:**

Will the Minister In-charge of the Cabinet Division be pleased to state:

- (a) the names of on going public welfare projects of the Pakistan Bait-ul-Mall at present; and*
- (b) whether it is a fact that the sweet homes have been established in each district of the country; if not, the time by which same will be established?*

Reply not received.

120. ***Sheikh Salahuddin:**

Will the Minister In-charge of the Capital Administration and Development Division be pleased to state whether there is any proposal under consideration of the Government to start private practice of doctors in evening in the same Government hospitals where they are serving on the line of Army hospitals; if so, when it will be implemented; if not, the reasons thereof?

Minister In-charge of the Capital Administration and Development Division:

PIMS

PIMS has started private practice/Institutional Based Practice of doctors in evening shift since 07-04-2016 in all the components.

FGPC

No such proposal is under consideration for, FGPC, Islamabad.

NIRM

At present there is no proposal under consideration to start private practice of doctors in evening in the Institute.

FGH

Presently the FGH has no intention of starting private practice of doctors in evening in the same Government hospital (Institutional Based Practice) because the hospital does not have adequate health professionals nor building to carry out such a practice.

ISLAMABAD:
The 18th December, 2016

ABDUL JABBAR ALI,
Secretary.

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY SECRETARIAT

“UNSTARRED QUESTIONS AND THEIR REPLIES”**For Monday, the 19th December, 2016****15. Mir Aamir Ali Khan Magsi:***(Deferred during 31st Session)*

Will the Minister In-charge of the Capital Administration and Development Division be pleased to state:

- (a) whether funds have been allocated to metal roads and to lay sewerage lines in Muhammadi Town, Sohan, Islamabad so far; and*
- (b) the time by which the development works will be started in the said Town?*

Transferred to Interior Division for answer on Next Rota Day.

31. Ms. Tahira Aurangzeb:*(Deferred during 34th Session)*

Will the Minister In-charge of the Capital Administration and Development Division be pleased to state the total number of fruit trees planted by the Capital Development Authority in Sector G-5 and G-6, Islamabad during the last three years?

Transferred to Interior Division for answer on Next Rota Day.

32. Ms. Tahira Aurangzeb:*(Deferred during 34th Session)*

Will the Minister In-charge of the Capital Administration and Development Division be pleased to state whether there is any

proposal under consideration of the Government to plant fruit trees and olive trees in the forest of Shakarparian, Islamabad?

Transferred to Interior Division for answer on Next Rota Day.

38. **Mr. Muhammad Muzammil Qureshi:**
(Deferred during 34th Session)

Will the Minister In-charge of the Capital Administration and Development Division be pleased to state whether it is a fact that the sewerage system of Sector I-14, Islamabad is non-functional since long; if so, the reasons thereof?

Transferred to Interior Division for answer on Next Rota Day.

42. **Mr. Waseem Akhtar Shaikh:**
(Deferred during 34th Session)

Will the Minister In-charge of the Capital Administration and Development Division be pleased to state:

- (a) *whether it is a fact that water supply line of Block No.5, Cat.III, Sector G-10/2, Islamabad has developed fault and as a result, water supply to the residents has been suspended since long;*
- (b) *if the answer to above is in affirmative , the steps being taken by the Government to install new water supply line for the said Block?*

Transferred to Interior Division for answer on Next Rota Day.

72. **Ms. Tahira Aurangzeb:**
(Deferred during 34th Session)

Will the Minister In-charge of the Capital Administration and Development Division be pleased to state whether there is any proposal under consideration of the Government to plant fruit trees and olive trees in Japani Park and Zoo in Islamabad?

Transferred to Interior Division for answer on Next Rota Day.

31. **Mr. Waseem Akhtar Shaikh:**
(Deferred during 37th Session)

Will the Minister In-charge of the Capital Administration and Development Division be pleased to state:

- (a) *whether it is a fact that the street lights of Street No.49 particularly from House No.7 to 12, Sector G-10/3, Islamabad remained off since long;*
- (b) *whether it is also a fact that the lights of Park near Khan Market of the said Sector are non-functional since long;*
- (c) *whether it is further a fact that the said Park has not been repaired/renovated during the tenure of the present Government;*
- (d) *if the answers to part (a), (b) and (c) above are in the affirmative, the reasons thereof; and*
- (e) *whether there is any proposal under consideration of the Government to declare the said Park as Women Park; if so, when it will be implemented; if not, the reasons thereof?*

Transferred to Interior Division for answer on Next Rota Day.

32. **Dr. Nikhat Shakeel Khan:**
(Deferred during 37th Session)

Will the Minister for Information, Broadcasting and National Heritage be pleased to state:

- (a) *the name and city-wise details of Monuments/Memorials/Yadgars in the country at present; and*
- (b) *the instructions/rules/laws under which the said Monuments/Memorials are being established/constructed by the Government?*

Minister for Information , Broadcasting and National Heritage:

- (a) Quaid-i-Azam Mausoleum, Karachi.

(b) The Quaid-i-Azam Mausoleum was constructed under the law called Quaid-i-Azam's Protection & Maintenance Ordinance 1971 (QMO 1971). The Quaid-i-Azam Mazar has been declared as National Mounument *vide* section 2 of QMO, 1971.

39. **Mr. Waseem Akhtar Shaikh:**
(Deferred during 37th Session)

Will the Minister In-charge of the Capital Administration and Development Division be pleased to state:

- (a) *whether it is a fact that the employees of Capital Development Authority is not performing their duties since long in respect of cutting grass out sides the houses of Street No.49 particularly from 7-16, Sector G-10/3, Islamabad; if so, the reasons thereof; and*
- (b) *whether there is any proposal under consideration of the Government to take action against them; if so, when it will be implemented?*

Transferred to Interior Division for answer on Next Rota Day.

47. **Mr. Sher Akbar Khan:**
(Deferred during 37th Session)

Will the Minister In-charge of the Capital Administration and Development Division be pleased to state:

- (a) *whether it is a fact that the people have erected encroachments on the both sides of IJP Road from Faizabad to Peshawar Morr;*
- (b) *if so, the steps taken/being taken by the Government to remove the said encroachments?*

Transferred to Interior Division for answer on Next Rota Day.

53. **Dr. Fehmida Mirza:**
(Deferred during 37th Session)

Will the Minister In-charge of the Cabinet Division be pleased to state:

- (a) *the steps taken by the Prime Minister's Office (PMO) to prepare subject-wise list of titles of all laws and rules made thereunder with reference to business allocated to the PMO and its attached departments under the Rules of Business, 1973;*
- (b) *the subject-wise list of titles of said laws/rules;*
- (c) *whether it is a fact that the steps have been taken by the PMO to consolidate and amend the said laws and rules to keep pace with changes in the society; if so, the details; if not, reasons thereof;*
- (d) *whether it is also a fact that the steps have been taken by the said Office to determine the anomalies, inconsistencies and difficulties in the administration and implementation of said laws and rules; and*
- (e) *the names of officers/branches appointed/designated therefor?*

Minister Incharge of the Cabinet Division: Under the Rules of Business, 1973 only the business distributed among the Divisions of Federal Secretariat is indicated in Schedule-II. The said Schedule does not list the business allocated to the Prime Minister's Office and its departments.

Keeping in view the fact that Prime Minister's Office does not appear in the Rules of Business, 1973, it is not possible to provide the specific information asked for in the un-starred question.

@1. **Mr. Siraj Muhammad Khan:**

Will the Minister for Railways be pleased to state:

- (a) *the reasons for delay to start ECO Cargo Train Service from Islamabad to Tehran and Tehran to Istanbul;*
- (b) *whether it is a fact that an MOU was signed therefor with Turkish State Railways; and*
- (c) *the steps being taken by the Government to make the said service operational at the earliest?*

*Transferred from Commerce Division.

Minister for Railways (Khawaja Saad Rafique): (a) Pakistan Railways has rehabilitated railway track between Quetta - Zahidan and started freight train service with effect from 9th June 2015, between Pakistan and Iran. Since January 2016 till date 26 freight trains have been started from Quetta to Zahidan (Iran) and 24 freight trains have been received from Zahidan (Iran). Freight train service between Pakistan – Iran has become a regular feature.

(b) Pakistan Railways have made all arrangements for running of ECO container trains between Islamabad-Tehran-Istanbul, however, response from Turkish State Railways is awaited.

It is fact that Turkish State Railways through M/S Great Anatolian Logistics Organization (BALO) on 23-12-2013 signed MoU with Pakistan Railways. Turkish company was required to finance Train & Marketing expenses for first six months. Pakistan Railway was required to arrange broad-gauge stock at interchange point, all arrangements have been made but response of Turkish State Railways is awaited.

(c) Pakistan Railways has announced 20% concession on booking of containers from Islamabad to Istanbul.

29. **Mr. Muhammad Muzammil Qureshi:**

Will the Minister for Federal Education and Professional Training be pleased to state:

(a) *whether it is a fact that there are 5 seats for Ph.D in Law in the University of Karachi at present;*

(b) *if so, the steps taken by the Higher Education Commission during the tenure of the present Government to increase seats in the said University for Ph.D in Law?*

Minister for Federal Education and Professional Training: (a) No, it is not a fact that there are 05 seats for PhD in Law in University of Karachi (UoK) at present. However, PhD in Law in the UoK is offered purely on merit basis and there are no reserved seats for the purpose. This year *i.e.* fall 2016, 12 scholars have been admitted in PhD Law Program.

(b) There are no fixed seats for admission to PhD Degree in Law in the University of Karachi. The University is required to offer PhD in Law in accordance with the requirements prescribed by HEC, and eligible students are given admission on merit by the University.

Government of Pakistan through the Higher Education Commission has so far offered 62 Scholarships for PhD in Law *i.e.* 13 Foreign and 49 Local. Of these, 6 scholars *i.e.* 3 in each category have completed PhD.

Moreover, Higher Education Commission is coordinating with the Federal Judicial Academy to improve quality of learning in existing programs *viz.* LLB and LLM besides taking steps for instituting trainings and capacity building opportunities for existing Legal Professionals by advance faculty having PhD in Law.

30. **Mr. Waseem Akhtar Shaikh:**

Will the Minister In-charge of the Capital Administration and Development Division be pleased to state whether it is a fact that water enters into the houses including House No.25-B located along Ibn-e-Sina Road, Sector G-10/3, Islamabad during rainy season every year; if so, the steps taken by the Capital Development Authority to resolve the said issue?

Minister Incharge of Capital Administration and Development Division: The drainage system of Ibn-e-Sina Road and in the surroundings of House No. 25-B and other houses is in a very good condition and functional. There is no such complaint lodged with CDA about entering of rain water in these houses.

31. **Mr. Muhammad Muzammil Qureshi:**

Will the Minister In-charge of the Cabinet Division be pleased to state:

- (a) *whether the Pakistan Telecommunication Authority (PTA) being a regulator has taken a notice of weak signals of almost cellular companies in Village Raya Goraya, Post Office Kottli Muhammad Saddique, Tehsil and District Narowal;*
- (b) *if so, the steps being taken by the PTA to direct cellular companies to upgrade its signals in the said village at the earliest?*

Minister Incharge of the Cabinet Division: (a) Pakistan Telecommunication Authority (PTA) conducts Quality of Service (QoS) surveys to ensure that the services are as per the laid down parameters. In addition, surveys are also conducted once a complaint is received from the users.

(b) The survey is conducted through a state-of-the art automated tool, which is capable to measure all parameters of voice, SMS and data without any human intervention. On the basis of the surveys following actions are taken:-

- i. Optimization of mobile networks for improvement of QoS
- ii. Areas without mobile services' coverage are forwarded to Universal Service Fund Company (USF Co), under Ministry of Information Technology and Telecom, for provision of mobile services through USF subsidy.

A joint team of PTA and Cellular Mobile Operators (CMOs) has conducted QoS survey in Village Raya Goraya, Post Office Kottli Muhammad Siddique, Tehsil and District Narowal on 15th December 2016. The mobile networks have been further optimized, resultantly the services have improved. The results of the automated QoS testing tool for Mobilnk, Ufone, Telenor and Warid show that all parameters are within given range. In order to further improve, if details of some contact person can be shared, the network can further be optimized.

32. **Mr. Siraj Muhammad Khan:**

Will the Minister for Climate Change be pleased to state:

- (a) *whether it is a fact that a joint venture project with Environmental Protection Agency was launched to overcome water shortage in Islamabad;*
- (b) *whether it is also a fact that 200 buildings were selected for water conservation in the said joint venture;*
- (c) *if the answers to part (a) and (b) above are in the affirmative, whether the PC-I has been made therefor; if so, the details thereof; and*
- (d) *the reasons for non-implementation of said project?*

Minister for Climate Change: (a) No, Pakistan Environmental Protection Agency has not launched any joint venture project with any entity to overcome water shortage in Islamabad.

(b) No buildings were selected for water conservation as no joint venture was launched.

(c) Since no joint venture has been launched, no PC-I has been made.

(d) Nil.

33. **Mr. Siraj Muhammad Khan:**

Will the Minister In-charge of the Cabinet Division be pleased to state:

(a) *whether it is a fact that 301 applications were submitted in the Pakistan Bait-ul-Mall (PBM) from Nowshera, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa for financial assistance during the year 2015 and verified the same by the PBM during the year 2016; and*

(b) *whether it is also a fact that no financial assistance has been provided by the PBM on said applications so far?*

Minister Incharge of the Cabinet Division: (a) It is a fact that PBM has received 301 applications from Nowshera, Khyber PakhtunKhwa for financial assistance during the year 2015.

(b) PBM has provided financial assistance to 133 beneficiaries during the year 2015, whereas 168 applications are under process.

34. **Dr. Nikhat Shakeel Khan:**

Will the Minister In-charge of the Cabinet Division be pleased to state:

(a) *the total number of applications received by the Pakistan Bait-ul-Mall for financial assistance from Village Shahother, Union Council Garlat, Tehsil Balakot, District Mansehra since 01-11-2016 alongwith the details thereof; and*

(b) *whether it is a fact that financial assistance has been given to said applicants; if so, the details; if not, the reasons thereof?*

Minister Incharge of the Cabinet Division: (a) PBM does not maintain disbursement data village / union councils wise. However, 08 residents of Tehsil Balakot, District Mansehra have been provided financial assistance *w.e.f.* November 01, 2016, onwards.

(b) Yes it is a fact that financial assistance has been given to above applicants. Detail are attached at **Annex-I**.

DETAIL OF DISBURSEMENT OF TEHSIL BALAKOT DISTRICT MANSEHRA SINCE 1ST NOVEMBER, 2016 UPTIL NOW

S. No.	Name	Parentage	CNIC	Address	Province	District	Tehsil	Date	Amount
1	MANZOOR HUSSAIN	FAIZ ALAM	13501-1329052-3	P/O BALAKOT, KARLAT,	Khyber Pakhtunkhwa	Mansehra	Balakot	01-Nov-16	98500
2	ALAM ZEB	MUSTAQUEEM	13501-1343491-3	CITY COURT, P.O BALAKOOT,	Khyber Pakhtunkhwa	Mansehra	Balakot	08-Nov-16	50000
3	MUHAMMAD RAFIQ	FAZAL REHMAN	13501-8574373-9	MAKHAN MOHRI, HIGRANI P.O KOOT GALLI	Khyber Pakhtunkhwa	Mansehra	Balakot	08-Nov-16	50000
4	MUHAMMAD MAROOF	FAZAL ALAM	13501-6334804-7	WANDAR, P.O BALAKOT,	Khyber Pakhtunkhwa	Mansehra	Balakot	08-Nov-16	50000
5	MAZHAR ALI SHAH	MUZAFFAR SHAH	13501-1333176-1	VILLAGE TALHAR,	Khyber Pakhtunkhwa	Mansehra	Balakot	01-Nov-16	12000
6	MAHJABEEN	MAZHAR ALI SHAH	13501-1281601-2	MOHALLAH KATKAR, P/O TALHARA,	Khyber Pakhtunkhwa	Mansehra	Balakot	07-Nov-16	15000
7	NIAZ MUHAMMAD	SHAH ZAMAN	13501-4710276-5	SAHOTAR P/O BALAKOT,	Khyber Pakhtunkhwa	Mansehra	Balakot	22-Nov-16	150000
8	BIBI NARGIS	SULTAN SHAH	13501-3437853-8	KEWAL,	Khyber Pakhtunkhwa	Mansehra	Balakot	01-Dec-16	52000

35. **Dr. Nikhat Shakeel Khan:**

Will the Minister In-charge of the Capital Administration and Development Division be pleased to refer to the Un-Starred Question No. 98 replied on 20-05-2016 and to state:

- (a) the time by which the development works of Sector I-12, Islamabad will be completed; and*
- (b) the reasons for non-completion of development works of the said Sector?*

Minister Incharge of the Capital Administration and Development Division: (a) The development works of 5 Nos Major Roads in Sector I-12 has been started and about 80% work stands completed. Internal development works of sector I-12 is to be taken up after revision of layout plan of sector by Planning Wing, CDA. Cost estimates for the development works will be prepared and after completing pre-requisite formalities and allocation of funds the work shall be started.

(b) Major reason for non-completion of development works in the said sector is explained above.

36. **Mr. Waseem Akhtar Shaikh:**

Will the Minister for Railways be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that Mr. Mohammad Saleem, Constable No.407 was retired on 27-03-2001 by the Railway Police, Rawalpindi; if so, the details of pension of the said Constable on the date of retirement and at present;*
- (b) whether it is also a fact that the pension of the said Constable is less as compared to other pensioners of the same grades at present; if so, the reasons thereof; and*
- (c) whether there is any proposal under consideration of the Government to increase the pension of said Constable according to the prescribed criteria; if so, when it will be implemented alongwith the details thereof?*

Minister for Railways (Khawaja Saad Rafique): (a) Yes. Mr. Muhammad Saleem S/o Mir Umer Khan, Ex-Constable No. 407 was retired compulsorily on 27-03-2001 by the Superintendent Railway Police, Rawalpindi. The details of pension of the said Constable on the date of retirement and at present are as under:—

Total Monthly Pension at the time of Retirement.	Rs. 776.00
Total Monthly Pension at present.	Rs. 8,074.00

(b) Yes. It is a fact that pension of the said Constable is less as compared to some of other pensioners of the same Grades. It is clarified that his pension at the same time is more than as compared to some of others pensioners due to the fact that pension is calculated on the basis of length of service and the basic pay of an employee at the time of retirement instead of Grades.

(c) Yes. Pension of said Constable will be increased on 28-03-2033 in the light of Ministry of Finance's O . M. No. 13(13)- Reg.6/201 1 dated 21st January, 2013 on account of restoration of 50% commuted value of pension.

37. **Mr. Sher Akbar Khan:**

Will the Minister In-charge of the Establishment Division be pleased to state:

- (a) *the prescribed procedure for promotion of officers in BPS-19, 20 and 21 presently working in the Ministries/Divisions; and*
- (b) *the name of officers of said scales promoted during the tenure of the present Government?*

Minister In-Charge of the Establishment Division: The question requires collection of information from all the Ministries/ Divisions for which Establishment Division has already placed a request (Annex-1). Complete answer of the Question shall be submitted to National Assembly Secretariat as soon as the desired information is collected and compiled.

GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN
CABINET SECRETARIAT
(Establishment Division)

F. No. 6/2/2015(pt)-CP-3.

dated 16th December, 2016

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT:—**NATIONAL ASSEMBLY UN-STARRED QUESTION NO. 37**
MOVED BY MR. SHER AKBAR KHAN, MNA.

The undersigned is directed to refer to the subject cited above and to inform that Mr. Sher Akbar Khan MNA has moved the following National Assembly Un-starred Question No. 37:—

Will the Minister in-charge of the Establishment Division be pleased to state:

- a. The prescribed procedure for promotion of officers in BPS-19, 20 and 21 presently working in the Ministries/Divisions; and
 - b. The name of officers of said scales promoted during the tenure of the present Government?
2. In terms of rules 6 (1) Civil Servants (Appointment Promotion Transfer) Rules, 1973 appointments / promotions up to BS-19 fall within the domain in the concerned Ministries/Divisions.
 3. In view foregoing, it is requested kindly intimate the name of the officers promoted in BS-19 during the tenure of present government by 21st December, 2016.

Sd/-
(MUHAMMAD ABDUS SALAM)
Section Officer (CP-III).
Ph#. 051-9207298

All Ministries/Division
Islamabad/Rawalpindi.

38. **Ch. Muhammad Shahbaz Babar:**

Will the Minister In-charge of the Establishment Division be pleased to state:

- (a) *the total numbers of appointments made by the Government in the Establishment Division during the last five years;*
- (b) *the scale-wise total number of employees available in the said Division at present;*
- (c) *the scale-wise total numbers of employees will be retired till 31-12-2018?*

Minister In-Charge of the Establishment Division: (a) Following appointments have been made in the Establishment Division during the last five years (2012—2016);

Number of Persons Recruited			
Pay Scales	Contract Basis	Regular Basis	Total
In Basic Pay Scale 1-4	04	0	04
In Pay Scale 5-11	06	02	08
In Pay Scale 12-15	02	05	07
In Pay Scale 16	0	0	0
In Pay Scale 17 and above	0	0	0

(b) The scale-wise total number of employees available in this Division at present are as under:—

Sr. #	Basic Pay Scale	No. of employees
1.	(BS-22)	01
2.	(BS-21)	02
3.	(BS-20)	08
4.	(BS-19)	17
5.	(BS-18)	24
6.	(BS-17)	41

Sr. #	Basic Pay Scale	No. of employees
7.	(BS-16)	133
8.	(BS-14)	52
9.	(BS-12)	08
10.	(BS-11)	17
11.	(BS-09)	33
12.	(BS-04)	33
13.	(BS-02)	02
14.	(BS-01)	151
Total :-		522

(c) Following employees of Establishment Division will be retired till 31-12-2018:—

Sr. No	BPS	No. of officer retired till 31-12-2018
1	22	01
2	20	01
3	19	03
4	18	02
5	17	03

Sr. No.	Name of Officers/Officials	Designation	Date of Retirement
1.	Mr. Mussrat Hussain Shah	Stenotypist	07-Feb-17
2.	Mr. Shahab ud din	APS	03-Dec-18
3.	Mr. Saleem Khan	APS	17-Aug-17
4.	Mr. Muhammad Younis	APS	14-Aug-18
5.	Mr. Sajjad Hussain Shah	Assistant	30-Jun-18
6.	Mr. Khursheed Ahmad	Assistant- Incharge	03-Feb-18

Sr. No.	Name of Officers/Officials	Designation	Date of Retirement
7.	Mr. Naseer Ahmed	Superintendent	15-Nov-17
8.	Mr. Zarnab Gul	Superintendent	28-Feb-18
9.	Mr. Badar Yousafi	Superintendent	31-Mar-18
10.	Mr. Muhammad Nawaz	Naib Qasid	31-May-18
11.	Mr. Masood ur Rehman	Naib Qasid	07-Jan-18
12.	Mr. Muhammad Azam	Naib Qasid	10-Nov-17
13.	Mr. Muhammad Saleem	Qasid	24-Jul-17
14.	Mr. Muhammad Rafiq	DMO	30-Jun-18
15.	Mr. Nazim Ali Shah	Staff Car Driver	30-Jun-18
16.	Mr. Jumma Khan	Staff Car Driver	12-Mar-18
17.	Mr. Naseer Ahmed	Naib Qasid	06-Dec-18
18.	Mr. Muhammad Ahmed	Daftry	01-Oct-18

39. **Mr. Abdul Waseem:**

Will the Minister for Information, Broadcasting and National Heritage be pleased to state the total income/profit earned by the Pakistan Television during the financial year 2015-16 alongwith the province-wise details thereof?

Reply not received.

40. **Ms. Amra Khan:**

Will the Minister In-charge of the Capital Administration and Development Division be pleased to state:

- (a) *whether there is any children hospital in Islamabad Capital Territory (ICT) at present;*
- (b) *if the answer to part (a) above is in the negative, whether there is any proposal under consideration of the Government to establish a children hospital in ICT; if so, the details thereof?*

Minister Incharge of the Capital Administration and Development

Division: (a) In PIMS there is Children Hospital comprising of 242 beds providing services to the children in the field of Paeds Medicine/ Surgery and Allied Specialties. This hospital was built by Government of Japan and Started functioning in 1985.

Moreover there is Pediatric Department in FGPC and Paeds Medicine and Paeds Surgery departments in NIRM which are providing health facilities to the children.

(b) Not applicable.

ISLAMABAD:
The 18th December, 2016

ABDUL JABBAR ALI,
Secretary.