# **NATIONAL ASSEMBLY SECRETARIAT**

# BULLETIN OF THE ASSEMBLY (**51**<sup>ST</sup> session)

Date	Monday, the 15 <sup>th</sup> January, 2018	
Commenced at	4.15 P.M.	
Adjourned at	8.10 P.M.	
Total working hours	3 Hours 20 Minutes	
Presided by	Mr. Murtaza Javed Abbasi, Acting Speaker	
	National Assembly of Pakistan	
Attendance	173	

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#### <u>TILAWAT AND NAAT</u>

Tilawat and Naat by Qari Najam Mustafa

#### <u>FATEHA</u>

The House offered Fateha for the departed souls of,-

- (i) brother-in-law of Shaikh Rohale Asghar, MNA;
- (ii) sister of Mr. Jamshaid Ahmed Dasti, MNA; and
- (iii) a seven year old girl abused and killed in Mardan.

### QUESTIONS

2.	Questions entered in a separate list to be asked and answers given.	Question Nos. 89, 69, 84, 163, 34 and 39 were asked and their answers given.
		Reply of Question No. 54 was not received.
		Question No. 43 was transferred to National Health Services, Regulations and Coordination Division for answer on next rota day.

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Mr. Acting Speaker welcomed the following visitors witnessing the proceedings in the Visitors Gallery and Speaker's Box:-

- (i) Group of Chairmen and Vice-Chairmen, Village Councils of District Chitral; and
- (ii) Syed Matiullah Agha, former Speaker and Governor of Balochistan.

#### **LEAVE APPLICATIONS**

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

#### **POLICY STATEMENT**

Engr. Khurram Dastgir Khan, Minister for Defence made a statement regarding Pakistan's Security Policy. The following members spoke on the statement:-

- (1) Syed Naveed Qamar
- (2) Dr. Shireen Mehrunnisa Mazari
- (3) Maulana Fazalur Rehman
- (4) Mr. Mahmood Khan Achakzai
- (5) Shaikh Salahuddin
- (6) Sahibzada Tariq Ullah
- (7) Mr. Shahab-ud-Din Khan
- (8) Maulana Ameer Zaman, Minister for Postal Services

(6.28 p.m. to 6.33 p.m.) (6.33 p.m. to 6.41 p.m.) (6.41 p.m. to 7.06 p.m.) (7.06 p.m. to 7.18 p.m.) (7.18 p.m. to 7.24 p.m.) (7.24 p.m. to 7.30 p.m.) (7.30 p.m. to 7.33 p.m.) (7.33 p.m. to 7.34 p.m.)

#### POINTS OF ORDER

Name of member(s)	Subject
Syed Khursheed Ahmed Shah, Leader of the Opposition (5.05 p.m. to 5.20 p.m.)	<ul> <li>Arrest of five Pakistani Rice exporters in Kenya.</li> <li>Worst shortage of clean drinking water in Balochistan.</li> </ul>
Syed Naveed Qamar (7.54 p.m. to 7.57 p.m.)	Torture on a journalist and attempt for kidnapping.
Mr. Bismillah Khan (7.57 p.m. to 8.00 p.m.)	Non-arrest of murderer of two street vendors in Lahore and non-compensation to the bereaved families.

Maulana Qamar-ud-Din	Non-completion of development works in his Constituency.
(8.00 p.m. to 8.01 p.m.) Mr. Iqbal Muhammad Khan (8.01 p.m. to 8.03 p.m.)	Poor performance of PCB and non-publication of audit report of Pakistan Super League-I on PCB's website.
Ms. Asiya Nasir (8.04 p.m. to 8.06 p.m.)	Non-compensation to the affectees of suicide attack on Church in Quetta.
Mr. Sher Akbar Khan (8.06 p.m. to 8.10 p.m.)	Installation of new transformers in Bunair.

#### **CALLING ATTENTION NOTICE**

3.	MS. AMRA KHAN	Attention invited by Ms. Amra Khan, MNA and Mr.
	MS. SABIHA NAZIR	Muhammad Junaid Anwar Chaudhary, Minister of
	MS. SURRIYA ASGHAR to invite attention	State for Communications made a brief statement
	of the Minister for Communications to a	followed by one question each asked by:
	matter of urgent public importance	MS. AMRA KHAN
	regarding bursting of tyres due to cat's	MS. SABIHA NAZIR
	eyes/rumble strips made of steel instead	MS. SURRIYA ASGHAR and answers given.
	of plastic in Islamabad, National highways	
	and Motorways, causing grave concern	
	amongst the public.	

## **LEGISLATIVE BUSINESS**

4	RANA TANVEER HUSSAIN, Minister for	
	Science and Technology and Defence	
	Production to move that the Bill to	
	provide for upgradation of the status of	
	COMSATS Institute of Information	
	Technology, Islamabad as COMSATS	
	University [The COMSATS University	
	Islamabad Bill, 2017], as passed by the	
	Senate, be taken into consideration at	Left over
	once.	
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	Technology, Islamabad as COMSATS	
	University [The COMSATS University	
	Islamabad Bill, 2017], be passed.	

6	MINISTER IN-CHARGE OF CABINET	
	SECRETARIAT to move that the Bill further	
	to amend the Federal Employees	
	Benevolent Fund and Group Insurance	
	Act, 1969 [The Federal Employees	
	Benevolent Fund and Group Insurance	
	(Amendment) Bill, 2017], as reported by	
	the Standing Committee, be taken into	
	consideration at once.	
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	(Amendment) Bill, 2017], be passed.	
8	MR. MUHAMMAD PERVAIZ MALIK,	
	Minster for Commerce and Textile to	
	move that the Bill to provide for the	
	regulation of the business of marine	
	insurance [The Marine Insurance Bill,	
	2017], as passed by the Senate with	
	amendments, be taken into consideration	
	at once under clause (2) of Article 70 of	Left over
	the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of	
	Pakistan.	
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	move that the Bill to provide for the	
	regulation of the business of marine	
	insurance [The Marine Insurance Bill,	
	2017], be passed.	

#### PAPERS LAID BEFORE THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY:

10	<b>MR. AHSAN IQBAL,</b> Minister for Interior and Planning, Development and Reform to lay before the National Assembly the half yearly report of the Federal Investigation Agency (FIA) in respect of its activities as required by section 53 of the Prevention of Electronic Crimes Act, 2016.	Mr. Muhammad Tallal Chaudhary, Minister of State for Interior laid the report.
11	SHAIKH AFTAB AHMED, Minister for Parliamentary Affairs to lay before the National Assembly the reports on Biometric Verification Machines (BVMs) and Electronic Voting Machines (EVMs) Pilot Project in Bye Elections of constituencies (NA-120 Lahore-III and NA- 4 Peshawar-IV) as required by section 103 of the Elections Act, 2017.	Report laid

#### **MOTION UNDER RULE 259**

12	Further discussion on the following
	motion moved by Mian Riaz Hussain
	Pirzada, Minister for Inter-Provincial
	Coordination on 12-01-2018:-
	"This House may discuss the situation
	arising out of rape and brutal murder of a
	seven year old girl Zaineb in Kasur."

#### **MOTION OF THANKS**

13	<b>Discussion</b> on the following motion moved by <b>Shaikh Aftab Ahmed</b> , Minister for Parliamentary Affairs on 04-10-2017:-	
		Left over
	"This House expresses its deep gratitude to the President of Pakistan for his address to both Houses assembled together on 1 <sup>st</sup> June, 2017".	

#### MATTERS OTHER THAN POINTS OF ORDER

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

Name of Member(s)	Subject

#### **CALLING ATTENTION NOTICE**

15.	SYED NAVEED QAMAR	Attention invited by Syed Naveed Qamar, MNA
	DR. NAFISA SHAH	and Raja Muhammad Javed Ikhlas, Parliamentary
	SHAZIA MARRI	Secretary for Cabinet Secretariat on behalf of
	MIR AIJAZ HUSSAIN JAKHRANI	Minister for Energy made a brief statement
	SYED GHULAM MUSTAFA SHAH to invite	followed by one question each asked by:
	attention of the Minister for Energy to a	SYED NAVEED QAMAR
	matter of urgent public importance	MIR AIJAZ HUSSAIN JAKHRANI
	regarding recent increase in the prices of	SYED GHULAM MUSTAFA SHAH and answers
	petroleum products, causing grave	given.
	concern amongst the public.	

The sitting of the Assembly was adjourned to meet again on Tuesday, the 16<sup>th</sup> January, 2018 at 4.00 p.m.

Islamabad, the <u>15<sup>th</sup> January, 2018</u>

QAMAR SOHAIL LODHI Acting Secretary