

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

<b>Date</b>	<b>Thursday, the 20<sup>th</sup> October, 2022</b>
<b>Commenced at</b>	<b>11:26 AM</b>
<b>Adjourned at</b>	<b>1:44 PM</b>
<b>Total working hours</b>	<b>2 Hours 18 Minutes</b>
<b>Presided by</b>	<b>Mr. Zahid Akram Durrani, Deputy Speaker, National Assembly of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan.</b>
<b>Attendance</b>	<b>104</b>

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

- *Tilawat, Hadith and Naat* by Qari Muhammd Younus
- *National anthem*

**QUESTIONS**

<b>2.</b>	Questions entered in a separate list to be asked and answers given.	Question Nos. 160, 163, 164 and 153 were asked and answers given.  <b>Mr. Deputy Speaker referred the question No. 161 to the Standing Committee concerned.</b>
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**LEAVE APPLICATIONS**

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

**MOTION**

Ms. Mehnaz Akber Aziz, Parliamentary Secretary for Law and Justice moved the following motion which was adopted by the House:-

“that under the rule 288 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the National Assembly, 2007 that the requirement of the Rules 51, 55, 57 and 158 of the said rules in respect of ballot of Private Members Resolution, Orders of the Day and notice of Resolution for today may be suspended in order to take up a Resolution.”

**RESOLUTION**

Ms. Mehnaz Akber Aziz, Parliamentary Secretary for Law and Justice moved the following Resolution which was adopted by the House:-

“In pursuance of the resolution passed in the first ever children’s Parliament of the Diamond Jubilee Parliamentary Convention dated 12<sup>th</sup> August 202, this House congratulates and recognizes the formation of an all-parties Parliamentary Caucus on Child Rights.

The House recalls that the children participating in the Children’s Parliament had demanded immediate action on the child related issues of health, education, corporal punishment, bonded labor and all forms of abuse, and to make new laws and amend existing ones to create a child friendly society.

This House recognizes this Children’s Caucus as an invaluable forum that will help in advancing, protecting and uplifting children of Pakistan, eliminating all forms of violence and abuse against children, ensuring the rights of children and their legal obligations in Pakistan, as enshrined in the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan, and under the Convention on the Rights of the Child.

This House resolves to continue striving for a better future of Pakistan by placing children at the center of development, recognizing their individuality, respecting and valuing their voices, and observe their best interest in every sphere of life.

We, all Parliamentarians of this House, vow to stand by the Parliamentary Caucus on Child Rights in this important mission.”

### WELCOME

Mr. Deputy Speaker welcomed the group of students and teachers from Mercy Educational Complex, Peshawar, who were witnessing the proceedings of the House from visitor’s gallery.

### CALLING ATTENTION NOTICE

<b>3.</b>	<p><b>DR. MAHREEN RAZZAQ BHUTTO</b>  <b>MIR GHULAM ALI TALPUR</b>  <b>MS. ALIYA KAMRAN</b> to</p> <p>invite attention of the Minister for Climate Change to a matter of urgent public importance regarding not taking immediate measures to mitigate the worst effects of climate change in the country, causing grave concern amongst the public.</p>	<p>Attention invited by Ms. Aliya Kamran, MNA;</p> <p>Senator Sherry Rehman, Minister for Climate Change made a brief statement followed by each question asked by:-  Ms. Aliya Kamran; and  Mir Ghulam Ali Talpur, MNAs and answers given.</p>
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### AMENDMENTS TO THE RULES OF PROCEDURE AND CONDUCT OF BUSINESS IN THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY, 2007

<b>4.</b>	<p><b>MR. MUHAMMAD SAJJAD</b>,  Parliamentary Secretary for Interior to seek leave under sub-rule (4) of rule 293 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the National Assembly, 2007 to move the following amendments in the said Rules:-</p> <p><b>(i) <u>Substitution of rule 103 of the Rules of Procedure.</u></b>-In the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the National Assembly, 2007, hereinafter referred to as the said Rules, for rule 103, the following shall be substituted, namely:-</p>	<p>Motion moved by Mr. Murtaza Javed Abbasi, Minister for Parliamentary Affairs;</p> <p>The following Members spoke on the amendments:-</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Khawaja Muhammad Asif  Minister for Defence  12.14 pm. to 12.15 p.m. (0:01)</li> <li>2. Shazia Marri  Minister for Poverty Alleviation and Social Safety  12.16 pm. to 12.17 p.m. (0:01)</li> </ol>
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	<p><b>“103. Approval of the Speaker before arrest, detention, etc., of a member.-</b> When a member has to be arrested on a criminal charge or for a criminal offence or has to be detained under an executive order, the committing judge, magistrate or executive authority, as the case may be, shall immediately seek approval of the Speaker indicating the reasons for the arrest or detention, as the case may be, and after such arrest, detention or when a member is sentenced to imprisonment by a court of law, the committing judge, magistrate or executive authority, as the case may be shall intimate the place of detention or imprisonment of the member in the appropriate form set out in the Fourth Schedule.</p> <p><b>(ii) Substitution of rule 106 of the Rules of Procedure.-</b> In the said Rules, for rule 106, the following shall be substituted, namely:-</p> <p><b>“106. Arrest within the precincts of the Assembly.-</b> No member shall be arrested within the precincts of the Assembly.”</p>	<p>3. Moulana Abdul Akbar Chitrali 12.18 pm. to 12.19 p.m. (0:01)</p> <p>4. Ch. Muhammad Barjees Tahir 12.19 pm. to 12.20 p.m. (0:01)</p> <p>Leave granted</p>
5.	<p><b>MR. MUHAMMAD SAJJAD,</b> Parliamentary Secretary for Interior to move under sub-rule (5) of rule 293 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the National Assembly, 2007, that the proposed amendments be taken into consideration.</p>	<p>Motion moved by Mr. Murtaza Javed Abbasi, Minister for Parliamentary Affairs which was adopted by the House.</p> <p>The following amendments moved by Khawaja Muhammad Asif, Minister for Defence in addition to amendments included in the Orders of the Day, were adopted by the House:-</p> <p>a) in Rule 108,— in sub-rule (1), for the word “may” the word “shall” shall be substituted, and the words “, if he considers his presence necessary” shall be omitted; and</p> <p>b) after sub-rule (2) the following new sub-rule (3) shall be added, namely:-</p> <p>(3) “the Speaker shall declare Parliament Lodges or any other suitable place in Islamabad as sub-Jail.”.</p>
6.	<p><b>MR. MUHAMMAD SAJJAD,</b> Parliamentary Secretary for Interior to move that the proposed amendments in the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the National Assembly, 2007, be adopted.</p>	<p>Amendments adopted</p>

## MATTERS OTHER THAN POINTS OF ORDER

7.	Raising matters under Rule 18 which are not Points of Order.	
	Mr. Qadir Khan Mandokhail 12.30 p.m. to 12.32 p.m. (0:02)	Law and order situation in Swat.
	Syed Hussain Tariq 12.32 p.m. to 12.39 p.m. (0:07) 12.48 p.m. to 12.50 p.m. (0:02)	Raised food security and agriculture related issues due to recent flood disaster in Sindh.
	Chaudhary Tariq Bashir Cheema Minister for National Food Security and Research 12.39 p.m. to 12.47 p.m. (0:08) 12.56 p.m. to 12.58 p.m. (0:02)	Responded the points raised by Syed Hussain Tariq, MNA regarding food security.
	Shazia Marri 12.50 p.m. to 12.56 p.m. (0:06) 1.04 p.m. to 1.08 p.m. (0:04) 12.50 p.m. to 12.56 p.m. (0:06) 1.11 p.m. to 1.13 p.m. (0:02)	Endorsed the points raised by Syed Hussain Tariq, MNA and also responded the points raised by the Member regarding Benazir Income Support Programme.
	Mr. Kamal Uddin 12.58 p.m. to 1.04 p.m. (0:06)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Flood relief funds may be awarded to the farmers and landlords of Balochistan.</li> <li>• Urged that Benazir Income Support Programme may be enhanced to the rural and far flung areas of Balochistan to support the deservers.</li> </ul>
	Mr. Muhammad Jamal-ud-Din 1.08 p.m. to 1.11 p.m. (0:03)	Endorsed the point raised by Mr. Kamal Uddin, MNA regarding network coverage problems in the rural areas of Balochistan and also requested that BISP offices may be established in Balochistan.  <b>Mr. Deputy Speaker directed the Minister for Poverty Alleviation and Social Safety for establishment of offices of Benazir Income Support Programme, in the constituencies of the Members of Balochistan.</b>
	Mr. Ghous Bux Khan Mahar 1.13 p.m. to 1.16 p.m. (0:03) 1.19 p.m. to 1.21 p.m. (0:02)	Raised the agriculture related issues and flood water is still existing on agricultural land of his constituency.
	Shazia Marri 1.16 p.m. to 1.19 p.m. (0:03) 1.21 p.m. to 1.22 p.m. (0:01)	Responded the points raised by Mr. Ghous Bux Khan Mahar, MNA and assured that the grievances of the Member will be resolved soon.
	Syed Mehmood Shah 1.22 p.m. to 1.26 p.m. (0:04)	The Utility Bills may not be issued to those people, whose houses were demolished during floods in Balochistan.  <b>Mr. Deputy Speaker referred the matter to the Standing Committee concerned</b>
	Mr. Zulfiqar Ali Behan 1.26 p.m. to 1.28 p.m. (0:02)	Raised the issue of Agriculture Bank loans of the farmers of Sindh.  <b>Mr. Deputy Speaker referred the matter to the Standing Committee concerned</b>
	Syed Agha Rafiullah 1.29 p.m. to 1.33 p.m. (0:04)	Raised the issues of fishermen of coastal belt.

	Moulana Abdul Akbar Chitrali 1.33 p.m. to 1.36 p.m. (0:03)	Condemned the attack on the workers of Tehreek-e-Labaik Pakistan by Abbottabad Police.
	Mr. Khursheed Ahmed Junejo 1.36 p.m. to 1.41 p.m. (0:05)	Raised agriculture related issues of Sindh after flood disaster.
	Shazia Marri 1.41 p.m. to 1.44 p.m. (0:03)	Responded the points raised by Syed Agha Rafiullah regarding the issues of fisherman community.

**CALLING ATTENTION NOTICE**

<b>8.</b>	<b>MAULANA ABDUL AKBAR CHITRAL</b> <b>MR. IBAD ULLAH KHAN</b> <b>MIR KHAN MUHAMMAD JAMALI</b> <b>DR. MUHAMMAD AFZAL KHAN</b> <b>DHANDLA</b> <b>MR. AHMAD HUSSAIN DEHARR</b> to invite attention of the Minister for Finance and Revenue to a matter of urgent public importance regarding imposition of all taxes on Malakand Division from 2023, causing grave concern amongst the public.	Attention invited by Moulana Abdul Akbar Chitrali, MNA Rana Muhammad Ishaq Khan, Parliamentary Secretary for Finance and Revenue made a brief statement followed by a question asked by Moulana Abdul Akbar Chitrali, MNA and answer given
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At 1.44 p.m. Mr. Deputy Speaker adjourned the sitting of the Assembly to meet again on Friday, the 21<sup>st</sup> October, 2022, at 11.00 a.m.

**Islamabad, the**  
**20<sup>th</sup> October, 2022**

**TAHIR HUSSAIN**  
**Secretary**