

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY SECRETARIAT

BULLETIN NO. 5 OF THE ASSEMBLY

(11th SESSION 2024)

Date and Time	Monday, the 16 th December, 2024 at 5:00 p.m.
Commenced at	5:21 P.M.
Adjourned at	8:20 P.M.
Total working hours	2 Hours 59 Minutes
Presided by	Syed Ghulam Mustafa Shah, Deputy Speaker National Assembly of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan.
Attendance	175

1. TILAWAT, HADITH, NAAT AND NATIONAL ANTHEM

<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Tilawat and Hadith</i> by Qari Ikhlāq Madni• <i>Naat</i> by Qari Touqeer-ud-din• National anthem

QUESTIONS

2.	Questions entered in a separate list to be asked and answers given.	Question Nos. 79, 80, 83, 85, 86, 94, 97, 99 and 91 were asked and their answers were given.
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WELCOME

Mr. Deputy Speaker welcomed the Honourable Zainab Gimba, Member Parliament, Nigeria and the Chairperson of the Common Wealth Women Parliamentarians, who were witnessing the proceedings from Speaker's Box.

LEAVE APPLICATIONS

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

FATEHA

The House offered "**Fateha**" for the departed souls of the martyrs' of Army Public School, Peshawar, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa.

MOTION

Shazia Marri, MNA moved the following motion, which was adopted by the House:-
"that under rule 288 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the National Assembly, 2007 that the requirements of rules 51, 55, 57 and 158 of the said Rules in respect of Ballot of Private Members' Resolutions, Orders of the Day and Notice of resolution for today may be suspended in order to take up a resolution."

RESOLUTION

Shazia Marri, MNA moved the following resolution, which was adopted by the House unanimously:-
This House; on the 10th anniversary of APS tragedy,
Recalls the brutal attack on the Army Public School (APS), Peshawar, on 16th December 2014, where 149 innocent lives, including 132 children, were mercilessly taken by the terrorists;

Acknowledges the unparalleled sacrifices made by these young martyrs, their teachers, and staff who displayed extraordinary courage in the face of unimaginable brutality;

Pays tribute to the resilience and courage of the families of the martyrs, whose sacrifice has become a symbol of our nation's unity and determination in the fight against terrorism;

Recognizes that the APS attack was not just an attack on a school but on the very soul and future of Pakistan;

Emphasizes that the children of APS remind us of the heavy cost of terrorism and underscore the importance of ensuring that no child in Pakistan lives in fear of violence;

Reaffirms Pakistan's commitment to eliminating terrorism in all its forms and manifestations as a cornerstone of our national security and development;

Recalls the efforts made under the National Action plan (NAP) to combat terrorism, and resolving to enhance its implementation with renewed vigor and accountability;

Now, therefore, this House resolves to;

1. Observe 16th December as a National Day of Remembrance for the martyrs of APS and all victims of terrorism in Pakistan.
2. Reaffirm Pakistan's commitment to eradicating terrorism and extremism from its soil through comprehensive, sustained, and unified efforts.
3. Enhance the provision of security for educational institutions across the country, ensuring that schools remain safe sanctuaries for children to learn and grow without fear.
4. Commit to strengthening anti-terrorism framework, improving intelligence coordination, and ensuring justice for the victims of terrorism.
5. Pledge unwavering support to the armed forces, law enforcement agencies, and all those who continue to make sacrifices to protect the sovereignty and peace of Pakistan.
6. Express solidarity with the families of the APS martyrs and victims of all terrorist incidents, ensuring that their sacrifices will never be forgotten.

This House further calls upon the government and all political, social, and civil society actors to unite in the collective effort to build a peaceful, prosperous, and secure Pakistan, free from the scourge of terrorism.

CALLING ATTENTION NOTICE

3.	MR. MUHAMMAD SHAHRYAR KHAN MAHAR MIR SHABBIR ALI BIJARANI MR. KHURSHID AHMED JUNEJO SYED KHURSHEED AHMED SHAH MR. AIJAZ HUSSAIN JAKHRANI to invite attention of the Minister for Aviation Division to a matter of urgent public importance regarding non operation by the private airlines on mandatory and secondary routes in the country, causing grave concern amongst the public.	Attention invited by Mr. Muhammad Shaharyar Khan Mahar, MNA; Khawaja Muhammad Asif, Minister for Aviation made a brief statement followed by answering of questions asked each by:- Mr. Muhammad Shaharyar Khan Mahar; Mir Shabbir Ali Bijarani; and Syed Khursheed Ahmed Shah, MNAs/
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CALLING ATTENTION NOTICE

10.	MS. ALIYA KAMRAN to invite attention of the Minister-in-Charge of the Cabinet Secretariat to a matter of urgent public importance regarding slow internet speed in the country, causing grave concern amongst the public.	Ms. Aliya Kamran, MNA invited attention; Mr. Sajid Mehdi, Parliamentary Secretary for Cabinet Division, made a brief statement followed by answering of question asked by Ms. Aliya Kamran, MNA.
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INTRODUCTION OF BILL

4.	SENATOR SYED MOHSIN RAZA NAQVI , Minister for Interior to introduce a Bill to provide for establishment of Pakistan Land Port Authority [The Pakistan Land Port Authority Bill, 2024].	Introduced
5.	MS. SHAZA FATIMA KHAWAJA , Minister of State for Information Technology and Telecommunication to introduce a Bill to provide for the transformation of Pakistan into a digital nation, enabling a digital society, digital economy and digital governance [The Digital Nation Pakistan Bill, 2024].	Introduced

LEGISLATIVE BUSINESS

6.	SENATOR SYED MOHSIN RAZA NAQVI , Minister for Interior to move that the Bill to provide for the establishment of a National Forensics Agency Bill, 2024 [the National Forensics Agency Bill, 2024], as passed by the Senate, to be considered at once.	Left-over
7.	SENATOR SYED MOHSIN RAZA NAQVI , Minister for Interior to move that the Bill to provide for the establishment of a National Forensics Agency Bill, 2024 [the National Forensics Agency Bill, 2024], be passed.	Left-over

MOTION OF THANKS

8.	Further discussion on the following motion moved by SENATOR AZAM NAZEER TARAR , Minister for Law and Justice and Parliamentary Affairs on 24 th April, 2024:- “This House expresses its deep gratitude to the President of Pakistan for his address to both Houses assembled together on 18th April, 2024.”	Left-over
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MATTERS OTHER THAN POINTS OF ORDER

9.	Raising matters under Rule 18 which are not Points of Order.
	Left-over

PROTEST

Mr. Muhammad Iqbal Khan and Mr. Sajid Khan MNAs of SIC party and Mr. Hameed Hussain, MNA of MWMP displayed banners highlighting the issues of their constituencies as protest in front of Speaker dais.

POINTS OF ORDER

Name of members	Brief Subject
Mr. Omar Ayub Khan, Leader of the Opposition 6.35 p.m. to 6.39 p.m. (0:04)	Spoke on Calling Attention Notice regarding slow internet speed in the country.
Mr. Atta Ullah Tarar, Minister for Information and Broadcasting 6.39 p.m. to 6.41 p.m. (0:02)	Spoke in light of PTI protest on 26 th November, 2024.
Ms. Zartaj Gul 6.41 p.m. to 6.52 p.m. (0:11)	Urged to appoint a Judicial Commission on the incidents of 9 th May 2023 and 26 th November 2024,
Syed Amin-ul-Haq 6.52 p.m. to 6.58 p.m. (0:06)	Spoke on the resolution moved by Ms. Shazia Marri, MNA which was unanimously adopted by the House.
Mr. Abdul Qadir Patel 6.58 p.m. to 7.05 p.m. (0:07)	Spoke on the resolution moved by Ms. Shazia Marri, MNA which was unanimously adopted by the House.
Moulana Abdul Ghafoor Haidri 7.05 p.m. to 7.10 p.m. (0:05)	Spoke on the resolution moved by Ms. Shazia Marri, MNA which was unanimously adopted by the House.
Sahibzada Muhammd Hamid Raza 7.10 p.m. to 7.20 p.m. (0:10)	Spoke on the arrest of the SIC protesters on 26 th November, 2024.
Mr. Qaiser Ahmed Sheikh, Minister for Minister for Maritime affairs 7.20 p.m. to 7.28 p.m. (0:08)	Spoke on economic stability in country.
Syed Abdul Qadir Gilani 7.28 p.m. to 7.34 p.m. (0:06)	Spoke on the non-availability of the Ministers during the sitting.
Sardar Muhammad Latif Khan Khosa 7.34 p.m. to 7.41 p.m. (0:07)	Spoke on the arrest of the SIC protesters on 26 th November, 2024.
Ms. Sehar Kamran 7.41 p.m. to 7.43 p.m. (0:02)	Spoke on the resolution moved by Ms. Shazia Marri, MNA which was unanimously adopted by the House.
Begum Tehmina Daultana 7.43 p.m. to 7.55 p.m. (0:12)	Spoke on the issue of breaking of democratic system of Pakistan and emphasized to take steps towards making of Pakistan.
Mr. Mehmood Khan Achakzai 7.55 p.m. to 8.05 p.m. (0:10)	Spoke on the treatment to the SIC protesters on 26 th November, 2024.
Mr. M. Sana Ullah Khan MastiKhel 8.05 p.m. to 8.10 p.m. (0:05)	Spoke on the ongoing Israeli attacks on Gaza, Palestine.
Mr. Changaze Ahmad Khan 8.10 p.m. to 8.15 p.m. (0:05)	Urged for the transparent inquiry on the incident of 26 th November, 2024.
Mr. Muhammad Iqbal Khan 8.15 p.m. to 8.18 p.m. (0:03)	Raised the issue of law and order situation in erstwhile FATA and District Kurram, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa.
Mr. Hameed Hussain 8.18 p.m. to 8.20 p.m. (0:02)	Raised the issues of shortage and non-availability of essential items due to closure of roads in district Kurram, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa and urged the Government to reopen the routes.

At 8.20 p.m., Mr. Deputy Speaker adjourned the sitting of the Assembly to meet again on Tuesday, the 17th December, 2024 at 11.00 a.m.

**Islamabad, the
16th December, 2024**

**TAHIR HUSSAIN
Secretary General**