

## SENATE SECRETARIAT

F. No. 1(1)/2018-C-II

Islamabad, the 22<sup>nd</sup> March, 2018

Subject: **Formation of Standing Committees and Functional Committees**

In accordance with the provisions of Rule 174 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Senate, 2012, the Senate Standing and Functional Committees are to be constituted within two months of the election of the Chairman and Deputy Chairman Senate.


2. The competent authority, in accordance with sub-rule 1 of Rule 158 of Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Senate, 2012, has been pleased to decide that thirty three (33) Standing Committees and six (06) Functional Committees of Senate shall be framed.

3. Rule 173(1) of Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Senate, 2012, provides that a Senator shall not be a member of more than five Standing / Functional Committees. The Hon'ble Senators from different political parties and those elected independently, after deciding the option of joining the treasury / opposition benches, are requested to convey their preference for membership of not more than five Committees each.

4. It is pertinent to mention here that a final decision in respect of constitution of the Committees rests with the Chairman Senate after due consultation with the Leaders of the House, Leader of the Opposition and other stakeholders.

5. In light of the above, it is requested that preferences for the membership of five Committees, Standing or Functional, as per the attached proforma may kindly be provided to this office, not later than 3<sup>rd</sup> April, 2018.

6. The matter may kindly be given **"TOP PRIORITY"**.

  
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S. No	Name of Senate Standing Committees	Order of Preference
1.	Cabinet Secretariat	
2.	Climate Change	
3.	Commerce and Textile	
4.	Communications	
5.	Defence	
6.	Defence Production	
7.	Energy	
8.	Federal Education and Professional Training	
9.	Finance, Revenue and Economic Affairs	
10.	Foreign Affairs	
11.	Housing and Works	
12.	Industries and Production	
13.	Information Broadcasting, National History and Literary Heritage	
14.	Information Technology and Telecommunication	
15.	Interior	
16.	Inter-Provincial coordination	
17.	Kashmir Affairs and Gilgit-Baltistan	
18.	Law and Justice	
19.	Maritime Affairs	
20.	Narcotics Control	
21.	National Food Security and Research	
22.	National health Services, Regulations and Coordination	
23.	Overseas Pakistanis and Human Resource Development	
24.	Parliamentary Affairs	
25.	Planning Development and Reforms	
26.	Postal Service	
27.	Privatization	
28.	Railways	
29.	Religious Affairs and Inter-faith Harmony	
30.	Science and Technology	
31.	States and Frontier Regions	
32.	Statistics	
33.	Water Resources	
<b>Name of Functional Committees</b>		
34.	Government Assurances	
35.	Human Rights	
36.	Problems of Less Developed Areas	
37.	Rules of Procedure and Privileges	
38.	Delegated Legislation	
39.	Devolution Process	

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**Signature**

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**Date**