SENATE OF PAKISTAN DAILY JOURNAL (321th SESSION)

Date and Day	3 rd October 2022, (Monday)
Commenced at	04:07 p.m.
Adjourned at	07:40 p.m.
Presided by	Chairman Senate & Deputy Chairman
Attendance	77
Total Working Hours	3hours and 33minutes

Recitation from the Holy Quran.

LEAVE APPLICATIONS

Leave applications were read by the Chairman Senate.

BILLS TO BE INTRODUCED

1. Senator Fawzia Arshad, moved for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the Right to Free and Compulsory Education Act, 2012 [The Right to Free and Compulsory Education (Amendment) Bill, 2022].

The Motion was put to the House and leave to introduce the bill was granted. The Bill introduced and referred to Standing Committee concerned.

2. Senator Seemee Ezdi, moved for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the Pakistan Environmental Protection Act, 1997 [The Pakistan Environmental Protection (Amendment) Bill, 2022].

The Motion was deferred

3. Senator Bahramand Khan Tangi, moved for leave to introduce a Bill to provide for the management and regulation of Tosha Khana [The Tosha Khana (Management and Regulation) Bill, 2022].

The Motion was put to the House and leave to introduce the bill was granted. The Bill introduced and referred to Standing Committee concerned.

4. Senator Rana Maqbool Ahmad, moved for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the Islamabad Capital Territory Local Government Act, 2015 [The Islamabad Capital Territory Local Government (Amendment) Bill, 2022].

The Motion was put to the House and leave to introduce the bill was granted. The Bill introduced and referred to Standing Committee concerned.

5. Senator Palwasha Mohammed Zai Khan, moved for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan [The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2022]. **(Amendment of Article 62)**

The Motion was put to the House and leave to introduce the bill was granted. The Bill introduced and referred to Standing Committee concerned.

6. Senator Engr. Rukhsana zuberi, moved for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan [The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2022]. **(Amendment of Articles 215, 218 and 228)**

The Motion was put to the House and leave to introduce the bill was granted. The Bill introduced and referred to Standing Committee concerned.

7. Senator Mohsin Aziz, moved for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the Transgender Persons (Protection of Rights) Act, 2018 [The Transgender Persons (Protection of Rights) (Amendment) Bill, 2022].

The Motion was put to the House and leave to introduce the bill was granted. The Bill introduced and referred to Standing Committee concerned.

8. Senator Syed Muhammad Sabir Shah, moved for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the Transgender Persons (Protection of Rights) Act, 2018 [The Transgender Persons (Protection of Rights) (Amendment) Bill, 2022].

The Motion was put to the House and leave to introduce the bill was granted. The Bill introduced and referred to Standing Committee concerned.

9. Senators Molana Abdul Ghafoor Haideri, Atta-Ur-Rehman, Molvi Faiz Muhammad And Kamran Murtaza, moved for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the Transgender Persons (Protection of Rights) Act, 2018 [The Transgender Persons (Protection of Rights) (Amendment) Bill, 2022].

The Motion was put to the House and leave to introduce the bill was granted. The Bill introduced and referred to Standing Committee concerned.

10. Senator Mushtaq Ahmed, moved for leave to introduce a Bill to provide for protection, relief and rehabilitation of rights of the khunsa persons and their welfare and for matters connected therewith and incidental thereto [The Khunsa Persons (Protection of Rights) Bill, 2022].

The Motion was put to the House and leave to introduce the bill was granted. The Bill introduced and referred to Standing Committee concerned.

LEGISLATIVE BUSINESS

BILLS AS REPORTED BY THE STANDING COMMITTEES

1. Senator Faisal Javed, moved that the Bill further to amend the National Commission on the Rights of Child Act, 2017 [The National Commission on the Rights of Child (Amendment) Bill, 2022], as reported by the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration at once.

(Amendment entered in a separate list to be moved).

The Motion was put to the House which was not opposed by the Minister of State for Law and Justice and leave to introduce the Bill was granted.

2. Senator Faisal Javed, moved that the Bill further to amend the National Commission on the Rights of Child Act, 2017 [The National Commission on the Rights of Child (Amendment) Bill, 2022], be passed.

Thereafter, the Motion for consideration and passage was put to the House and the Bill was passed.

3. Senator Saleem Mandviwalla, moved that the Bill to repeal the Federal Medical Teaching Institutes Act, 2021 [The Pakistan Institute of Medical Sciences (PIMS) Bill, 2022], as reported by the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration at once.

The Motion was put to the House which was not opposed by the Minister of State for Law and Justice and leave to introduce the Bill was granted.

4. Senator Saleem Mandviwalla, moved that the Bill to repeal the Federal Medical Teaching Institutes Act, 2021 [The Pakistan Institute of Medical Sciences (PIMS) Bill, 2022], be passed.

Thereafter, the Motion for consideration and passage was put to the House House and the Bill was passed.

At 5:30 p.m the Opposition walked out of the proceedings.

At 6:05 p.m Chairman Senate adjourned the proceedings of the House for ten minutes for Namaz-e-Mughrib.

At 6:20 p.m the Opposition came back

5. Senators Saleem Mandviwalla And Kauda Babar, moved that the Bill to reconstitute the Medical and Dental Council in Pakistan [The Pakistan Medical and Dental Council Bill, 2022], as reported by the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration at once.

(Amendments entered in a separate list to be moved).

The Motion was put to the House which was not opposed by the Minister of State for Law and Justice and leave to introduce the Bill was granted.

Following Member's also spoke on the issue:-

- 1. Senator Dr. Shahzad Waseem Leader of the Opposition
- 2. Senator Saleem Mandviwala
- 3. Senator Jam Mahtab Hussain Dahar
- 4. Senator Muhammad Hamayun Mohmand
- 5. Senator Dilawar Khan
- 6. Senator Mr. Abdul Qadir Patel Minister for National Health Services, Regulations and Coordination
- 7. Senator Shahadat Awan, Minister of State for Law
- 8. Senator Kamil Ali Agha
- 9. Senator Rubina Khalid
- 10. Senator Zarqa Suharwardy Taimur
- **6. Senators Saleem Mandviwalla And Kauda Babar,** moved that the Bill to reconstitute the Medical and Dental Council in Pakistan [The Pakistan Medical and Dental Council Bill, 2022], be passed.

Senators Palwasha Mohammed Zai Khan ,Dilawar Khan and Mr. Abdul Qadir Patel Minister for National Health Services, Regulations and Coordination, withdrew the Amendments,

Senators Saleem Mandviwalla moved the amendments and the said amendments were adopted by the House. Thereafter, the Motion for consideration and passage was put to the House and the Bill as amended was passed.

COMMENCED MOTIONS[Under Rule 218]

- **1.** Further Discussion on the following motions moved by Senator Dr. Shahzad Waseem, Leader of the Opposition, on his behalf and on behalf of Senators Muhammad Azam Khan Swati, Syed Shibli Faraz, Faisal Saleem Rehman, Mohammad Humayun Mohmand, Mohsin Aziz, Faisal Javed, Fida Muhammad, Dost Muhammad Khan, Shaukat Fayaz Ahmed Tarin, Liaqat Khan Tarakai, Seemee Ezdi, Walid Iqbal, Zeeshan Khan Zada, Sania Nishtar, Dr. zarqa Suharwardy Taimur, Falak naz, Gurdeep Singh, Fawzia Arshad, Saifullah Sarwar Khan Nyazee, Aon Abbas, Ejaz Ahmad Chaudhary, Syed Ali Zafar, Saifullah Abro and Mohammad Abdul Qadir on 26th September, 2022:-
 - (i) Deteriorating condition of economy; unprecedented increase in price of gas, electricity and petroleum products; price hike resulting in unbearable burden on common man; closing down of industry due to flawed policies; rapid depreciation in value of Pak rupee.
 - (ii) Inefficiency of the government in effectively dealing with recent flash flood situation triggering worst humanitarian crises in the country's history, resulting in loss of precious lives, livelihood and livestock and leaving affected populations stranded without adequate food, shelter, drinking water and medicines.

Clubbed

Following Member also spoke on the issue:-

- 1. Senator Mushtag Ahmed
- 2. Senator Rana Magbool Ahmad
- 3. Senator Saifullah Abro

At 07:10 p.m, the Deputy Chairman Senate presided over the proceeding of the House.

- 4. Senator Mohammad Humayun Mohmand
- 5. Senator Kamil Ali Agha

At 07:35 p.m the Treasury walked out of the proceedings.

POINTATION OF QUORUM

Senator Rana Maqbool Ahmad pointed out the quorum.

Count was made but the House was not in order so the bells were rung for five minutes and count was made again. The House was not in quorum, therefore,

POINT OF PUBLIC IMPORTANCE

- 1. Point of Order raised by Senator Ejaz Ahmed Chaudhary, regarding hasteful legislation and current political situation
- **2. Senator Dr. Shahzad Waseem, Leader of the House,** spoke regarding Judicial inquiry of the cypher and the issue of audio leaks of PMD
- **3. Senator Muhammad Tahir Bizinjo,** spoke regarding the issues faced by students from Balochistan studying in Islamic University Bahawalpur
- **4. Senator Kamil Ali Agha,** spoke regarding the issues of farmers protesting in Islamabad.
- **5. Senator Saifullah Abro,** spoke regarding the statement of the former Finance Minister.

Following Member also spoke on the issue:-

- 1. Senator Rana Magbool Ahmad
- **6. Senator Faisal Javed,** spoke regarding the performance of the Pakistan cricket team

After hearing the Member, the Deputy Chairman Senate referred said matter to the concerned Committee.

7. Senator Muhammad Hamayun Mohmand, spoke regarding the cancelation of documents of overseas Pakistanis

At 07:40 p.m. the Deputy Chairman adjourned the proceedings of the House to meet again on Tuesday, 4th October, 2022, at 04:00 p.m.

Islamabad, the 3rd October, 2022.