# SENATE OF PAKISTAN DAILY JOURNAL (334<sup>th</sup> SESSION)

Date and Day	2 <sup>nd</sup> January 2024, (Tuesday)
Commenced at	10:32 a.m.
Adjourned at	12:07 p.m.
Presided by	Chairman Senate
Attendance	38
Total Working Hours	1hours and 35minutes

Recitation from the Holy Quran.

#### **QUESTION HOUR**

Printed questions were asked and their oral replies were given by the ministers concerned.

# REPORTS OF THE STANDING COMMITTEES - PRESENTATION OF: [Under Rule 195]

1. Senator Mohammad Humayun Mohmand, on behalf of Senator Walid Iqbal, Chairman, Standing Committee on Human Rights, presented report of the Committee on a point of public importance raised by Senator Prof. Dr. Mehr Taj Roghani on 30<sup>th</sup> July, 2023, regarding domestic violence incidents in the country with special reference to the case of minor girl Rizwana in the Islamabad Capital Territory.

# The Report stood laid.

**2. Senator Fawzia Arshad**, on behalf of **Senator Sana Jamali**, Convener, Education Parliamentarians' Caucus Pakistan presented quarterly report on the Performance of the Caucus.

# The Report stood laid.

**3. Senator Saadia Abbasi,** on behalf of **Senator Saleem Mandviwalla,** Chairman, Standing Committee on Finance and Revenue, presented report of the Committee on a Bill further to amend the Limited Liability Partnership Act, 2017 [The Limited Liability Partnership (Amendment) Bill, 2023], introduced by Senator Shahadat Awan on 6<sup>th</sup> November, 2023.

## The Report stood laid.

#### **CALLING ATTENTION NOTICES**

**Senator Prof. Dr. Mehr Taj Roghani,** drew attention of the Minister for National Health Services, Regulations and Coordination, towards the non-availability of vaccines especially anti-Diphtheria serum in the country with particular reference to Khyber Pakhtunkhwa resulting into deaths of children.

Mr. Murtaza Solangi, Minister for Parliamentary Affairs, and Dr. Nadeem Jan, Minister for National Health Services, Regulations and Coordination responded the issue.

#### Calling attention notice was disposed of.

2. Senator Samina Mumtaz Zehri, to draw attention of the Minister for National Health Services, Regulations and Coordination, towards the unpreparedness of health care system to deal with new infections especially chikungunya virus (CHIKV) and Crimean-Congo haemorrhagic fever virus (CCHF) and non-availability of vaccines for new viruses.

### Calling attention notice was dropped.

#### **POINT OF PUBLIC IMPORTANCE**

- 1. Points raised by Senator Dr. Shahzad Waseem, Leader of the Opposition, spoke regarding the underlining the need for charting out a National agenda to determine minimum common ground in the country.
- **2. Senator Sadia Abbasi**spoke regarding the condemning the remarks of the Prime Minister.
- **3. Senator Zeeshan Khanzada,** spoke regarding the prevailing Political situation in the country in the run up to General Elections 2024.
- 4. Senator Engr. Rukhsana Zuberi, spoke regarding the Pakistani overseas workers.
- **5. Senator Tahir Bizinjo,** spoke regarding the grievances of the Baloch protesting in the capital.

At 12:07 p.m. the Chairman Senate adjourned the proceedings of the House to meet again on Friday, 5<sup>th</sup> January, 2024, at 10:30 a.m.

Islamabad, the 2<sup>nd</sup> January, 2024.