

Journal

258th Session

Sitting Hours and Attendance	
Session summoned on	09-01-2017
Session prorogued on	20-01-2017
Number of working days	12
Number of actual sittings	10
Number of Private Members' days	2
Maximum attendance	79
Minimum attendance	52
Average attendance	64.4%
Total hours of sittings	31 hours 41 minutes
Maximum hours of sitting	04 hours 19 minutes
Minimum hours of sitting	01 hours 46 minutes
Average hours of sittings	03 hours 10 minute

STARRED QUESTIONS

Received	385
Admitted	338
Disallowed	07
Replied	240

Resolutions

Passed by the House	06
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Motion Under 218

Discussed in the House	07
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PANEL OF PRESIDING OFFICERS

Order of precedence	Name of the Members
1.	Senator Ahmed Hassan
2.	Senator Nuzhat Sadiq
3.	Senator Dr. Jahanzeb Jamaldini

LEGISLATIVE BUSINESS**BILLS PASSED BY THE SENATE**

Sr. No.	Title of the Bill	Passed by Senate on	Government Bill/Private Members Bill	Bill originated in
1.	The Oil and Gas Regulatory Authority (Amendment) Bill, 2015	9-01-2017	Private Member Bill	Senate
2.	The National Counter Terrorism Authority (Amendment) Bill, 2016	9-01-2017	Private Member Bill	Senate
3.	The Representation of the People (Amendment) Bill, 2016	9-01-2017	Private Member Bill	Senate
4.	The Benami Transactions (Prohibition) Bill, 2016	17-01-2017	Government Member Bill	National Assembly

GOVERNMENT BILLS INTRODUCED IN THE SENATE AND REFERRED TO STANDING COMMITTEES:

Sr. No.	Title of The Bill	Referred on	Bill originated in
1.	The COMSATS University Islamabad Bill, 2017	10-01-2017	National Assembly
2.	The Pakistan Council for Science and Technology Bill, 2016	10-01-2017	National Assembly
3.	The Pakistan National Accreditation Council Bill, 2016	10-01-2017	National Assembly
4.	The Corporate Rehabilitation Bill, 2017	19-01-2017	National Assembly

PRIVATE MEMBERS' BILLS INTRODUCED IN THE SENATE AND REFERRED TO THE STANDING COMMITTEES

Sr. No.	Title of The Bill	referred on	Bill originated in
1.	The Transgender Persons (Protection of Rights) Bill, 2016	9-01-2017	Senate
2.	The Provincial Motor Vehicles (Amendment) Bill, 2016	9-01-2017	Senate
3.	The Pakistan Penal Code (Amendment) Bill, 2016	14-01-2017	Senate
4.	The Ehtram-e-Ramazan (Amendment) Bill, 2017	14-01-2017	Senate

BILLS FOR MOTION UNDER RULE 100

On 16th January, 2017 The Chairman explained the purpose behind setting down of the Order Nos. 8 to 14 and urged the Members whose Bills have been mentioned in the Order Nos. 8 to 14 to either give notices under rule 100 with respect to their Bills or withdraw the same in the House. The following Bills were set down in Order Nos. 8 to 14. The Chairman observed that such Bills will be set down on the Orders of the Day till giving of notices by the concerned Members under rule 100 or otherwise till the time they withdraw their Bills:-

- 1) The National Cyber Security Council Bill, 2014, introduced by Senator Mushahid Hussain Syed on 14th April, 2014 and reported by the Standing Committee on Information Technology and Telecommunications on 18th December, 2015.
- 2) The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2015 (Omission of Article 182), introduced by Senator Zaheer-ud-Din Babar Awan on 11th January, 2016 and reported by the Standing Committee on Law and Justice on 8th September, 2016.
- 3) The Supreme Court (Number of Judges) (Amendment) Bill, 2016, introduced by Senator Zaheer-ud-Din Babar Awan on 16th May, 2016 and reported by the Standing Committee on Law and Justice on 8th September, 2016.
- 4) The Prohibition of Smoking and Protection of Non-smokers Health (Amendment) Bill, 2016, introduced by Senator Mushahid Hussain Syed on 18th July, 2016 and reported by the Standing Committee on National Health Services, Regulations and Coordination on 16th December, 2016.
- 5) The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2016 (Amendment of Article 28), introduced by Senator Karim Ahmed Khawaja on 25th July, 2016 and reported by the Standing Committee on Law and Justice on 4th November, 2016.
- 6) The Islamabad Prohibition of Sheesha Smoking Bill, 2016, introduced by Senator Mohammad Azam Khan Swati on 26th September, 2016 and reported by the Standing Committee on National Health Services, Regulations and Coordination on 16th December, 2016.
- 7) The Civil Courts (Amendment) Bill, 2016, introduced by Senator Mohammad Azam Khan Swati on 26th September, 2016 and reported by the Standing Committee on Law and Justice on 21st December, 2016.

ORDINANCE TO BE LAID

On 10th January, 2017 Mr. Zahid Hamid, Minister for Law and Justice, laid before the Senate the National Accountability (Amendment) Ordinance, 2017 (Ordinance No. II of 2017) as required by clause (2) of Article 89 of the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan.

- Senator Aitzaz Ahsan, Leader of the Opposition pointed out that since a Law when promulgated becomes the public property so there is no need to lay it on the Tables in so formal manner.
- **The Chairman referred the Ordinance to the Standing Committee on Law and Justice while treating it as a Bill in terms of Clause (3)(b) of Article 89 of the Constitution as it was first laid in the Senate.**
- **The Chairman further directed the Secretariat that in future whenever the Government is to lay an Ordinance before the House the same should prior be placed on the Tables.**

On 18th January, 2017 Sheikh Aftab Ahmed, Minister for Parliamentary Affairs Minister-In-Charge Cabinet Secretariat, laid before the Senate the National School of Public Policy (Amendment) Ordinance, 2017 (Ordinance No. I of 2017) as required by clause (2) of Article 89 of the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan.

- **The Chairman referred the Ordinance to the Standing Committee concerned while treating it as a Bill as it was first laid in the Senate.**

RULES TO BE LAID BEFORE THE SENATE

On 18th January, 2017 Sheikh Aftab Ahmed, Minister for Parliamentary Affairs Minister-In-Charge Cabinet Secretariat, laid before the Senate the Civil Servants (Service in International Organizations) Rules, 2016, as required by sub-section (2) of section 10A of the Civil Servants Act, 1973.

AMENDMENTS TO THE SENATE RULES (Under Rule 278)

Mover	Amendments	Status	Date
Senator Saleem Mandviwala	In rule 182 of the said Rules, for the full stop occurring at the end a colon “:”, shall be substituted and thereafter, the following new proviso shall be added, namely:- “Provided that the Chairman of a Committee or the Member presiding in his absence shall not cast his vote in the event of the equality of votes in case he is a mover of a matter under consideration of the Committee.”	The leave was granted and the Motion for amendment was carried. The proposed amendment was adopted.	16-01-2017

REPORTS OF THE STANDING/SPECIAL/FUNCTIONAL/PARLIAMENTARY/WHOLE COMMITTEES, PRESENTATION OF:

Sr. No.	Name of the Committee	Report presented by	Subject matter of the report	Date
1.	Devolution Process	Senator Mir Kabeer	Establishment of permanent Secretariat	09-01-2017

	& Inter-Provincial Coordination	Ahmed Muhammad Shahi	of the Council of Common Interests (CCI), in terms of statement made by the Minister for Inter-Provincial Coordination on 22nd December, 2016, in the House	
2.	Law and Justice	Senator Muhammad Javed Abbasi	Report of the Committee on a matter raised by Senator Farhatullah Babar on 22nd December, 2016, regarding review of section 25 of the National Accountability Ordinance, 1999 (Ordinance No. XVIII of 1999), which deals with voluntary return and plea bargain	09-01-2017
3.	Commerce	Senator Syed Shibli Faraz	Report of the Committee on the subject matter of starred question No. 25, asked by Senator Mian Muhammad Ateeq Shaikh, on 29th September, 2016, regarding import of huge quantity of Powdered Milk	09-01-2017
4.	Petroleum and Natural Resources	Senator Mir Israrullah Khan Zehri	The problems being faced by the Oil Sector and Industry in Pakistan	09-01-2017
5.	Rules of Procedure and Privileges	Senator Dr. Jehanzeb Jamaldini	Report of the Committee, on Privilege Motion No. 3 (250)/2016-M, moved by Senator Atta Ur Rehman on 26th July, 2016, against irresponsible, insulting and threatening attitude of police officials deputed near Chashma Hydropower check post of Kundian and DPO, Mianwali.	10-01-2017
6.	Finance, Revenue, Economic Affairs, Statistics and Privatization	Senator Saleem Mandviwalla	Report of the Committee on the Bill to provide for prohibition of holding property in benami [The Benami Transactions (Prohibition) Bill, 2016].	11-01-2017
7.	National Food Security and Research	Senator Syed Muzafar Hussain Shah	12th follow up report of the Committee regarding proposed "conversion of 1400 acres land of National Agricultural Research Centre (NARC) / Pakistan Agricultural Research Council (PARC) by the Capital Development Authority (CDA) into residential/commercial plots".	17-01-2017

8.	Rules of Procedure and Privileges	Senator Dr. Jehanzeb Jamaldini	Report of the Committee, on Privilege Motion No. 2 (255)/2016-M, moved by Senator Kalsoom Parveen on 25th November, 2016, against the Federal Public Service Commission for conducting interviews against the post of Executive Director, Federal Government Poly Clinic, Islamabad, which was of promotion quota, in violation of rules and recommendations of the concerned Senate Standing Committee	18-01-2017
9.	Interior and Narcotics Control	Senator Col. (R) Syed Tahir Hussain Mashhadi on behalf of Senator Abdul Rehman Malik	Report of the Committee on the subject matter of supplementary question asked by Senator Dr. Jehanzeb Jamaldini to starred question No. 8 on 20th December, 2016, regarding issue of closure of NADRA center in Buleda, Balochistan	18-01-2017
10.	Interior and Narcotics Control	Senator Col. (R) Syed Tahir Hussain Mashhadi on behalf of Senator Abdul Rehman Malik	Report of the Committee on a Bill to prohibit the expression of matters on walls in the Islamabad Capital Territory [The Islamabad Prohibition of Expressing Matters on Walls Bill, 2016]	18-01-2017
11.	Interior and Narcotics Control	Senator Col. (R) Syed Tahir Hussain Mashhadi on behalf of Senator Abdul Rehman Malik	Report of the Committee on the Bill to make provisions for prohibition of corporal punishment against children [The Prohibition of Corporal Punishment Bill, 2016] introduced by Senator Saleem Mandviwala, on 29th February, 2016.	19-01-2017
12.	Federal Education and Professional Training	Senator Rahila Magsi	Report of the Committee on the Bill further to amend the Federal Board of Intermediate and Secondary Education Act, 1975 [The Federal Board of Intermediate and Secondary Education (Amendment) Bill, 2016] introduced by Senator Nuzhat Sadiq, on 21st November, 2016	19-01-2017
13.	Information Technology and Telecommunications	Senator Shahi Syed	Special report of the Committee on the problems faced by the USF company in execution of its projects in Balochistan, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa and FATA.	19-01-2017
14.	Law and Justice	Senator Muhammad Javed Abbasi	Report of the Committee on the matter raised by Senator Saeed Ghani on 14th June, 2016, regarding recalling of Order by the Chairman National Accountability Bureau (NAB) wherein acting or current charges were given to various officers of NAB, in violation of rules, and reappointment of same officers, on the same day, in the Own Pay Scale (OPS)	20-01-2017

15.	Law and Justice	Senator Muhammad Javed Abbasi	Report of the Committee on the Bill to provide for the establishment of the National Commission for International Law and Commitments [The National Commission for International Law and Commitments Bill, 2016] introduced by Senator Karim Ahmed Khawaja on 21st November, 2016.	20-01-2017
16.	Law and Justice	Senator Muhammad Javed Abbasi	Report of the Committee on the Bill further to amend the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan, 1973 [The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2016] (Amendment of Article 209) introduced by Senator Zaheer-Ud-Din Babar Awan on 21st November, 2016.	20-01-2017
17.	Rules of Procedure and Privileges	Senator Dr. Jehanzeb Jamaldini	Report of the Committee, on Privilege Motion No. 3(252)/2016-M, moved by Senator Muhammad Daud Khan Achakzai, on 27th September, 2016, on his behalf and on behalf of Senators Rozi Khan Kakar, Muhammad Ali Khan Saif and Liaqat Khan Tarakai, regarding not attending meeting of the Standing Committee on Communications by Chief Secretary Balochistan, Chief Secretary Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Chief Secretary FATA, Senior Member Board of Revenue Balochistan, Senior Member Board of Revenue Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Secretary Ministry of Communications and M.D FWO	20-01-2017
18.	Rules of Procedure and Privileges	Senator Dr. Jehanzeb Jamaldini	Report of the Committee, on breach of privilege of the House by the Secretary Aviation and concerned Director of PIA for holding up the proceedings of the House and for not coming forth and giving information regarding the incident of crash of PIA ATR aircraft on 7th December, 2016	20-01-2017
19.	Human Rights	Senator Farhatullah Babar on behalf of Senator Nasreen Jalil	Report of the Committee on the Bill to provide for solemnization of marriages by Hindu families and for matters ancillary and incidental thereto [The Hindu Marriage Bill, 2016]	20-01-2017
20.	Human Rights	Senator Farhatullah Babar on behalf of Senator Nasreen Jalil	Report of the Committee on the Bill further to amend the Juvenile Justice System Ordinance, 2000, in its application to the Islamabad Capital Territory [The Juvenile Justice System (Amendment) Bill, 2016] introduced by Senator Mohammad Azam Khan Swati	20-01-2017

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CALLING ATTENTION NOTICES

Sr. No.	Subject matter of the Calling Attention Notice	Name(s) of the Mover(s)	Direction of the Chairman at the end of statement, if any	Date
1.	The non-provision of nutrition and health services to children under five years of age and increase in child mortality rate in the country.	Senator Col. (R) Syed Tahir Hussain Mashhadi	Disposed of	10-01-2017
2.	The low pressure of gas in various areas of district Qallat, Balochistan due to which the people of the area are forced to cut down the trees from the Arboi forest, Qallat.	Senators Dr. Ashok Kumar, Muhammad Usman Khan Kakar and Mir Kabeer Ahmed Muhammad Shahi	The Chairman referred the subject matter of the Calling Attention Notice to the Standing Committee concerned with the direction to report back in 45 days and the notice was disposed of	11-01-2017
3.	The dilapidated condition of Bacha Khan International Airport, Peshawar, which has recently been declared as one of the worst Airports in Asia	Senator Mohsin Aziz	The Chairman ruled that a Special Committee be formed comprising all the Members belonging to Khyber Pakhtunkhwa who will examine the existing condition of the Airport and the requirement of expansion work at the Airport and the notice was Disposed of.	11-01-2017
4.	The alarming increase in local and foreign loans	Senator Syed Shibli Faraz	Disposed of	12-01-2017
5.	Open sale of Petroleum products without license especially of Petrol which is not only violation of rules but also a severe danger to the lives and properties of common people	Senator Chaudhary Tanvir Khan	Disposed of	12-01-2017

6.	The death of five infants in Khyber Agency after having polio drops.	Senator Mir Kabeer Ahmed Muhammad Shahi	Disposed of	13-01-2017
7.	The statement of the Special Assistant to the Prime Minister on Foreign Affairs that the case of Dr. Shakeel Afridi is pending in the courts otherwise Government is willing to proceed further in the matter	Senator Maulana Hafiz Hamdullah	Disposed of	17-01-2017
8.	The out of turn allotment of plots by the Federal Government Employees Housing Foundation (FGEHF) to sixty officers of the Islamabad Police and the District Administration which caused Rs. 389 million loss to the national exchequer as the Housing Foundation compensated them under the professional quota instead of allotting them the plots from their respective cadres.	Senator Col. (R) Syed Tahir Hussain Mashhadi	Disposed of	17-01-2017
9.	The issuance of special hunting permits to the Qatri Princes for hunting of Houbara Bustard, illegal occupation of the lands of the locals by the representative deputed by the Federal Government to provide security to the princes and constant harassment to the local community by damaging their crops and excessive hunting of precious and rare birds.	Senators Sardar Fateh Muhammad Muhammad Hassani, Ilyas Ahmed Bilour, Muhammad Usman Khan Kakar And Rozi Khan Kakar	The Chairman asked the Leader of the House and the Minister for Law and Justice to sit with the Members and address their grievances and the notice was Disposed of	18-01-2017
10.	The manufacturing of substandard LPG cylinders causing a serious life threat to the domestic consumers of LPG	Senator Mian Muhammad Ateeq Sheikh	Disposed of	18-01-2017
11.	The renting out of an inn "Sarai-i-Awam" located in sector G-7, Islamabad, to the National Accountability Bureau by the Capital Development Authority, whereas the purpose of that inn was only to provide boarding facility on a cheap rate to low income individuals who visit the city for a short stay and could not afford to stay in hotels.	Senator Col. (R) Syed Tahir Hussain Mashhadi	Disposed of	19-01-2017

12.	The high fees being charged by the private educational institutions in Islamabad Capital Territory	Senator Nehal Hashmi	Disposed of	20-01-2016
13.	The granting of equivalence certificates to O and A level students by Inter Board Committee of Chairmen (IBCC) which is discrimination and has adverse effects on those students while applying for higher studies in the country.	Senator Ayesha Raza Farooq	Disposed of	20-01-2016

ADJOURNMENT MOTION

Sr. No.	Subject matter of the adjournment motion	Name(s) of the Mover(s)	Concerned Ministry	Ruling of the Chairman	Date
1.	The new amnesty scheme under consideration of the Government which would allow amnesty to those who hold wealth abroad by bringing the wealth back into the country without the fear of penalty other than paying a nominal amount of tax on the value of the declared asset.	Senator Mian Muhammad Ateeq Sheikh		Motion was held in order and fixed for two hours discussion on 17 th January, 2017	12-01-2017

DISCUSSION ON THE ADMITTED ADJOURNMENT MOTIONS

Sr. No	Subject matter of the adjournment motion	Wind up by (Minister/Advisor)	Direction of the Chairman, if any	Date
1.	The new amnesty scheme under consideration of the Government.	Mr. Zahid Hamid, Minister for Law and Justice	Talked out	17-01-2017

MOTION

[Under Rule 157 (2)]

On 18th January, 2017 Senator Mohammad Ishaq Dar, Minister for Finance, Revenue, Economic Affairs, Statistics and Privatization, to move that the Senate may discuss the third Quarterly Report for the year 2015-2016 of the Central Board of Directors of the State Bank of Pakistan on the state of the Economy, laid on the Table of the House on 20th July, 2016.

Minister for Law and Justice drew attention of the Chair towards the fact that a fresh report of the Central Board of Directors of the State Bank of Pakistan on the state of the Economy has been laid in the House

during the current session and it would be more appropriate to discuss that latest report which contains the latest facts and figures of economy.

The Chairman agreed the suggestion of the Minister and directed that the latest report be set down in the Orders of the Day for discussion

On 19th January, 2017 Mr. Sheikh Aftab Ahmed, Minister for Parliamentary Affairs on behalf of Senator Kamran Michael, Minister for Human Rights, moved that the Senate may discuss the Annual Report of the National Commissions on the Status of Women for the year 2014, laid on the Table of the House on 1st March, 2016.

Following Members spoke: -

1. Senator Mohammad Azam Khan Swati.
2. Senator Farhatullah Babar.
3. Senator Ayesha Raza Farooq.
4. Senator Mushahid Hussain Syed.
5. Senator Sassui Palijo.
6. Senator Syed Muzaffar Hussain Shah.
7. Senator Taj Haider.
8. Senator Ghous Muhammad Khan Niazi.
9. Senator Muhammad Usman Khan Kakar.
10. Senator Lt. General (R) Abdul Qayyum.
11. Senator Rubina Khalid.
12. Senator Muhammad Javed Abbasi.
13. Senator Saeedul Hassan Mandokhail.
14. Senator Shahi Syed.
15. Senator Raja Muhammad Zafar-ul-Haq, Leader of the House.

The discussion was over.

On 20th January, 2017 The 2nd Biannual Monitoring report on the Implementation of National Finance Commission (NFC) Award (January-June, 2016), laid on the Table of the House on 21st December, 2016 was discussed by the House.

Following members spoke :

1. Senator Mohammad Azam Khan Swati.
2. Senator Muhammad Mohsin Khan Leghari.
3. Senator Saleem Mandviwalla.
4. Senator Muhammad Usman Khan Kakar.
5. Senator Dr. Jehanzeb Jamaldini.
6. Senator Taj Haider.

Mr. Muhammad Baligh Ur Rehman, Minister for Interior and Narcotics Control wound up the debate.

The Motion was thus talked out.

RULINGS/DIRECTIONS OF THE CHAIR

- **On 9th January, 2017** The Chairman directed the Minister for Defence to brief the House on the following issues:
 - Whether the former Chief of Army Staff has accepted any position in the Saudi lead Military alliance of Islamic States?
 - If yes, what are the rules which govern the acceptance of any position by a retired COAS?
 - Whether such rules were observed by the former COAS while accepting the position?
 - Whether he has availed NOC from the Federal Government, if yes, who issued such NOC?
 - **The Minister confirmed that he will brief the House on the issues on Wednesday, the 11th January, 2017.**
 - **The Chairman further directed the Law Minister to ask the Advisor to the Prime Minister on Foreign Affairs to brief the House about the impact of acceptance of such position by former COAS on the Foreign Policy of Pakistan and the stand taken by the Parliament of Pakistan in Joint Sitting.**
- **On 12th January, 2017** The Chairman drew attention of the Law Minister towards the abduction of another Member of Civil Society and directed him to ask the Minister for Interior to come in the House on 13th January, 2017 (Friday) and inform about the increasing number of cases of abduction.
- **On 13th January, 2017** The Chairman announced that upon recommendations of the Senate of Pakistan, the Government of Sindh has revised its curriculum and the benefit of democratic system has now been highlighted whereas previously the benefit of dictatorship was being highlighted in the curriculum.
- **On 16th January 2017** The Chairman expressed his serious concern on the statements made by the Foreign offices of United Kingdom and United State of America on the incidents of recent missing persons in Pakistan and stated that these Governments have no right to interfere or comment on the internal affairs of a sovereign country and specially when these Governments have never took notice of human rights violations, missing persons and extra judicial killings in Indian occupied Kashmir and Palestine.

DISCUSSION ON THE INCIDENT OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE OF A MINOR GIRL IN ISLAMABAD AND THE ABDUCTION OF FOUR MEMBERS OF CIVIL SOCIETY

On 9th January, 2017 The following members spoke on the issues: -

1. Senator Sehar Kamran.
2. Senator Taj Haider.
3. Senator Osman Saifullah Khan.
4. Senator Mohammad Azam Khan Swati.
5. Senator Col. (R) Syed Tahir Hussain Mashhadi.
6. Senator Ilyas Ahmad Bilour.
7. Senator Mohsin Aziz.
8. Senator Samina Abid.
9. Senator Sitara Ayaz.
10. Senator Muhammad Javed Abbasi.

11. Senator Sirajul Haq.
12. Senator Khushbakht Shujat.
13. Senator Muhammad Usman Khan Kakar.
14. Senator Muhammad Ali Khan Saif.
15. Senator Mir Kabeer Ahmed Muhammad Shahi.
16. Senator Rubina Khalid.
17. Senator Maulana Hafiz Hamadullah.
18. Senator Mushahid Ullah Khan.

After the discussion, the Chairman observed that the case of domestic violence cannot only be attributed to judiciary just because of the reason that a sitting Judge is the accused in the case but the fact of the matter is that such incidents happens in every segment of society for which we are collectively responsible. The Chairman further observed that to meet the ends of justice, the Judges who are involved in the inquiry should be suspended till completion of the enquiry.

- **The Chairman referred the matter incident of domestic violence to the Committee on Human Rights.**
- **As far as the incidents of abduction of four members of civil society is concerned, the Chairman asked the Leader of the House that the Minister for Interior may be asked to brief the House tomorrow and if any information is to be fetched from the Provincial Government that may also be obtained and the House may be briefed on the circumstances under which the persons were abducted and the steps taken by the Government so far for their recovery.**

RESOLUTION
[Under rule 145 (2)]

On 18th January, 2017 Senators Aitzaz Ahsan, Leader Of The Opposition, Mian Muhammad Ateeq Shaikh, Khanzada Khan, Saleem Mandviwala, Ilyas Ahmad Bilour, Syed Shibli Faraz, Brig. (R) John Kenneth Williams, Muhammad Ali Khan Saif, Mohsin Aziz, Gianchand, Ms. Sitara Ayaz, Shahi Syed, Liaqat Khan Tarakai, Hilal-Urrehman, Baz Muhammad Khan, Taj Haider, Mohammad Azam Khan Swati, Kamil Ali Agha, Ms. Samina Abid, Mrs. Rubina Khalid, Farhatullah Babar, Muhammad Daud Khan Achakzai, Advocate, Mir Israrullah Khan Zehri , Ahmed Hassan, Ms. Sassui Palijo, Abdul Rehman Malik, Sajjad Hussain Turi, Mrs. Naseema Ehsan, Malik Najmul Hassan, Taj Muhammad Afridi, Haji Momin Khan Afridi, Muhammad Usman Khan Kakar, Nauman Wazir Khattak, Sardar Muhammad Azam Khan Musakhel, Mrs. Sehar Kamran, Mst. Gul Bashra, Hari Ram and Haji Saif-Ullah Khan Bangash, moved the following resolution: -

“This House disapproves the National Accountability (Amendment) Ordinance, 2017. (Ordinance No. II of 2017).”

The Resolution was opposed by Mr. Zahid Hamid, Minister for Law and Justice. Resolution was put to the House which was voted upon and Resolution was carried by 33 votes to 21. Thereafter, the Resolution was passed and the Ordinance stands disapproved.

PRIVATE MEMBERS' RESOLUTIONS

Sr. No.	Subject matter of the Resolution	Name(s) of the Mover(s)	Adopted/Rejected unanimously or with majority	Direction of the Chairman, if any	Date
1.	This House recommends that the Government should take effective steps for poverty alleviation in the country.	Senator Muhammad Talha Mahmood	Resolution was passed being not opposed.		9-01-2017
2.	This House recommends that the domicile certificates of the persons belonging to Balochistan who are working in various Ministries / Divisions and Federal Government Departments may be sent to the concerned authorities in the Province of Balochistan for verification of the same	Senator Mir Kabeer Ahmed Muhammad Shahi	Resolution was passed being not opposed.		9-01-2017
3.	This House recommends that the Government should make legislation to provide for preferential treatment to the women engaged in business and trade related activities in the country	Senator Mohammad Azam Khan Swati	Resolution was passed being not opposed.		9-01-2017
4.	This House strongly condemns the statement of the Indian Prime Minister, Narendra Modi attributing terrorism to Pakistan and drawing a parallel between India and Israel evoking a parallel	Senator Sehar Kamran	Resolution was passed being not opposed.		16-01-2017

	<p>between Kashmir and Palestine, during the recently held BRICS Summit held in Goa, India.</p> <p>The House appreciates the reaction of International Community to this baseless propaganda by the Indian Prime Minister.</p> <p>The House believes that the statement made by the Indian Premier was an effort to divert the attention of the International Community from the Indian atrocities against the people of Indian Occupied Kashmir.</p> <p>The House reiterates that there will be no compromise on the sovereignty and defence of Pakistan and our resolve to fight against terrorism and contribute towards bringing peace and harmony in the world</p>				
5.	This House recommends that the Government should launch a scheme for provision of interest free loans to farmers for installation of solar tube wells in the country	Senator Chaudhary Tanvir Khan	Resolution was passed being not opposed.		16-01-2017
6.	This House recommends that evening and night shifts may be started in the dispensaries in	Senator Muhammad Talha Mahmood	Resolution was passed being not opposed.		16-01-2017

	the rural areas of Islamabad in order to make the medical facility available round the clock to the people living in those areas				
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MOTION UNDER RULE 60

Sr. No	Subject matter of the motion	Name(s) of the Mover(s)	Name of Speakers	Wind up by (Minister/ Advisor)	Direction of the Chairman at the end of discussion	Date
1	Regarding the tests conducted by NTS for appointments against various posts in Utility Stores Corporation, advertised in 2015 and 2016.	Senator Mian Muhammad Ateq Shaikh	Senators Muhammad Azam Khan Swati, Dr. Jahanzeb Jamaldini, Muhammad Usman Khan Kakar, Mir Kabeer Ahmed Muhammad Shahi, Sardar Muhammad Azam Khan Musakhel, Kalsoom Perveen, Maulana Hafiz Hamdullah, Rubina Khalid and Muhammad Ali Khan Saif	Mr. Ghulam Murtaza Khan Jatoi, minister for Industries and production	Talked out	11-01-2017
2.	Discussion on the following matter of public importance arising out of answer to starred question No. 77, replied on 12th January, 2017: - "Regarding the names and	Senator Mohammad Azam Khan Swati	Senators Mohammad Azam Khan Swati and Sirajul Haq.	Sheikh Aftab Ahmed, Minister for Parliamentary Affairs	The Motion was thus talked out. The Minister was directed to provide the relevant document to the Member.	18-01-2017

addresses of the owner (s) of the service stations established at both sides of the River Indus on Islamabad-Peshawar Motorway, the name of authority which approved the establishment of those service stations and the date and terms and conditions of the agreement made for the same.”					
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COMMENCED MOTION 218

On 9th January, 2017 Discussion on the following motion moved by Senator Chaudhary Tanvir Khan, on 25th July, 2016:-

“The House may discuss the situation arising out of constantly lowering water table in the country and the steps to control the same.”

The following members spoke:

1. Senator Chaudhary Tanvir Khan.
2. Senator Mir Kabeer Ahmed Muhammad Shahi.
3. Senator Muhammad Usman Khan Kakar.
4. Senator Muhammad Mohsin Khan Leghari.
5. Senator Lt. General (R) Abdul Qayyum.
6. Senator Sardar Muhammad Azam Khan Musakhel.
7. Senator Nehal Hashmi.
8. Senator Ayesha Raza Farooq.
9. Senator Col. (R) Syed Tahir Hussain Mashhadi.
10. Senator Nauman Wazir Khattak.
11. Senator Mukhtiar Ahmed Dhamrah @ Aajiz.
12. Senator Ghous Muhammad Khan Niazi.

13. Senator Kalsoom Perveen

14. Khawaja Muhammad Asif, Federal Minister for Water and Power wound up the debate.

The motion was thus talked out.

On 16th January, 2017 Senator Sehar Kamran moved that the House may discuss the situation arising out of the continuing Indian violations of the Line of Control (LoC) and cease fire on the working boundary, which has resulted in the loss of precious lives of Pakistanis.

Following Members spoke on the Motion:-

1. Senator Sehar Kamran.
2. Senator Lt. Gen. (R) Abdul Qayyum.
3. Senator Sassui Palijo.
4. Senator Col. (R) Syed Tahir Hussain Mashhadi.
5. Senator Mohsin Aziz.

Khawaja Muhammad Asif, Minister for Defence wound up the debate.

The Motion was thus talked out.

MOTIONS UNDER RULE 218

Sr. No.	Subject matter of the Motion	Name(s) of the Mover(s)	Wound up by Minister/ Adviser	Direction of the Chairman at the end of discussion	Date
1.	The current political situation in the country	Senator Muhammad Talha Mahmood		The motion was talked out	9-01-2017
2.	The need for making changes in the procedure laid down for CSS examination.	Senator Chaudhary Tanvir Khan	Mr. Sheikh Aftab Ahmed, Minister for Parliamentary Affairs	The Chairman observed that if the Members want to take it up in the Committee of the Whole then they can approach the Leader of the House and the Leader of the Opposition for inclusion of a Motion in the Orders of the Day in this respect and the motion was talked out	16-01-2017

3.	The present status of Heavy Electrical Complex (HEC).	Senator Mohammad Azam Khan Swati	Mr. Ghulam Murtaza Jatoi, Minister Industries and Production	The Chairman directed the Secretariat to provide him detailed report of the status of the report and its reply from the Government, if any. And the motion was talked out	16-01-2017
4.	The situation arising out of drastic increase in production and sale of low quality and non-duty paid cigarettes in the country	Senator Mohsin Aziz	Mr. Zahid Hamid, Minister for Law and Justice	The motion was talked out.	16-01-2017
5.	The situation arising out of high rate of unemployment in the country.	Senator Mohammad Azam Khan Swati	Mr. Ahsan Iqbal, Minister for Planning, Development and Reforms	The motion was talked out.	16-01-2017

MOTION

[Under Rule 204]

On 18th January, 2017 Senator Raja Muhammad Zafar-Ul-Haq, Leader of the House, moved under rule 204 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Senate, 2012, that a Special Committee comprising of all Members of the Senate from the Province of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa may be constituted to examine the existing condition of Bacha Khan Airport and the need for expansion and renovation work at the said Airport. The committee shall elect its Convener in its first meeting. The report of the committee shall be presented not later than two months from the date of notification of the committee.

The Motion was put to the House and adopted

POINT OF PERSONAL EXPLANATION BY THE CHAIRMAN

On 18th January, 2017 The Chairman Senate apprised the House about the receipt of a parcel in his residential address at Karachi whereby a Term Deposit Receipt of rupees 100 million in his name in SME Bank was sent to him. The Chairman clarified that he has never maintained any account with the SME Bank and he also spoke to the President SME Bank to check the record as it is a fraudulent transaction and he also spoke to DG FIA and asked him to hold an enquiry into the matter.

REPORTS LAID

- **On 11th January, 2017 Mr. Sheikh Aftab Ahmed, Minister-In-Charge of the Cabinet Secretariat**, laid before the Senate the Annual Report of the National Economic Council for the Financial Year 2014-15, as required under clause (5) of Article 156 of the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan.
 - The Chairman ruled that discussion on the report will be made on 12th January, 2017. The Chairman further ruled that discussion on the reports of CCI, NFC Award, Board of Directors of SBP and Report of the Commission on Status of Women shall also be discussed during the current session.

- **On 13th January, 2017 Mr. Zahid Hamid, Minister for Law and Justice on behalf of Senator Mohammad Ishaq Dar**, Minister for Finance, Revenue, Economic Affairs, Statistics and Privatization, laid before the Senate the First Quarterly Report for the year 2016-2017 of the Central Board of Directors of the State Bank of Pakistan on the state of the Economy, as required under section 9A (f) of the State Bank of Pakistan Act, 1956.
- **On 13th January, 2017 Mr. Zahid Hamid, Minister for Law and Justice on behalf of Senator Mohammad Ishaq Dar**, Minister for Finance, Revenue, Economic Affairs, Statistics and Privatization, laid before the Senate the Progress Report of Benazir Income Support Programme (BISP) for the period 2014-2016, as required under section 17 of the Benazir Income Support Programme Act, 2010.

MOTION

[Under Rule 157 (2)]

On 12th January, 2017 Discussion on the Annual Report of the National Economic Council for the Financial Year 2014-2015, laid on the Table of the House on 11th January, 2017 was made in the House.

The following members spoke: -

1. Senator Mohammad Azam Khan Swati.
2. Senator Mohsin Khan Leghari.
3. Senator Ayesha Raza Farooq.
4. Senator Aitzaz Ahsan (Leader of the Opposition).
5. Senator Muhammad Usman Khan Kakar.
6. Senator Syed Shibli Faraz.
7. Mr. Sheikh Aftab Ahmed, Federal Minister for Parliamentary Affairs wound up the debate.

The Motion was thus talked out.

MINISTERIAL RESPONSE

- **On 9th January, 2017 Mr. Zahid Hamid minister for Law and Justice** categorically stated that the Government has deliberately not pressed the Civil Court (Amendment) Bill, 2016 and a fresh Bill will be introduced after further consultation
- **On 10th January, 2017 Mr. Ch. Nisar Ali Khan, Minister for Interior and Narcotics Control** made statement on the matter referred by the Chairman on 9th January, 2017 regarding the incidents of abduction of four members of civil society.
- The Minister also spoke about the negative criticism made in the House about his Ministry and personal remarks given by some Members about him. He urged the Members to speak while relying on facts and figures.
- **On 11th January, 2017 Mr. Khawaja Muhammad Asif, Minister for Defence**, made a brief statement in response to observations made by the Chairman on 9th January, 2017 about acceptance of any position by former Chief of Army Staff General Raheel Shareef in Saudi lead coalition of armed force of Muslim States.
 - He briefed the House regarding the rules and laws of Ministry of Defence on acceptance of any post by former Chief of Army Staff. He said that an NOC is required by retired army personnel from Ministry of Defence to obtain any posts in any Government institution and there has been no law for obtaining any foreign posts.

- He further added that former Chief of Army Staff has not approached the Ministry of Defence for this purpose.
- **The chair asked Minister for Defence, if Former Army Chief had approached his parent institution for an NOC and if Ministry will look in the matter to amend its rules and make a policy for retired personnel seeking posts outside the Country.**
- **Khawaja Muhammad Asif** replied that the Former Army Chief has not sought any permission for clearance from GHQ and Ministry of Defence. Honorable Minister assured the House that the ministry will look in the matter to amend its rules and make policy for obtaining posts outside the Country.
- **Mr. Sartaj Aziz, advisor to the Prime Minister on Foreign Affairs made no statement.**
The following members spoke on this matter:
 1. Senator Farhatullah Babar
 2. Senator Muhammad Azam Khan Swati
 3. Senator Ilyas Ahmed Bilour
 4. Senator Mohsin Aziz
 5. Lt. Gen. (R) Abdul Qadir Baloch, Minister for States and Frontier Regions
 6. Senator Brig. (R) John Kenneth Williams
 7. Senator Taj Haider
- **On 12th January, 2017 Mr. Sikandar Hayat Khan Bosan, Minister for National Food Security and Research** made a statement on the matter raised by Senator Mohsin Khan Leghari during zero hour on 10th January, 2017 about the withdrawal of subsidy by the Government on fertilizers.
- **On 13th January, 2017 Mr. Zahid Hamid, Minister for Law and Justice** made a statement on behalf of the Minister of State for Interior and Narcotics Control regarding the latest incident of abduction of a Member of Civil Society as well as the feedback on previous incidents of abductions. The Minister made statement about the latest incident of abduction whereas he was not aware of the update of previous incidents of abduction for which the Chairman again directed him to ask the Minister for Interior to apprise the House on Monday the 16th January, 2017.
- **On 16th Januray, 2017 The Minister of State for Interior and Narcotics Control** submitted his report on the incidents of abduction of members of civil society. The Minister stated that no considerable development has so far been made in the cases.
 - **The Chairman expressed his concern on the situation which is very threatening that the State has not been able to make any progress in the cases.**
 - The Chairman further said that the matter was also referred to the Human Rights Committee but the Islamabad Police did not appear before the Committee on the excuse that the Ministry has not directed them to appear. The Chairman urged the Minister to direct the Islamabad Police to appear before the Committee.
 - Senator Muhammad Mohsin Khan Leghari stated that the Punjab Home Department is also not responding to the Committee.
 - The Chairman directed the Secretary Senate to speak to the Secretary Home Department, Government of the Punjab.
- **On 16th January, 2017 Senator Mohammad Ishaq Dar, Minister for Finance, Revenue, Economic Affairs, Statistics and Privatization** made statement about the practice of variation in the petroleum products by the Government on the initiation of summary by OGRA. He particularly provided the facts and figures of the recent summary moved by OGRA in this respect and informed the House about the increase

proposed by OGRA in prices of various petroleum products. He urged the Opposition Members to do the positive criticism but not to mislead the people by quoting wrong facts and figures and while discussing the economic issues one must speak with full knowledge and honesty.

- **On 17th January, 2017 Mr. Shahid Khaqan Abbasi, Minister for Petroleum and Natural Resources** made statement on the point of shortage of gas in snow affected areas of Balochistan raised on 16th January, 2017.
- **On 19th January, 2017 Mr. Muhammad Baligh Ur Rehman, Minister of State for Interior and Narcotics Control,** made statement on the incident of fight between the students in Quaid-e-Azam University Islamabad, the point was raised by Senator Mukhtiar Ahmed Dhamrah @ Aajiz on 18th January, 2017.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF PRESENCE

On 10th January, 2017 The House acknowledged the presence of a group of 46 students and 20 faculty members along with Chancellor of Sindh Madrassa Tul Islam University who were present in the visitors' gallery to witness the proceedings.

On 12th January, 2017 The House acknowledged the presence of a delegation of ten Members Delegation of State Council of Oman led by the Chairman of the State Counsel of Oman.

On 13th January, 2017 The Chair recognized the presence of 17 students along with 7 teachers from ABF School System, Loralai, Balochistan in the visitor's gallery.

On 14th January, 2017 The House acknowledged the presence of 211 students and 10 faculty Members of Super Wings College Kallar Syedan who were present in the visitors' galleries to witness the proceedings of the House.

On 17th January, 2017 The House acknowledged the presence of 19 Officers of Training institute of National Savings Islamabad along with the Principal of the Institute, who were present in the visitors' gallery to witness the proceedings of the House

On 19th January, 2017 The House acknowledged the presence of the following: -

- A group of 32 Imams and 1 professor of Dawah Academy who were present in the Visitors' Gallery to witness the proceedings.
- A group of 20 students and 4 teachers of Federal Government Boys College, Wah Cantt who were present in the Visitors' Gallery to witness the proceedings.

On 20th January, 2017 The House acknowledged the presence of a group of 100 students and faculty members of Islamabad Model College G-6 Islamabad who were present in the galleries to witness the proceedings of the House.

POINTS OF PUBLIC IMPORTANCE

Sr. No.	Name of Mover	Issue in brief	Directions of the Chairman	Date
1.	Senator Sardar Fateh Muhammad Hassani	Pointed out the hunting of TILOUR in Balochistan by the Arab princes and violations of Baloch traditions by the outsiders. He further pointed out the land grabbing in Balochistan under the supervision of Federal Government which is totally uncalled for and the Tribesmen of Balochistan will not allow such	The Chairman directed the Member to move a Calling Attention Notice so that response of the concerned Minister may be obtained.	9-01-2017

		grabbing		
2.	Senators Kalsoom Perveen, Nisar Muhammad and Ahmed Hassan	Pointed out the repeated incidents of at Gaddani Ship Breaking Yard resulting into death of many people.	Mir Hasil Khan Bizenjo, Minister for Ports and Shipping made statement on the matter	10-01-2017
3.	Senator Mohammad Azam Khan Swati	Pointed out the use of spurious herbal drugs as alternate medicines.		10-01-2017
4.	Senator Syed Shibli Faraz	Pointed out the use of low quality gas appliances which results into accidents as well as wastage of gas.		10-01-2017
5.	Senator Mian Muhammad Ateeq Sheikh	Urged the Government to re-visit the Local Governments Act in order to empower the elected representatives		10-01-2017
6.	Senator Nauman Wazir Khattak	Spoke about the announcement of amnesty schemes		10-01-2017
7.	Senator Tahir Hussain Mashhadi	Urged the Federal Government to help the provincial Government to resolve the water crisis in the province especially in Karachi.		10-01-2017
8.	Senator Dr. Jahanzeb Jamaldini	Pointed out the amnesty schemes announced by the Government whereby the smuggled vehicles were got registered but now after audit it has been transpired that the FBR collected less taxes from vehicle owners and now the Government is issuing notices to 18000 vehicle owners to deposit the differential amount	Chairman referred the matter to the Standing Committee concerned.	10-01-2017
9.	Senator Mohsin Khan Leghari	Pointed out the withdrawal of subsidy by the Government on fertilizers.	Chairman directed to refer the matter to the concerned Minister with the direction to come in the House on Friday the 13th January, 2016 and brief the House	10-01-2017
10.	Senator Nehal Hashmi	Pointed out the bad sewerage condition in front of Jinnah Hospital Karachi.		10-01-2017
11.	Senator Sardar Muhammad Azam Khan Musakhel	Stated that there are various check posts of different agencies in Balochistan which collects illegal taxes from the traders and transporters. He urged the Government to give facilities in Chaman and Taftan as available in Wagha and Thar sectors of trading.		10-01-2017
12.	Senator Abdul Qayyum	He urged the Chairman to hold a discussion on Pak-America		10-01-2017

		relationships in the wake of change in leadership of America. He also urged the Government to give briefing in the House about the latest situation on western boarder and the requirements of it further strengthening.		
13.	Senator Mian Muhammad Atteq Sheikh	Pointed out the adulteration in petrol by the petrol pumps.		11-01-2017
14.	Senator Muhammad Usman Khan Kakar	Urged the Government to take on board all stakeholders before finalizing the FATA Reforms package		11-01-2017
15.	Senator Sardar Muhammad Azam Khan Musakhel	Pointed out the importance of forests and urged that the Federal Govt. should help the province of Balochistan in preservation of the forests in the province.		11-01-2017
16.	Senator Sitara ayaz	Pointed that the coins of paisa denominations are no more in existence but whenever the Govt. reduce/increase the prices of petroleum products it is done so in the paisa denominations which is very strange.		11-01-2017
17.	Senator Saeedul Hassan Mandokhel	Pointed out the low capacity power transmission lines in Balochistan.		11-01-2017
18.	Senator Nehal Hashmi	Pointed towards the vulgarity in the advertisements advertised on television. Govt. should make a policy so that Islamic traditions must be observed while making such advertisements.		11-01-2017
19.	Senator Mohsin Aziz	Pointed out the trend of importing every sort of goods from China which has shut down the local industry which is an alarming situation.		11-01-2017
20.	Senator Dr. Jahanzeb Jamaldini	Pointed out that according to NADRA only 43% people are registered in Balochistan so the before the population Census the Govt. should make arrangements for registration of full population of Balochistan.		11-01-2017
21.	Senator Farhatullah Babar	Pointed out the expiry of term of Military Courts and urged the Govt. to look into the procedures adopted by Military Court while sentencing	The Chairman observed that there is a contradiction of terms as the Govt. is of the stance that terrorism has been	11-01-2017

		the criminals.	curtailed and if so there is no need to extend the term of Military Courts	
22.	Senator Dr. Ashok Kumar	Pointed out the non-availability of fuel with PIA to fly their planes	The Chairman observed that Special Committee on PIA may also look into the issue.	12-01-2017
23.	Senator Muhammad Azam Khan Swati	Pointed out the matter of missing people of civil society.	The Chairman observed that he has already directed the Minister for Interior to brief the House on the issue.	12-01-2017
24.	Senator Atta Ur Rehman	Pointed out that lift of parliament lodges is out of order	The Chairman said that he will look into the issue.	12-01-2017
25.	Senator Mohsin Khan Leghari	Pointed out the expiry of the constitutional provision regarding quota		12-01-2017
26.	Senator Syed Shibli Faraz	Pointed out the use of low quality gas appliances which results into accidents as well as wastage of gas.		12-01-2017
27.	Senator Hafiz Hamdullah	Pointed out the death of people in Christian community due to consumption of spurious alcohol so alcohol should be banned in Pakistan.	Chairman said that the Member may move a Private Member Bill	12-01-2017
28.	Senator Sardar Muhammad Azam Khan Musakhel	Spoke about the hunting of Hobara Bustard in Balochistan		12-01-2017
29.	Senator Muhammad Usman Khan Kakar.	Spoke about the grabbing of lands by armed forces in Balochistan		12-01-2017
30.	Senator Dr. Jehanzeb Jamalini	Spoke about the engagement of people of Balochistan in smuggling from Iran due to the reason that they have no other source of income. He urged the Govt. to legalize the import of oil from Iran.		12-01-2017
31.	Senator Mian Muhammad Ateeq Sheikh	Pointed out the low pressure of gas to domestic users in Rawalpindi Islamabad	The Chairman advised the Member to give a calling attention notice	13-01-2017
32.	Senator Rubina Khalid	Urged the Government to clarify and publish the report on the incident of death of infants in Khyber Agency as the impression in tribal areas about polio vaccination is already negative and if the Government does not clarify such incidents then this negative impression will become more firm in the minds of the people which is not good for polio eradication.	The Chairman drew attention of the Government towards the point raised by the Member	13-01-2017
33.	Senator Sassui Palijo	Pointed out the delay in schemes in the Coastal areas of Sindh. She also		13-01-2017

		urged the Govt. to compile the data of legal/illegal immigrants before population census. Further pointed that census		
34.	Senator Nauman Wazir Khattak	Drew attention of the House towards the wrong quoting of facts and figures by the Ministers in the House.	The Chairman said that if the Member has any concrete evidence then he can move a Privilege Motion	13-01-2017
35.	Senator Muhammad Usman Khan Kakkar	Spoke about the blocking of CNICs of Pakhtoons. He urged the Govt. to make a mechanism of de-blocking the blocked cards after due verification.		13-01-2017
36.	Senator Samina Abid	Pointed out the non-availability of gas to residents of Farash Town Islamabad. She also spoke about the bad condition of KAVAN the elephant in Margallah Zoo whose rehabilitation has not been made by CSA despite the direction from the Senate	Chairman advised the Members to visit the zoo on Monday and report back the present condition of the elephant	13-01-2017
37.	Senator Mir Kabeer Ahmed Muhammad Shahi	Pointed out the less number of flights from Quetta to Karachi and Islamabad causing great problems to the people of Balochistan		13-01-2017
38.	Senator Kalsoom Perveen	Requested the Chair to make some mechanism that the points of public importance raised by the Members should be responded by the Ministries.	The Chairman directed the Secretariat to transmit all the points to the Ministries.	13-01-2017
39.	Sardar Muhammad Azam Khan Musakhel	Stated that the people of Balochistan are being ignored for employment in every department.		13-01-2017
40.	Senator Farhatullah Babar	Spoke about the missing persons which seem a threatening signal to the Parliament that whatever law you may make the missing persons cannot be recovered.	Chairman observed that no one can threaten the Parliament and restrict the parliament to perform its duty.	13-01-2017
41.	Senator Dr. Jahanzeb Jamaldini	Pointed out the low fleet of PIA for domestic flights. He further stated that the Members should have been given the facility to use other airlines where the PIA does not provide service.	The Chairman informed the Member that Rules are being amended in this regard.	13-01-2017
42.	Senator Muhammad Mohsin Khan Leghari	Pointed out the pending rebate cases of importers of fertilizers.		16-01-2017
43.	Senator Col. (R) Syed Tahir Hussain	Appreciated the new dress code of the Table Officers and also urged	The Finance Minister liked the idea of new gowns and stated	16-01-2017

	Mashhadi	the Chairman to change the designs of gowns of the Chairman and the Secretaries to have a better and dignified look	that the Finance Ministry will provide the supplementary grant for the cost of such gowns	
44.	Senator Mir Kabeer Ahmed Muhammad Shahi	Pointed out the heavy snow fall in Balochistan and the problems of shortage of electricity and gas faced by the people of the province	The Chairman directed to refer the matter to the Minister for Water and Power and the Minister for Petroleum and Natural Resources with the direction to respond the issue in the House on Tuesday.	16-01-2017
45.	Senator Muhammad Usman Khan Kakar	Requested the Finance Minister to write off the agricultural loans of the farmers of Balochistan		16-01-2017
46.	Senator Nauman Wazir Khattak	Drew attention of the Finance Minister towards the non-clarity in the Policy of the Government for pioneer industry	The Finance Minister stated that no such policy is under consideration of the ECC	16-01-2017
47.	Senator Khushbakht Shujaat	Pointed out the incident of committing of suicide by a student of 7th class by falling in love with his teacher. She stated that such incidents reflect the decline in ethics in the society as a whole.		17-01-2017
48.	Senator Sardar Muhammad Azam Khan Musakhel	Pointed out the provisional order issued by the Federal Government asking the business community of provinces to deposit the taxes amount in the offices of FBR situated outside their respective provinces.		17-01-2017
49.	Senator Muhammad Usman Khan Kakar	Spoke about overall un-employment in the country and about the non-observance of Balochistan quota in employments and non-advertisements of many vacancies lying vacant in the federal government departments.		17-01-2017
50.	Senator Hafiz Hamadullah	Spoke about the overall decline in ethical standards and use of narcotics in educational institutions. He further pointed out the use of liquor in the parliament lodges which is very shameful		17-01-2017
51.	Senator Farhatullah Babar	Appreciated the voting by Senator Lt. Gen. (R) Salahudin Tirmizi as per his conscious against the party direction while voting on The Benami Transactions (Prohibition) Bill, 2016		17-01-2017

52.	Senator Mohammad Azam Khan Swati	Spoke about the sale/purchase of human organs in Rawalpindi/Islamabad. He also urged the NDMA to provide helicopter service in the snow affected areas in Chitral		17-01-2017
53.	Senator Col. (R) Syed Tahir Hussain Mashhadi	Spoke about the incidents of abductions of liberal people of the society which is against the basic concept of creation of the State and is a stigma on the face of the Nation		17-01-2017
54.	Senator Nehal Hashmi	Urged that the Government should monitor the advertisement policy in print and electronic media and the matter should be discussed in the Committee of the Whole.		17-01-2017
55.	Senator Mushahid Ullah Khan	Expressed his views about the points raised by Members.		17-01-2017
56.	Senator Shahi Syed	Condemned the general trend of lying in the society and also stated that the people are not willing to work honestly which is also a reason of unemployment		17-01-2017
57.	Senator Mushahid Hussian Syed	Paid tribute to late Mr. Imtiaz Ahmed, a legend cricketer of Pakistan and urged the Government that a cricket stadium should be named after him.		17-01-2017
58.	Senator Taj Haider	Spoke about the globe affixed at the end of Constitution Avenue. The Member pointed out that the globe has been affixed straight whereas the globe of the world naturally has a tilt of 23.5 degrees, therefore, such scientific mistakes should be looked into.	The Chairman referred the matter to Chairman CDA. The Chairman also pointed out the wrong arrangement of slogan of Quaid-e-Azam affixed on the Islamabad Highway near Karal Chowk.	18-01-2017
59.	Senator Sirajul Haq	Spoke about the detention of Dr. Aafia Siddiqui in USA and stated that if the Government of Pakistan take the matter seriously and send a formal request to President Obama in this respect she could be released.	The Chairman asked the Minister for Law to look into the matter who in response stated that he will take up the matter with the Advisor to the Prime Minister on Foreign Affairs	18-01-2017
60.	Senator Muhammad Usman Khan Kakar	Spoke about the consultation process initiated between the parliamentary leaders in National Assembly for the extension of Military Courts. The Member pointed out that the Senate is not being taken on board on this issue.	The Chairman asked the Minister for Law and Justice to look into the issue who assured that her will check the details and let the House know.	18-01-2017

61.	Senator Mukhtiar Ahmed Dhamrah @ Aajiz	Pointed out the happening of fight between the students in Quaid-e-Azam University Islamabad wherein the students belonging to Sindh are being attacked by outsiders and the University administration is not playing its role in the issue.	The Chairman asked the Leader of the House to look into the matter and inform the House.	18-01-2017
62.	Senator Kalsoom Parveen	Spoke about the non-availability of gas in snow affected areas of Balochistan.		18-01-2017
63.	Senator Sardar Muhammad Azam Khan Musakhel	Spoke about the hunting of Haubara Bustard in Balochistan by the Qatri princes without taking permission from the provincial Government.		18-01-2017
64.	Senator Saeedul Hassan Mandokhail	Also spoke about the heavy snow fall in Balochistan and asked the Federal Government to help the provincial Government in rescue and relief work.		18-01-2017
65.	Senator Sitara Ayaz	Spoke about the increasing incidents of violence against women and she urged that the laws in this regard should be strictly implemented		18-01-2017
66.	Senator Muhammad Ali Khan Saif	Spoke about the allotment of plots by Government in Islamabad to the parties for construction of schools and hospitals with the condition to provide low cost education and low cost medical facilities but the hospital and schools having been constructed on such plots are charging very high rates of schools fee and hospital charges which is violation of the basic agreement. He urged the Government to look into the issue	The Chairman observed that the matter is already pending with a committee and directed that the report from the Committee be obtained and provided to him.	18-01-2017
67.	Senator Muhammad Mohsin Khan Leghari	Pointed out the pending rebate cases of importers of fertilizers.		20-01-2017
68.	Senator Kalsoom Perveen	Spoke about the forcible occupation of land in villages Tamma and Mohrian by FGEHF in collaboration with the Supreme Court Bar Association.		20-01-2017
69.	Senator Sardar Muhammad Azam Khan Musakhel	Stated that the Oil and Gas exploration companies are bound to spend 10 percent of their profit in the areas where exploration work is		20-01-2017

		carried out but such companies are not doing the same.		
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- The Chairman Senate prorogued the session summoned on 9th January, 2017 at 01:10 p.m.

**Islamabad, the
20th January, 2017**