SENATE OF PAKISTAN DAILY JOURNAL (331st SESSION)

Date and Day	2 nd August 2023, (Wednesday)
Commenced at	03:00 p.m.
Adjourned at	07:23 p.m.
Presided by	Chairman Senate & Deputy Chairman
	Senate
Attendance	69
Total Working Hours	4hours and 23 minutes

Recitation from the Holy Quran.

MOTION

[Under Rule 194(1)]

1. Senator Mohammad Abdul Qadir, Chairman, Standing Committee on Petroleum, to move under sub-rule (1) of Rule 194 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Senate, 2012, that the time for presentation of report of the Committee on the subject matter of Starred Question No. 3, asked by Senator Mushtaq Ahmed on 4th April, 2023, regarding rates of import of LPG and the taxes imposed on the same, may be extended for a period of sixty days with effect from 31st July, 2023.

The Motion was deferred

<u>SPECIAL REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE - PRESENTATION OF:</u> [Under Rule 193]

1. Senator Hidayat Ullah, Chairman, Standing Committee on Aviation, presented a special report of the Committee, pertaining to the examination/consideration and recommendations for resolution of issues regarding Pilots Licenses.

The Report stood laid.

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

2. Senator Hidayat Ullah, Chairman, Standing Committee on Aviation, presented report of the Committee on the Bill to consolidate and amend the law for better regulation and control of civil aviation and to confer certain duties and powers on the Pakistan Civil Aviation Authority [The Pakistan Civil Aviation Bill, 2023].

The Report stood laid.

3. Senator Hidayat Ullah, Chairman, Standing Committee on Aviation, presented report of the Committee on the Bill to provide for better investigation of accidents and other incidents arising out of navigation of aircrafts [The Pakistan Air Safety Investigations Bill, 2023].

The Report stood laid.

4. Senator Zeeshan Khan Zada, Chairman, Standing Committee on Commerce, to present report of the Committee on the Bill further to amend the Imports and Exports (Control) Act, 1950 [The Imports and Exports (Control (Amendment) Bill, 2023].

The Motion was deferred

5. Senator Zeeshan Khan Zada, Chairman, Standing Committee on Commerce, to present report of the Committee on the Bill further to amend the Trade Marks Ordinance, 2001 [The Trade Marks (Amendment) Bill, 2023].

The Motion was deferred

6. Senator Irfan-Ul-Haque Siddiqui, Chairman, Standing Committee on Federal Education and Professional Training, to present report of the Committee on the Bill further to amend the National Skills University Islamabad Act, 2018 [The National Skills University Islamabad (Amendment) Bill, 2023].

The Motion was deferred

7. Senator Syed Ali Zafar, Chairman, Standing Committee on Law and Justice, to present report of the Committee on the Bill further to amend the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan [The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2022], introduced by Senator Farooq Hamid Naek on 1st August, 2022.(Amendment of Article 142 and substitution of Article 175A).

The Motion was deferred

8. Senator Syed Ali Zafar, Chairman, Standing Committee on Law and Justice, to present report of the Committee on the Bill further to amend the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan [The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2022], introduced by Senator Fawzia Arshad on 10th October, 2022. **(Amendment of Article 51).**

The Motion was deferred

9. Senator Syed Ali Zafar, Chairman, Standing Committee on Law and Justice, to present report of the Committee on the Bill further to amend the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan [The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2022], introduced by Senator Engr. Rukhsana Zuberi on 3rd October, 2022. **(Amendment of Articles, 218 and 228)**.

The Motion was deferred

10. Senator Syed Ali Zafar, Chairman, Standing Committee on Law and Justice, to present report of the Committee on a point of public importance raised by Senator Sardar Muhammad Shafiq Tareen on 7th October, 2022, regarding Circuit Benches of Balochistan High Court.

The Motion was deferred

BILL INTRODUCED

1. Rana Tanveer Hussain, Minister for Federal Education and Professional Training, introduced the Bill further to amend the Higher Education Commission Ordinance, 2002 [The Higher Education Commission (Amendment) Bill, 2023].

Following Member's also spoke on the issue:-

- 1. Senator Muhammad Tahir Bizenjo
- 2. Senator Syed Yousuf Raza Gillani

Senator Azam Nazeer Tarar, Minister for Law and Justice, responded the issue.

The Motion was put to the House. The Bill introduced and referred to Standing Committee concerned for one day.

BILLS AS REPORTED BY THE STANDING COMMITTEE

1. Senator Azam Nazeer Tarar, Minister for Law and Justice, On behalf of Khawaja Saad Rafique, Minister for Aviation, to moved that the Bill to consolidate and amend the law for better regulation and control of civil aviation and to confer certain duties and powers on the Pakistan Civil Aviation Authority [The Pakistan Civil Aviation Bill, 2023], as reported by the Standing Committee be taken into consideration at once.

The Motion was put to the House. Thereafter, the House started second reading of the Bill i.e. clause by clause consideration.

2. Senator Azam Nazeer Tarar, Minister for Law and Justice, On behalf of Khawaja Saad Rafique, Minister for Aviation, moved that the Bill to consolidate and amend the law for better regulation and control of civil aviation and to confer certain duties and powers on the Pakistan Civil Aviation Authority [The Pakistan Civil Aviation Bill, 2023], be passed.

The Motion was put to the House and the Bill was passed unanimously.

3. Senator Azam Nazeer Tarar, Minister for Law and Justice, On behalf of **Khawaja Saad Rafique,** Minister for Aviation, moved that the Bill to provide for better investigation of accidents and other incidents arising out of navigation of aircrafts [The Pakistan Air Safety Investigations Bill, 2023], as reported by the Standing Committee be taken into consideration at once.

The Motion was put to the House. Thereafter, the House started second reading of the Bill i.e. clause by clause consideration.

4. Senator Azam Nazeer Tarar, Minister for Law and Justice, On behalf of Khawaja Saad Rafique, Minister for Aviation, moved that the Bill to provide for better investigation of accidents and other incidents arising out of navigation of aircrafts [The Pakistan Air Safety Investigations Bill, 2023], be passed.

The Motion was put to the House and the Bill was passed unanimously.

BILLS AS PASSED BY THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

1. Senator Muhammad Ishaq Dar, Minister for Finance and Revenue, moved that the Bill to provide for establishment of Pakistan Sovereign Wealth Fund for [The Pakistan Sovereign Wealth Fund Bill, 2023], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration at once.

The Motion was put to the House. Thereafter, the House started second reading of the Bill i.e. clause by clause consideration.

2. Senator Muhammad Ishaq Dar, Minister for Finance and Revenue, moved that the Bill to provide for establishment of Pakistan Sovereign Wealth Fund for [The Pakistan Sovereign Wealth Fund Bill, 2023], be passed.

The Motion was put to the House and the Bill was passed .

3. Senator Muhammad Talha Mehmood, Minister for Religious Affairs and Interfaith Harmony, moved that the Bill for regulating and managing the Hajj and Umrah [The Hajj and Umrah (Regulation) Bill, 2023], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration at once.

The Motion was put to the House. The Bill introduced and referred to Standing Committee concerned for one day.

4. Rana Tanveer Hussain, Minister for Federal Education and Professional Training, moved that the Bill to amend the National Commission for Human Development Ordinance, 2002 [The National Commission for Human Development (Amendment) Bill, 2023], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration at once.

Senator Azam Nazeer Tarar, Minister for Law and Justice, responded the issue.

The Motion was put to the House. Thereafter, the House started second reading of the Bill i.e. clause by clause consideration.

5. Rana Tanveer Hussain, Minister for Federal Education and Professional Training, to move that the Bill to amend the National Commission for Human Development Ordinance, 2002 [The National Commission for Human Development (Amendment) Bill, 2023], be passed.

The Motion was put to the House and the Bill was passed.

6. Rana Tanveer Hussain, Minister for Federal Education and Professional Training, moved that the Bill to amend the Federal Urdu University of Arts, Sciences and Technology, Islamabad Ordinance, 2002 [The Federal Urdu University of Arts, Sciences and Technology, Islamabad (Amendment) Bill, 2023], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration at once.

Following Member's also spoke on the issue:-

- 1. Senator Mian Raza Rabbani
- 2. Senator Kamil Ali Agha

- 3. Senator Mushtaq Ahmed
- 4. Senator Syed Yousuf Raza Gillani
- 5. Senator Mian Raza Rabbani
- 6. Senator Kamran Murtaza
- 7. Senator Mohammad Humayun Mohmand
- 8. Senator Hidayatullah Khan

Rana Tanveer Hussain, Minister for Federal Education and Professional Training, responded the issue.

The Motion was put to the House. The Bill introduced and referred to Standing Committee concerned.

7. Senator Azam Nazeer Tarar, Minister for Law and Justice, On behalf of Rana Sanaullah Khan, Minister for Interior to move that the Bill further to amend the Official Secrets Act, 1923 [The Official Secrets (Amendment) Bill, 2023], as passed by the National Assembly, be taken into consideration at once.

The Motion was put to the House. The Bill introduced and referred to Standing Committee concerned.

REPORT LAID BEFORE THE SENATE

1. Senator Azam Nazeer Tarar, Minister for Law and Justice, On behalf of Main Riaz Hussain Pirzada, Minister for Human Rights, laid before the Senate the Annual Report of the National Commission for Human Rights for the period from December, 2021 to December, 2022, as required by sub-section (2) of section 28 of the National Commission for Human Rights Act, 2012.

The Report stood laid.

At 05:18 p.m the Deputy Chairman Senate started the proceeding of the House.

Speeches condemning the tragic suicide attack which claimed more than 50 innocent lives of people and particularly JUI-F political workers in Bajaur, erstwhile FATA

Following Member's also spoke on the issue:-

- 1. Senator Molana Abdul Ghafoor Haideri
- 2. Senator Hidayat Ullah
- 3. Senator Muhammad Ishaq Dar, Leader of the House
- 4. Senator Syed Yousaf Raza Gillani

- 5. Senator Mushtag Ahmed
- 6.Senator Bahramand Khan Tangi
- 7. Senator Muhammad Tahir Bizinjo
- 8. Senator Haji Hidayat Ullah Khan
- 9. Senator Palwasha Mohammad Zai Khan
- 10. Senator Saifullah Abro
- 11. Senator Fida Muhammad
- 12. Senator Molvi Faiz Muhammad
- 13. Senator Kamran Murtaza
- 14. Senator Danesh Kumar
- 15. Senator Rana Maqbool Ahmad
- 16. Senator Syed Wagar Mehdi
- 17. Senator Kamran Murtaza

At 07:23 p.m. the Deputy Chairman Senate adjourned the proceedings of the House to meet again on Friday, 4th August, 2023, at 10:00 a.m.

Islamabad, the 2nd August, 2023.