

SENATE SECRETARIAT

No. F. 19(1)/2024-27/C-I-(1)

Islamabad, the 5th July, 2024

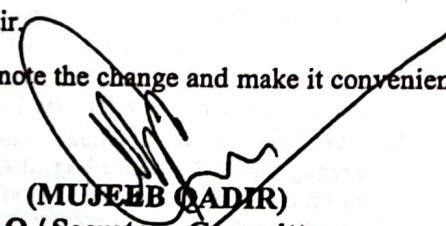
NOTICE

A meeting of the Senate Standing Committee on Information and Broadcasting will be held on Wednesday, the 10th July, 2024 at 02:30 p.m. in Committee Room No.4, Parliament House, Islamabad.

02. The agenda before the Committee would be as under:-

- (i) Consideration of Private Member Bill titled "The Right of Access to Information (Amendment) Bill, 2023", introduced by Senator Dr. Zarqa Suharwardy Taimur in the Senate in its sitting held on 20-11-2023.
- (ii) Ratification by the Committee members for nomination of Senator Khalida Ateeb and Senator Kamran Murtaza as the members of the National Policy Board for the purpose to access Media through Pakistan Sign Language to deaf persons in terms of sub-rule (6) of Rule-166 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Senate 2012 within a period of 30 days.
- (iii) Detail briefing by the Ministry of Information and Broadcasting regarding duties, responsibilities and working of Ministry itself and its all attached departments.
- (iv) Discussion on impact of firewall that is being deployed to monitor all incoming and outgoing online traffic and its impact on flow of information, freedom of expression and consequently on democracy.
- (v) Briefing on steps taken so far by the Ministry of Information and Broadcasting for youth and their future plans/schemes.
- (vi) Any other item with permission of the Chair.

03. Members and Mover are requested to kindly note the change and make it convenient to attend the meeting.


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1. Senator Syed Ali Zafar	Chairman
2. Senator Sarmad Ali	Member
3. Senator Ashraf Ali Jatoi	Member
4. Senator Aon Abbas	Member
5. Senator Irfan-iul-Haq Siddiqui	Member
6. Senator Muhammad Tallal Badar	Member
7. Senator Pervaiz Rashid	Member
8. Senator M Fesal Vawda	Member
9. Senator Abdul Shakoore Khan	Member
10. Senator Jan Muhammad	Member
11. Minister for Information and Broadcasting	Ex-Officio Member
12. Senator Dr. Zarqa Suharwardy Taimur	Mover

(I) Copy for necessary action to:-

1. The Secretary, Information and Broadcasting Division, Government of Pakistan, Islamabad, with the request to attend the meeting along with all concerned officers.
2. The Chairman, Pakistan Electronic Media Regulatory Authority (PEMRA), PEMRA Headquarters, Mauve Area G-8/1, Islamabad with the request to attend the meeting along with all concerned officers.
3. The Secretary, Ministry of Law and Justice, Islamabad, with the request to depute an officer not below the rank of Additional Secretary to attend the meeting and assist the Committee on agenda item no.(i).
4. The Deputy Director (Council), Information & Broadcasting Division, Islamabad with the request to provide 24 copies of the working papers/briefing in Urdu and English positively (The soft versions may be emailed to:- Committee1@senate.gov.pk) alongwith a list of participants to this Secretariat 48 hours before the meeting. In case said material is not received at least two days before the Committee meeting, it will be treated as NOT RECEIVED.
5. P.S. to Minister for Information and Broadcasting, Government of Pakistan, Islamabad with the request to kindly inform the Minister to attend the meeting.

(III) Copy also forwarded for information to:-

1. The Attorney General for Pakistan.
2. The Accountant General of Pakistan Revenue, Islamabad.
3. The Secretary, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
4. The Secretary, National Assembly Secretariat, Islamabad.
5. The Additional Secretary, (Service, Legis.), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
6. The Joint Secretaries (Committees & Admn.), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
7. The Deputy Secretary (Committees), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
8. The Principal Secretary to Chairman Senate, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
9. The Director Staff to Deputy Chairman, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
10. The Director Staff to Leader of the Opposition, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
11. The Senior Director Staff to Leader of the House, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
12. The Director (Research), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
13. The Director (Media), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad, with the request to make necessary arrangements for the issuance of Press Release and TV coverage of the meeting.
14. The Director (Automation), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad, with the request to make necessary arrangements for uploading of Committee Notice on Senate Website, operating of Multi-Media in meeting venue and send SMS to all Committee Members.
15. The Executive Director (FGPC), Islamabad with the request to make necessary medical arrangements in the Parliament House.
16. The Director, News, PTV, Islamabad with the request to make necessary arrangements for the T.V coverage of the meeting.
17. The Sergeant-at-Arms, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad, with the request to facilitate entry of the participants and official coverage team (PID & PTV Cameramen), into the Parliament House, Islamabad.
18. The Deputy Director (Protocol/Cafeteria Manager), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad, with the request to make necessary arrangements for light refreshment at meeting venue.
19. The Deputy Director (Library), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
20. The Finance and Accounts Officer, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
21. All Director Staff to Chairpersons Senate Committees, Block-C, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
22. The Information Officer (Senate) P.I.D, Islamabad.
23. The Medical Officer, Parliament House, Islamabad.
24. The Deputy Director (Civil/Electrical), CDA, Parliament House, Islamabad.
25. The Engineer In charge, Senate/N.A. Secretariats, Islamabad.
26. The Lady Senators' Services Centre, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
27. The Senators Services Centre, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
28. The Sub-Engineer (Civil), CDA, Parliament House, Islamabad.
29. The Assistant Director (IT), Senate Secretariat, Parliament House, Islamabad.
30. The Assistant Engineer, SIS, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad, with the request to make necessary arrangements for audio recording at meeting venue.
31. The Annunciator Cell, Senate Secretariat, Parliament House, Islamabad.
32. The I.T, Branch Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
33. Master File.


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