

SENATE SECRETARIAT

F.No.14 (1)/2024-27/C-II

Islamabad, the 28th July, 2026

NOTICE

A Meeting of the Senate Standing Committee on Law and Justice will be held on **7th August, 2026 at 02:30 p.m., in Committee Room No. 4, Parliament House, Islamabad.** In case of Senate Session in the evening, the meeting will be held at 11:30 a.m.

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

- I. **Briefing by the Chairman, National Accountability Bureau (NAB) on:**
 - (i) Overall working and performance of NAB under the National Accountability Ordinance, 1999
 - (ii) Overview of Case Statistics, including:
 - (a) Total number of cases under inquiry, investigation, and trial;
 - (b) Year-wise and category-wise pendency (inquiries, investigations, references) and disposal trends during the last five years;
 - (c) Details of recoveries made during the last five years and the mode of disbursement thereof.
 - (d) Details of cases disposed off alongwith the percentage of conviction/acquittal and withdrawal by NAB.
 - (e) Withdrawals and voluntary return/plea bargain statistics.
 - (f) Details of freezing orders passed by NAB and Court and reason thereof.
 - (g) Details of auction proceedings of properties conducted by NAB and recoveries by way of auction of properties.
 - (iii) Assessment of Pendency and Delays, covering:
 - (a) Average time taken at inquiry, investigation, and trial stages;
 - (b) Major legal, procedural, and institutional causes of delay;
 - (c) Compliance regarding inquiries/investigations and references timelines prescribed under section 18(f) NAO, 1999 and reasons for non-compliance, if any.
 - (iv) Legislative, Procedural or administrative measures requiring consideration.
 - (v) Salaries and perquisite paid monthly to Chairman, Deputy Chairman, Prosecutor General, Director Generals, and Directors NAB, as well as number of vehicles and petrol/diesel consumption, allotted to each of the above officers.
 - (vi) Bonuses/Rewards if any paid to the aforesaid officers.
 - (vii) Mode of recruitment of officers, Investigating Officers, Prosecutors and employees of NAB.
- II. **Briefing by the Minister for Law and Justice regarding the establishment, administration, and functioning of Special Courts and Tribunals constituted under various federal statutes and placed under the administrative control of the Ministry of Law and Justice in terms of the Rules of Business, 1973, including,-**
 - (i) Statutory basis, nature, and jurisdiction of such courts and tribunals;
 - (ii) Number of courts and tribunals currently functional and non functional;
 - (iii) Composition and mode of appointment of Presiding Officers/Members, including qualifications, tenure, and terms and conditions of service as provided under the relevant laws;

- (iv) Position of cases instituted, disposed of, and pending, court/tribunal-wise;
- (v) Compliance with prescribed timelines, where applicable; and
- (vi) Legislative, Administrative, legal, and capacity-related issues, including proposals, if any, for legal or procedural reforms.
- (vii) Number of Courts and Tribunal, lying vacant due to non-appointment of Presiding Officers and reasons for non-appointment of presiding Officers of Courts and Tribunals.
- (viii) Number of cases pending in each Court and Tribunal.
- (ix) Rate of monthly disposal of cases by Courts and Tribunals.
- (x) Necessity of a creating new Courts/Tribunals and/or their abolition due to shortage of pending cases before them.

III. **Consideration of "The Juvenile Justice System (Amendment) Bill, 2026" introduced by Senator Sarmad Ali, in the Senate sitting held on 18th May, 2026.**

IV. **Disparity in the Salaries, allowances and other perquisites provided to Law Officers of the Federation and the Provinces and how to over come them.**

V. Any other matter with permission of the Chair.

3. Members are requested to make it convenient to attend the meeting.



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1.	Senator Farooq Hamid Naek	Chairman
2.	Senator Shahadat Awan	Member
3.	Senator Zamir Hussain Ghumro	Member
4.	Senator Rana Sana Ullah Khan	Member
5.	Senator Muhammad Tallal Badar	Member
6.	Senator Khalil Tahir	Member
7.	Senator Ahad Khan Cheema	Member
8.	Senator Mohammad Abdul Qadir	Member
9.	Senator Syed Ali Zafar	Member
10.	Senator Kamran Murtaza	Member
11.	Senator Hamid Khan	Member
12.	Senator Rubina Naaz	Member
13.	Senator Mohammad Azam Khan Swati	Member
14.	Minister for Law and Justice	Ex-Officio Member
15.	Senator Sarmad Ali	Member In-Charge

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1. **The Chairman, National Accountability Bureau (NAB), Islamabad** is requested to kindly attend the meeting with all concerned and direct the concerned officer to provide 40 copies of the working papers both in Urdu & English (hard & soft copy through email at committee2@senate.gov.pk) alongwith list of participants to the Secretariat two working days (48 hours) prior to the Committee meeting otherwise it will be treated as NOT RECEIVED. **(For agenda item no. i)**
2. **The Secretary, Ministry of Law and Justice, Islamabad** is requested to kindly attend the meeting with all concerned.
3. **The Section Officer (Council), Ministry of Law and Justice, Islamabad** to provide 40 copies of the working papers both in Urdu and English (hard & soft copy through email at committee2@senate.gov.pk) along with list of participants to this Secretariat two working days (48 hours) prior to the Committee meeting otherwise it will be treated as NOT RECEIVED.
4. **Sr. P.S. to Minister for Law and Justice, Islamabad** to request the Minister to kindly attend the meeting.

Copy also forwarded for information to: -

1. The Attorney General of Pakistan.
2. The Accountant General Pakistan Revenues, Islamabad.
3. The Secretary, Ministry of Law and Justice, Islamabad.
4. The Secretary, Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs, Islamabad.
5. The Secretary, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
6. The Special Secretary, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
7. The Principal Secretary, to Chairman, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
8. The Joint Secretary (Admin/Committees), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
9. **The Director (IT/LAN), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad with the request to make necessary arrangements for operating of Multi-Media in the meeting and also for SMS.**
10. The Director Staff to Deputy Chairman, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
11. The Director Staff to Leader of the House, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
12. The Director Staff to Leader of the Opposition, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
13. **The Director Staff to Chairman, Standing Committee on Law and Justice, Islamabad to make confirmation of the Members.**
14. The Deputy Director Library, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
15. The Sergeant-at-Arms, Senate Secretariat, Parliament House, Islamabad.
16. The Section Officer (F & A), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
17. The Director News P.T.V, Islamabad, with the request to make necessary arrangements for the T.V. coverage of the meeting.
18. **The Executive Director, Federal Government Poly Clinic (FGPC), Islamabad with the request to make necessary medical arrangement in the Parliament House, Islamabad.**
19. The Information Officer, (Senate) P.I.D. Islamabad.
20. The Engineer In-charge, Senate/N.A Secretariats, Islamabad.
21. **The Assistant Director, I.T, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad (For Senate Website).**
22. The Ladies Senator's Services Center, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
23. The Senator's Services Center, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
24. The Director (Protocol/Cafeteria), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
25. The Parliamentary Reporters Association, Parliament House, Islamabad.
26. **The Annunciator Cell, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.**
27. Medical Officer, Parliament Lodges, Islamabad.
28. Deputy Director (Civil/Electrical), CDA, Parliament Lodges, Islamabad.
29. DSP, Parliament Lodges, Islamabad.
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