

**SENATE SECRETARIAT**

No. F. 28(1)/2024-27/C-I

Islamabad, the 23<sup>rd</sup> October, 2026.

**REVISED NOTICE**

Reference this Secretariat's Notice of even number dated 21<sup>st</sup> October, 2026, the meeting of the Senate Functional Committee on Human Rights scheduled be held on Tuesday, 27<sup>th</sup> October, 2026 at 11:00 a.m. in Committee Room No.01, Parliament House, Islamabad. **In case of Senate Session in the morning, the meeting will be held on the same date and venue at 1:30 p.m. instead of 2:30 p.m. All concerned are requested to kindly NOTE THE CHANGE.**

2. The Agenda before the Committee would be as under:

- i. Detailed briefing on the growing incidence of cyber-enabled financial fraud, digital extortion, online scams, unauthorized digital-account access and other technology-facilitated crimes affecting citizens, particularly young persons and entrepreneurs, in view of reported NCCIA data indicating that 227,757 citizens fell victim to cyber fraud during the last three years, involving reported financial losses of approximately Rs.8.32 billion; to examine the existing mechanisms for prevention, detection, investigation, financial tracing, victim protection and inter-agency coordination, and to recommend appropriate legal, institutional and preventive measures for safeguarding citizens' life, privacy, financial security and other fundamental rights.
- ii. A) Detailed briefing on the hijacking of MT Honour 25 by Somali pirates, the prolonged captivity of ten Pakistani sailors, the tragic deaths of three Pakistani nationals and the subsequent repatriation of surviving crew members; previous piracy incidents involving Pakistani seafarers, to review existing protection mechanisms and recommend measures to prevent recurrence; B) to examine the Government's diplomatic and rescue efforts, circumstances surrounding the deaths, compensation and rehabilitation of affected families, and C) reported police action against peacefully protesting families of captives, in Karachi.
- iii. Detailed briefing on the reported death of Ms. Laiba Ejaz, a student of the International Islamic University Islamabad, following allegations of financial fraud involving approximately Rs. 7 million in connection with promised admission to a university in the United States; to examine the circumstances surrounding her death, the alleged fraudulent educational consultancy, the progress of police and FIA investigations, the verification and possible recovery of the family's financial losses, accountability of persons found responsible, and safeguards against fraudulent overseas educational admission schemes; and to recommend appropriate measures for protecting students and their families from exploitation and associated psychological distress.
- iv. Further briefing on the directions made by the Committee in its last meeting on the death of dozens newly born babies in the PIMS due to the administrative and systematic negligence, with particular reference to the fundamental obligation to guarantee right of life and the right to the highest attainable standards of health facilities to the citizens, lack of safety measures,

management oversight, shortcomings alongwith initiatives to be taken to prevent such incidents in future,

v. Any other item with permission of the Chair.

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

  
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Secretary Committee  
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| <b>1. Senator Samina Mumtaz Zehri</b> | <b>Chairperson</b>               |
| 2. Senator Raja Nasir Abbas           | Member/ Leader of the Opposition |
| 3. Senator Khalil Tahir               | Member                           |
| 4. Senator Poonjo Bheel               | Member                           |
| 5. Senator Qurat-ul-Ain Marri         | Member                           |
| 6. Senator Mashal Azam                | Member                           |
| 7. Senator Hafiz Abdul Karim          | Member                           |
| 8. Senator Syed Masroor Ahsan         | Member                           |
| 9. Senator Syed Ali Zafar             | Member                           |
| 10. Senator Atta Ul Haq               | Member                           |
| 11. Senator Dost Muhammad Khan        | Member                           |
| 12. Senator Aimal Wali Khan           | Member                           |
| 13. Senator Mohammad Humayun Mohmand  | Member                           |
| 14. Senator Abid Sher Ali             | Member                           |
| 15. Minister for Human Rights         | Ex-Officio Member                |

**Copy for information and necessary action to:**

1. **The Secretary**, M/o Human Rights, Islamabad, with the request to attend the meeting along with all concerned.
2. **The Attorney General of Pakistan**, Islamabad, with the request to attend the meeting along with all concerned.
3. **The Secretary**, M/o Law and Justice, Islamabad, with the request to attend the meeting along with all concerned.
4. **The Secretary**, M/o National Health Services, Regulations and Coordination, Islamabad, with the request to attend the meeting along with all concerned.
5. **The Secretary**, M/o Interior & Narcotics Control, Islamabad, with the request to attend the meeting along with all concerned.
6. **The Secretary**, M/o Finance, [Financial Monitoring Unit (FMU)] with the request to attend the meeting along with all concerned.
7. **The Secretary**, M/o Information Technology & Telecommunication, Islamabad, with the request to attend the meeting along with all concerned.
8. **The Secretary**, M/o Maritime Affairs, Islamabad, with the request to attend the meeting along with all concerned.
9. **The Secretary**, M/o Foreign Affairs Islamabad, with the request to attend the meeting with all concerned.
10. **The Governor**, State Bank of Pakistan with the request to attend the meeting along with all concerned.
11. **The Chairman**, Securities and Exchange Commission of Pakistan (SECP), with the request to attend the meeting along with all concerned.
12. **The Chairman**, PTA, Islamabad, with the request to attend the meeting along with all concerned.

13. **The Executive Director**, Pakistan Institute of Medical Sciences (PIMS), Islamabad, with the request to attend the meeting along with all concerned.
14. **The Director General**, Federal Investigation Agency (FIA), Islamabad, to attend the meeting along with all concerned.
15. **The Director General**, National Cyber Crime Investigation Agency (NCCIA), Islamabad, to attend the meeting along with all concerned.
16. **The Chief Secretary**, Government of Sindh, Karachi, with the request to attend the meeting along with all concerned.
17. **The Inspector General of Police, Islamabad Capital Territory**, with the request to attend the meeting along with all concerned.
18. **The Inspector General of Police**, Government of Sindh, Karachi, with the request to attend the meeting along with all concerned.
19. **The Section Officer (Council)**, M/o Human Rights, Islamabad, with the request to provide 35 copies of the working paper (in Urdu and English) hard and soft copy through email at (webcommittee1@gmail.com) along with list of participants to this Secretariat at the earliest, otherwise it will be treated as **NOT RECEIVED**.
20. **Sr. P.S to Minister In-Charge**, M/o Human Rights, Islamabad, with request to inform the Minister to attend the meeting.

**Copy also forwarded for information to: -**

1. The Accountant General Pakistan Revenues, Islamabad.
2. The Secretary, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
3. The Secretary, Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs, Islamabad.
4. The Principal Secretary to Chairman Senate, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
5. The Joint Secretaries, (Admin, HRM, and Committees), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
6. The Director General (Research/Library), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
7. The Sr. Director Staff to Deputy Chairman, Senate of Pakistan, Islamabad.
8. The Sr. Director Staff to Leader of the House, Senate of Pakistan, Islamabad.
9. The Director Staff to Leader of the Independent Group, Senate of Pakistan, Islamabad.
10. The Director Staff to Chairperson, Senate Functional Committee on Human Rights, Islamabad.
11. **The Director (Media)**, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad, for Press Release and TV coverage of the meeting.
12. **The Director (IT)**, Senate Secretariat, with the request to make necessary arrangements for uploading of Committee Notice on Senate Website and Sending SMS to all Committee Members.
13. **The Sergeant-at-Arms**, Parliament House, Islamabad with the request to facilitate entry of the participants and official coverage team (PID&PTV Cameramen), into the Parliament House, Islamabad.
14. **The Executive Director (FGPC)**, Islamabad, with the request to make necessary medical arrangements.
15. **The Director (CDA)**, Parliament House, Islamabad with the request to make necessary arrangements for the meeting.
16. **The Director News**, PTV, Islamabad, with request to make arrangements for coverage of the meeting.
17. **The Director (Protocol-I)/ Cafeteria**, Parliament House, Islamabad with the request to make necessary arrangements for light refreshment at meeting venue.
18. The Deputy Secretary (Transport), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
19. Sr. Finance & Accounts Officer, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.

20. The Section Officer (F&A), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
21. The Assistant Director (I.T), Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
22. The Engineer In-charge, Senate/N.A Secretariats, Islamabad.
23. The Committee Branches I & II, Senate & II N.A. Secretariat, Islamabad
24. The Ladies Senator's Services Centre, Parliament House, Islamabad.
25. The Senator's Services Centre, Parliament House, Islamabad.
26. Parliamentary Reporters Association (PRA), Parliament House, Islamabad.
27. The Annunciator Cell, Parliament House, Islamabad.
28. Master File.



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