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جناب چیئرمین، جزاک اللہ۔ بسم اللہ الرحمن الرحیم۔ اللہم صل علی محمد
و علی آل محمد۔

سینیئر میاں رضا ربانی (قائد حزب اختلاف)، جناب چیئرمین صاحب۔۔۔
ڈاکٹر شیر افگن خان نیای (وفاقی وزیر برائے پارلیمانی امور)، جناب والا! میرا Point

of order ہے۔

(مداخلت)

سینیئر میاں رضا ربانی: ظالمو! جواب دو، خون کا حساب دو۔

(مداخلت)

Mr. Chairman: Do you want to continue with the proceedings?

(مداخلت)

سینیئر کامل علی آغا: جناب والا! کل ایک اور موقع دے دیں۔ اگر یہ سننا چاہ رہے
ہیں تو کل ایک اور موقع دے دیں۔

(مداخلت)

جناب چیئرمین، ٹھیک ہے۔

Questions laid on the table of the House are taken as read and all
leave applications are also approved. We will adjourn the House to meet
tomorrow morning at 10.30 a.m.

QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

105. ***Mr. Hameed Ullah Jan Afridi:** (Notice received on 22-02-2007 at 13.13 p.m.)

Will the Minister for Finance and Revenue be pleased to state whether it is a fact that some registered Money Exchange Companies in Karachi and Lahore are allowed to transfer money abroad while likewise companies in Peshawar are not allowed to do the same business, if so, its reasons?

Reply not received.

106. ***Mrs. Gulshan Saeed:** (Notice received on 22-02-2007 at 14.00 p.m.)

Will the Minister for Finance and Revenue be pleased to state the work done by the Government on poverty alleviation programmes and the amount spent thereon during the last one year?

Mr. Omar Ayub Khan: The work done by the Government on Poverty alleviation programmes covers interventions in 17 pro-poor sectors. An amount of Rs. 434.6 billion was spent by the Government on pro-poor sectors in FY 2005-06. The detailed sector wise break up is as follows:

	<i>Amount (Rs. Billion)</i>
Community Services	63.59
1. Roads, Highways & Bridges	53.25
2. Water Supply & Sanitation	10.34
Human Development	217.86
3. Education	141.70
4. Health	39.20
5. Population Planning	10.23

	Amount (Rs. Billion)
6. Social Security & Welfare	7.58
7. Natural Calamities	19.15
Rural Development	78.53
8. Irrigation	59.82
9. Land Reclamation	2.67
10. Rural Development	15.04
11. Rural electrification	1.00
Safety Nets	9.40
12. Food Subsidies	6.02
13. Food Support Program	3.08
14. Tawana Pakistan	0.00
15. Low Cost Housing	0.30
Governance	65.21
16. Administration of Justice	5.64
17. Law and Order	59.57
Total:	434.59

2. In addition to the above Rs. 12.76 billion were spent in FY 2005-06 through non-budgetary transfers that include Zakat, Microfinance and Employees Old Age Benefits Institution. The total spending on poverty alleviation in the last financial year was thus **Rs. 447.4 billion.**

107. ***Mrs. Rukhsana Zuberi:** (Notice received on 22-02-2007 at 14.10 p.m.)

Will the Minister Incharge of the Establishment Division be pleased to state:

- (a) *whether it is a fact that three officers in BPS 19 were superseded by the central selection board in its meeting held on 28th November, 2006 and three officers junior to them were promoted to BPS 20, if so, its reasons; and*
- (b) *whether it is also a fact that the said officers were promoted in violation of an order passed by the Federal Service Tribunal in Petition No.665(R)/2004?*

Minister Incharge of the Establishment Division: (a) It appears from the question at part (b) that the case relates to promotion to the post of Joint Educational Adviser (BS-20). During the meeting of CSB held on 28-11-2006, only three officers were promoted to BS-20 against the vacancies of Joint Educational Adviser. Following four officers were superseded out of which three officers were senior to all promoted officers whereas the officer mentioned at Serial No.4 was senior to one of the promoted officer.

1. Mrs. Rashida Baloch
2. Mr. Shamsuddin Mangrio
3. Mr. M.A. Tariq
4. Syed Irshad Ali Shah

(b) As ordered by the FST *vide* its judgement dated 14-06-2005, the promotions were made on temporary basis subject to reversion if so required, on receipt of final decision on Appeal No. 665(R) CS/2004.

108. ***Mr. Muhammad Talha Mahmood:** (Notice received on 23-02-2007 at 08.40 a.m.)

Will the Minister for Economic Affairs be pleased to state:

- (a) *the amount offoreign loans presently outstanding against Pakistan; and*
- (b) *the names of countries / organizations from which those loans were obtained?*

Miss Hina Rabbani Khar: (a) The total amount of foreign loans outstanding as on 31st March 2007, is US\$ 37.362 billion.

(b) The names of Countries/Organizations, from which these loans were obtained, are enclosed alongwith their respective outstanding amounts.

EXTERNAL DEBT OUTSTANDING AS ON 31-03-2007 [PROVISIONAL]	
PARTICULARS	AMOUNT [\$ Million]
TOTAL EXTERNAL DEBT (I + II+III)	37,362
I) Public and Publicly Guaranteed Debt (A+B)	34,005
A. MEDIUM AND LONG TERM	33,980
i) MULTILATERAL	18,002
ADB	7,265
IBRD	2,144
IDA	7,995
EIB	73
IDB	315
IFAD	157
NORD. DEV. FUND	17
NORD. I. BANK	13
OPEC FUND	21
ii) BILATERAL	13,839
a) Paris Club Countries	12,878
AUSTRIA	75
BELGIUM	76
CANADA	481
FINLAND	6
FRANCE	2,130
GERMANY	1,825
ITALY	154
JAPAN	5,343
KOREA, REP. OF	580
NETHERLANDS	118
NORWAY	40
RUSSIA	129
SPAIN	82
SWEDEN	155
SWITZERLAND	95
UNITED KINGDOM	12
UNITED STATES	1,578
b) Non Paris Club Countries	961
BAHRAIN	12
CHINA, P.R. OF	777
KUWAIT	84
LIBYA	6
SAUDI ARABIA	16
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	66

iii) BONDS	1,905
Eurobond/Sukuke/Global	1,900
Saindak Copper/Gold Project bonds	5
iv) COMMERCIAL BANKS	145
v) DEFENCE [China]	90
B. SHORT TERM DEBT [IDB]	25
II) PRIVATE-SECTOR DEBT	1,900
A) MULTILATERAL CREDITORS	253
B) PARIS CLUB	705
C) NON-PARIS CLUB	2
D) PIA (Hire/Purchase (Long Term) (SBP)	941
III) IMF	1,457

109. ***Mr. Muhammad Talha Mahmood:** (Notice received on 24-02-2007 at 08.10 a.m.)

Will the Minister for Commerce be pleased to state:

- the number of cases of exporting re-claimed lead in the name of virgin lead surfaced during the last two years;*
- the names of companies/persons found involved in the said case and the action taken against them; and*
- the amount of duties evaded in those cases?*

Mr. Humayun Akhtar Khan: (a) Nil.

(b) Nil.

(c) Nil.

110. ***Col. (R) Syed Tahir Hussain Mashhadi:** (Notice received on 24-02-2007 at 11.15 a.m.)

Will the Minister for Finance and Revenue be pleased to state:

- the names of National Savings Schemes in the country at present indicating also the rate of profit being paid on the same;*
- whether there is any proposal under consideration of the government to enhance the profit rate on those schemes; and*
- the amount presently invested in those schemes separately in each case?*

Mr. Omar Ayub Khan: (a) The names of National Savings Schemes at present and the rate of profit being paid on these schemes are as under:—

S.No.	Names of Schemes	Existing rate of Profit
1.	Defence Savings Certificates.	10.00% p.a. (compound)
2.	Special Savings Certificates (Regd.)/Accounts.	9.00% p.a. (for first 2-1/2 Years) 10.00% p.a. (for last six months)
3.	Regular Income Certificates	9.24% p.a. (Profit is paid on monthly basis)
4.	Pensioners' Benefit Account	11.52% p.a. (profit is paid on monthly basis).
5.	Bahbood Savings Certificates	11.52% p.a. (profit is paid on monthly basis).
6.	Saving Account	6.00% p.a.
7.	Prize Bonds	Prize money equal to 6.50% of the total series denomination included in draw.

(b) The rates of return on National Savings Schemes are reviewed twice a year. Next review is under consideration as per policy and the rate of return will be fixed in line with the financial market's trend.

(c) The total outstanding investment in various National Savings Schemes (NSS) are as under:—

(In Billion PKR)

Name of Scheme	Total Stocks
Defence Savings Certificates.	292.98
Special Savings Certificates (Regd.)/Accounts.	195.17
Regular income Certificates	60.41
Pensioners' Benefit Account	64.93
Bahbood Savings Certificates	173.79
Saving Account	8.63
Prize Bonds	166.32
Total:	962.23

111. ***Dr. Muhammad Ismail Buledi:** (Notice received on 26-02-2007 at 11.20 a.m.)

Will the Minister for Privatization and Investment be pleased to state:

- (a) *the number of public organizations privatized during the last five years; and*
- (b) *whether there is any proposal under consideration of the Government to privatize the PSO and O.G.D.C.L?*

Mr. Zahid Hamid: (a) The Privatisation Commission has privatised twenty-one (21) public sector organizations during the last five years.

(b) Yes. PSO and OGDCL are included in the approved privatisation programme.

112. ***Ch. Muhammad Anwar Bhinder:** (Notice received on 26-02-2007 at 12.45 p.m.)

Will the Minister for Population Welfare be pleased to state:

- (a) *whether it is a fact that an amount of Rs.1389 million was allocated in the current year's PSDP for Population Welfare Programme Punjab, if so, the amount received and spent on this project so far; and*

- (b) *the time by which this project will be completed?*

Ch. Shahbaz Hussain: The detail of funds allocated Population Welfare Programme Punjab for 2006-2007 is given as under:—

(Rupees in Million)			
(a)	Allocation	Releases upto April, 2007	Utilization upto March, 2007
			% Utilization against releases
	1389.070	1207.427	707.214
			58.57

(b) The Population Welfare Programme, Punjab (2003—2008) will be completed by June 30, 2008.

113. ***Ch. Muhammad Anwar Bhinder:** (Notice received on 26-02-2007 at 12.45 p.m.)

Will the Minister for Finance and Revenue be pleased to state:

(a) *whether it is a fact that an amount of Rs.1200 million was allocated in the current year's PSDP for greater Quetta Water supply project, if so, the amount received and spent on this project so far; and*

(b) *the time by which this project will be completed?*

Mr. Omar Ayub Khan: (a) Yes. An amount of Rs.1200 million was allocated for this Project in PSDP 2006-07 which was subsequently enhanced to Rs.2810 million by the Planning & Development Division in 3rd quarter review of PSDP 2006-07. The details of funds released and expenditure made are as under:

(Rs. in million)

Allocation 2006-07	Funds released	Exp. Incurred upto 30.04.07	Un spent Balance
Original 1200	2810.000	1106.693	1703.307
Revised 2810			

(b) Project will be completed by 31st May, 2009.

114. ***Mr. Liaqat A. Bangulzai:** (Notice received on 27-02-2007 at 09.00 a.m.)

Will the Minister for Economic Affairs be pleased to state:

(a) *the amount of internal and external loans, separately, obtained by the Government since 1999 with year-wise break up; and*

(b) *the amount paid as interest on those loans with year-wise break up?*

Miss Hina Rabbani Khar: (a) The question has two parts:

(i) Internal Loans; and

(ii) External Loans

2. The portion of Internal Loans pertains to the Finance Division and will be responded by them.

3. The portion of Foreign loans pertains to the EAD and its position is as under:

4. Government has obtained [disbursed] foreign loans amounting to US\$ 16.535 billion since 1999. The year-wise break-up is given below:

<u>Year</u>	<u>Amount [\$ Mill]</u>
1999-00	2,175.406
2000-01	2,207.332
2001-02	2,236.167
2002-03	1,991.340
2003-04	1,910.067
2004-05	2,968.718
2005-06	3,046.415
Total:	16,535.445

(b) 5. An amount of \$4.969 billion has been paid as interest during this period. The year-wise break-up is given below:

<u>Year</u>	<u>Amount [\$ Mill]</u>
1999-00	560.936
2000-01	790.231
2001-02	680.716
2002-03	718.548
2003-04	766.275
2004-05	716.657
2005-06	735.979
Total:	4,969.342

115. *Ch. Muhammad Anwar Bhinder: (Notice received on 27-02-2007 at 12.15 p,m)

Will the Minister for Finance and Revenue be pleased to state:

- (a) *whether it is a fact that an amount of Rs.100 million was allocated in the current year's PSDP for dualization of Lahore-Kasur Road, Section Khanah to Kasur; if so, the amount received and spent on this project so far; and*

(b) *the time by which this project will be completed?*

Mr. Omar Ayub Khan: (a) Yes. An amount of Rs. 100 million was allocated for this project in PSDP 2006-07. Funds for the project have not been released by the Federal Government due to the reason that the project is yet to be approved by the ECNEC. Therefore, no expenditures has been incurred on this project so far.

(b) Once the project is approved by the competent forum, its date of completion will be determined/settled.

116. ***Mr. Muhammad Talha Mahmood:** (Notice received on 28-02-2007 at 08.40 a.m.)

Will the Minister for Finance and Revenue be pleased to state:

(a) *the foreign exchange reserves of the country at present; and*

(b) *the steps being taken by the Government to increase the said reserves?*

Mr. Omar Ayub Khan: (a) Country's present foreign exchange reserves held by the SBP and Commercial Banks as on 10-05-2007 are \$13835 million.

(b) The Government have taken a wide variety of measures to bolster the level of country's foreign exchange reserves. The major steps encompass added emphasis on export growth, reprofiling of external debt, reducing the cost of country's external borrowing, stabilization of exchange rate, streamlining the flow of worker's remittances from abroad and above all a very significant improvement in the economic fundamentals through prudent economic management.

117. ***Mr. Liaqat A. Bangulzai:** (Notice received on 28-02-2007 at 08.45 a.m.)

Will the Minister Incharge of the Cabinet Division be pleased to state the names, designations, educational qualifications and dates of appointment of the persons appointed in the National Commission for Human Development during 2005 and 2006 indicating also the salaries, allowances and other fringe benefits admissible to them?

Minister Incharge of the Cabinet Division: The names, designations, educational qualifications and dates of appointment of the persons appointed in the NCHD during 2005-06 is at Annex "A" and salary allowance and other fringe benefits are at Annex "B".

(Annexures have been placed on the Table of the House as well as Library).

118. *Mr. Liaqat A. Bangulzai: (Notice received on 28-02-2007 at 08.45 a.m.)

Will the Minister for Commerce be pleased to state:

(a) the names of officers belonging to Commerce and Trade group presently posted in Pakistan Missions/Embassies/Consulates indicating also the date of their present posting; and

(b) the steps taken by Pakistani Missions abroad for the promotion of trade?

Mr. Humayun Akhtar Khan: (a) The names of officers of Commerce and Trade Group presently posted in Pakistan Missions abroad are at Annex-I.

(b) Trade performance in respect of Pakistani Trade Missions abroad is at Annex-II.

Annexure-I

LIST OF OFFICERS BELONGING TO COMMERCE & TRADE GROUP POSTED IN PAKISTAN MISSIONS ABROAD

Sr. No.	Name and Designation	Station	Date of Joining the Mission	Domicile	Date of completion of tenure	Service Group
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MINISTER (BS-21)

1.	Mr. Tariq Iqbal Puri	Brussels	29-05-2004	Punjab	28-5-2007	C&T
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CONSUL GENERAL (BS-20)

2.	Mr. Azam Mohammed	Sydney ✓	24-04-2006	Sindh	23-4-2008	C&T
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COMMERCIAL COUNSELLOR (BS-19)

3.	Mr. Faiz Rasool	Kabul	20-02-2006	Punjab	19-2-2008	C&T
4.	Mr. Asaf Ghafoor	Seoul	03-12-2004	Punjab	02-12-2007	C&T
5.	Mr. Nazir Ahmad Awan	Sao Paulo	02-03-2005	NWFP	01-03-2008	C&T
6.	Mr. Shahzad Hussain Rana	Kuala-Lumpur	21-03-2005	Punjab	20-03-2008	C&T
7.	Mr. Bilal Khan Pasha	Dubai ✓	22-06-2006	Punjab	21-06-2008	C&T

COMMERCIAL SECRETARY (BS-18)

8	Mr. Ahmad Mukhtar	Geneva	11-09-2006	Punjab	10-09-2008	C&T
9.	Ms. Roubina Taufiq	Dhaka	02-7-2004	Punjab	01-07-2007	C&T

Annex-II

GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN
MINISTRY OF COMMERCE

Under the policy guideline given by the Ministry of Commerce, our Missions abroad are engaged in multi-faceted functions for promotion of trade especially for export from Pakistan. Measures taken by the Missions abroad include organization of single country exhibitions in collaboration with Trade Development Authority of Pakistan (TDAP).

The Commercial Officer in Missions abroad provide valuable inputs in the form of commercial intelligence, consumer link for purchase requirements and also giving direction for promotion of goods exported from Pakistan. The Trade Missions and Ministry are engaged (Trade Development Exits) by providing linkage between regional Exporters and Importers for their respective countries.

The Missions also identify all exporting items in the country of accreditation export potential in Pakistan. They are engaged in promoting F.D.I. and joint venture in Pakistan. The Missions Abroad keep link with organizations/Departments. International Markets to promote Pakistani exports, The Missions and Trade Officers are participating and arranging exhibitions in the respective countries.

119. ***Dr. Muhammad Ismail Buledi:** (Notice received on 01-03-2007 at 08.30 a.m.)

Will the Minister for Privatization and Investment be pleased to state the time by which Pakistan Steel Mills will be privatized?

Mr. Zahid Hamid: No time frame can be assigned at this stage to the privatisation of Pakistan Steel Mills Corporation (PSMC). it is proposed to carry out IPO in the first instance.

120. ***Col. (R) Syed Tahir Hussain Mashhadi:** (Notice received on 01-03-2007 at 10.20 a.m.)

Will the Minister for Finance and Revenue be pleased to state the details of steps taken by the Government for making the Price Control Committees more effective and to control the price hike in the country?

Mr. Omar Ayub Khan: In the first nine months (July-March) of the current fiscal year 2006-07, average inflation has been at 8.0 percent as against 8.3 percent in the corresponding period of last year. The higher pickup in current year's inflation is largely food prices driven, as against last year's inflation which was largely driven by non-food inflation.

The Government has taken various steps to control the price hike in the country:—

- (i) A Committee was constituted by the Prime Minister to review the price situation in the country and monitoring the supply and demand conditions. In case of any emergency pressure in prices of basic commodities, remedial measures are taken, such as liberalizing imports, reviewing taxes/duties on such imports, restraining exports of scarce commodities, measures aim at improving domestic supplies.
- (ii) The Government provides relief to consumer through Utility Store Corporation (USC). In order to increase outlet, the network of USC has been expanded. Presently above 800 Utility Stores and 400 mobile units are in operation in the country. Essential items are being supplied through the Utility Stores Corporation (USCs) and through its outlet in weekly bazaars as well as through its mobile units at considerably lower than market price.

The specific measures taken by the government to control the price hike in daily use commodities include:

- (a) The Government is providing relief by making sugar available to maximum people at reduced rates of initially Rs. 27.50 per Kg and lately Rs. 26.00 per Kg. It has brought sugar prices down from an average of Rs. 40/-per Kg. To Rs. 30.65 per Kg.
- (b) The Government provided maximum relief on sale of atta @ Rs. 11.00 per Kg from 15th June 2005 to 15th April 2006 and subsequently during Ramzan 2006 and Eid-ul-Azha 2007. The GOP paid Rs. 550.180 million to USC as subsidy.
- (c) Imports have been liberalized to improve the supply situation of essential commodities. The government has also allowed duty free imports of wheat and wheat flour, sugar and other essential consumer items with a view to augment their supplies and reduce their prices.

- (d) The Government in the budget for FY 2006-07 announced various relief measures which include provision of all the pulses at Utility Store Corporation at cheaper rate than the open market prices. The GOP has provided subsidy of Rs 270.152 million to USC/TCP in FY 2006-07.
- (e) During the month of Ramadan, the Government reduces prices of almost 1000 items by 10/20 percent to provide additional relief to the people. The difference between the pre and post Ramadan price differential is borne by the Government. The GOP provided a subsidy of Rs 141.000 million to USC under Ramazan package 2006.
- (f) The recent high fluctuation in edible oil prices is due to price hike in international market prices of palm oil. In order to provide relief to the common man, the prices of Ghee of USC brand at its outlets has been decreased by Rs. 6/- per Kg.
- (g) To ensure competition and fair play in the market, the Government is in the process of converting the existing monopoly control authority (MCA) into competition authority by providing them teeth to handle extra market forces. The work is at the fairly advanced stage.
- (h) The prices of essential commodities are determined in the market on the basis of supply and demand for the commodities. The government is committed to keep the prices of essential consumer items at affordable level. Measures taken by the government include import of commodities with incentive, reforms for increase in agricultural products and improvement in marketing mechanism. As result of these measures, the prices of essential items have not only stabilized but in some cases they have declined as well. For example, price of Tomato declined from Rs. 24.83 per Kg. on 1st January 2007 to Rs. 19.17 per Kg. on 26th March 2007 or a decline by 22.8%, Potato from Rs. 14.3 per Kg to Rs. 11.4 per Kg or a decline by 20.0%, Onion from Rs. 34.43 per Kg to Rs 14.04 per Kg or a decline by 59.2%.

121 ***Dr. Muhammad Ismail Buledi:** (Notice received on 08-03-2007 at 09.10 a.m.)

Will the Minister for Finance and Revenue be pleased to state:

- (a) *the number of persons in BPS 9 to BPS 22 in Customs department who are presently posted in Balochistan with province-wise break up; and*

- (b) the number of persons appointed in the said department during the last five years with province-wise breakup?

Mr. Omar Ayub Khan: (a) 315 persons in BPS 9 to 22 are presently posted in the Customs Department in Balochistan. Their province-wise break-up is as under:—

BPS	Merit	Punjab	Sindh	Baloch- istan	NWFP	FATA	Total
22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
20	-	-	-	1	-	-	1
19	-	1	1	-	-	-	2
17/18	-	2	6	2	-	2	12
16	-	6	7	14	-	1	28
15	-	-	1	1	-	-	2
14	-	5	11	50	3	-	69
13	-	-	1	3	-	-	4
12	-	17	32	133	7	-	189
11	-	-	2	-	-	-	2
10	-	-	1	4	1	-	6
9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	-	31	62	208	11	3	315

- (b) 119 persons were appointed in Customs Department against direct quota posts during the last five years. Their province-wise break-up is as under:-

BPS	Merit	Punjab	Sindh	Baloch- istan	NWFP	FATA	AJK	Total
17	4	42	13	2	10	3	2	76
14	-	-	3	2	-	-	-	5
12	-	-	11	17	-	-	-	28
11	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	5
3	-	-	2	2	1	-	-	5
TOTAL	4	42	29	28	11	3	2	119

122. ***Prof. Muhammad Ibrahim Khan:** (Notice received on 13-03-2007 at 09.50 a.m.)

Will the Minister for Finance and Revenue be pleased to state whether the Government is giving 17.50% interest on G.P. Fund to its employees as announced in the budget for 2006-07, if not, its reasons?

Mr. Omar Ayub Khan: Government did not announce 17.50% interest rate on G.P. Fund in the budget for 2006-7007. Interest rate is not announced in the budget, it is determined on the basis of cost of borrowing after the fiscal year is over. A rate of 10.50% was announced in August, 2006 and conveyed to AGPR for

applying it on the balances of the GP Fund of the Govt. employees accumulated during FY 2005-06. For the year 2006-07, the interest rate on G.P. Fund is expected to be announced in August/September, 2007.

123. ***Col. (R) Syed Tahir Hussain Mashhadi:** (Notice received on 13-03-2007 at 10.08 a.m.)

Will the Minister for Finance and Revenue be pleased to state whether it is a fact that 15% increase in salaries of the Federal Government employees w.e.f. 1-7-2006 is not admissible to the employees appointed on contract basis, if so, its reasons?

Mr. Omar Ayub Khan: No. The benefit of Dearness Allowance is admissible to those contract employees who are appointed against civil posts with Basic Pay Scales on standard terms and conditions of contract appointment.

124. ***Mr. Haroon Khan:** (Notice received on 19-03-2007)

Will the Minister for Finance and Revenue be pleased to state the subsidy given to WAPDA by the Federal Government during the last ten years, with year-wise break up?

Mr. Omar Ayub Khan: The total subsidy amounting to Rs.1,39,105.04 million was given to WAPDA by the Federal Government during the last ten years. The year-wise breakup is Annexed.

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Financial year	Subsidy provided to WAPDA
FY 1996-97	-
FY 1997-98	-
FY 1998-99	5,856.00
FY 1999-2000	14,892.58
FY 2000-01	18,460.66
FY 2001-02	11,506.00

FY 2002-03	28,540.97
FY 2003-04	18,098.80
FY 2004-05	22,205.50
FY 2005-06	19,544.53
Total:	139,105.04

125. ***Mr. Haroon Khan:** (Notice received on 19-03-2007)

Will the Minister for Finance and Revenue be pleased to state:

- the subsidy (in Pak currency) given in terms of subsidized gas to the fertilizer plants in the country during the last five years;*
- the steps taken by the Government to ensure that the benefit of the said subsidy is passed on to the farmers; and*
- the details, if any of any, other type of subsidy given to the fertilizer plants?*

Reply not received.

126. ***Mr. Haroon Khan:** (Notice received on 19-03-2007)

Will the Minister for Finance and Revenue be pleased to state the amount of taxes collected during the last five years with year-wise break up indicating also its ratio to GDP?

Mr. Omar Ayub Khan: The amount of taxes collected during last five years and its ratio to GDP is as under:

Year	Total Tax Collection	CBR Collection	Tax/ GDP Ratio	CBR-tax/ GDP Ratio
2001-02	479,132	404,070	10.8	9.1
2002-03	554,671	460,627	11.4	9.4
2003-04	611,797	520,843	10.8	9.2
2004-05	661,372	590,387	10.0	9.0
2005-06	828,371	713,442	10.7	9.2

128. ***Prof. Khurshid Ahmed:**(Notice received on 30-03-2007 at 09.10 a.m.)

Will the Minister Incharge of the Establishment Division be pleased to state the number of youth having degrees of Masters and above who applied for internship under the National Internship Programme indicating also, the number of youth granted internship with province-wise break up?

Minister Incharge of the Establishment Division: (a) *Number of youth applied for internship having Masters degree:*

<u>Degree</u>	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	<u>Total</u>
Masters.	18726	18275	37001
Other(s)*	26658	11810	38468
Total:	45384	30085	75469

*Graduates having completed 16 years formal education e.g. BCS, BE, BIT, etc.

(b) *Number of youth granted Internship.*—So far the internship programme has been launched at Federal Capital & Province of Sindh on the basis of verification of the applicant's degrees from HEC and their age from NADRA. The launching ceremony in rest of the three provinces, AJK and Northern Areas is likely to be completed in the month of May, 2007.

<u>Degree</u>	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	<u>Total</u>
Masters	3053	3700	6753
Others	2441	491	2932
Total:	5494	4191	9685

(c) *Province-wise, Break-up of youth granted internship programme.*—The internship programme has been launched at Federal Capital and in the province of Sindh. The programme at rest of the provinces, AJK & Northern Areas is likely to be launched during the month of May, 2007. However, the domicile-wise break-up of youth offered internship in the first phase is given below:—

Province of Domicile	Masters	Others	Total
Federal Capital	124	53	177
Punjab	4186	1464	5650

Sindh	895	714	1609
NWFP	1254	593	1847
Balochistan	88	19	107
FATA	109	50	159
AJ&K	73	31	104
Northern Areas	24	8	32
Total:	6753	2932	9685

129. ***Dr. Safdar Ali Abbasi:** (Notice received on 11-04-2007 at 9.15 a.m.)

Will the Minister for Finance and Revenue be pleased to state the names, designation and addresses of the persons appointed in the Security Exchange Commission of Pakistan during the last three years and the procedure adopted for those appointments?

Mr. Omar Ayub Khan : The Securities and Exchange Commission of Pakistan recruited 183 persons during the last three years. The requisite information of the persons appointed is attached at Annexure-J, II & III. The detail of the persons are as below:—

<u>Year</u>	<u>Persons recruited</u>
2004	54
2005	96
2006	33
Total :	183

PROCEDURE/CRITERIA ADOPTED FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE COMMISSION

1. In pursuance of the statutory provisions of the Securities and Exchange Commission of Pakistan Act, 1997, the Commission developed a Service Manual with the approval of the Securities and Exchange Policy Board, which provides guidelines for the recruitment process. Accordingly, the following procedure is adopted for the hiring of new employees:—

- (a) All vacant positions are advertised in renowned Newspapers and short listing is carried out purely on merit after considering the particular needs and work requirements.

- (b) The Commission has constituted Selection Committees, mostly comprising the Commissioners and other senior officers of the Commission for conducting interviews.
- (c) On the basis of recommendation of the Committee after interviews, the suitable candidates are offered employment in the Commission.
- (d) The head hunter firms have been appointed for facilitating the suitable candidates for the position of Commissioners and Executive Directors. The hiring process remains the same as for other position. However, in case of Commissioners approval of Federal Government is required.

Annexure-4

LIST OF EMPLOYEES APPOINTED IN THE YEAR 2004

S. #	Name	Designation	Addresses
1	Imran Saeed	Software Engineer	House # 708, Street # 1, G-9/2, Islamabad
2	Javed Ghafoor	Joint Director	House No. 235-B, Street No. 4, Sector F-10/3, Islamabad (051-2298514)
3	Mansoor Ahmed	Joint Director	House No. 306, Street No. 79, F-11/1, Islamabad (Mobile 0300-5342404)
4	Mian Asim Qayoom	Deputy Director	House No. 29, street No. 13, F-7/2, Islamabad
5	Shamim Akhtar	Senior Majd	House No. 24, Street No. 119, 11th Avenue, G-11/4, Islamabad (Ph No. 051-2102424)
6	Rasheeda Begum	Junior Maid	H.# 292, St. # 1, Rawal Town, Islamabad
7	Dr. Rubina Tahir	Medical Officer	House#1557, Main Service Road, G-11/2, Islamabad
8	Usman Ashraf	Asstt System Engineer	House no. 353, Street 16, G-8/1 Islamabad
9	M. Salman Zafar	Asstt System Engineer	76-A, Lane No. 6, Khayaban-e-Faisal, Link road Chakdarp Rawalpindi
10	Shoaib Qureshi	Director	House No. 217, Street No. 72, I-8/3, Islamabad (Ph No: 051 4448323)
11	S. Nazre Hyder	Secretary Tas Force	House No. 48-G, Hakim Luqman Road, Sector G-6/3 Islamabad (Ph No. 051-2827472)
12	Shagufta Rashid	Junior Maid	P.O. Block# 24-A, G. 8/4, Islamabad
13	Rashida Irfan	Junior Maid	H.# 292, St. # 1, Rawal Town, Islamabad.
14	Akif Saeed	Director	36/10, Lawrence Road, Lahore (Ph. No. 042-6302477/0300-6648179)
15	M. Shafiq Rana	Librarian	House No. 25, Street No. 30, F-8/1, Islamabad, (Mobile No 0333-526165)
16	Imran Inayat Butt	Director	C-Z, Rohi House, Street No. 4, Park Lane, Block-5, Clifton Karachi (Ph No. 021-5820547)
17	Shahid Nasim	Director	26/134 Drigh Rd Karachi
18	Syeda Zehra Zaidi	Deputy Director	House # 3 (Upper Portion), Street # 18, F-8/2, Islamabad (Mobile # 0300-5320399/051-2261694)
19	Ejaz Ishaq Khan	Executive Director	One, Mezzanine, Paktel Centre, 68-E, Jinnah Avenue, Blue Area, Islamabad (Ph No. 051-2870338)
20	Adil Anwar	Director	House No. 6, Street No. 19, F-7/2, Islamabad. (Ph. No. 051-9208107)
21	Saleem Pyarali Daredia	Joint Director	House No. 600, G-9/1, Islamabad (Ph No. 051-2856013)

22	Muhammad Saeed Rana	Junior Executive	C/o. M. Saeed Rana M Qasaban, Near Moon Market, D KHAN (Ph No. 0961-712866/0333-5156536)
23	Malik Khurram Afzal	Junior Executive	House No. 9-C, Upper Mall Scheme, Lahore (Ph No. 042-5750450)
24	Muhammad Sohail Qadri	Junior Executive	House No. D-26, Zubaida Park, Multan Road, Lahore-54500 (Ph No. 042-7597177/0333-4361606)
25	Fozia Perveen	Junior Executive	House No. X 86/E, Street No. 4, Adjacent to Khan Colony Mohallah Ameerabad, MULTAN (Ph No. 061-514782)
26	Sikander Malik	IT Audit	House No. 704, Street No. 82, I-8/4, Islamabad
27	Syeda Ambereen Batool	Junior Executive	House No. 140-A, Street No. 6, Westridge-1, Rawalpindi (Ph No. 051-5481835/0300-5261123)
28	Muhammad Hassan Zaidi	Junior Executive	Flat No. 12-A, Faisal Apartments, 'A' Block, Faisal Town, Lahore (Ph No. 042-5167712)
29	Asfandiyar Khattak	Communication Officer	House No. S-2/21, Tamab Farm, Peshawar (Ph No. 091-2964361/0333-9124231)
30	Zia-ul-Haq	Deputy Director	House # 14, Street # 32/2, F-8/1, Islamabad
31	Rashid Saffar Piracha	Director	House No. 341, Street No. 14, F-10/2, Islamabad. (Ph No. 051-2213198)
32	Wasay Majid	Asstt. Project Manager	16-Asad Jan, Road, Lahore (Ph No. 042-6666170/0300-8466170)
33	Atif Latif	Junior Executive	House No. 35, Lane 2, Lalazar 1, Rawalpindi (Ph No. 051-5486626/0300-5113232)
34	Hammad Javed	Junior Executive	House No. 381, Street No. 13, F-10/2, Islamabad (Ph No. 051-2294006)
35	Adnan Sher	Joint Director	Deputy Director, CMU, Auditor General of Pakistan, Constitution Avenue, Islamabad
36	Tanzila Nisar Mirza	Joint Director	Faysal Bank Limited, 2-G, Capital Business Centre, F-10 Markaz, Islamabad. (Mobile 0300-8553622)
37	Zain-ul-Abidin	Deputy Director	Mohalla Jandar Khel, Village Dallo Khel District Lakki Marwat NWFP
38	Salman Saeed	Junior Executive	House # 41, Street # 106, Chah Pichwars, Mozang, Lahore (Mobile No. 0300-4163310)
39	Muhammad Abdul Hannan	Junior Executive	Arain House, 259/EB, Burewala-61010, District Vehari (Ph # 0447-53953, 0300-4434956)
40	Muhammad Imran Sajid	Junior Executive	House No. 4-E, Street No. 16, G-6/2, Islamabad (Ph No. 051-2821400)
41	Mohsin Syed	Deputy Director	House # 31, Bismillah Street, Al-Hamid Colony, Allama Iqbal Town, LAHORE (Ph # 042-7590621)
42	Sajid Imran	Deputy Director	H-No. 14, Street No. 31, G-6/1-3, Islamabad-44000
43	Ali Asad Nawaz Malik	Assistant Director	House # 11-C, Street # 1, F-7/3, Islamabad (Mobile # 051-2277883)
44	Shoaib Dar	Junior Executive	S/O. Mr. Shoukat Dar, S-93, Defence Housing Authority, Lahore Cantt, Lahore (Tel: # 042-5728118, 0300-4371849)
45	Ch. Mazhar Hussain	Assistant Director	House # 69, Street # 36, F-6/1, Islamabad (Ph # 051-9211219-2876889)
46	Shahzad Afzal Khan	Assistant Director	Family Suit # 4, Doctors Hostel, Opposite Aabpara Police Station, Capital Hospital, G-6/2, Islamabad (Ph # 051-9128975)
47	Sultan Mazhar Sher	Deputy Director	One, Nazimuddin Road, F-7/1, Islamabad (Mobile # 0333-9128975)
48	Azmat Hayat Khan Lodhi	Assistant Director	5-Temple Road, Block Cand-D, Lahore-54000 (Mobile # 0300-8464337/042-7354337)
49	Ejaz Alam Khan	Assistant Registrar	House # B-1269, Satellite Town, Rawalpindi
50	Bushara Aslam	Director	House No 360, Street No 33, F-11/2, Islamabad
51	Tahir Ahmed Dhindsa	Consultants	House No. 3, Street No. 74, G-10/3, Islamabad (Ph No. 051-2850020)
52	Salman Ali Sheikh	Commissioner	7 Zaman Park, Lahore Pakistan
53	Yousuf Raza	Assistant Director	House No 321, Street 55 Sector G-10/4 Islamabad
54	Atif Humayun	Asstt. Software Engr	Al Umar Hotel, Room No.10 G-7 Markaz, Islamabad

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S. No.	Name	Designation	Address
1	Saima Afsar	Asstt. Software Engr.	House No. 24, Street # 119, 11th Avenue, G-11/4, Islamabad. (Ph # 051-2102424)
2	Komel Rauf	Asstt. Software Engr.	310-Golden Heights F-11/1, Islamabad (Ph No. 051-2103085)
3	Aamir Waheed	Manager Application	S-D, 6th Road, Satellite Town, Rawalpindi
4	Zil-e-Ilahi	PRO	18/4-E, Model Town, Lahore (Ph 042-5834599)
5	Rashid I. Malik	Commissioner	H No 202 Street No 74 Sector F-11/1 Islamabad
6	Sibghatullah Ahsan	Assistant Director	H.#371, Mohallah Al-Noor Colony, Qadeer Khan Road, Sector III, Rawalpindi
7	Chaudhry Imtiaz Hussain	Director	House No. 591/10, Amin Town Extension, Behind Karina Restaurant, West Canal Road, FAISALABAD (Mobile . No. 0333-4246338)
8	Tahir Ahmed	Joint Director	13-G, 1-Model Town, Lahore (051-5884990-1)
9	Muhammad Jehangir	Junior Executive	S/o. Zahur-ud-Din, House # 6, Larex Colony, Near Grid Station # 1, Karachi Wala Phatak, Oarhi Shahu, Lahore
10	Nazia Malik	Junior Executive	D/o. M. Ashraf Malik, House # 988/47, Near Cantt Public School, Millat Abad, Afshan Colony, Rawalpindi Cantt. (Ph #
11	Amir Qureshi	Junior Executive	S/o. Mr. Umerdin Qureshi, House # A-1120, 123, Jaul Road, Hiranabad, Hyderabad-71000 (Ph # 0221-637552)
12	Zohra Sarwar Khan	Junior Executive	D/o. Sarwar Khan (Late), House # 526, Street # 52, G-9/1, Islamabad. (Ph # 051-2854962)
13	Sumera Yasmeen	Junior Executive	Chaudhary House, Street No. 17, Wahdat Colony, Multan (Ph # 061-549307)
14	Kashif Ghani	Junior Executive	S/o. Abdul ghani, House # A-3, Faraz Villas Phase-III, Qasimabad, Hyderabad. (Ph # 0221-653524/03003069589)
15	Afsheen Kabir	Junior Executive	D/o. Fahad Zubair, House # 610, Phase 1, Defence Officers Housing Society, Malir Cantt, Karachi. (Ph # 021-4901928/03002304851)
16	Abdul Wahid	Driver	House No. 18, Block No. 7-B, Joher Complex, University Road, Karachi
17	Dr. Mumtaz A Hashmi	Consultant	House # 229/2-B, Block # 2, P.E.C.H.S., Karachi-75400 (Ph # 021-4545381-4528886-0300 8224760)
18	Javed K. Siddiqui	Executive Director	Jang Building, 2nd, Floor, Fazl-e-Haq Road, Blue Area, Islamabad (Ph # 051-9206667) jksiddiq@yahoo.com
19	Ulfat Karim	Driver	S/o. Nadir Shah, Jagan Chowk, Balit, P.O. Karimabad, Hunza, District, Gilgit.
20	Dr. Sajid Qureshi	Executive Director	House No. 304, Street No. 14, Chakdala Scheme 3, Rawalpindi (Ph No. 051-5501341)
21	Farzin Khan	Assistant Director	House No. 64, Street No. 117, Sector G-11/4, Islamabad. (Ph # 051-9267330-0300-9199197)
22	Sajjad Ali	Junior Executive	S/o. Khawaja Azam Ali, House # 6, Street # 4, F-6/3, Islamabad. (Ph # 051-2824529/0300-5302009)
23	Muhammad Shafiq	Driver	House # 3976-BC, Gali # 57, Allama Iqbal Colony, Tench Bata, Rawalpindi.
24	Abdul Rashid Khan	Driver	C/o. D 55 Block S, KDA Scheme NO. 5, Clifton Karachi
25	Waheed Iqbal	Junior Executive	S/o. Ghulam Farid Khan, C/o. Farid Cycle Works, Sheranwala Gate, Haripure Hazara (NWFP) (Tel: # 0995616680)
26	Omamah Nazir	Junior Executive	House # 14, Street # 44, I-8/1, Islamabad. (Ph # 051-2254262)
27	Shaukat Hameed	Joint Director	House No.55, Najam Shaheed Road, Westrage-1, Rawalpindi.
28	Shane Coelho	Personal Assistant	Jilani View Apts, Flat # A-4, Block # 13-A, Oulshan-e-Iqbal, Scheme-24, Karachi-75300 (Ph # 021-4988125)
29	Aadil Naeem Khan	Assistant Director	Market Control and Surveillance Department, Karachi Stock Exchange, KSE Building, Stock Exchange Road, Karachi. (Ph # 0300-2672280)

30	Lamiaa Ruwan Khan	Assistant Director	720-L Street 179 G11/1 Islamabad
31	Ayesha Tanvir	Assistant Director	D/o. M. Tanvir Qureshi, 22-Aga Khan Road, F-6/4, Islamabad. (Ph # 051-2821130-03002616482)
32	Amber Durr	Executive Director	D 55 Block 5, KDA Scheme NO. 5, Clifton Karachi
33	Muhammad Naushad	Assistant	House # 8-B, Civil Quarters, Kohat Road, PESHAWAR. (Ph # 091-2569682)
34	Younas Ali Khan	Assistant	House # 11, Street # 3, Block # 2, Madina Town, Khanna Road, Rawalpindi.
35	Salman Saif	Deputy Director	House # 26-A, New Shalimar Town, Gulshan-e-Ravi, Multan Road, Lahore-54500 (Ph # 042-7461821)
36	Faisal Lateef Khawaja	Deputy Registrar	House # 1-B, Khadim Street, Rustam Park, Multan Road, LAHORE. (Ph # 042-7464482/0333-4283527)
37	Rizwan Ahmed Malik	Deputy Registrar	Ghurid House Chaman Park, New Canal Bridge, Adj. Canal View Hospital, Fatch Garh, LAHORE. (Mobile # 0333-433200)
38	Mahwesh Mumtaz	Assistant Director	House # 46-E, Askari 7, Adiala Road, Rawalpindi (Ph # 051-5792665/0333-5152336)
39	Salman Khan Lodhi	Deputy Director	House No. 76-B, Lane 5, Harly Street, Rawalpindi (Ph No. 051-5566690)
40	Tariq Ahmed	Deputy Director	H # 4, St. # 4, Municipal Dorporation Colony No. 2, Dalazak Road, Peshawar City.
41	Ahmer Kamal Shamsi	Deputy Director	House # 18, G-9/3, Neelam Road, Islamabad. (Ph # 051-2850560/0333-5385177)
42	Ahmed Ali Mahar	Junior Assistant	C/o. Shah Waliullah Model School, B.P.O. Abdo District, SHIKARPUR. (Ph # 0761-577004/0761-575135)
43	Shafiq Ahmed	Naib Qasid	House # 550, Street # 33-C Area, Korangi 2 1/2, KARACHI (Ph # 021-5053507)
44	Imran Zafar	Junior Assistant	Fiat # 15, Block 18-B, G-9/2, Karachi Company, Islamabad.
45	Muhammad Arshad	Deputy Director	D/521, Iqbal Road, Near Lunda Bazar, RAWALPINDI (Ph # 051-5555026/0300-5585015)
46	Adeel Raza	Assistant	House # ZA-887, Street # 6-B, Chachian, Bazar Loharan, Pirwadhi, RAWALPINDI. (Ph # 051-5472216/0333-5168746)
47	Sarfraz Ahmed	Assistant	Hotel Shalimar, Off The Mall, Rawalpindi. Cantt (Tel # 051-5562901/Ext. 1609)
48	Mateo-ul-Hassan	Assistant	House # B-IV-1646, Street # 8, Muslim Town, RAWALPINDI (Mobile # 0300-5156414)
49	Mozazzam Ali Shoukat	Assistant	House # 373, Street # 122, G-9/3, Islamabad. (Ph # 051-2281179/0333-5433894)
50	Mujid Hussain	Driver	House No. 9, Gali # 17, PWD, Colony, G-9/2, Block 6, Islamabad.
51	Hussain Ahmad	Assistant Director	House No. 747-X, Street # 24, Phase-III, DHA, Lahore Cantt (Ph No. 042-5727460)
52	Muhammad Atif Hameed	Deputy Director	Flat # 13, Jason Terrace, Block No 2, Clifton, KARACHI. (Ph # 042-5162886/0300-2255624)
53	Muhammad Naveed Chaudhry	Director	House # 16-B, Street # 8, F-8/1 Islamabad. (Ph # 051-2083212)
54	Salia Masood	Deputy Director	Banking Supervision Department, State Bank of Pakistan, KARACHI. (Ph # 021-9206066/0333-2312916)
55	Muhammad Usman Mirza	Deputy Director	C/o. Istiaq Ahmed Bajwa, Foreign Exchange Dealer, EDMD, 4th Floor, State Bank of Pakistan, I.I. Chundrigar Road, KARACHI. (Ph # 0333-2343587)
56	Ghulam Mustafa	Deputy Director	C/o. Professor Mushtaq Malik, Street # 1, Kung Road, Near Stadium, Sheikhupura City (Mobile # 0333-2113481/056-37861110)
57	Sonia	Stenographer	D/o. Muhammad Riaz Qureshi, House # G-114/A, Street # 4, Usman Pura, Near Imperial Market, RAWALPINDI (Ph # 051-5536182)
58	Nasir Askar	Joint Director	Fiat # 19, Block # 19, Defence Garden, DHA, Phase 1, Main, Korangi Road, KARACHI (Mobile # 0333-2125448)

59	Ali Azeem Ikram	Director	Apartment No. 002, Ground Floor, Hamza Tower, F-11/1 Islamabad. (Ph. No. 0300-5017143)
60	Mariam A. Kayani	Asstt. Software Engr.	House # 814, Street # 64, G-9/4, Islamabad (Ph No. 051-2851243/0300-5246397)
61	Muhammad Ali Sheikh	Consultant	S.D. House No. 151, Askari Officers Housing Scheme No. 9, Zarrar Shaheed Road, Lahore Cantt (Ph No. 042-6687546)
62	Harima Mubeen	Assistant Database Admin	House # 455, Street # 105, I-8/4, Islamabad
63	Arsalan Baig	Director	House # 370, Street # 10, Sector # FF, Phase-IV, Defence Housing Authority, LAHORE Cantt. (Ph. No. 0300-9476373/042-5899370)
64	Suleman Pervez	Deputy Director	State Bank Inspection Team, C/o Javaid Ahmed Khawaja, General Manager Operations, The Bank of Punjab, Operations Division, Head Office, 7-Egerton Road, LAHORE.
65	Babar Sattar	Joint Director	301, east 45th Street, Apt 6B, New York, NY 10017 Sattar@post.harvard.edu
66	Shoaib Soofi	Director	Flat # 6, State Life Building 1-B, Lalazar (Queens Road), KARACHI (Ph # 021-5610609/0300-2867794)
67	Junaid Iqbal	Consultant	House # 40/II, Street # 30, Phase-V, D.H.A., KARACHI (Ph # 021-5851191)
68	Ahmed Qadir	Deputy Director	House # 43, Street # 5, Sector F-8/3, Islamabad. (Ph # 051-2255153)
69	Muhammad Arif Mian	Executive Director	House No. 13, Street No. 12, F-6/3, ISLAMABAD. (Ph # 051-8264253)
70	Noor Ahmed Zeb	Assistant Director	House # 306, Main Margalla Road, F-11/3, ISLAMABAD (Ph # 051-2110509)
71	Muhammad Umer Rattu	Deputy Director	House # 645, Street # 75, G-10/4, Islamabad (Tel # 051-2244638)
72	riq Naeem	Joint Director	238-A, Gulistan Colony No. 2, Faisalabad (Ph No. 041-8845510)
73	M. Saleem Farooqui	Joint Director	House # 4, Block # 55, G-11/4, PHA-Flats, Islamabad. (Ph # 051-2113272)
74	Sabeen Naseem	HR Officer	House # 60-A, Street # 39, F-10/4, ISLAMABAD. (Ph # 051-2107988/0300-9105013)
75	Mishaal Ahmed	Assistant Director	House # 57, Street # 5, F-8/3, Islamabad (Tel # 051-2262380)
76	Faryal Najeeb Abbasi	HR Officer	4-A/1, Block-A, Commercial Area, Satellite Town, RAWALPINDI (Ph # 051-4423299/0300-5191311)
77	Aisha Ishtiaq	HR Officer	10-B, Civil Lines, Rashid Minhas Road, RAWALPINDI (Ph # 051-5581755)
78	Sardar Abbas Ali Khan	Assistant Director	Nasrula House, 11-A, Khayaban-e-Sarwar, Dera Ghazi Khan. (Ph # 0641-471786-462554)
79	Saima Akbar Khattak	Joint Director	8-Jumrod Road, P.O. Tehkal Balal, PESHAWAR (Ph # 0333-9286737/091-844434)
80	Saba Tariq Hassan	Assistant Director	House # 19, Street # 41, F-7/1, Islamabad (Ph # 051-2652332)
81	Dr. Saleem Baile	Executive Director	House # 376, Street # 71, F-11/1, Islamabad (Ph No. 051-2103699/0300-8502198)
82	Zareen Gul	Driver	House No. 640/1, Nmoallah Adra, Rawalpindi.
83	Nowmita Qureshi	Joint Director	H #J-27-D, St. #4, Liakat Bagh, Rawalpindi
84	Muhammad Mudassar	Naib Qasid	House # 63, Street # 3, Mohallah Haji Qamar Din, Park Gojar Pura, Lahore Cantt, LAHORE.
85	Muhammad Jamil	Junior Assistant	House #B-M-94, Street/Mohalla Wahdat Colony, Lahore
86	Abid Salam Agha	Joint Director	House # 4, Club Colony, Islamabad Club, Islamabad (Ph # 051-9218585/0300-5122829)
87	Zaib Shadani	Assistant Director	House # 306, Main Margalla Road, F-11/3, ISLAMABAD (Ph # 051-2110509)
88	Zulfiqar Ali	Stenographer	62-Garden Block, Garden Town, LAHORE. (Ph # 0321-4117630)

89	Abid Ali	Driver	House # 5-B, WAPDA Colony, Sector G-7/4, Islamabad
90	Muhammad Ali	Assistant	House # 35, Mohallah Ahaat Malik Muhammad Din, Faiz Bagh, Tehsil, LAHORE. (Ph # 042-7602216/0321-4068176)
91	Muhammad Naveed	Stenographer	Quarter William Sahab, Quarter # 19, Madni Road, Dharampura, Mustafabad, Lahore. (Ph # 042-6849703/0300-5576072/051-2841103)
92	Zeeshan R. Khattak	Assistant Director	7th-Valley Road, Bunny Gala, Islamabad (Mobile # 0333-5576072/051-2841103)
93	Javed Iqbal	Assistant	House # 337-A, Street # 15, Sector-1, Airport Housing Society, RAWALPINDI. (Mobile # 0300-9185153)
94	Uzma Tabbasum	Assistant	House # 14, Street # 1, E-7,
95	Najia Karim Bokhari	Asstt. Software Engr.	C/o. Director Coordination, Room # 6-7, Mezzanine, Rizwan Centre, Jinnah Avenue, Blue Area, ISLAMABAD. (Ph # 051-2860012/0333-5199466)
96	Alshah Ali Raza	Deputy Director	House # 139-B, PAF Officers' Colony, Zafar Shaheed Road, Lahore Cantt. LAHORE

Annexure-III

LIST OF EMPLOYEES APPOINTED IN THE YEAR 2006

S. #	Name	Designation	Addresses
1	M. Zahid Suleman	Manager Systems	House #1228, Block-B, St Town, Rawalpindi
2	Waheed Anjum	Assistant Director	House # 12, Street # 21, Korang Town Zone 5, Islamabad (Ph # 051-5957360)
3	Naveed-ur-Rehman	Deputy Director	C/o. M. Ayub, House # P-1374/B, Street # 5, Mohallah Hari Pura, Near Banni, Rawalpindi (Ph # 051-4447375/0333-5233915)
4	Javed Akhtar Malik	Assistant Director	Block # 6-D, Flat # 5, G-9/2, Islamabad (Ph # 051-2252815)
5	Imran Hussain	Joint Director	Survey # 15, 133-New PAF Officers Colony, Zarrar, Shaheed Road, LAHORE CANTT. (Ph # 042-9200568/0300-944477)
6	Razi-ur-Rahman Khan	Chairman	House No. 35-J, 9th Gizri Street, Phase-IV, DHA, Karachi
7	Muhammad Ahmad	Assistant Director	127-Neelam Block, Allama Iqbal Town, LAHORE. (Ph # 042-5764842/0333-6949325)
8	Atif Ejaz Ahmed	Assistant Director	A-84, Rafah-e-Aam, Cooperative Housing Society, Malir Halt, KARACHI (Ph # 0321-2421060)
9	Irum Saba	Junior Executive	House # 531-C, Satellite Town, BAHAWALPUR. (Ph # 062-2282276/0300-6805152)
10	Raja Shafqat Hayat	Driver	Mohallah Amir Hamza, Shakriyal, Rawalpindi
11	Saima Ghazal	Deputy Director	House # 92, Street # 159, G-11/1, Islamabad. (Ph # 051-2292256/)
12	Muhammad Idress Khan	Driver	House # 35-J, Street # 9, DHA, Karachi
13	Mubeen Ashraf	Assistant Director	A-24, Sindh Baloch, Co-Operative Housing Society, Gulistan-e-Johar, Block 12, KARACHI. (Ph # 021-4615239/0300-2320067)
14	Hussain Khan	Driver	House # 86, Sector 16-I, Manzoor colony, Karachi
15	Maula Dad	Driver	Village Kisan, Tehsil Pindi Gheb, District, Attock
16	Asif Shafqat	Junior Executive	House # 25, Street # 12, F-6/3, ISLAMABAD. (Ph # 051-9206138)
17	Dr. Rubina Tahir	Medical Officer	House # 984, Street # 21, G-11/1, Islamabad
18	Adeel Shamshad	Young Professional's Scheme	E-150-A, Alshad Street, New Super Town, Walton Road, LAHORE Cantt. (Ph # 042-6666642/0333-4462282)
19	Abdul Rahman	Chowkidar	House No. 97, Street No. 2, Azmat Town, Karachi
20	Waqas Qadeer Dar	Director	House # 73, Block H, Johar Town, LAHORE (Ph #042 5300157)

21	Hasan Adnan Ahmed	Assistant Director	House # 311-D, Lane # 04, Peshawar Road, Rawalpindi (Ph # 051-9278543)
22	Mansur Ahsan	Executive Director	Flat No. 3, Karakurram Enclave F-11, Islamabad
23	Asif Khan	Assistant Director	House # 581, Street # 28, G-10/2, Islamabad (Ph # 051-2104507)
24	Selman Zafar	System Engineer	76-A, Lane No. 6, Khayaban-e-Faisal, Link road Chaklala, Rawalpindi
25	Ulf Hamayun	Quality Assurance Analyst	Al Umar Hotel, Room No.10 G-7 Markaz, Islamabad
26	Faisal Iqbal	Deputy Director	R-10, Prem Villas, Scheme 33, Karachi
27	Muhammad Asif Paryani	Assistant Director	B-13, Akbar Appartments, CL- 8/21, Bleak House Road, Civil Lines, Karachi
28	Qaiser Iqbal	Assistant Director	C/o Mr. Ashraf, HNo1, Flat No. 8-K, Pakeeza Market, Sector 1-8/4, Islamabad
29	M. Ashraf Tiwana	Registrar (AB)	House No. 285-A, Raja Akram Road, Rawalpindi, Cantt.
30	Amin Zahid Kazim	Graphic Designer	H-106-B, Street 59, F-10/3, Islamabad
31	Irfan Abbas Fazal	Joint Director	Flat # O-3, Semorina Apartments, Block 13-A, Gulshan-e-Iqbal, Karachi (Ph No. 021-4826126)
32	Imran Iqbal Panjwani	Director	R-59, New Memon Nagar, Sector 13-A, Gulzar-e-Hijra, Scheme-33, Gulshan-e-Iqbal Karachi (Ph No. 021-8268640)
33	Mateen Ullah Khan	Deputy Director	III - D, 9/19, Nazimabad Karachi

130. ***Mr. Ilyas Ahmed Bilour:** (Notice received on 13-04-2007 at 09.45 a.m.)

Will the Minister for Finance and Revenue be pleased to state the steps being taken by the Government to check circulation of fake Pak currency notes?

Mr. Omar Ayub Khan : An effective legal framework is in place with penal provisions under Pakistan Penal Code and Treasury Rules of Federal Government to curb the counterfeiting & printing of fake currency. In addition to above, Government has taken following steps to check circulation of fake Currency Notes:

- * Due to technological flaws in the existing old banknotes, Federal Cabinet in its meeting held on 27th October, 2004, decided to introduce New Design Banknotes with additional security features. All the New Design Banknotes including new denominations of Rs 20 and Rs 5,000 comprise state of art security features to prevent the circulation of fake/ counterfeit notes.
- * A comprehensive campaign was launched through print and electronic media in order to create public awareness about banknotes. Brochures and posters were also printed and distributed among the banks to improve the understanding of security features.

- * Prime Minister has constituted a high level Task Force under the chairperson of the Governor, State Bank of Pakistan to make recommendations for combating the counterfeiting of currency notes. In this context, recommendations will be finalized shortly.

131. ***Mr. Ilyas Ahmed Bilour:** (Notice received on 13-04-2007 at 09.45 a.m.)

Will the Minister for Finance and Revenue be pleased to state:

- (a) *whether it is a fact that inflation rate rose to 8.9 percent in the country in December, 2006;*
- (b) *the percentage of increase in inflation rate in the country during April, 2007; and*
- (c) *the impact of the said inflation rate on the economy of the country?*

Mr. Omar Ayub Khan: (a) The inflation rate in December 2006 in the country was at 8.9 percent.

(b) The data on inflation for April, 2007 has not been received yet. The same will be available after May, 10th 2007. However inflation declined from 8.9 percent in December 2006 to 7.7 percent in March 2007.

(c) Although inflationary pressure has been eased from its Dec 2006 position, but it still remains above the target of 6.5% set for fiscal year 2006-07. The current level of inflation at 8 percent is within manageable limit. It may be pointed out that during July-March 2006-07 food inflation increased by 10.3 percent compared with 7.4 percent in the same period last year. While non-food inflation has decreased to 6.4 percent as against 8.9 percent in the corresponding period of last year. Higher prices of some major imported food items namely, Edible Oil, Pulses, Milk Powder, Wheat, Wheat Flour, Onion, Potato and Tomato have kept the food inflation higher. While on the other hand supply shortage of some domestically produced food items like Rice, Red Chilies and Milk Fresh have also contributed to the food inflation. However, due to bumper crop of wheat and steps taken by Government to ease the pressure on supply side factors it is expected that inflation will decelerate in coming months.

132. ***Mr. Ilyas Ahmed Bilour:** (Notice received on 14-04-2007 at 8.25 a.m.)

Will the Minister for Economic Affairs be pleased to state:

- (a) *whether it is a fact that Pakistan's loan amounting to 12.5 billion dollars will be rescheduled by the end of May this year by the Paris Club Consortium; and*
- (b) *whether it is also a fact that Pakistan is facing pressure for repayment of that loan?*

Miss Hina Rabbani Khar : (a) Pakistan has made no request for any rescheduling of loan from Paris Club countries.

(b) No, the Government of Pakistan is repaying all loans according to its commitments and therefore there is no question of pressure from any donor.

133. ***Hafiz Rashid Ahmad:** (Notice received on 16-04-2007 at 10.50 a.m.)

Will the Minister Incharge of the Cabinet Division be pleased to state:

- (a) *whether it is a fact that Abandoned Property Organization with the collaboration with Multan Development Authority have launched a residential scheme known as M.D.A. Model Town;*
- (b) *whether it is also a fact that Abandoned property Organization had received the price of land for the said scheme about three years ago from the Multan Development Authority but the land has not been transferred in the name of Multan Development Authority or Scheme, if so, its reasons; and*
- (c) *the time by which the said land will be transferred by the Abandoned property Department in the name of the said Authority or scheme?*

Minister Incharge of the Cabinet Division: (a) No. It is not a fact.

(b) No. It is also not a fact.

(c) In view of answers at (a) and (b) above, this question does not arise.

134. *Prof. Khurshid Ahmed: (Notice received on 28-04-2007 at 11.35 a.m.)

Will the Minister for Commerce be pleased to state:

- (a) *whether it is a fact that the exports of the country during the first nine months of the current financial year have decreased while the refunds on exports paid during this period have increased from 24 billions to 26 billions, if so, its reasons ; and*
- (b) *the reasons for decrease in the exports of the country during the said period?*

Mr. Humayun Akhtar Khan: (a) It is not a fact.

(b) Not applicable.

@145. *Ch. Muhammad Anwar Bhinder: (Notice received on 27-02-2007 at 12.15 p.m.)

Will the Minister Incharge of the Cabinet Division be pleased to state the increases made in the price of 11.8 kg cylinder of Liquefied Petroleum Gas (LPG) during 2006 indicating also the reasons for those increases?

Minister Incharge of the Cabinet Division: Oil and Gas Regulatory Authority (OGRA) has informed that: OGRA does not fix the LPG consumer price. The same is de-regulated and fixed by the LPG marketing companies on competitive basis. There are 52 LPG marketing companies and each company therefore has its own price which varies from time to time depending upon demand and supply situation. The details of increase or decrease in the average consumer price of LPG (month wise) during the year, 2005-06 are given in Annex-I.

Annexure-I

AVERAGE LPG CONSUMER PRICE

Month	Avg. Price (Rs.) Per 11.8 kg cylinder
Jul-05	356
Aug-05	421

@Transferred from the Petroleum and Natural Resources Division.

Sep-05
Oct-05
Nov-05
Dec-05
Jan-06
Feb-06
Mar-06
Apr-06
May-06
Jun-06
Jul-06
Aug-06
Sep-06
Oct-06
Nov-06
Dec-06

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566
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555
500
490

37. **Mr. Liaqat A. Bangulzai:** (Notice received on 22-02-2007 at 13:17 p.m)

Will the Minister for Finance and Revenue be pleased to state:

- (a) *the steps taken by the Government for alleviation of poverty in the country particularly in rural areas and Balochistan; and*
- (b) *the details of on going projects for poverty alleviation in the country?*

Mr. Omar Ayub Khan : (a) The government is pursuing a poverty reduction strategy which is based on the following four pillars namely (i) Accelerating economic growth and maintaining macroeconomic stability, (ii) Investing in human capital (iii) Improving governance and devolution, and (iv) Targeting the poor and vulnerable.

2. During 2005-06, budgetary expenditures on the 17 pro-poor sectors identified in PRSP amounted to Rs. 434.6 billion. Within the various categories of pro-poor expenditures, spending under the rural development category comprising of the heads of irrigation, land reclamation, rural development and rural electrification, is exclusively on the rural areas of the country. During 2005-06, a total of Rs. 79 billion was directly channeled towards the rural areas of the country. In addition, a significant proportion of expenditures of Rs. 63.6 billion and Rs. 217.9 billion, under the categories of community services and human development, respectively, were spent in the rural areas of the country.

3. In Balochistan, pro-poor budgetary expenditures during 2005-06 amounted to a total of Rs. 28.9 billion out of the national total of Rs.434.6 billion. A more detailed break down of government spending on pro-poor sectors in Balochistan is at Annex -I.

(b) Details at Annex-II

ANNEX-I

Pro-poor Spending in Balochistan (2005-06)	Total Amount (Rs. Million)
Community Services	8,689
Roads, Highways & Bridges	6598
Water Supply & Sanitation	2091
Human Development	8,587
Education	6086
Health	2022
Population Planning	257
Social Security & Social Welfare	195
Natural Calamities & Other Disasters	27
Rural Development	6,996
Irrigation	4949
Rural Development	2047
Safety Nets	124
Food Support Program	124
Governance	4,510
Law and Order	4016
Justice Administration	494
GRAND TOTAL	28,906

Annex-II

(b) Based on the strategies outlined in the PRSP, the Government has taken a number of steps for improving the quality of life and achieving sustainable poverty reduction:

A. Fiscal Responsibility and Debt Limitation Act

The Federal Government has been allocating increasing amounts over the years on pro-poor sectors and will continue doing so under the obligation of Fiscal Responsibility and Debt Limitation Act 2005, which stipulates that spending on the social sectors should not be less than 4.5 percent of GDP for any given year and that budget allocation on education and health will be doubled from the existing level in terms of percentage of GDP during next ten years. During 2005-06, public spending on pro-poor sectors amounted to 5.63 percent of the GDP, up from 4.81 percent in 2004-05.

B. Social Protection Programmes in the Public Sector

Pakistan's PRSP contains a strong commitment to effective social protection which is reflected in one of its four core pillars. The Government of Pakistan has recently formulated a comprehensive Social Protection Strategy through a consultative process, which is going to serve as an integrated framework for provision of safety nets to the poorest and most vulnerable segments of society. Social protection in the country is currently being provided through various programmes and institutions in the public sector, which includes the following:

- I. Food Support Programme of Pakistan Bait-ul-Mal (PBM)
- II. Workers Welfare Fund (WWF)
- III. Employees Old Age Benefits Institution (EOBI)
- IV. Zakat
- V. Khushal Pakistan Programmes/ Khushal Pakistan Fund
- VI. Microcredit by Khushali Bank and Pakistan Poverty Alleviation Fund (PPAF)

38. **Mr. Liaquat A. Bangulzai:** (Notice received on 26-02-2007 at 11:30 a.m)

Will the Minister Incharge of the Establishment Division be pleased to state:

- (a) *the names, designations, BPS and names of ministries/divisions/ departments of the officers in BPS 17 and above sent abroad for higher education and professional training during the last two years;*

- (b) *the criteria adopted for selection of the said officers for higher education/ training; and*
- (c) *the impact of the higher education and training of the said officers in their relevant fields?*

Minister Incharge of the Establishment Division : (a) The lists of officers indicating names, designations, BPS and Ministry/Division, Department, sent abroad for higher education and professional training during the last two years are at **Annex-I**.

(b) Criteria adopted for selection of the officers for professional Training under Public Capacity Building Project is placed at **Annex-II**.

(c) The project for Capacity Building is in its final stages of implementation and determination of the impact of the project requires a reasonable time after completion. The Impact Assessment report would be prepared after culmination of the Project, in consultation with Ministries/Divisions concerned.

(Annexures have been placed on the Table of the House as well as library)

39. **Dr. Muhammad Ismail Buledi:** (Notice received on 28-02-2007 at 08:35 a.m)

Will the Minister Incharge of the Establishment Division be pleased to state the number of employees working in the setup dealing with Federal Government Employees Benevolent and Group Insurance Funds with grade-wise break-up?

Minister Incharge of the Establishment Division : There are 91 sanctioned posts in 13S-1 to BS-21 at the strength of the Federal Employees Benevolent & Group Insurance Funds Headquarter and its Regional Boards at Islamabad, Lahore and Karachi. The grade-wise breakup of the employees is as under:—

Name of Post	BPS	No of Post
Managing Director	21	1
Senior Director	20	1
Director	19	2 (Vacant)
Director	18	4

Name of Post	BPS	No of Post
Private Secretary to MD	17	1
Assistant Director	17	4
Deputy Assistant Director	16	6
Stenographer	15	1
Divisional Accountant	14	1
Computer Machine Operator	14	2
Stenotypist	12	1
Assistant	11	13
Sub-Engineer	11	1
Accounts Clerk	10	5
U.D.C	7	8
L.D.C	5	13
D.M.O	5	1
Driver	4	2
Dispatch Rider	4	4
Daftry	2	1
Qasid	2	1
Naib Qasid	1	13
Chowkider	1	4
Sweeper	1	1
Total :		91

40. **Dr. Muhammad Ismail Buledi:** (Notice received on 03-03-2007 at 09:20 a.m)

Will the Minister for Commerce be pleased to state the number of Commercial attaches, Counsellors /Ministers presently posted abroad with province-wise break up?

Mr. Humayun Akhtar Khan : There are 55 Officers of various groups posted in Pakistan Trade Missions abroad consisting of 1 Ambassador, 10 Ministers/ Consul Generals, 30 Commercial Counsellors and 14 Commercial Secretaries. The Province-wise detail is Annexed

Annex**Province-wise details of Trade Officers**

Post	Punjab	Sindh	NWFP	Balochistan	Federal Area	Total
Ambassador	-	-	1	-	-	1
Minister/Consul General	7	3	-	-	-	10
Commercial Counsellor	16	4	9	-	1	30
Commercial Secretary	6	1	4	3	-	14
	29	8	14	3	1	55

41. **Dr. Muhammad Ismail Buledi:** (Notice received on 12-03-2007 at 09:05 a.m)

Will the Minister Incharge of the Cabinet Division be pleased to state the number of persons in BPS 15 to 22 working in the Cabinet Division with grade-wise and province wise break up?

Minister Incharge of the Cabinet Division : The number of persons in BPS-15 to 22 working in the Cabinet Division (Main) is 125. Grade-wise/ province-wise break up is placed at Annex-A.

Annex-A**PERSONS IN BPS-15 TO 22 WORKING IN THE CABINET DIVISION (MAIN) WITH GRADE - WISE/PROVINCE - WISE**

GRADE/ BPS	NAME OF PROVINCES				
	PUNJAB	NWFP	SINDH	BALUCHISTAN	AJK
22	--	--	01	--	--
21	02	01	--	--	--
20	07	01	--	--	--
19	07	--	--	--	--
18/17	36	05	05	01	01
16	06	02	--	--	--
15	37	08	05	--	--
GRAND TOTAL	95*	17	11	01	01

* 52 officers, are in BS-17 and above who belong to occupational groups are posted by the Establishment Division.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE PARTICULARS OF PRESENT POSTING WORKING IN THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OF PAKISTAN LAHORE

S. No.	NAME OF THE EMPLOYEE	DESIGNATION	* CPS	Qualification	Date of present posting at Lahore	No. address and monthly rent of residences hired by the Commission for employees
1	Mr. Ahmad Muzammil	Additional Registrar	9	M.A (Economics) LL.B	26-04-2004	No residence as per record of
2	Mr. Liaqat Ali Dolla	Joint Registrar-II	8	B.A LL.B	02-02-2006	
3	Mr. Shahbaz Sarwar	Joint Registrar-III	8	ACMA LL.B	06-04-2001	
4	Mr. Mahboob Ahmed	Joint Registrar-IV	8	ACMA	13-02-2007	
5	Ms. Gulshan Tahira	Deputy Registrar-I	7	M.A (Pol. science) LL.B	09-07-2000	
6	Mr. Ahmed Arsalan	Deputy Registrar-II	7	M.A (Pol. science) LL.B	03-12-2003	
7	Mr. M. Akram Qureshi, -	Deputy Registrar-III	7	MBA (Finance) M.A (Islamiat) LL.B (Hon.)	01-06-2000	
8	Mr. Faisal Lateef Khawaja	Deputy Registrar-IV	7	M.Com, MBA (marketing) LL.B in LL.B (Hon.)	04-04-2005	
9	Mr. Rizwan Ahmad Malik.	Deputy Registrar-V	7	ACMA LL.B	04-12-2005	
10	Ms Sidra Mansur	Deputy Registrar-VI	7	M.B.E (Finance)	20-05-2002	
11	Mr. Mohsin Syed	Deputy Registrar-VII	7	MBA, CA (Foundation)	31-01-2007	
12	Ms. Saboohi Ashraf	Assistant Registrar-II	6	MBA (Finance)	06-04-2001	
13	Mr. Salman Saeed	Assistant Registrar-III	6	M. Com. ACCA in progress	01-01-2003	
14	Mr. M. Hassan Zaidi	Assistant Registrar-IV	6	ACCA	24-01-2007	
15	Malik Muneeb Ahmad	Junior Executive (Admin)	5	B.A	01-06-2000	
16	Mr. Muhammad Warris	Junior Executive (Fin)	5	MBA (Finance)	20-04-2001	
17	Ms. Aisha Ishraq	Junior Executive (HR)	5	MBA (HR)	30-09-2006	
18	Mr. M. Farooq Azam	Stenographer	5	M.A	01-06-2000	
19	Mr. Zulfiqar Ali.	Stenographer	(Contract)	B.A	18-11-2005	
20	Mr. Muhammad Naveed	Stenographer	(Contract)	B.A	01-12-2005	
21	Mr. M. Abdul Ouddus	Assistant Incharge	5	B.A	01-06-2000	
22	Mr. Abdul Ghaffar	Stenotypist	4	F.A	01-06-2000	
23	Mr. Basharat Ali	Stenotypist	4	Matric	01-06-2000	
24	Mr. Zahoor Ahmed	Stenotypist	4	B.Com	01-06-2000	
25	Mr. M. Khalil A. Butt	Stenotypist	4	F.A	01-06-2000	
26	Mr. Shaikat Ali	Stenotypist	4	B.A	01-06-2000	
27	Mr. Muhammad Ilyas Rana	Assistant	4	M.A (Eco.) M.A. (Hist) LL.B	01-06-2000	
28	Mr. Laq ur Rehman Khan	Assistant	4	B.A.	01-06-2000	

42. **Prof. Muhammad Ibrahim Khan:** (Notice received on 13-03-2007 at 09:50 a.m)

Will the Minister for Finance and Revenue be pleased to state:

- (a) the names, educational qualifications, designations, BPS and period of present posting of the persons working in Securities & Exchange Commission of Pakistan, Lahore;*
- (b) the numbers, addresses and monthly rent of residences presently hired by the commission for the said persons?*

Mr. Omar Ayub Khan : (a) The statement showing the present posting of persons working in the Securities and Exchange Commission of Pakistan, Lahore, alongwith the requisite particulars is submitted as per Annex-A

- (b) The Commission has not hired residence for the said persons.

43. **Prof. Khurshid Ahmed:** (Notice received on 30-03-2007 at 09:10 a.m)

Will the Minister for Finance and Revenue be pleased to state:

- (a) *the amount allocated during the current budget for the President's Employment Scheme; indicating also the number of applications received by the National Bank for the loan and the amount of loan released with province wise break up; and*
- (b) *the names of the businesses for which loan was released?*

Mr. Omar Ayub Khan : (a) A amount of Rs. 250 million was allocated during the current budget as GOP's contribution for the President's Rozgar Scheme with expected disbursement of Rs. 7-9 billion. The allocation was reduced to Rs. 36 million due to low pace of disbursement.

So far 13080 applications have been received in the National Bank of Pakistan for the loan and the amount of loan released with province-wise break-up is as under:

<u>Province</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Punjab	227,925,396
Sindh	110,409,953
NWFP	84,671,986
Balochistan	70,132,879
AJK	2,900,925

(b) Loan under President's Rozgar Scheme is being offered for the following businesses; the business-wise detail of approved cases as on April 25th 2007 is as under:—

Product Description	<u>Cases Approved</u>		<u>Cases Registered & In Process</u>	
	No.	Amount	No.	Amount
NBP Karobar Utility Store	27	4,648,802	56	7,822,979
NBP Karobar Mobile Utility Store	-	-	-	-
NBP Karobar Transport	4,845	479,763,561	5560	5,10,376,520

NBP Karobar PCO	23	110,823	31	167825
NBP Karobar Mobile General Store	155	9,720,628	196	11,945,502
NBP Karobar Tele-centre	34	1,797,325	98	7,741,080
	5,084	496,041,139	5,941	538,053,904

44. **Dr. Muhammad Ismail Buledi:** (Notice received on 20-04-2007 at 08:30 a.m)

Will the Minister for Finance and Revenue be pleased to state the number of persons in BPS 17 to 22 working in customs wing, CBR headquarters, with province-wise break up?

Mr. Omar Ayub Khan :

Total Number of persons in BPS-17 to 22 working in Customs Wing, CBR (HQrs) is 19.

Their province-wise break up is as under:—

Province of Domicile	BPS (20)	BPS (19)	BPS (18)	Total Number of officers
Punjab	3	1	7	11
Sindh (Urban)	-	1	1	02
Sindh (Rural)	1	-	-	01
NWFP	-	-	2	02
AJK	1	1	1	03
Total:	5	3	11	19

جناب چيئر مين : سبحان رب العزت عما يصفون وسلم على المرسلين
والحمد لله رب العالمين-

[The House was then adjourned to meet again on Friday, the 18th May,

2007 at 10.30 a.m]
