

**NATIONAL ASSEMBLY OF PAKISTAN**



**PERIODICAL REPORT OF THE  
NATIONAL ASSEMBLY STANDING COMMITTEE ON  
GOVERNMENT ASSURANCES.**

**For the period from  
January 2016 to June 2016**

*Presented by*  
**MUHAMMAD AFZAL KHOKHAR**  
**CHAIRMAN**

## NATIONAL ASSEMBLY SECRETARIAT

Subject: PERIODICAL REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT ASSURANCES

I, Chairman of the Standing Committee on Government Assurances, have the honour to present the Periodical Report as required by rule 234-A of the Rules of Procedures and Conduct of Business in the National Assembly, 2007 for six months from January 1, 2016 to June 30, 2016.

2. The Committee consists of the following Members :-

1.	<b>Mr. Muhammad Afzal Khokhar</b>	<b>Chairman</b>
2.	Mr. Abdul Majeed Khan Khanan Khail	Member
3.	Ms. Shahzadi Umerzadi Tiwana	Member
4.	Chaudhry Muhammad Munir Azhar	Member
5.	Syed Sajid Mehdi	Member
6.	Malik Ibrar Ahmed	Member
7.	Sardar Muhammad Irfan Dogar	Member
8.	Pir Shafqat Hussain Jilani	Member
9.	Syed Mustafa Mehmud	Member
10.	Mr. Shafqat Mahmood	Member
11.	Mr. Murad Saeed	Member
12.	Moulana Muhammad Khan Sherani	Member
13.	Mr. Obaid Ullah Shadi Khel	Member
14.	Rajab Ali Khan Baloch	Member
15.	Sheikh Aftab Ahmad, Minister for Parliamentary Affairs	Ex-officio Member

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Ch. Mukhtar Ahmed

Secretary Committee

Note:

Following changes were made in the composition of Committee during the subject period.

1. Sardar Muhammad Irfan Dogar Included w.e.f. 20-01-2016
3. On January 1, 2016 following Bills/Matters/Assurances referred by the Assembly/Honourable Speaker were pending before the Committee.

S. No.	Matters/Assurances	Referred on
1	Assurance given by the government regarding action against the employees of SNGPL involved in theft/pilferage of gas.	29 <sup>th</sup> July 2013
2	Assurances given by the government regarding launching of proactive major operation against mafias working in and around the passport offices.	15 <sup>th</sup> August 2013
3	Assurance given by the government regarding up-gradation of Pakistani Schools situated abroad; so that, Pakistani students, especially, girls are facilitated for their admissions in graduation/bachelor classes.	16 <sup>th</sup> August 2013
4	Assurances given by the government that: (i) The business, whether in Government Sector or Private Sector, will be made corruption free; (ii) New markets for exports will be explored; and (iii) Any sort of obstacle in the expansion of exports will be removed.	16 <sup>th</sup> August 2013
5	Assurance given by the government regarding carrying out of registration of illegal refugees living in the suburb of Karachi; so that, planning can be made for their repatriation.	16 <sup>th</sup> August 2013
6	Matter of increase in the seats of National Assembly reserved for non-Muslims.	27 <sup>th</sup> September 2013
7	Assurance given by the government regarding withdrawal of the facility of free power units being provided to the employees of WAPDA and payment of an equivalent amount, in lieu thereof, to them.	19 <sup>th</sup> December 2013
8	Assurance given by the government regarding eradication of polio in the country, within a year.	20 <sup>th</sup> December 2013
9	Matter of Non-development of Sector E-12, Islamabad, by the CDA despite lapse of twenty six years.	03 <sup>rd</sup> February 2014
10	Assurance given by the government regarding establishment	11 <sup>th</sup> August 2014

	of Branch of ZTBL Zafarwal and making it fully operational on or before June 30 <sup>th</sup> , 2014.	
11	The report of Sub-Committee of the Standing Committee on Government Assurances regarding non-development of Sector E-12, Islamabad, by the CDA despite lapse of twenty six years.	

4. The Committee held following meetings:

S. No.	Date/Venue of Meeting	Attendance of MNAs	Agenda
1.	05-01-2016 Committee Room # 7, 4 <sup>th</sup> Floor, Parliament House, Islamabad.	4 Members including the Chairman; and 2 Movers	<p>i) The assurance given by Ch. Nisar Ali Khan, Minister for Interior on the floor of the House on 15<sup>th</sup> August, 2013, in response to a Supplementary question asked by Mr. Ali Muhammad Khan, MNA, that a proactive major operation would be launched against mafias and vested interests working in and around the passport offices.</p> <p>ii) The report of Sub-Committee of the Standing Committee on Government Assurances regarding non-development of Sector E-12, Islamabad, by the CDA despite lapse of twenty six years.</p> <p>iii) Any other item with the permission of the Chair.</p>
2.	06-01-2016 Committee Room # 7, 4 <sup>th</sup> Floor, Parliament House, Islamabad.	5 Members including the Chairman; and 1 Mover	<p>i) The statement of Ch. Abid Sher Ali, Minister of State for Water and Power on the floor of the House on 19<sup>th</sup> December, 2013, in response to a Supplementary question to the Starred Question moved by Ms. Nighat Parveen Mir, MNA, wherein the Minister stated that the facility of free power units being provided to the employees of WAPDA would be withdrawn and an equivalent amount in lieu thereof would be paid to them (The Committee will focus mainly on</p>

			<p>this facility being utilized by the Management and employees of LESCO, Power theft, Line losses, Incidents of corruption &amp; misconduct in LESCO and details of action(s), if any, taken against the Management and employees for the same).</p> <p>ii) Any other item with the permission of the Chair.</p>
3.	<p><b>10-02-2016</b> Committee Room # 7, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor, Parliament House, Islamabad.</p>	<p>9 Members including the Chairman; and 2 Movers</p>	<p>i) The assurance given by the Federal Minister for Petroleum and Natural Resources on the floor of the House on 29<sup>th</sup> July, 2013, in response to a Calling Attention Notice given by Mr. Sohail Shoukat Butt, MNA, whereby, the House was assured that action will be taken against the employees of SNGPL involved in theft/pilferage of gas.</p> <p>ii) The statement of Ch. Abid Sher Ali, Minister of State for Water and Power on the floor of the House on 19<sup>th</sup> December, 2013, in response to a Supplementary question to the Starred Question moved by Ms. Nighat Parveen Mir, MNA, wherein the Minister stated that the facility of free power units being provided to the employees of WAPDA would be withdrawn and an equivalent amount in lieu thereof would be paid to them (The Committee will focus mainly on this facility being utilized by the Management and employees of LESCO, Power theft, Line losses, Incidents of corruption &amp; misconduct in LESCO and details of action(s), if any, taken against the Management and employees for the same).</p> <p>iii) Report of the Sub-Committee of the Standing Committee on Government Assurances constituted on an assurance given by the Minister of State for Parliamentary Affairs on the floor of the</p>