

# **NATIONAL ASSEMBLY SECRETARIAT**

## **BULLETIN OF THE ASSEMBLY**

**(9<sup>th</sup> SESSION)**

<b>Date</b>	Monday, the 22 <sup>nd</sup> April, 2019
<b>Commenced at</b>	4.40 P.M.
<b>Adjourned at</b>	7.27 P.M.
<b>Total working hours</b>	02 Hour 22 Minutes
<b>Presided by</b>	Mr. Asad Qaisar, Speaker, National Assembly of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan.
<b>Attendance</b>	255

1. **TILAWAT, NAAT AND NATIONAL ANTHEM**

- *Tilawat* and *Naat* by Qari Muhammad Yunus
- National anthem

### **PANEL OF CHAIRPERSONS**

In pursuance of sub-rule (1) of rule 13 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the National Assembly, 2007, the following members, in order of precedence, were nominated to form a Panel of Chairpersons for the 9<sup>th</sup> Session of the National Assembly:-

1. **MR. TAHIR SADIQ**
2. **SARDAR MUHAMMAD JAFFAR KHAN LEGHARI**
3. **MR. KHURRAM DASTGIR KHAN**
4. **MR. ATTAULLAH**
5. **SYED NAVEED QAMAR**
6. **MR. ASAD MAHMOOD**

### **OBSERVANCE OF ONE MINUTE SILENCE**

The House observed one minute silence to mourn the killings of Sri Lankan citizen as a result of multiple terror attacks on Church in Sri Lanka on Easter Sunday (21-04-2019).

### **FATEHA**

The House offered *Fateha* for the departed souls of,-

- (a) victims of blast in Hazar Gangi, Quetta;
- (b) personnel of security forces martyred on Makran Coastal Highway; and
- (c) Mother-in-Law of Sardar Ayaz Sadiq, Former Speaker of the National Assembly.

### **QUESTIONS**

2.	Questions entered in a separate list to be asked and answers given.	Questions No.169, 38, 43, 58, 60, 61, 69, 72, 76, 83, 100, 2, 3, 6 and 9 were asked and their answers given.
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## LEAVE APPLICATIONS

The leave applications of the Members who requested for grant of leave were read out by the honourable Speaker and granted.

## RESOLUTION

The following resolution moved by Mr. Ali Muhammad Khan, Minister of State for Parliamentary Affairs was unanimously adopted by the House:-

“This House expresses deepest grief over the multiple terror attacks in Sri Lanka that took place yesterday on Easter Sunday; Mourns the loss of more than 200 lives and orate for the well-being of the 450 injured as a result of the deadly explosions; and extends heartfelt condolences to the people of Sri Lanka.

As victims of terrorism, we understand the pain and sorrow of the victims and their families. Sri Lanka bravely fought the scourge of terrorism for years to emerge as a strong nation striving for peace and stability. We salute the resilience of the Sri Lankan people and assure them of our support during these trying times.”

**SD/-**

MR. ALI MUHAMMAD KHAN,  
MINISTER OF STATE FOR PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS  
SYED NAVEED QAMAR  
MS. SHAZA FATIMA KHAWAJA  
MS. SHAZIA MARRI  
RANA SANAULLAH KHAN  
RANA TANVEER HUSSAIN  
MS. SHAHIDA AKHTAR ALI  
SARDAR AYAZ SADIQ  
MS. MARYAM AURANGZAIB  
SYED GHULAM MUSTAFA SHAH  
Members, National Assembly

## CALLING ATTENTION NOTICE

3.	<b>MR. FAZAL MUHAMMAD KHAN</b> to invite attention of the Minister-in-Charge of the Cabinet Secretariat to a matter of urgent public importance regarding damage caused to the crops due to recent rains in the country, causing grave concern amongst the public.	Attention invited by Mr. Fazal Muhammad Khan, Mr. Ali Muhammad Khan, Minister of State for Parliamentary Affairs made a brief statement followed by one question asked by MR. FAZAL MUHAMMAD KHAN and answer given.
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**ORDINANCE TO BE LAID BEFORE THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

4.	<b>MINISTER-IN-CHARGE</b> of National Health Services, Regulations and Coordination to lay the Pakistan Medical and Dental Council Ordinance, 2019 (Ordinance No.II of 2019) before the National Assembly as required by clause (2) of Article 89 of the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan.	Ordinance laid.
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**INTRODUCTION OF BILLS**

5.	<b>MINISTER-IN-CHARGE</b> of Finance, Revenue and Economic Affairs to introduce a Bill further to amend the Foreign Exchange Regulation Act, 1947 [The Foreign Exchange Regulation (Amendment) Bill, 2019].	Bill introduced; referred to Standing Committee on Finance, Revenue and Economic Affairs.
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6.	<b>MINISTER-IN-CHARGE</b> of Finance, Revenue and Economic Affairs to introduce a Bill further to amend the Anti-Money Laundering Act, 2010 [The Anti-Money Laundering (Amendment) Bill, 2019].	Bill introduced; referred to Standing Committee on Finance, Revenue and Economic Affairs.
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7.	<b>SARDAR ALI MUHAMMAD KHAN MAHAR</b> , Minister for Narcotics Control to introduce a Bill further to amend the Control of Narcotic Substances Act, 1997 [The Control of Narcotic Substances (Amendment) Bill, 2019].	Bill introduced; referred to Standing Committee on Narcotics Control.
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**REPORTS OF THE STANDING COMMITTEES-PRESENTATION OF:**

8.	<b>MR. MUJAHID ALI</b> , Chairman Standing Committee on Parliamentary Affairs to present the report of the Standing Committee on the Bill further to amend the Elections Act, 2017 [The Elections (Amendment) Bill, 2019] (Ordinance No. I of 2019).	Report presented.
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9.	<b>MR. RIAZ FATYANA</b> , Chairman Standing Committee on Law and Justice to present the report of the Standing Committee on the Bill further to amend the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan [the Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2019].	Report presented.
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10.	<b>CHAUDHARY IFTEKHAR NAZIR</b> , Chairman Standing Committee on Defence Production to present the report of the Standing Committee on the Bill further to amend the Heavy Industries Taxila Board Act, 1997 (XII of 1997) [The Heavy Industries Taxila Board (Amendment) Bill, 2019].	Report presented.
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**PAPERS TO BE LAID BEFORE THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY:**

11.	<b>MINISTER-IN-CHARGE</b> of Finance, Revenue and Economic Affairs to lay before the National Assembly the second Quarterly Report of the Board of Directors of State Bank of Pakistan on the state of the Economy for the year 2018-19 as required by section 9A(2) of the State Bank of Pakistan Act, 1956.	Report laid.
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12.	<b>MINISTER-IN-CHARGE</b> of Finance, Revenue and Economic Affairs to lay before the National Assembly the Annual report of the Competition Commission of Pakistan (CCP), certified by the auditors for the year ended 2013 and 2014 together with the statement of accounts certified by the auditors and the auditors' report as required by sub-section (2) of section 22 of the Competition Commission Act, 2010.	Report laid.
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**MOTION UNDER RULE 259**

13.	<b>MR. ALI MUHAMMAD KHAN</b> , Minister of State for Parliamentary Affairs to move the following motion:-  "This House may discuss the energy situation in the country and possible way forward."	Left-over
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**MOTION OF THANKS**

14.	<p><b>Discussion</b> on the following motion, moved by <b>Mr. Ali Muhammad Khan</b>, Minister of State for Parliamentary Affairs on 17<sup>th</sup> December, 2018:-</p> <p>“This House expresses its deep gratitude to the President of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan for his address to both Houses assembled together on 17<sup>th</sup> September, 2018.”</p>	Left-over
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**RESOLUTION**

15.	<p><b>MR. MUHAMMAD AZAM KHAN SWATI</b>, Minister for Parliamentary Affairs to move the following Resolution:-</p> <p>“That the National Assembly resolves to extend the Elections (Amendment) Ordinance, 2019 (I of 2019) for a further period of one hundred and twenty days w.e.f 1<sup>st</sup> May, 2019 under proviso to sub-paragraph (ii) of paragraph (a) of clause (2) of Article 89 of the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan”.</p>	Adopted
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**MATTERS OTHER THAN POINTS OF ORDER**

16.	Raising matters under Rule 18 which are not Points of Order.	
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**POINTS OF ORDER**

Name of member(s)	Subject
Ch. Muhammad Barjees Tahir (5.19 p.m. to 5.20 p.m.)	In presence of Minister concerned no other Minister should reply to the questions.
Mr. Pervez Khattak	Recalled the commitment by the Opposition to coordinate

Minister for Defence (5.21 p.m. to 5.24 p.m.)	regarding smooth running of business of the House.
Rana Tanveer Hussain (5.24 p.m. to 5.25 p.m.)	In presence of Minister concerned no other Minister should reply to the questions.
Mr. Shahid Khaqan Abbasi (5.25 p.m. to 5.26 p.m.)	In presence of Minister concerned no other Minister should reply to the questions.
Syed Naveed Qamar (6.19 p.m. to 6.20 p.m.)	Ordinances should not be promulgated while the Parliament is in session.
Sheikh Rohail Asghar (6.20 p.m. to 6.28 p.m.)	Condemned the blames of corruption on him without any evidence.
Mr. Abdul Qadir Patel (6.28 p.m. to 6.32 p.m.)	Recent heavy Rains in the country are not good omen.
Ms. Zartaj Gul Minister of State for Climate Change (6.32 p.m. to 6.35 p.m.)	The PTI Government has worked for formulation of policy on climate change.
Raja Pervez Ashraf (6.35 p.m. to 6.38 p.m.)	Grievances of employees of State Life Insurance Corporation
Moulana Abdul Akbar Chitrali (6.38 p.m. to 6.40 p.m.)	Slow pace of work on development projects in Chitral
Agha Hassan Baloch (6.40 p.m. to 6.41 p.m.)	Emphasized to improve the security situation in Balochistan wherein many precious lives have been lost in terrorists incidents.
Mr. Bilawal Bhutto Zardari (6.41 p.m. to 6.59 p.m.)	Criticized the Government over removal of Ministers and reshuffling in the Cabinet.
Mr. Omer Ayub Khan, Minister for Power Division (7.25 p.m. to 6.27 p.m.)	Responded to speech of Mr. Bilawal Bhutto Zardari

### CALLING ATTENTION NOTICE

3.	<p><b>MR. SAAD WASEEM</b>  <b>MOULANA ABDUL AKBAR CHITRALI</b>  <b>MR. NISAR AHMED CHEEMA</b>  <b>CH. MUHAMMAD HAMID HAMEED</b>  <b>SYED IMRAN AHMAD SHAH</b> to invite attention of the Minister for Petroleum Division to a matter of urgent public importance regarding increase in the prices of petroleum products with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> April, 2019, causing grave concern amongst the public.</p>	Left-over
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The sitting of the Assembly was adjourned to meet again on Tuesday, the 23<sup>rd</sup> April 2019 at 11.00 a.m.

Islamabad, the  
22<sup>nd</sup> April, 2019.

TAHIR HUSSAIN  
Secretary