

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY SECRETARIAT
BULLETIN OF THE ASSEMBLY
(27th SESSION)

Date	Friday, the 16th October, 2020
Commenced at	4:49 P.M.
Adjourned at	6:15P.M.
Total working hours	44 Minutes
Presided by	Mr. Asad Qaisar, Speaker National Assembly of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan.
Attendance	

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

- *Tilawat and Hadith by Qari Ibrar Hussain,*
- *Naat by Syed Zeeshan Bukhari*
- National anthem

PANEL OF THE 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 this Session of the National Assembly:-

1. MR. AMJID ALI KHAN
2. MR. RIAZ FATAYANA
3. MS. MUNAZA HASSAN
4. MR. IMRAN KHATTAK
5. MS. SHAHIDA AKHTAR ALI
6. SYED GHULAM MUSTAFA SHAH

FATEHA

The House offered "**Fateha**" for the departed souls of:-

1. Sister of Ms. Sobia Kamal Khan, Parliamentary Secretary (Kashmir Affairs and Gilgit Baltistan);
2. Two Soldiers martyred in Balochistan during Army Operation on 19th September, 2020;
3. Two Soldiers martyred during terrorists attack at Pak Afghan border on 22nd September, 2020;
4. Three Soldiers martyred in Indian cross border terrorism on 23rd September, 2020;
5. Twenty two passengers died in an incident of van after catching fire in Karachi;
6. A Captain martyred in terrorists attack during Army Operation in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa on 29th September, 2020;
7. Five people died in marter blast in Noshehra on 29th September, 2020;
8. Twenty Soldiers of Army and FC martyred in terrorist attacks in Ormara Balcohistan and North Waziristan on 15th October, 2020;
9. Sajada Nasheen Gholra Sharif, Shah Abdul Haq and Khawaja Muhammad Hameed-ud-Din Siyalvi, former Senator: and
10. People died in major and minor accidents in the country.

PROTEST

At 5.00 p.m.the members of PPPP and PML(N) and other Opposition Parties raised slogans and kept thumping desk as a protest.

BREAK

At 509 p.m Mr. Speaker suspended the proceedings of the House, and the House re-assembled at 5.51 p.m.

QUESTIONS

2.	Questions entered in a separate list to be asked and answers given.	Question Nos. 6 was asked and the answer 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.

POINTS OF ORDER

S#	Name of Members	Brief subject
	Syed Naveed Qamar 5.52 p.m. to 5.57 p.m.	Criticized the Government for summoning the current Session.

MOTION

Mr. Zaheer-Ud-Din Babar Awan, Adviser to the Prime Minister on Parliamentary Affairs moved the following Motion which was adopted by the House:-

“that under sub-rule (2) of rule 274 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the National Assembly, 2007, the decision of the National Assembly regarding referring the Private Members’ Bills to the Select Committee on 11th August, 2020 be withdrawn and the said Bills be referred to the Standing Committee on Law and Justice for consideration and report to the House.”

QUORUM

At 5:57 p.m Mr. Abdul Qadir Patel, MNA belonging to PPPP invited attention of the Chair towards the lack of quorum, the count was made, the House was found in order.

CALLING ATTENTION NOTICE

3.	MS. SAJIDA BEGUM to invite attention of the Minister for National Health Services, Regulations and Coordination to a matter of urgent public importance regarding scarcity of medical equipments and MRI machines in PIMS and Poly Clinic Hospitals, Islamabad, causing grave concern amongst the public.	Deferred
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PROTEST

At 6.01 p.m. the members of PPPP and PML(N) and other Opposition Parties raised slogans and kept thumping desk as a protest during the proceedings.

INTRODUCTION OF BILL

4.	MR. ZAHEER-UD-DIN BABAR AWAN , Adviser to the Prime Minister on Parliamentary Affairs to introduce a Bill further to amend the Elections Act, 2017 [The Elections (Amendment) Bill, 2020].	Introduced
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MOTIONS

5.	5. MR. ALI KHAN JADOON , Chairman Standing Committee on Information Technology and Telecommunication to move that the delay in the presentation of the report of the Standing Committee on the Bill to provide for establishment of National Information Technology Board [The National Information Technology Board Bill, 2019], till today be condoned.	Moved by Sahibzada Sibghatullah; Motion adopted
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REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE-PRESENTATION OF:

6.	6. MR. ALI KHAN JADOON , Chairman Standing Committee on Information Technology and Telecommunication to present the report of the Standing Committee on the Bill to provide for establishment of National Information Technology Board [The National Information Technology Board Bill, 2019].	Report presented
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LEGISLATIVE BUSINESS

7.	7. MR. PERVEZ KHATTAK , Minister for Defence to move that the Bill to provide for constitution and regulation of the Joint Maritime Information Organization [The Joint Maritime Information Organization Bill, 2019], as reported by the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration at once.	Deferred
	[Amendments entered in a separate list to be moved]	
8.	MR. PERVEZ KHATTAK , Minister for Defence to move that the Bill to provide for constitution and regulation of the Joint Maritime Information Organization [The Joint Maritime Information Organization Bill, 2019], be passed.	Deferred

PAPERS TO BE LAID BEFORE THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

9.	DR. ABDUL HAFEEZ SHAIKH , Adviser to the Prime Minister on Finance and Revenue to lay before the National Assembly the Special Audit/Special Study / Project Audit/ Performance Audit Reports of the Auditor General for the Audit Year 2019-20, as required by Article 171 of the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan.	Papers Laid by Mr. Zaheer-Ud-Din Babar Awan, Adviser to the Prime Minister on Parliamentary Affairs
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PERIODICAL REPORTS OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE – PRESENTATION OF:

10.	MR. ALI KHAN JADOON , Chairman Standing Committee on Information Technology and Telecommunication to present the Periodical Report of the Standing Committee for the period January - June, 2020 as required by rule 234-A of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the National Assembly, 2007.	Presented by Sahibzada Sibghatullah;
11.	MR. SAJID KHAN , Chairman Standing Committee on States and Frontier Regions (SAFRON) to present the Periodical Report of the Standing Committee for the period January - June, 2020 as required by rule 234-A of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the National Assembly, 2007.	Presented
12.	SHEIKH FAYYAZ UD DIN , Chairman Standing Committee on Overseas Pakistanis and Human Resource Development to present the Periodical Report of the Standing Committee for the period January - June, 2020, as required by rule 234-A of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the National Assembly, 2007.	Presented by Mr. Zulfiqar Ali Khan Dullah
13.	AGHA HASSAN BALOCH , Chairman Standing Committee on Inter-provincial Coordination to present the Periodical Report of the Standing Committee for the period January - June, 2020, as required by rule 234-A of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the National Assembly, 2007.	Presented by Gul Dad Khan
14.	MR. MUJAHID ALI , Chairman Standing Committee on Parliamentary Affairs to present the Periodical Report of the Standing Committee for the period January - June, 2020, as required by rule 234-A of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the National Assembly, 2007.	Presented
15.	MR. MUHAMMAD MUEEN WATTOO , Chairman Standing Committee on Railways to present the Periodical Report of the Standing Committee for the period July – December, 2019, as required by rule 234-A of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the National Assembly, 2007.	Presented by Mr. Muhammad Bashir Khan, Parliamentary Secretary for Privatization.

16.	RAO MUHAMMAD AJMAL KHAN , Chairman Standing Committee on National Food Security and Research to present the Periodical Report of the Standing Committee for the period January – June, 2020 as required by rule 234-A of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the National Assembly, 2007.	Presented by Dr. Nausheen Hamid, Parliamentary Secretary for National Health Services, Regulations and Coordination
17.	MR. SALAHUDDIN AYUBI , Chairman Standing Committee on Narcotics Control to present the Periodical Report of the Standing Committee for the period July – December, 2019, as required by rule 234-A of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the National Assembly, 2007.	Presented by Mr. Gul Dad Khan
18.	MR. KHALID HUSSAIN MAGSI , Chairman Standing Committee on National Health Services, Regulations and Coordination to present the Periodical Report of the Standing Committee for the period July – December, 2019, as required by rule 234-A of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the National Assembly, 2007.	Presented
19.	RAO MUHAMMAD AJMAL KHAN , Chairman Standing Committee on National Food Security and Research to present the Periodical Report of the Standing Committee for the period July – December, 2019, as required by rule 234-A of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the National Assembly, 2007.	Presented by Dr. Nausheen Hamid, Parliamentary Secretary for National Health Services, Regulations and Coordination

CALLING ATTENTION NOTICE

20.	KHAWAJA MUHAMMAD ASIF SARDAR AYAZ SADIQ MR. SHAHID KHAQAN ABBASI KHAWAJA SAAD RAFIQ MR. KHURRAM DASTGIR KHAN to invite attention of the Minister for Energy (Petroleum Division) to a matter of urgent public importance regarding announcement of SNGPL for low gas pressure during the upcoming winter, causing grave concern amongst the public.	Deferred
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The sitting of the Assembly was adjourned to meet again on Monday, the 19th October, 2020 at 4:00 p.m.

**Islamabad, the
16th October, 2020**

**TAHIR HUSSAIN
Secretary**