

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

Date	Thursday, the 29th October, 2020
Commenced at	11:00 P.M.
Adjourned at	01:52 P.M.
Total working hours	02 Hour 52 Minutes
Presided by	1. Mr. Muhammad Qasim Khan Suri, Deputy Speaker of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan. 2. Mr. Riaz Fatyana, Chairperson.
Attendance	235

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

- *Tilawat, Hadith and Naat by Qari Muhammad Younus*
- National anthem

QUESTIONS

2.	Questions entered in a separate list to be asked and answers given.	Question hour suspended
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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 rule 288 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of the Business in the National Assembly , 2007, the requirements of rule 69 of the said Rules in respect of the question hour for today may be suspended in order to give more time to the Government Business ”

QUORUM

At 12.08 p.m. Ms. Shagufta Jumani, MNA belonging to PPPP invited attention of the Chair towards lack of quorum, the count was made, the House was found in order.

LEAVE APPLICATIONS

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

FATEHA

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

- i. Mother of Mr. Abdul Majeed Khan, MNA
- ii. Mother of Ms. Javairia Zafar Aheer, Parliamentary Secretary for Overseas Pakistanis and Human Resource Development, on 20th October, 2020;

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3.	<p>KHAWAJA SHERAZ MEHMOOD SARDAR TALIB HASSAN NAKAI MR. NOOR ALAM KHAN MR. RIAZ FATYANA CH. SHAOUKAT ALI BHATTI</p> <p>to invite attention of the Minister for National Health Services, Regulations to a matter of urgent public importance regarding increase in the prices of medicines, causing grave concern amongst the public.</p>	<p>Attention invited by Khawaja Sheraz Mehmood, MNA</p> <p>Mr. Ali Muhammad Khan, Minister of State for Parliamentary Affairs made a brief statement followed by each question asked by:-</p> <p>Khawaja Sheraz Mehmood; Mr. Noor Alam Khan; and Mr. Riaz Fatyana, MNAs and answers given.</p>
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INTRODUCTION OF BILL

4.	<p>MR. ZAHEER-UD-DIN BABAR AWAN, Adviser to the Prime Minister on Parliamentary Affairs to introduce a Bill further to amend the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan [The Constitution (Twenty-sixth Amendment) Bill, 2020].</p>	<p>Introduced</p>
5.	<p>MR. ASAD UMER, Minister for Planning Development and Special Initiatives to introduce a Bill to provide for the establishment of China Pakistan Economic Corridor Authority [The China Pakistan Economic Corridor Authority Bill, 2020.</p>	<p>Introduced by Mr. Zaheer-ud-Din Babar Awan, Adviser to the Prime Minister for Parliamentary Affairs.</p>

RESOLUTIONS

6.	<p>MR. ZAHEER-UD-DIN BABAR AWAN, Adviser to the Prime Minister on Parliamentary Affairs to move the following Resolution:-</p> <p>“That the National Assembly resolves to extend the Public Procurement Regulatory Authority (Amendment) Ordinance, 2020 (VII of 2020) for a further period of one hundred and twenty days w.e.f. 04-11-2020 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>	<p>Adopted</p>
7.	<p>MR. ZAHEER-UD-DIN BABAR AWAN, Adviser to the Prime Minister on Parliamentary Affairs to move the following Resolution:-</p> <p>“That the National Assembly resolves to extend the Public Private Partnership Authority (Amendment) Ordinance, 2020 (VIII of 2020) for a further period of one hundred and twenty days w.e.f. 04-11-2020 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>	<p>Adopted.</p> <p>The following members spoke on the Resolution:-</p> <p>(1) Syed Naveed Qamar 12.21 p.m. to 12.23 p.m. 12.35 p.m. to 12.38 p.m.</p> <p>(2) Ms. Shahida Akhtar Ali 12.25 p.m. to 12.27 p.m.</p> <p>(3) Mr. Zaheer-ud-Din Babar Awan, Adviser to the Prime Minister on Parliamentary Affairs 12.28 p.m. to 12.30 p.m.</p>

8.	<p>MR. ZAHEER-UD-DIN BABAR AWAN, Adviser to the Prime Minister on Parliamentary Affairs to move the following Resolution:-</p> <p>“That the National Assembly resolves to extend the Corporate Restructuring Companies (Amendment) Ordinance, 2020 (Ord. No. IX of 2020) for a further period of one hundred and twenty days w.e.f. 04-11-2020 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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MOTION

9.	<p>MR. FAIZ ULLAH, Chairman Standing Committee on Finance and Revenue to move that the delay in the presentation of the report of the Standing Committee on the Bill to make provisions for the establishment of Pakistan single window [The Pakistan Single Window Bill, 2020], till today be condoned.</p>	Moved by Syed Naveed Qamar, MNA Motion adopted
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REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE-PRESENTATION OF:

10.	<p>MR. FAIZ ULLAH, Chairman Standing Committee on Finance and Revenue to present the report of the Standing Committee on the Bill to make provisions for the establishment of Pakistan single window [The Pakistan Single Window Bill, 2020].</p>	Presented by Syed Naveed Qamar, MNA
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MOTION

11.	<p>MIAN NAJEEB UD DIN AWAI SI, Chairman Standing Committee on Federal Education, Professional Training, National Heritage and Culture to move that the delay in the presentation of the report of the Standing Committee on the Bill to reconstitute National College of Arts [The National College of Arts Institute Bill, 2020], till today be condoned.</p>	<p>Moved by Dr. Shazia Sobia Aslam Sooro, MNA</p> <p>Motion adopted</p>
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REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE-PRESENTATION OF:

12.	<p>MIAN NAJEEB UD DIN AWAI SI, Chairman Standing Committee on Federal Education, Professional Training, National Heritage and Culture to present the report of the Standing Committee on the Bill to reconstitute National College of Arts [The National College of Arts Institute Bill, 2020].</p>	Presented by Dr. Shazia Sobia Aslam Sooro, MNA, MNA
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LEGISLATIVE BUSINESS

13.	MR. ZAHEER-UD-DIN BABAR AWAN , Adviser to the Prime Minister on Parliamentary Affairs to move that the Bill further to amend the Emigration Ordinance, 1979 [The Emigration (Amendment) Bill, 2020], as reported by the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration at once.	Motion adopted. The following members spoke on the Bill:- (1) Syed Naveed Qamar 12.35 p.m. to 12.39 p.m. (2) Rana Tanveer Hussain 12.39 p.m. to 12.41p.m. (3) Dr. Zaheer-ud-Din Babar Awan, Adviser to the Prime Minister on Parliamentary Affairs 12.41 p.m. to 12.42 p.m.
14.	MR. ZAHEER-UD-DIN BABAR AWAN , Adviser to the Prime Minister on Parliamentary Affairs to move that the Bill further to amend the Emigration Ordinance, 1979 [The Emigration (Amendment) Bill, 2020], be passed.	Bill Passed Mr. Mohsin Dawar spoke on the Bill 12.48 p.m. to 12.49 p.m.
15.	MR. MUHAMMAD AZAM KHAN SWATI , Minister for Narcotics Control to move that the Bill further to amend the Control of Narcotics Substances Act, 1997 [The Control of Narcotic Substances (Amendment) Bill, 2020], as reported by the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration at once.	Motion adopted
16.	MR. MUHAMMAD AZAM KHAN SWATI , Minister for Narcotics Control to move that the Bill further to amend the Control of Narcotics Substances Act, 1997 [The Control of Narcotic Substances (Amendment) Bill, 2020], be passed.	Bill passed

REPORT OF THE PUBLIC ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE-PRESENTATION OF:

17.	RANA TANVEER HUSSAIN , Chairman Public Accounts Committee to present the special report for structural changes to improve the performance of Public Accounts Committee, under rule 234 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the National Assembly, 2007.	Motion Adopted Report Presented
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PERIODICAL REPORTS OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE-PRESENTATION OF:

18.	MR. SAJID MEHDI , Chairman Standing Committee on Science and Technology 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. Khursheed Ahmed Junejo, MNA
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19.	MR. ASAD MAHMOOD , Chairman Standing Committee on Religious Affairs and Inter-faith Harmony 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 Ms. Shagufta Jumani, MNA
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MATTERS OTHER THAN POINTS OF ORDER

20.	Raising matters under Rule 18 which are not Points of Order.
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21.	<p>DR. NAFISA SHAH MS. NAZ BALOCH DR. SHAZIA SOBIA ASLAM SOOMRO MS. SHAMAS UN NISA NAWABZADA IFTEKHAR AHMED KHAN BABAR</p> <p>to invite attention of the Minister for National Health Services, Regulations and Coordination to a matter of urgent public importance regarding stopping universities from conducting Medical and Dental Colleges Admission Test (MDCAT) and suspending National Examination Board, causing grave concern amongst the public.</p>	<p>Attention invited by Dr. Nafisa Shah, MNA</p> <p>Mr. Ali Muhammad Khan, Minister of State for Parliamentary Affairs made a brief statement followed by each question asked by:-</p> <p>Dr. Shazia Sobia Aslam Soomro; MNAs and answers given.</p>
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POINTS OF ORDER

	Name of Members	Brief subject
	Raja Pervaiz Ashraf (1.31 p.m. to 1.35 p.m.)	Urged to withdraw the resolution against PDM.
	Mr. Fawad Ahmed Minister for Science and Technology (1.35 p.m. to 1.44 p.m.)	Criticized the statements made by PDM leaders in Gujranwala, Karachi and Quetta.
	Khawaja Muhammad Asif (1.47 p.m. to 1.49 p.m.)	Spoke on increase in medicine prices.

QUORUM

At 1.49 p.m. Mr. Atta Ullah, MNA belonging to PTI invited attention of the Chair towards lack of quorum, the count was made, the House was not found in order. At 1.52 p.m. Mr. Chairperson prorogue the National Assembly.

Mr. Chairperson read out the Prorogation Order by President of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan to prorogue the National Assembly.

Islamabad, the
29th October, 2020

TAHIR HUSSAIN
Secretary