

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY SECRETARIAT
BULLETIN OF THE ASSEMBLY
(31st SESSION)

Date	Monday, the 29th March, 2021
Commenced at	5:09 P.M.
Adjourned at	7:22 P.M.
Total working hours	1 Hours 35 Minutes
Presided by	Mr. Asad Qaiser, 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 Ali Raza Arshad*
- National anthem

FATEHA

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

- i. Son of Mr. Qaiser Ahmed Shaikh, Member National Assembly;
- ii. Malik Muhammad Waris Kallu, Member Punjab Assembly;
- iii. Bashir Ahmed Halepoto, Member Sindh Assembly;
- iv. Five workers martyred in bomb blast in Sibbi;
- v. Mian Imran Abbass, SHO, Saddar, Rawalpindi, martyred in terrorist attack; and
- vi. Four children killed in Janikhel, Bannu.

ONE MINUTE SILENCE

The House observed one minute silence on the death of father of Mr. James Iqbal, Member National Assembly.

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 31ST Session of the National Assembly:-

1. Mr. Amjid Ali Khan
2. Malik Muhammad Eshan Ullah Tiwana
3. Ms. Sajida Begum
4. Sardar Ayaz Sadiq
5. Syed Ghulam Mustafa Shah
6. Ms. Shahida Akhtar Ali

POINTS OF ORDER

	Members	Brief Subject
	Raja Pervaiz Ashraf 5.22 p.m. to 5.26 p.m.	Pointed out the late commencement of today's session and raised points regarding price hike and Covid-19.
	Mr. Zaheer-ud-Din Babar Awan, Adviser on Parliamentary Affairs 5.26 p.m. to 5.27 p.m.	Responded the points raised by Raja Pervaiz Ashraf, MNA
	Mr. Ahsan Iqbal Chaudhary 5.27 p.m. to 5.33 p.m. 5.43 p.m. to 5.46 p.m. 5.47 p.m. to 5.52 p.m. 6.12 p.m. to 6.14 p.m.	Ordinance regarding money matters is violation of Article 73 of the Constitution. The following Member spoke on the matter:- <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Mr. Muhammad Hammad Azhar, Minister for Industries and Production 5.33 p.m. to 5.35 p.m. 6.11 p.m. to 6.12 p.m. 2. Mr. Zaheer-ud-Din Babar Awan, Adviser on Parliamentary Affairs 5.35 p.m. to 5.43 p.m. 3. Dr. Shireen M. Mazari, Minister for Human Rights 5.51 p.m. to 5.52 p.m. 4. Mr. Ali Muhammad Khan, Minister of State for Parliamentary Affairs 5.52 p.m. to 5.54 p.m. 5. Raja Pervaiz Ashraf 5.55 p.m. to 6.00 p.m. 6. Sardar Ayaz Tariq 6.00 p.m. to 6.01 p.m. 7. Mr. Khurram Dastgir Khan 6.07 p.m. to 6.11 p.m. <p>Mr. Speaker decided to further discuss the matter in a meeting of legal experts from Government and Opposition.</p>
	Mr. Zahid Akram Durrani 6.14 p.m. to 6.20 p.m.	Compensation to families of four children who were kidnapped and killed in Janikhel, Bannu.
	Mirza Shahzad Akbar Adviser on Accountability and Interior 6.20 p.m. to 6.21 p.m.	Responded the points raised by Mr. Zahid Akram Durrani, MNA Mr. Speaker directed Mirza Shahzad Akbar, Adviser on Interior and Accountability to look into the matter.
	Mr. Mohsin Dawar 6.21 p.m. to 6.26 p.m.	Terrorism is increasing day by day in Bannu and North Waziristan.

QUESTIONS

2.	Questions entered in a separate list to be asked and answers given.	Left over
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CALLING ATTENTION NOTICE

3.	MR. FAHEEM KHAN to invite attention of the Minister for Narcotics Control to a matter of urgent public importance regarding increasing trend of drug addiction amongst youth in Karachi, causing grave concern amongst the public.	Left over
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ORDINANCES TO BE LAID BEFORE THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

4.	SHEIKH RASHID AHMED , Minister for Interior to lay the Capital Development Authority (Amendment) Ordinance, 2021 (Ord. No.I of 2021) before the National Assembly as required by clause (2) of Article 89 of the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan.	Laid by Mr. Zaheer-ud-Din Babar Awan , Adviser to the Prime Minister on Parliamentary Affairs
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QUORUM

	<p>At 6:28 p.m Syed Agha Rafiullah, MNA belonging to PPPP invited attention of the Chair towards lack of quorum, the count was made, the House was not found in order.</p> <p>At 6.34 p.m.Mr. Speaker suspended the proceedings of the House till the completion of quorum.</p> <p>At 7.12 p.m. the count was made again, the House was not found in order, at 7.22 p.m. Mr. Speaker adjourned the proceedings of the House.</p>
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RESOLUTIONS

5.	MR. ZAHEER-UD-DIN BABAR AWAN , Adviser to the Prime Minister on Parliamentary Affairs to move the following resolution:- “That the National Assembly resolves to extend the Special Technology Zones Authority Ordinance, 2020 (XIII of 2020) for a further period of one hundred and twenty days w.e.f. 01-04-2021, under proviso to subparagraph (ii) of paragraph (a) of clause (2) of Article 89 of the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan.”	Left over
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6.	SYED AMIN UL HAQUE , Minister for Information Technology and Telecommunication to move the following resolution:- “That the National Assembly resolves to extend the Pakistan Telecommunication (Re-Organization) (Amendment) Ordinance, 2020 (XIV of 2020) for a further period of one hundred and twenty days w.e.f. 03-04-2021, under proviso to sub-paragraph (ii) of paragraph (a) of clause (2) of Article 89 of the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan.”	Left over
7.	MR. ZAHEER-UD-DIN BABAR AWAN , Adviser to the Prime Minister on Parliamentary Affairs to move the following resolution:- “That the National Assembly resolves to extend the Employees’ Old-Age Benefits (Amendment) Ordinance, 2020 (XV of 2020) for a further period of one hundred and twenty days w.e.f. 08-04-2021, under proviso to sub-paragraph (ii) of paragraph (a) of clause (2) of Article 89 of the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan.”	Left over

INTRODUCTION OF BILL

8.	MR. NOOR-UL-HAQ QADRI , Minister for Religious Affairs and Inter-faith Harmony to introduce a Bill to amend the Muslim Family Laws Ordinance, 1961 [The Muslim Family Laws (Amendment) Bill, 2021].	Left over
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MOTION

9.	MR. RIAZ FATYANA , Chairman Standing Committee on Law and Justice to move that the delay in the presentation of the report of the Standing Committee on the Bill to provide for the establishment of the Whistleblower Protection and Vigilance Commission [The Whistleblower Protection and Vigilance Commission Bill, 2019] (Ord. No. XXIII of 2019), till today be condoned.	Left over
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REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE-PRESENTATION OF:

10.	MR. RIAZ FATYANA , Chairman Standing Committee on Law and Justice to present the report of the Standing Committee on the Bill to provide for the establishment of the Whistleblower Protection and Vigilance Commission [The Whistleblower Protection and Vigilance Commission Bill, 2019](Ord. No. XXIII of 2019).	Left over
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MOTION

11.	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 further to amend the SBP Banking Services Corporation Ordinance, 2001 [The SBP Banking Services Corporation (Amendment) Bill, 2020], till today be condoned.	Left over
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REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE-PRESENTATION OF:

12.	MR. FAIZ ULLAH , Chairman Standing Committee on Finance and Revenue to present the report of the Standing Committee on the Bill further to amend the SBP Banking Services Corporation Ordinance, 2001 [The SBP Banking Services Corporation (Amendment) Bill, 2020].	Left over
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LEGISLATIVE BUSINESS

13.	Further consideration of the following motion moved by Dr. Muhammad Farogh Naseem , Minister for Law and Justice on 3 rd February, 2021:- “That the Bill further to amend the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan [The Constitution (twenty-sixth Amendment) Bill, 2020], as reported by the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration at once.”	Left over
	[Amendments entered in a separate list to be moved]	
14.	MR. ZAHEER-UD-DIN BABAR AWAN , Adviser to the Prime Minister on Parliamentary Affairs to move that the Bill further to amend the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan [The Constitution (twenty-sixth Amendment) Bill, 2020], be passed.	Left over

15.	MR. SHAFQAT MAHMOOD , Minister for Federal Education, Professional Training, National Heritage and Culture to move that the Bill to reconstitute National College of Arts [The National College of Arts Institute Bill, 2020], as reported by the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration at once.	Left over
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16.	MR. SHAFQAT MAHMOOD, Minister for Federal Education, Professional Training, National Heritage and Culture to move that the Bill to reconstitute National College of Arts [The National College of Arts Institute Bill, 2020], be passed.	Left over
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17.	DR. SHIREEN M. MAZARI, Minister for Human Rights to move that the Bill to provide for the well-being, comfort and dignity of the senior citizens residing in the Islamabad Capital Territory [The Islamabad Capital Territory Senior Citizens Bill, 2020], as reported by the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration at once.	Left over
18.	DR. SHIREEN M. MAZARI, Minister for Human Rights to move that the Bill to provide for the well-being, comfort and dignity of the senior citizens residing in the Islamabad Capital Territory [The Islamabad Capital Territory Senior Citizens Bill, 2020], be passed.	Left over

19.	DR. SHIREEN M. MAZARI, Minister for Human Rights to move that the Bill to establish an effective system of protection, relief and rehabilitation of women, children, elders and any vulnerable person against domestic violence [The Domestic Violence (Prevention and Protection) Bill, 2020], as reported by the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration at once.	Left over
20.	DR. SHIREEN M. MAZARI, Minister for Human Rights to move that the Bill to establish an effective system of protection, relief and rehabilitation of women, children, elders and any vulnerable person against domestic violence [The Domestic Violence (Prevention and Protection) Bill, 2020], be passed.	Left over

21.	DR. ABDUL HAFEEZ SHEIKH, Minister for Finance and Revenue to move that the Bill further to amend the Loans for Agricultural, Commercial and Industrial Purposes Act, 1973 in its application to such areas in the Federation as are not included in any province [The Loans for Agriculture, Commercial and Industrial Purposes (Amendment) Bill, 2019], as reported by the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration at once.	Left over
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22.	DR. ABDUL HAFEEZ SHEIKH , Minister for Finance and Revenue to move that the Bill further to amend the Loans for Agricultural, Commercial and Industrial Purposes Act, 1973 in its application to such areas in the Federation as are not included in any province [The Loans for Agriculture, Commercial and Industrial Purposes (Amendment) Bill, 2019], be passed.	Left over
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PAPERS TO BE LAID BEFORE THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY;

23.	MINISTER-IN-CHARGE for Information and Broadcasting to lay before the National Assembly the Annual Report of Pakistan Information Commission for the period 1 st January, 2020 to 30 th November, 2020, as required by section 19(2)(c) of the Right of Access to Information Act, 2017.	Left over
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MOTION OF THANKS

24.	Discussion on the following motion moved by MR. ZAHEER-UD-DIN BABAR AWAN , Adviser to the Prime Minister on Parliamentary Affairs on 1 st February, 2021:- “This House expresses its deep gratitude to the President of Pakistan for his address to both Houses assembled together on 20 th August, 2020.”	Left over
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MATTERS OTHER THAN POINTS OF ORDER

25.	Raising matters under Rule 18 which are not Points of Order.	
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CALLING ATTENTION NOTICE

26.	MR. MURTAZA JAVED ABBASI MR. MUHAMMAD AFZAL KHOKHAR CHOUDHARY FAQIR AHMAD MS. MARYAM AURANGZAIB MR. MUHAMMAD SAJJAD to invite attention of the Minister for Energy (Power Division) to a matter of urgent public importance regarding increase in cost of electricity under the head of fuel price adjustment, causing grave concern amongst the public.	Left over
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At 7.22 p.m. the sitting of the Assembly was adjourned to meet again on Thursday, the 1st April, 2021 at 4.00 p.m.

**Islamabad, the
29th March, 2021**

TAHIR HUSSAIN
Secretary