

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY SECRETARIAT
BULLETIN NO. 35 OF THE ASSEMBLY
(51st SESSION) (Budget Session)

Date	Wednesday, the 14 th June, 2023
Commenced at	11:52 A.M.
Adjourned at	4:40 P.M.
Total working hours	4 Hours
Presided by	1. Raja Pervez Ashraf, Speaker, National Assembly of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan. 2. Mr. Zahid Akram Durrani, Deputy Speaker, National Assembly of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan.
Attendance	122

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

- *Tilawat and Hadith* by Qari Naseem Mehmood Khalil
- *Naat* by Syed Zeeshan Bukahri
- *National anthem*

LEAVE APPLICATIONS

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

THE BUDGET

2.	Further General discussion on the Budget for the year 2023-2024.	The following Members spoke on general discussion on the Budget 2023-24:- 1. Mr. Javed Latif, Federal Minister 12.01 p.m. to 12.18 p.m. (0:17) 2. Mr. Ghous Bux Khan Mahar 12.18 p.m. to 12.33 p.m. (0:15)
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WELCOME

Mr. Speaker welcomed the groups of students and faculty members from Mirpur University of Science and Technology and Riphah International University Islamabad, who were witnessing the proceedings of the House from the visitor's gallery.

		3. Mr. Ramesh Lal 12.39 p.m. to 12.56 p.m. (0:17) 4. Mian Riaz Hussain Pirzada, Minister for Human Rights 1.07 p.m. to 1.15 p.m. (0:08)
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PRAYER BREAK

At 1.22 p.m., Mr. Speaker suspended the proceedings of the house for Zohar prayers for fifteen minutes, the House re-assembled at 2.10 p.m., with Mr. Deputy Speaker.

		<p>5. Khawaja Muhammad Asif, Minister for Defence, 2.10 p.m. to 3.05 p.m. (0:55)</p> <p>6. Syed Javed Husnain 3.05 p.m. to 3.26 p.m. (0:21)</p> <p>7. Agha Hassan Bloch, Minister for Science and Technology 3.26 p.m. to 3.43 p.m. (0:17)</p> <p>8. Syed Mobeen Ahmed 3.43 p.m. to 3.58 p.m. (0:15)</p> <p>9. Nawabzada Iftexhar Ahmed Khan Babar 3.58 p.m. to 4.09 p.m. (0:11)</p> <p>10. Rana Muhammad Qasim Noon 4.09 p.m. to 4.28 p.m. (0:19)</p> <p>11. Syed Mehmood Shah, Parliamentary Secretary for Housing and Works 4.28 p.m. to 4.40 p.m. (0:12)</p>
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POINTS OF ORDER

	Name of Member	Brief Subject
	Syed Khursheed Ahmed Shah, Minister for Water Resources 12.34 p.m. to 12.35 p.m. (0:01)	Pointed out that Mr. Ghous Bux Khan Mahar, MNA has raised points regarding the agriculture sector which needs to be answered. Therefore, Minister for Food Security and Research may respond.
	Ch. Tariq Bashir Cheema, Minister for Nation Food Security and Research 12.36 p.m. to 12.39 p.m. (0:03)	Responded the points raised by Mr. Ghous Bux Khan Mahar, MNA regarding issues of agriculture sector.
	Senator Sherry Rehman, Minister for Climate Change and Environmental Coordination 12.56 p.m. to 1.07 p.m. (0:11)	Made statement regarding the current position and steps taken regarding "Biper Joy" cyclone expected to hit costal belt of Sindh and Balochistan.
	Mr. Ramesh Lal 1.15 p.m. to 1.19 p.m. (0:04)	Raised the issue of delay in disposal of cases in courts.
	Mir Munawar Ali Talpur 1.19 p.m. to 1.22 p.m. (0:03)	Endorsed the points raised by Mr. Ramesh Lal, MNA regarding pending cases in courts.

At 4.40 p.m., Mr. Deputy Speaker adjourned the sitting of the Assembly to meet again on Thursday, the 15th June, 2023, at 11.00 a.m.

**Islamabad, the
14th June, 2023**

**TAHIR HUSSAIN
Secretary**