

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY SECRETARIAT
BULLETIN NO. 39 OF THE ASSEMBLY
(51st SESSION) (Budget Session)

Date	Monday, the 19 th June, 2023
Commenced at	12:02 A.M.
Adjourned at	5:32 P.M.
Total working hours	4 Hours 33 Minutes
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	119

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

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

FATEHA

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

- i) Number of Pakistanis died and several others missing after a vessel carrying migrants sank in the sea near Greek;
- ii) Sher Muhammad Baloch, former Member National Assembly;
- iii) Thirteen people died in accident of a passenger bus near Kalar Kahar on Lahore- Islamabad motorway; and
- iv) The people died in different incidents in the country; and

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.

POINTS OF ORDER

	Name of Member	Brief Subject
	Khawaja Muhammad Asif, Minister for Defence 12.14 p.m. to 12.30 p.m. (0:16)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Human trafficking issue • Extension of VCs of Universities • Remittances by Overseas Pakistanis <p>Mr. Speaker made observation that Minister for Defence has raised some valid and important points regarding human trafficking, for which government should take strict action against the culprits. Mr. Speaker expressed that every teacher is highly regarded, we can't criticized all teachers for the wrong act of an individual and Mr. Speaker further said that Overseas Pakistanis always played vital role for the economic stability of Pakistan, the overwhelming majority of the overseas Pakistanis are patriotic.</p>
	Mir Munawar Ali Talpur 12.33 p.m. to 12.36 p.m. (0:03)	Emphasized that government should take action against human trafficking and pointed out that driving licenses of passenger bus drivers may be re-verified.
	Mr. Noor Alam Khan 12.36 p.m. to 12.38 p.m. (0:02)	Appreciated the statement given by Khawaja Muhammad Asif, Minister for Defence, regarding Overseas Pakistanis and also informed the House that

		Overseas Pakistani Forum has also condemned the violent attack of 9 th May, 2023 in Pakistan.
	Mr. Mohsin Dawar 12.38 p.m. to 12.41 p.m. (0:03)	Arrest of Mr. Ali Wazir, MNA, from South Waziristan.
	Moulana Abdul Akbar Chitrali 12.41 p.m. to 12.44 p.m. (0:03)	Pointed out that human trafficking laws exist but there is no implementation and execution, also requested that human traffickers may be arrested.
	Senator Muhammad Ishaq Dar, Minister for Finance and Revenue 1.27 p.m. to 1.34 p.m. (0:07)	Responded the points raised by the Members regarding budget.

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. Ms. Shahnaz Saleem Malik 12.45 p.m. to 12.56 p.m. (0:11) 2. Dr. Nafisa Shah 12.56 p.m. to 1.27 p.m. (0:31) 3. Ms. Asiya Azeem, 1.34 p.m. to 1.50 p.m. (0:16) 4. Mr. Muhammad Hashim Notezai, Minister of State for Power 1.50 p.m. to 2.07 p.m. (0:17)
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PRAYER BREAK

At 2.07 p.m., Mr. Speaker suspended the proceedings of the house for Zohar prayers for twenty minutes, however, the House re-assembled at 3.04 p.m., with Mr. Deputy Speaker on the Chair.

FATEHA

The House offered “**Fateha**” for the departed souls of five people who died in Bannu and Lakki Marwat due to heavy rains and wind storm on 18th June, 2023

		5. Mr. Waheed Alam Khan 3.05 p.m. to 3.44 p.m. (0:39) 6. Mr. Qadir Khan Mandokhail 3.44 p.m. to 4.10 p.m. (0:26) 7. Begum Tahira Bokhari 4.11 p.m. to 4.20 p.m. (0:09) 8. Ms. Shahnaz Naseer Baloch, Parliamentary Secretary for Science and Technology 4.20 p.m. to 4.37 p.m. (0:17) 9. Dr. Muhammad Afzal Khan Dhandla 4.37 p.m. to 5.00 p.m. (0:23) 10. Dr. Samina Matloob 5.00 p.m. to 5.29 p.m. (0:29)
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3.	Winding up of General Discussion on the Budget for the year 2023-2024.	Left-over
4.	DISCUSSION under clause (1) of Article 82 of the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan on the Charged Expenditure included in Demands for Grants and Appropriations for the	Left-over

financial year ending on 30th June, 2024.		
Demand Number/		
Appropriations	Service and Purpose	Amount (Rs.)
26.	Pakistan Post Office Department	10,000,000
44.	Superannuation Allowances and Pensions	4,017,000,000
45.	Grants, Subsidies and Miscellaneous Expenditure	26,400,000,000
49.	Foreign Missions	50,000,000
65.	Law and Justice Division	369,105,000
73.	National Assembly	4,999,787,000
74.	The Senate	3,281,840,000
129.	External Development Loans & Advance by the Federal Government	658,644,140,000
---	Staff, Household and Allowances of the President (Public)	596,646,000
---	Staff, Household and Allowances of the President (Personal)	812,380,000
---	Servicing of Foreign Debt	872,218,501,000
---	Foreign Loans Repayment	4,398,067,501,000
---	Repayment of Short Term Foreign Credits	46,690,000,000
---	Audit	7,561,128,000
---	Servicing of Domestic Debt	6,430,305,002,000
---	Repayment of Domestic Debt	28,898,039,594,000
---	Supreme Court	3,555,000,000
---	Islamabad High Court	1,543,322,000
---	Election	7,786,255,000
---	Federal Ombudsman Secretariat for Protection against Harassment of Women at work place	115,000,000
---	Wafaqi Mohtasib	1,250,195,000
---	Federal Tax Ombudsman	390,621,000
TOTAL		41,366,703,017,000

POINTS OF ORDER

	Name of Member	Brief Subject
	Mr. Muhammad Jamal-ud-Din 5.29 p.m. to 5.32 p.m. (0:03)	Arrest of Mr. Ali Wazir, MNA.

At 5.32 p.m., Mr. Deputy Speaker adjourned the sitting of the Assembly to meet again on Tuesday, the 20th June, 2023, at 4.00 p.m.

**Islamabad, the
19th June, 2023**

**TAHIR HUSSAIN
Secretary**