

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY SECRETARIAT

BULLETIN NO. 2 OF THE ASSEMBLY

(15th SESSION 2025)

Date and Time	Wednesday, the 9 th April, 2025 at 4:00 p.m. (Private Members' Business)
Commenced at	4:14 P.M.
Adjourned at	6:42 P.M.
Total working hours	1 Hour 28 Minutes
Presided by	Syed Ghulam Mustafa Shah , Deputy Speaker, National Assembly of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan.
Attendance	187

1. TILAWAT, HADITH, NAAT AND NATIONAL ANTHEM

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FATEHA

The House offered “**Fateha**” for the departed soul of the senior leader of PPPP, Senator Syed Taj Haider.

QUESTIONS

2.	Questions entered in a separate list to be asked and answers given.	Question Nos. 29, 35, 36, 37, 39 41, 43, 44, 48, and 49 were asked and their answers were given.
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WELCOME

Mr. Deputy Speaker welcomed the delegation comprising by the selected students of different universities under Youth Empowerment program organized by Helping Hand for Relief & Development, Islamabad, were witnessing the proceedings of the House from the visitor's gallery.

LEAVE APPLICATIONS

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

CALLING ATTENTION NOTICE

3.	MS. ASIYA NAZ TANOLI MS. NUZHAT SADIQ MS. SHAISTA PERVAIZ MS. MUNEEBA IQBAL MS. SHAISTA KHAN to invite attention of the Minister for Human Rights to a matter of urgent public importance regarding deprivation of women's lawful share in inheritance due to legal loopholes and patriarchal resistance, causing grave concern amongst the public.	Attention invited by Ms. Asiya Naz Tanoli, MNA Mr. Bilal Azhar Kayani, Minister of State for Railways made a brief statement followed by answering of each question asked by:- Ms. Asiya Naz Tanoli; Ms. Shaista Pervaiz; and Ms. Shaista Khan, MNAs.
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POINTS OF ORDER

Name of members	Brief Subject
Mr. Mehmood Khan Achakzai 5.42 p.m. to 5.43 p.m. (0:01)	Spoke on the calling attention notice regarding deprivation of women's lawful share in inheritance due to legal loopholes and patriarchal resistance.

CALLING ATTENTION NOTICE

51.	SAHIBZADA SIBGHATULLAH to invite attention of the Minister for Finance and Revenue to a matter of urgent public importance regarding non-adjustment of the share of erstwhile FATA after its merger under the NFC Award, causing grave concern amongst the public.	Attention invited by Sahibzada Sibghatullah, MNA Mr. Saad Waseem, Parliamentary Secretary for Finance and Revenue made a brief statement followed by answering of question asked by Sahibzada Sibghatullah, MNA
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INTRODUCTION OF BILL

4-5	<p>RANA IRADAT SHARIF KHAN to move for leave to introduce a Bill to establish Parliamentary Budget Office to enhance fiscal oversight, transparency, and parliamentary scrutiny of budgetary matters [The Parliamentary Budget Office Bill, 2025].</p> <p>Also to introduce the Bill, if leave is granted.</p>	Deferred
6-7	<p>KHAWAJA IZHAR UL HASSAN to move for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the Pakistan Penal Code, 1860 (XLV of 1860) and the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (V of 1898) [The Criminal Law (Amendment) Bill, 2025] (section 382A and 181).</p> <p>Also to introduce the Bill, if leave is granted.</p>	Introduced
8-9	<p>MR. MUHAMMAD MOIN AAMER PIRZADA to move for leave to introduce a Bill to provide for establishment of the Al Musaddiq Institute of Higher Education [The Al Musaddiq Institute of Higher Education Bill, 2025].</p> <p>Also to introduce the Bill, if leave is granted.</p>	Deferred
10-11	<p>RANA MUHAMMAD QASIM NOON to move for leave to introduce a Bill to provide for the establishment of Orbit Institute of Management and Technology [The Orbit Institute of Management and Technology Bill, 2025].</p> <p>Also to introduce the Bill, if leave is granted.</p>	Introduced
12-13	<p>SYED ABRAR ALI SHAH to move for leave to introduce a Bill to rationalize the distance and equity of toll plazas on national highways and motorways [The Toll Plaza Rationalization and Equity Bill, 2025].</p> <p>Also to introduce the Bill, if leave is granted.</p>	Deferred
14-15	<p>MS. SHARMILA SAHIBA FARUQUI HASHAAM to move for leave to introduce a Bill to amend Right to Free and Compulsory Education Act, 2012 [The Right to Free and Compulsory Education (Amendment) Bill, 2025].</p> <p>Also to introduce the Bill, if leave is granted.</p>	Introduced
16-17	<p>MS. SHAHIDA REHMANI to move for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the Industrial Relations Act, 2012 [The Industrial Relations (Amendment) Bill, 2025].</p> <p>Also to introduce the Bill, if leave is granted.</p>	Deferred
18-19	<p>MK SYED SAMI UL HASAN GILANI to move for leave to introduce a Bill to provide for establishment of the al-Biruni International University, Islamabad [The al-Biruni International University Bill, 2025].</p> <p>Also to introduce the Bill, if leave is granted.</p>	Introduced
20-21	<p>MR. JAMSHAD AHMAD to move for leave to introduce a Bill to abolish Profession-Based Caste Discrimination [The Profession-Based Caste Discrimination Abolition Bill, 2025].</p> <p>Also to introduce the Bill, if leave is granted.</p>	Dropped

22-23	MS. NOSHEEN IFTIKHAR to move for leave to introduce a Bill to amend the Anti-Rape (Investigation and Trial) Act, 2021 [The Anti-Rape (Investigation and Trial) (Amendment) Bill, 2025]. Also to introduce the Bill, if leave is granted.	Introduced
24-25	KHAWAJA IZHAR UL HASSAN to move for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the Pakistan Citizenship Act, 1951 [The Pakistan Citizenship (Amendment) Bill, 2025]. Also to introduce the Bill, if leave is granted.	Introduced

POINTS OF ORDER

Name of members	Brief Subject
Mr. Omar Ayub Khan, Leader of the Opposition 6.13 p.m. to 6.38 p.m. (0:25)	Spoke on the policies of Government.
Senator Mr. Muhammad Tallal Badar, Minister of State for Interior and Narcotics Control 6.38 p.m. to 6.00 p.m. (0:00)	Responded the points raised by the Leader of the Opposition.

LEGISLATIVE BUSINESS

26.	MS. MUSSARAT RAFIQUE MAHESAR to move that the Bill to provide for the establishment of Wapda University, Islamabad [The Wapda University, Islamabad Bill, 2024], as passed by the Senate, be taken into consideration at once.	Left-over
(Amendments entered in a separate list to be moved)		
27.	MS. MUSSARAT RAFIQUE MAHESAR to move that the Bill to provide for the establishment of Wapda University, Islamabad [The Wapda University, Islamabad Bill, 2024], be passed.	Left-over
28.	RANA MUHAMMAD QASIM NOON to move that the Bill to establish the International Examination Board [The International Examination Board Bill, 2024], as reported by the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration at once.	Left-over
29.	RANA MUHAMMAD QASIM NOON to move that the Bill to establish the International Examination Board [The International Examination Board Bill, 2024], be passed.	Left-over
30	MS. SAMINA KHALID GHURKI to move that the Bill to provide for the establishment of the Ghurki Institute of Science and Technology [The Ghurki Institute of Science and Technology Bill, 2024], as reported by the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration at once.	Left-over
(Amendments entered in a separate list to be moved)		
31.	MS. SAMINA KHALID GHURKI to move that the Bill to provide for the establishment of the Ghurki Institute of Science and Technology [The Ghurki Institute of Science and Technology Bill, 2024], be passed.	Left-over

MOTION

32.	MR. MUHAMMAD IDREES , Chairman Standing Committee on Energy (Power Division) to move that the delay in the presentation of report of the Standing Committee on the matter regarding the disconnection, overbilling and unannounced	Left-over
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	load shedding in Karachi and erstwhile FATA (moved by Muhammad Iqbal and Syed Rafiullah, MNAs) referred to the Committee on 29.04.2024, till today be condoned.	
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PRESENTATION OF REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE

33.	MR. MUHAMMAD IDREES , Chairman Standing Committee on Energy (Power Division) to present report of the Standing Committee on the matter regarding the disconnection, overbilling and unannounced load shedding in Karachi and erstwhile FATA.	Left-over
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MOTION

34.	SYED HAFEEZUDDIN , Chairman of the Standing Committee on Industries and Production, to move that the delay in the presentation of report of the Standing Committee on Starred Question No, 51 referred to the Committee on 9 th August 2024, till today be condoned.	Left-over
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PRESENTATION OF REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE

35.	SYED HAFEEZUDDIN , Chairman of the Standing Committee on Industries and Production, have the honor to present this report on Starred Question No, 51 referred to the Committee on 9 th August 2024.	Left-over
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AMENDMENTS TO THE RULES OF PROCEDURE AND CONDUCT OF BUSINESS IN THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY, 2007

36.	SYED RAFIULLAH to seek leave under sub-rule (4) of rule 293 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the National Assembly, 2007 to move the following amendments in the said Rules:- (1) <u>Amendment in Rule 43 of the Rules of Procedure.</u> - that in the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the National Assembly, 2007, in Rule 43, for sub-rule (4), the following shall be substituted, namely:- “(4) The date of submission of the resignation of a member shall be the date specified in writing by the member, or, if no date is specified, the date of receipt of such resignation by the Speaker. Such resignation shall only be deemed effective on the date the Speaker formally accepts the resignation in writing. During the period between the submission of the resignation and its acceptance by the Speaker, the member shall not be entitled to receive any pay, allowances, or privileges otherwise admissible to a sitting member under any law, rule, or statute.”	Left-over
37.	SYED RAFIULLAH to move under sub-rule (5) of rule 293 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the National Assembly, 2007, that the proposed amendments be taken into consideration.	Left-over
38.	SYED RAFIULLAH to move that the proposed amendments in the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the National Assembly, 2007, be adopted.	Left-over

RESOLUTIONS

39.	SYED RAFIULLAH to move the following resolution:- “This House is of the opinion that the government should take immediate steps to bring reforms in civil and criminal laws to ensure inexpensive and speedy justice.”	Left-over
40.	MS. ALIYA KAMRAN to move the following resolution:- “This House is of the opinion that the government should take immediate steps to ensure long-term climate resilience and sustainable development.”	Left-over
41.	MS. SEHAR KAMRAN to move the following resolution:- “This House is of the opinion that the government should take immediate steps to empower women politically and economically through legislation.”	Left-over
42.	Mr. MUHAMMAD ASLAM GHUMAN to move the following resolution:- “This House is of the opinion that government should take steps to reduce the huge burden of income tax from salaries of Federal Government Employees.”	Left-over
43.	SYED WASEEM HUSSAIN to move the following resolution:- “This House is of the opinion that the government should take immediate steps for issuance of new gas connections in Hyderabad.”	Left-over

MOTIONS UNDER RULE 259

44.	MS. SHARMILA SAHIBA FARUQUI HASHAAM to move the following motion:- “This House may discuss the situation arising out of non-provision of free medical treatment including medicines to the diabetic and cancer patients in Islamabad.	Left-over
45.	MS. SHAHIDA REHMANI to move the following motion:- “This House may discuss foreign policy of the Government.	Left-over
46.	MS. ALIYA KAMRAN to move the following motion:- “This House may discuss the performance of Pakistan Railways.	Left-over
47.	MS. SEHAR KAMRAN to move the following motion:- “This House may discuss the effects of climate change on agricultural productivity in the country.	Left-over
48.	RAI HASSAN NAWAZ KHAN to move the following motion:- “This House may discuss the need to provide subsidized electricity to farmers in the country.	Left-over

DISCUSSION ON A MATTER OF URGENT PUBLIC IMPORTANCE UNDER RULE 87

49.	MS. ALIYA KAMRAN “The failure of the Federal Directorate of Education (FDE), Islamabad, to provide admission to all the out of school students, intending to seek enrollment in their desired classes in the respective schools under FDE’s control”.	Left-over
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MATTERS OTHER THAN POINTS OF ORDER

50.	Raising matters under Rule 18 which are not Points of Order.
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At 6.42 p.m., Mr. Deputy Speaker adjourned the sitting of the Assembly to meet again on Thursday, the 10th April, 2025 at 11.00 a.m.

**Islamabad, the
9th April, 2025**

**TAHIR HUSSAIN
Secretary General**