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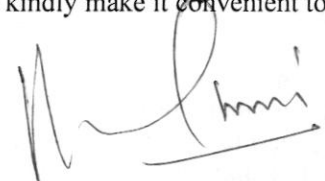
Islamabad, the 12th September, 2025

NOTICE

19th meeting of the Standing Committee on **National Food Security and Research** will be held on **Tuesday, the 23rd September, 2025 at 11:00 a.m. in Committee Room No. 7 (Fourth Floor), Parliament House, Islamabad,** to discuss the following agenda: -

- (i) Confirmation of minutes of the previous meeting of the Committee;
- (ii) Comprehensive report/implementation status of the previous recommendations of the Committee;
- (iii) Discussion on the Point of Order raised by Mr. Asad Qaiser, MNA, in the House on 16th May 2025, concerning the protection of tobacco farmers' rights, addressing their challenges, and the formulation of a comprehensive policy aimed at ensuring their welfare and promoting the sustainable development of tobacco farming in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa;
- (iv) Briefing by the Secretary, Ministry of National Food Security and Research on the National Agricultural Biotechnology Policy; and
- (v) Any other item with permission of the Chair.

2. The Honourable Members, the Mover, and the Special Invitee are requested to kindly make it convenient to attend the meeting.



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| 1. Syed Hussain Tariq | Chairman |
| 2. Mr. Waseem Qadir | Member |
| 3. Rana Muhammad Hayat Khan | Member |
| 4. Mr. Nadeem Abbas | Member |
| 5. Chaudhary Iftikhar Nazir | Member |
| 6. Mr. Abdul Qadir Khan | Member |
| 7. Mr. Hafeez ur Rehman Drishak | Member |
| 8. Ms. Musarrat Asif Khawaja | Member |
| 9. Mr. Nazir Ahmed Bhugio | Member |
| 10. Syed Javed Ali Shah Jillani | Member |
| 11. Syed Abrar Ali Shah | Member |
| 12. Mr. Zulfiqar Ali Behan | Member |
| 13. Syed Ayaz Ali Shah Sheerazi | Member |
| 14. Mr. Usman Ali | Member |
| 15. Mr. Zahoor Hussain Qureshi | Member |
| 16. Mr. Faisal Amin Khan | Member |
| 17. Mr. Usama Hamza | Member |
| 18. Mr. Muhammad Mahboob Sultan | Member |
| 19. Mr. Muhammad Ameer Sultan | Member |
| 20. Mr. Javaid Iqbal | Member |
| 21. Rana Tanveer Hussain | Ex-officio Member |
- Minister for National Food Security and Research

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| 1. Mr. Asad Qaisar, MNA | Mover |
| 2. Mr. Shahram Khan, MNA | Special Invitee |
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- Attorney General for Pakistan

For information and necessary action with reference to agenda: -

1. **Secretary, Ministry of National Food Security And Research**, Government of Pakistan, Islamabad, with the request to:
 - a) attend the meeting along with all concerned officers;
 - b) direct the heads of concerned departments to attend the meeting; and
 - c) send 50 copies of the brief for advance study of the Committee Members at least 3-days before the meeting and also, forward a soft copy of the brief through email at babraksherani1@gmail.com.
2. **Secretary, Ministry of Law and Justice**, Government of Pakistan, Islamabad with the request to attend the meeting.
3. **Chairman, Federal Board of Revenue (FBR)**, Government of Pakistan, Islamabad, with the request to attend the meeting and also forward a soft copy of the brief through email at babraksherani1@gmail.com.
4. **Secretary, Agricultural Department**, Government of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Peshawar with the request to attend the meeting with regard to agenda item ii and iii and also forward a soft copy of the brief through email at babraksherani1@gmail.com.
5. **Secretary, Agriculture Department**, Government of Punjab, Sindh and Balochistan with the request to attend the meeting via Zoom with regard to agenda item ii.
6. **Secretary, Excise, Taxation and Narcotics Control Department, Government of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Peshawar** with the request to attend the meeting with regard to agenda item iii.
7. **Chairman, National Seed Development and Regulatory Authority**, Government of Pakistan, Islamabad, with the request to attend the meeting with regard to agenda item iv.
8. **Chairman, Pakistan Agricultural Research Council (PARC)** with the request to attend the meeting.
9. **Chairman, Pakistan Tobacco Board**, Head office 46-B Office Enclave, Phase 5, Hayatabad, Peshawar with the request to attend the meeting and also extend invitation to Mr. Muhammad Ayaz (Former Member, Board of Directors, PTB) and representatives of tobacco growers.
10. **Section Officer**, Ministry of National Food Security and Research, Government of Pakistan, Islamabad to forward names, designation and CNIC numbers of the participants of the meeting to the concerned department well before the meeting for their smooth entry.
11. **Section Officer (Council), Ministry of Law and Justice**, Government of Pakistan, Islamabad.

For information, coordination and necessary action respectively to facilitate the holding of the subject meeting: -

1. Joint Secretary (Admin), National Assembly Secretariat, Islamabad.
2. Director General (Media/Photography), National Assembly Secretariat, Islamabad, with the request to arrange the media coverage etc. of the meeting and ensure transmission of press release to media.
3. Joint Secretary (Finance), National Assembly Secretariat, Islamabad.
4. Joint Secretary (Legislative Drafting Council & Question), National Assembly Secretariat, Islamabad.
5. Director General (L&R), National Assembly Secretariat, Islamabad.
6. Sergeant-at-Arms, National Assembly Secretariat, Islamabad.
7. Director (Telecasting), National Assembly Secretariat, Islamabad with the request to make necessary arrangements for the live telecasting.
8. Drawing and Disbursing Officer, National Assembly Secretariat, Islamabad.
9. Director (IT), National Assembly Secretariat, Islamabad with the request to place Notice on website & SMS to Members of the Standing Committee on National Food Security and Research.
10. Director (A/T), National Assembly Secretariat, Islamabad.
11. Director, CDA, Parliament House, Islamabad, to do needful through all the concerned relating to Civil, Electrical and other works.
12. Transport Officer, National Assembly Secretariat, Islamabad, with a request to make the transport facility available for all the Hon. Members and the officials for the said meeting.
13. Medical Superintendent, Federal Government Poly Clinic Hospital, Islamabad, through In-charge Dispensary, Parliament House, Islamabad.
14. Deputy Superintendent of Police (Security), Parliament House, Islamabad.
15. Resource Centre, Parliament Lodges, Islamabad.

For information to: -

1. Accountant General Pakistan Revenues, Islamabad.
2. Joint Secretary (Admin), Prime Minister's Office, Islamabad.



3. Principal Secretary to Honourable Speaker, National Assembly of Pakistan, Islamabad.
4. Joint Secretary to Deputy Speaker, National Assembly of Pakistan, Islamabad.
5. S.P.S to Chief Whip (Ruling Party), Parliament House, Islamabad.
6. Joint Secretary to Leader of the Opposition, National Assembly of Pakistan, Islamabad.
7. Staff Officer to Secretary General, National Assembly Secretariat, Islamabad.
8. Director Staff to Secretary, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
9. S.P.S to Secretary, Ministry of National Food Security and Research, Islamabad.
10. S.P.S to Secretary, Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs, Islamabad.
11. S.P.S to Adviser (Legislation), National Assembly Secretariat, Islamabad.
12. A.P.S to Additional Secretary (Committees), National Assembly Secretariat, Islamabad.
13. A.P.S to Joint Secretary (Committees), National Assembly Secretariat, Islamabad.
14. S.O, Notice Office, National Assembly Secretariat, Islamabad.
15. Committee Branches-I & III, National Assembly Secretariat, Islamabad.
16. Committee Branches-I & II, Senate Secretariat, Islamabad.
17. All officers/Branches concerned, National Assembly Secretariat, Islamabad.



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