

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY SECRETARIAT
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Islamabad, the 17-09-2026.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: **STARRED/UN-STARRED ADMITTED LISTS OF QUESTIONS FOR ANSWERING IN THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY.**

The undersigned is directed to forward herewith Starred/Un-Starred admitted lists of Questions in English of 8th Rota Day Sitting for preparing replies and providing the same not later than forty eight hours before the commencement of question hour, on the day on which questions are set down under rule 82 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the National Assembly, 2007 for the 30th Session of the National Assembly.


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NATIONAL ASSEMBLY SECRETARIAT
"QUESTIONS FOR ORAL ANSWERS"

Islamabad, the 17th September, 2026.

to be asked at a sitting of the National Assembly
to be held during **8th Rota Day Sitting.**

196. * MS. GHAZALA ANJUM

Will the Minister for Energy (Power Division) be pleased to state:

- a) the details of the existing 132KV transmission lines and grid stations alongwith the number and capacity of feeders and their present load, for the provision of electricity to Chitral; and
- b) whether the existing system is capable of meeting the present and future electricity demand?

197. * SAHIBZADA SIBGHATULLAH

Will the Minister for Law and Justice be pleased to state:

- a) the total number of cases filed with the Wafaqi Mohtasib against the Capital Development Authority (CDA) regarding the non-issuance of House Completion Certificates from 01-01-2026 to 20-08-2026, along with case-wise details;
- b) how many of these cases were decided in favor of the applicants, detailing the names of the allottees and providing a breakdown across sectors, including Bahria Enclave, Islamabad;
- c) the number of cases where the CDA's review petitions were dismissed and the decisions upheld against the authority so far;
- d) the total number of implementation directives issued by the Wafagi Mohtasib to the CDA during this period to enforce these rulings;
- e) if not, the reasons for their non-implementation;
- f) the specific legal grounds on which the CDA continues to withhold these certificates despite explicit orders; and
- g) the exact timeframe by which pending Completion Certificates will be formally issued to the entitled applicants including Bahria Enclave, Islamabad?

198. * SYEDA SHEHLA RAZA

Will the Minister for Communications be pleased to state:

- a) whether any steps have been taken by the Government to improve road safety and reduce accidents on National Highways; if so, the details thereof;
- b) how much the statistics of road accidents that occurred on national highways during the Year 2024-25; if so, the details thereof?

199. * MIRZA IKHTIAR BAIG

Will the Minister for Energy (Petroleum Division) be pleased to state:

- a) whether the Government is charging Rs. 80 per liter Petroleum Development Levy (PDL) in addition to sale tax and duties all together Rs. 114 per liter on petrol and diesel, making petroleum prices unaffordable for a common man;
- b) whether it is a fact that Government has collected Rs. 1468 billion PDL last year and have kept a target to collect Rs. 1676 billion, the amount is used to meet revenue shortfall and budget deficit un-justifiably;
- c) whether it is also a fact that the Government is charging Rs. 5 per liter on petrol and diesel and has collected Rs 50 billion through Climate Support Levy (CSL) in 2025-26; and
- d) which climate support projects said CSL funds are allocated and what results are achieved?

200. * MS. SEHAR KAMRAN

Will the Minister for Science and Technology be pleased to state:

- a) whether any proposal is under consideration for the establishment of a campus of COMSATS University in Karachi; and
- b) if so, the details thereof, including steps taken for the allocation of land, timeline, estimated cost and academic programmes?

201. * MS. NAEEMA KISHWAR KHAN

Will the Minister for Human Rights be pleased to state:

- a) the names of the posts which are currently laying vacant in the National Commission on the Status of Women (NCSW);
- b) since when the Chairperson of the NCSW was not appointed; if so, the details thereof; and
- c) the time by when, the post of Chairperson and other positions in the said Commission will be filled?

202. * DR. SHAZIA SOBIA ASLAM SOOMRO

Will the Minister for Science and Technology be pleased to state:

- a) whether any standards or permissible limits have been prescribed for the quantity of sugar in food products and energy drinks marketed or consumed by children;
- b) if so, the details thereof, including the applicable limits and categories of products covered;
- c) the mechanism in place to monitor and enforce compliance with such standards, including the frequency of inspections, testing and action taken against non-compliant manufacturers;
- d) if no, specific standards or limits have been prescribed for children, the reasons therefor; and
- e) whether the Government is considering introducing such standards?

203. * MS. MUSSARAT RAFIQUE MAHESAR

Will the Minister for Energy (Power Division) be pleased to state:

- a) whether the Government has formulated a roadmap to increase the share of clean energy in Pakistan's electricity generation mix to 90% by 2035;
- b) if so, the details thereof, including the targets fixed for individual clean-energy sources; and
- c) the details of the proposed investment in battery storage, transmission infrastructure and other measures required to integrate renewable energy into the national grid?

204. * MR. MUHAMMAD USMAN BADINI

Will the Minister for Energy (Power Division) be pleased to state:

- a) whether the Government of Iran is supplying electricity to any areas of Pakistan; if so, the details thereof, including the terms, duration, quantity supplied;
- b) whether any charges are payable by the Government of Pakistan or any other entity;
- c) the names of the cities, districts and villages receiving electricity imported from Iran;

- d) whether consumers in such areas are required to pay electricity bills; if so, the applicable tariff, billing mechanism and the authority responsible for billing and collection;
- e) whether load-shedding is being carried out in such areas; if so, the reasons and details thereof; and
- f) the measures are being taken or proposed by the Government to ensure an uninterrupted, affordable and sustainable supply of electricity?

205. * DR. SHARMILA FARUQUI

Will the Minister for Energy (Petroleum Division) be pleased to state:

- a) whether the Government will revive fuel conservation measures-such as reduced working hours and work-from-home policies-to preserve the Country's fuel stocks;
- b) what steps are being taken to maintain import cover in view of the fact that petrol stocks have declined to stocks 14-days cover (345,000 tonnes against 25,000 tonnes daily consumption) while diesel to 21 days (465,000 tonnes against 23,000 tonnes daily), and petrol consumption has increased 18-20% year-on-year during July 2026;
- c) whether the new daily pricing formula, effective July 2026, links domestic rates to seven-day average international prices and removes the need for cabinet approval; and
- d) what specific mechanisms will be used to prevent hoarding-since Oil and Gas Regulatory Authority analysis indicates abnormal sales increases point to such activity-and how will the Government address the Rs. 66.7 billion in pending Price Differential Claims that oil companies cite as a reason for supply hesitancy?

206. * MIRZA IKHTIAR BAIG

Will the Minister for Energy (Power Division) be pleased to state:

- a) whether it is a fact that the Government is charging Rs. 3.23 per unit Debt Service Surcharge (DSS) in electricity bills for the last five to six years in addition to Rs. 0.43 per kw Financial Cost Surcharge (FCS) to the circular debts interest payment allegedly un-justified;
- b) the steps being taken by the Government to improve P&D losses and functioning of poorly performing Discos; and
- c) what steps are being taken by the Government to review the matter for reducing the electricity tariff?

207. * MS. ALIYA KAMRAN

Will the Minister for Energy (Petroleum Division) be pleased to state:

- a) the original justification, rationale and intended objectives for the imposition/levying of the Petroleum Development Levy (PDL), as approved at the time of its introduction;
- b) whether, after its introduction, any decision was taken by the Federal Cabinet in the Cabinet Committees or any competent forum to modify, expand, or change the original mandate, objectives, or utilization criteria of PDL; if so, the details thereof;
- c) whether the intended objectives of PDL have been achieved and implemented in letter and spirit; if not, the reasons for deviation;
- d) the year-wise details of PDL collection, utilization, and the purposes for which the funds were allocated; and
- e) the corrective measures being taken by the Government to ensure that PDL is utilized transparently, strictly in accordance with its approved objectives, and not imposed or utilized in a manner that places an undue burden on the poorest segments of society?

208. * MR. ANJUM AQEEL KHAN

Will the Minister for Law and Justice be pleased to state:

- a) whether it is a fact that Consumers Court has not been established in Islamabad like Consumers Courts established in Punjab to provide relief to consumers without charging Court/Lawyer fee; and
- b) if the answer to part (a) above is in affirmative, whether any proposal is under consideration of the Government to establish Consumers Court in Islamabad for the provision of submitting online applications/complaints for public facility?

209. * MR. DAWAR KHAN KUNDI

Will the Minister for Communications be pleased to state:

- a) the number and locations of Closed-Circuit Television (CCTV) cameras, surveillance systems, emergency call facilities, patrol units, roadside assistance points and other security-related infrastructure installed alongside the Islamabad-D.I. Khan CPEC Route;
- b) whether the existing surveillance and communication system alongside the route is fully operational and capable of providing real-time monitoring and rapid response in case of accidents, criminal activities or other emergencies; if not, the reasons thereof;
- c) the year-wise number of road accidents, fatalities, vehicle breakdowns and other major road- safety incidents reported on the said route during the last three years;
- d) whether the Government has any plan under consideration to strengthen CCTV surveillance, lighting, fencing, emergency response centres, patrolling and other road-safety measures alongside the route, particularly at vulnerable locations between Hakla and D.I. Khan;
- e) if so, the details thereof alongwith timeline for implementation thereof?

210. * MR. FATEH ULLAH KHAN

Will the Minister for Energy (Power Division) be pleased to state:

- a) the details of ongoing or proposed electricity infrastructure projects under the Public Sector Development Program(PSDP) for the Dera Ismail Khan District; and
- b) the details of the projects being under taken for the provision of electricity, alongwith the number of villages to be provided electricity?

211. * MS. SEHAR KAMRAN

Will the Minister for Communications be pleased to state:

- a) whether it is a fact that the National Highway Authority has signed an agreement with the Asian Development Bank for the construction of two sections of the M6 Motorway (Karachi-Sukkur); and
- b) if so, the details thereof, including project cost, financing terms, timelines and the specific sections to be constructed?

212. * MS. SHAHIDA REHMANI

Will the Minister for Energy (Power Division) be pleased to state:

- a) the list of all Independent Power Producer (IPP) agreements executed during the period 1994-1997, indicating the name of each company, installed capacity, date of execution and the contractual model adopted (including Build-Operate-Transfer or any other model); and
- b) whether any of the said agreements contained provisions for the transfer of project assets to the Government of Pakistan upon expiry of the concession period; if so, the details thereof?

213. * MS. SAMINA KHALID GHURKI

Will the Minister for Energy (Petroleum Division) be pleased to state:

- a) whether it is a fact that Oil and Gas Development Company Limited (OGDCL) is offering Internship Program to the students of Chemical Engineering and other related technologies of different universities in all over the Country;
- b) if yes, how many students have selected for Internship Program from last three years, year-wise breakup with alongwith every student and university; and
- c) whether it is also a fact that one student is given one chance of internship in OGDCL during their degree program or otherwise?

214. * DR. SHARMILA FARUQUI

Will the Minister for Foreign Affairs be pleased to state:

- a) whether the Government has finalised the bilateral agreement with China to streamline immigration procedures, as agreed on July 16, 2026 between Interior Minister and the Chinese delegation;
- b) what specific mechanisms have been established to strengthen joint efforts against illegal immigration, arms smuggling, and cross-border crime;
- c) whether Pakistan-China Joint Working Group on border management and security is being established and that a Gilgit-Baltistan Scouts checkpoint is being set up at Khunjerab Pass to reinforce security; and
- d) what is the timeline for these initiatives, and what role is the Foreign Office playing in ensuring these cooperative measures align with Pakistan's broader diplomatic interests?

215. * MR. CHANGAZE AHMAD KHAN

Will the Minister for Energy (Power Division) be pleased to state:

- a) the total amount of capacity payments made to each Independent Power Producer (IPP) during FY 2024-25 and FY 2025-26, along with the electricity actually generated by each IPP during the said period;
- b) the reasons for continued payment of capacity charges to under-utilised or non-operational power plants alongwith measures being taken to minimize such payments;
- c) the total outstanding receivables payable to CPEC-related IPPs and the financial impact of dollar-indexed returns due to depreciation of the rupee;
- d) the present amount of circular debt in the power sector and the principal reasons for its re-accumulation despite Government interventions; and
- e) whether the Government proposes to review all existing PPAs, particularly those involving capacity payments and foreign-currency-indexed returns, to safeguard consumers and the public exchequer; if so, the details thereof?

216. * MS. NAEEMA KISHWAR KHAN

Will the Minister for Human Rights be pleased to state:

- a) what was Pakistan rank in Global Gender Gap Index in 2024 to 2025;
- b) the reasons for Pakistanis ranking at the last position in the said Index; and
- c) the steps being taken by the Government to improve its ranking along with the detail thereof?

217. * MS. ALIYA KAMRAN

Will the Minister for Science and Technology be pleased to state:

- a) whether the details of all Public Sector Development Programme (PSDP) projects executed by the National Institute of Oceanography (NIO) during the last five years, including those carried forward from preceding years, indicating the approved cost, physical and financial progress, original and revised completion dates, and present status;
- b) whether any such project has not been completed within the approved timeframe, if so, the reasons therefor, indicating the period of delay, revised completion schedule and additional financial implications, if any;
- c) whether the services of project employees engaged under any such project were discontinued before completion of the project;
- d) if so, the reasons therefor alongwith the authority under whose orders such action was taken; and
- e) the measures being adopted to ensure continuity and timely completion of the project?

218. * DR. NAFISA SHAH

Will the Minister for Energy (Petroleum Division) be pleased to state:

- a) the details of the financial cost incurred from unused, diverted, cancelled or mismatched LNG cargoes, separately identifying penalties and other charges during the FY2025-26;
- b) the status and implementation timeline of third-party access to the national gas transmission and distribution system under the applicable regulatory framework; and
- c) the details of surplus LNG and the reasons thereof?

219. * SYEDA AMNAH BATOOL

Will the Minister for Human Rights be pleased to state:

- a) the steps being taken by the Government at present to improve protection of women and children from violence, trafficking and online exploitation;
- b) the number of complaints received through federal helplines or complaint mechanisms during the last two years; and
- c) whether district wise data is maintained for policy planning?

220. * SYED RAFIULLAH

Will the Minister for Energy (Petroleum Division) be pleased to state:

- a) whether the Ministry has conducted any assessment regarding the factors contributing to fluctuations in the retail prices of Liquefied Petroleum Gas (LPG) across different regions of the country; if so, the findings thereof;
- b) whether the Ministry has prescribed any mechanism to ensure adequate availability of LPG and to prevent artificial shortages, hoarding and market manipulation;
- c) the measures being adopted during each of the last three years to stabilize LPG prices and protect consumers from unjustified price increases; and
- d) whether the Government is considering any policy or regulatory reforms to promote fair competition, improve market transparency and ensure the availability of LPG at reasonable prices if so, the details thereof?

221. * MS. SHAHIDA BEGUM

Will the Minister for Energy (Petroleum Division) be pleased to state:

- a) the Pakistan Mineral Development Corporation (PMDC) possesses mining rights over some of the world's most valuable pink salt reserves, what specific measures have been taken during the last ten years to promote domestic processing, value addition, product diversification and export branding of pink salt;
- b) the quantity and value of pink salt exported during the last ten years, indicating separately exports of raw salt and value-added products;
- c) whether any assessment has been conducted regarding the reasons Pakistan remains primarily a supplier of raw material despite possessing the world's most recognized pink salt reserves, including deficiencies in processing infrastructure, marketing, certification, research, branding and export policy; and
- d) whether the Government has formulated a comprehensive strategy with measurable targets to transform the pink salt sector into a high-value export industry; and
- e) if so, the details thereof alongwith projected export earnings and implementation timelines fixed thereof?

222. * MR. FATEH ULLAH KHAN

Will the Minister for Energy (Power Division) be pleased to state:

- a) whether the Ministry plans to promote Solar Energy Projects in remote and rural areas, particularly in Dera Ghazi Khan, where electricity supply remains unreliable; and
- b) what measures are being taken by the Government to install solar plants in areas where electricity is not available?

SAEED AHMAD MAITLA
Acting Secretary

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"UN-STARRED QUESTIONS"

Islamabad, the 17th September, 2026.
for **8th Rota Day Sitting.**

59. MR. CHANGAZE AHMAD KHAN

Will the Minister for Energy (Power Division) be pleased to state:

- a) whether it is a fact that complaints have been received against the IESCO Office, G- 8/1, Islamabad, regarding meter inspection, installation/replacement, bill checking, issuance of detection bills and allegedly demanding illegal gratification;
- b) if so, the details thereof during the last three years, indicating the number of officials presently posted in the said office, along with their designations and the date from which each official has been posted there;
- c) the number of meters inspected, installed/replaced and detection bills issued for the above period;
- d) whether prior notice to consumers is mandatory before meter inspection or proceedings for alleged tampering/electricity theft;
- e) if so, the details of relevant procedure;
- f) the number of complaints received against officials of the said office, the number of investigated and the action taken thereon;
- g) whether the said office is subject to regular audit of meter inspection and billing matters;
- h) if so, the major findings and corrective action taken during the said period?

60. MR. ASIF KHAN

Will the Minister for Energy (Power Division) be pleased to state:

- a) whether it is a fact that the facility of free electricity units for serving employees particularly officers of Distribution Companies (DISCOs), including PESCO and IESCO, has been withdrawn;
- b) whether the Government has assessed the financial, social and welfare implications of this decision on thousands of serving employees and their families, particularly in view of the prevailing inflation and rising electricity tariffs;
- c) If so comprehensive details thereof;
- d) what steps are being taken by the Government for restoration of the facility, provision of a revised subsidy or any other compensatory mechanism for the affected employees of PESCO & IESCO; and
- e) the timeframe for its implementation in the best interests of employees devoted their careers in serving institutions?

61. JAM ABDUL KARIM BIJAR

Will the Minister for Energy (Power Division) be pleased to state:

- a) whether there is any proposal under consideration by the Government to replace the electricity transmission line from Gari Habibullah to Balakot, Manshera;
- b) if so, when it will be implemented; if not, the reasons thereof?

62. JAM ABDUL KARIM BIJAR

Will the Minister for Energy (Petroleum Division) be pleased to state:

- a) whether it is a fact that some employees have been working in Regional Office, SNGPL, Abbottabad, since long; if so, the names and designations thereof;
- b) whether there is any proposal under consideration to regularize the services of said employees;
- c) if so, when it will be implemented; if not, the reasons thereof?

63. SYED RAFIULLAH

Will the Minister for Law and Justice be pleased to state:

- a) whether it is a fact that an inquiry/investigation by the National Accountability Bureau (NAB) regarding a company namely Future Vision, Lahore, in connection with allegations of financial fraud/corruption and allegedly depriving members of the public of billions of rupees, has remained pending for several years;
- b) if so, the date on which the said inquiry/investigation was initiated, the present status thereof;
- c) the reasons for its prolonged pendency;
- d) the total amount allegedly involved in the case and the number of persons affected/complainants registered with National Accountability Bureau (NAB);
- e) whether any amount has so far been recovered from the accused persons/company;
- f) if so, the date-wise details of the amount recovered thereof; and
- g) whether the NAB has fixed any timeframe for completion of the inquiry/investigation and initiation of further proceedings, if warranted?

64. MS. SHAHIDA REHMANI

Will the Minister for Energy (Power Division) be pleased to state:

- a) whether the tariff payment mechanism under the original Independent Power Producer (IPP) agreements were denominated in Pakistan Rupees or Indexed to any foreign currency; and
- b) whether any subsequent amendments altered the currency denomination or indexation of capacity payment or energy payments; if so, the reasons thereof?

65. SYEDA SHEHLA RAZA

Will the Minister for Energy (Petroleum Division) be pleased to state that how the division coordinates with other Government Agencies and Stakeholders on energy policy and regulation?

66. MS. NAEEMA KISHWAR KHAN

Will the Minister for Human Rights be pleased to state:

- a) whether it is a fact that Pakistan had the honour of hosting the Organization of Islamic Cooperation (OIC) Women's Conference on July 12-13, 2026;
- b) if so, who was entrusted with the responsibility of making the arrangements;
- c) whether it is also a fact that dinner and a cultural program were organized for the participating delegations at the conference;
- d) if so, who organized this cultural program along with complete details thereof;
- e) whether the culture show performance was presented by the Culture Division in the cultural program, and if not, the reasons thereof; and
- f) the names of individuals who were responsible to present such a poor, substandard, and weak cultural performance along with the reasons not to arrange said performance through the Foreign Cultural Department?

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Acting Secretary