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MESSAGE

The Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs is entrusted with smooth, productive and meaningful interaction between the Government and the Legislature. In order to perform this important function it acts as a sole coordination agency between the Ministries and both the Houses in the Parliament. It ensures that both the Houses perform their function in accordance with the provisions of the Constitution and the relevant rules and procedures.



Parliamentary business is of great significance as the Parliament plays an important role in the life of nation. Achieving good governance requires the existence of a strong, effective and efficient Parliament. At present, the Parliament has a heterogeneous character with significant presence of all major political parties. In such a diversified environment, this Ministry's responsibility assumes an added dimension to create a congenial atmosphere in both the Houses. In addition, Public Affairs and Grievances Wing which has been transferred to the Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs from the Prime Minister's Office, is redressing the grievances of aggrieved persons in the country.

The Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs under the dynamic leadership of the Prime Minister is endeavoring to fulfill the mission of the present regime to bring progress, prosperity and strength to Pakistan by establishing rule of law, fortifying foundations of democracy, protecting civil liberties and promoting human rights.

The pages of the Year Book 2016-17 speak about our commitment, performance and achievements. I, therefore, expect that the Book will be a good source of information.

SHEIKH AFTAB AHMED
Federal Minister for Parliamentary Affairs

FOREWORD

In pursuance of Rule 25 of the Rules of Business, 1973, each Division of the Federal Government has to prepare a Year Book on its activities, targets and achievements during each Year. The Year Book is prepared for information of the Cabinet as well as general public.



The Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs, previously a Wing of the Law and Justice Division, came into existence on 12-04-2012. The Year Book in hand, covers the financial year 2016-17. It elaborates the major functions of this Ministry and the achievements made during the financial year 2016-17.

The parliament represent and articulate the views and wishes of the citizens in decision making process and oversees the activities of the executive so that the Government is accountable to the people. Therefore, it is hoped that this publication will serve as an important reference book for the scholars, researchers and general public also.

I acknowledge and appreciate the efforts of the concerned officers and staff of this Ministry in the compilation of the Year Book.

MUHAMMAD HUMAYUN
Secretary.
Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs,
Islamabad.

INTRODUCTION

The Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs plays a pivotal role in coordinating and maintaining liaison among the organs of the state, namely the executive and the legislature with the objectives of ensuring harmonious functions of the polity. The Ministry oversees the entire legislative process, from summoning of both the Houses of the Parliament to their prorogation, from introduction of Bills, study and reports by the Standing Committees and their final passage to the assent given by the President, and their notification as laws of the land.

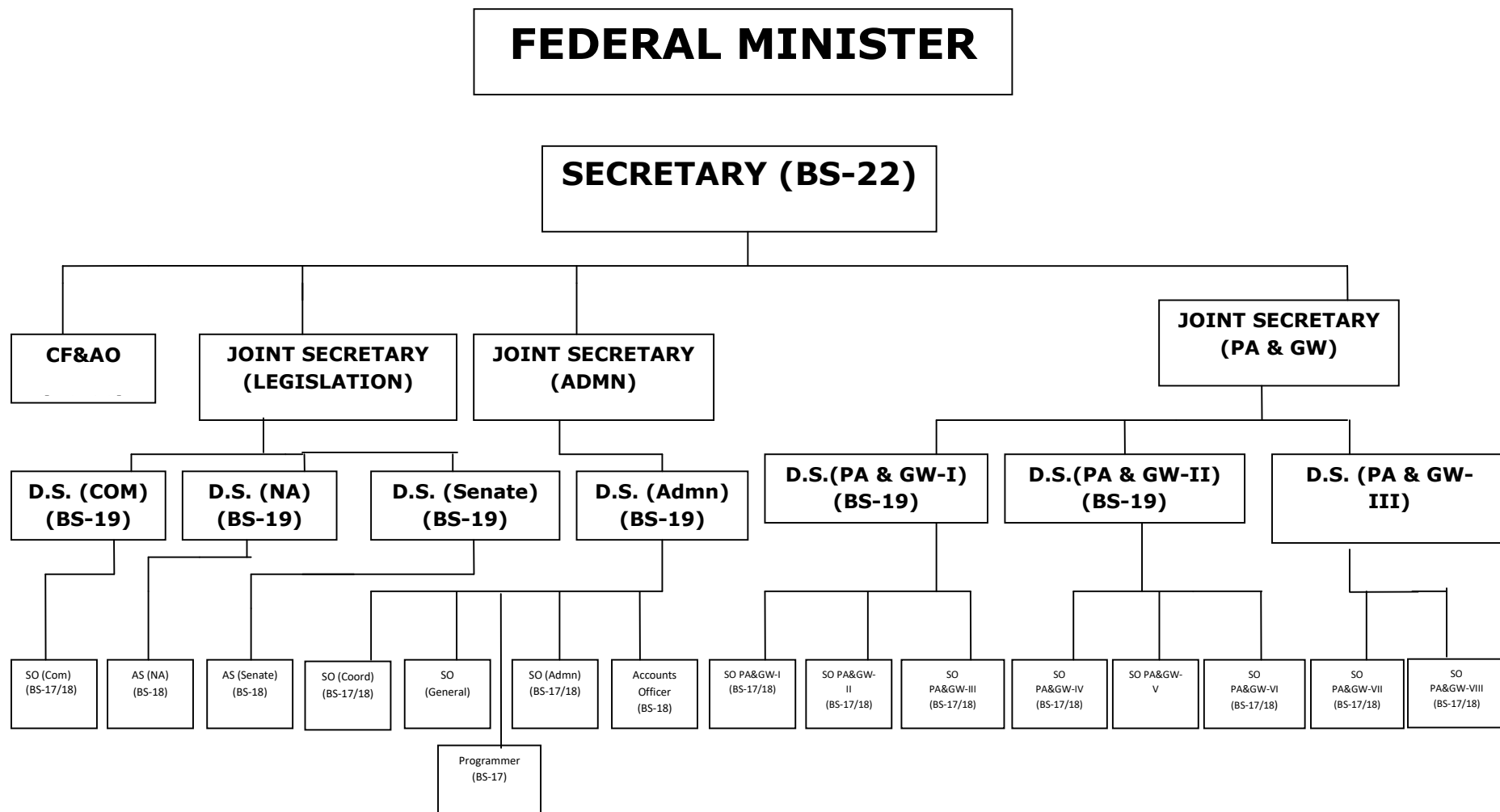
Pakistan is a welfare state. Prime Minister's Public Affairs and Grievances Wing (PA&GW) with the aim of welfare of the citizens of Pakistan work day and night for redressal of the grievances of general public. Thousands of applications are received every week from all corners of the country. In line with the mission of honorable Prime Minister of Pakistan PA&GW of Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs process and respond to all applications received in order to provide relief to the general public.

MISSION STATEMENT

The Ministry in the light of its key role has set for itself a Mission Statement:

“To facilitate the legislative process of the Federal Government by ensuring that both Houses of the Parliament perform and function in accordance with the provisions of the Constitution and relevant Rules and Procedures and their proceedings are conducted with dignity and credibility”

ORGANOGRAMME **MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS**



FUNCTIONS OF MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS

1. Majlis-e-Shoora (Parliament), summoning of either House or both Houses or Joint Sitting of Majlis-e-Shoora (Parliament) and prorogation thereof.
2. Dissolution of the National Assembly.
3. Liaison between the Divisions and Majlis-e-Shoora (Parliament) in respect of official and non-official business; priority of official business.
4. Follow up of the assurances, promises and undertakings given by the Federal Government on the floor of the House with a view to their implementation by the Divisions concerned.
5. Submission of Bills passed by Majlis-e-Shoora (Parliament) or by the National Assembly to President for his assent.
6. Legislation pertaining to privileges of Majlis-e-Shoora (Parliament) and members of Majlis-e-Shoora (Parliament), salaries and allowances of the Chairman and Deputy Chairman of the Senate, Speaker and Deputy Speaker of the National Assembly and members of Majlis-e-Shoora (Parliament).
7. Legislation pertaining to the Leader of the House and the Leader of the Opposition, provision of staff and other facilities for the Leader of the House.
8. Rules of Procedure of either House or Joint Sitting of Majlis-e-Shoora (Parliament).
9. Legislation pertaining to punishment of persons who refuse to give evidence or produce documents before committees of National Assembly or the Senate.
10. Appointment and terms and conditions of Federal Parliamentary Secretaries.
11. Legislative business relating to the Election Commission.
12. Prime Minister Public Affairs / Grievances Wing.

LEGISLATION

WING

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BRANCH

ADDITIONAL RESPONSIBILITY OF THE MINISTER

The Minister for Parliamentary Affairs has been assigned additional responsibility to conduct business in the Parliament relating to Ministries/Divisions not assigned to any Minister or Minister of State or during the absence of a Minister. As such, he has to answer innumerable questions/ adjournment motions and calling attention notices relating to these Ministries/ Divisions.

FEATURES OF PARLIAMENTARY GOVERNMENT

1. Sessions of Parliament

In terms of Article 54 (1) of the Constitution, the President summons either House or both Houses or Majlis-e-Shoora (Parliament) in joint sitting to meet at such time and place as he thinks fit and also prorogue the same.

Article 54 (2) of the Constitution provides that the National Assembly shall meet for not less than 130 working days in each Parliamentary Year.

During the last Parliamentary Year (from June 1, 2016 to May 31, 2017) the National Assembly met for 133 days.

2. Provisional Calendar of Sessions

In pursuance of the above provisions the Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs regularly calls sessions of the two Houses for which Provisional Calendars of Sessions are got approved in advance.

Rule 46(1&2) of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the National Assembly, 2007 provides:-

- (1) "After the commencement of each Parliamentary Year, the Government shall provide a calendar for sessions of the Assembly to the Speaker.
- (2) The Secretary National Assembly shall cause the calendar to be circulated amongst the members."

These calendars are prepared to forecast the likely engagements of the Parliamentarians in order to enable them to plan their personal/professional program accordingly. This practice is also intended to help the Cabinet members to pre-plan their schedule of activities.

The Provisional Calendar of Sessions for the National Assembly for the last Parliamentary Year was prepared in consultation with Speaker, National Assembly and after approval of the Prime Minister the same was circulated amongst the Members of Parliament (**Annex-I**).

3. Orders of the Day

Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs issued eighty-five (85) Orders of the Day to transact Government business viz: official Bills, Reports to be laid, Motions etc. in the National Assembly under rule 52 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the National Assembly, 2007.

4. Legislation

During the year, 2016-17, thirty-two (32) Bills were introduced (**Annex-II**) and thirty-seven (37) Bills were passed (**Annex-III**) by the National Assembly. The Parliament passed forty-five (45) Acts (**Annex-IV**)

5. IMPORTANT LEGISLATION PASSED DURING THE YEAR 2016-2017

(i) THE ISLAMABAD CAPITAL TERRITORY LOCAL GOVERNMENT (AMENDMENT) ACT, 2016

The Act seeks to devolve political power and decentralize administrative and financial authority to accountable local government in ICT for effective delivery of public services at grass roots level

(ii) THE PREVENTION OF ELECTRONIC CRIMES ACT, 2016

Pakistan had no law to comprehensively deal with the growing threat of cybercrime. The centuries old crimes justice legal framework was inadequate and ill equipped to address the sophisticated online threats of the 21st Century cyber age. This Act provides new investigative powers hitherto unavailable such as search and seizure of digital forensic evidence using technological means, production orders for real time collection of data under certain circumstances and other enabling powers which are necessary to effectively investigate cyber crime cases. This legislation will effectively prevent cyber crimes and shall also contribute to the national security of the Nation whilst providing and enabling a secure environment for investment in IT, e-commerce and e-payment systems.

(iii) THE MEMBERS, ELECTION COMMISSION (SALARY, ALLOWANCES, PERKS AND PRIVILEGES) ACT, 2016

The enactment on the captioned issue became inevitable with the appointment of the Hon'able Members Election Commission after the Constitution (Eighteenth Amendment) Act, 2010 so as to provide their salary, allowances and privileges.

(iv) THE CRIMINAL LAW (AMENDMENT) (OFFENCES IN THE NAME OR ON PRETEXT OF HONOUR) ACT, 2016

Honour killings are common throughout Pakistan, claiming the lives of hundreds of victims every year. Addressing the loopholes and lacunae of the existing laws was essential in order to prevent these crimes from being repeatedly committed.

(v) THE CRIMINAL LAW (AMENDMENT) (OFFENCES RELATING TO RAPE) ACT, 2016

To address lacunae in existing laws regarding rape cases in-order to improve conviction rates of the accused and bring the culprits within ambit of the law.

(vi) THE HINDU MARRIAGE ACT, 2017

The object of this Act is to codify the law for regulating the marriages and termination thereof among Hindus family and the matter ancillary and incidental thereto. The provision of the said Act has also been applied to irretrievable break down of Marriages in Hindus. This Act is applicable to all citizen of Pakistan who are Hindu by religion in any of its form.

(vii) THE CONSTITUTION (TWENTY-THIRD AMENDMENT) ACT, 2017

Keeping in view the extraordinary situation and circumstances constituting grave threat to the security and integrity of Pakistan from various terrorist groups, armed groups, wings and militia or their members, the Constitution (Twenty-first Amendment) Act, 2015 (I of 2015) was passed (with a sunset clause of two years) enabling trial under the Pakistan Army Act, 1952 for expeditious disposal of cases related to terrorism. These measures have yielded positive results in combating terrorism. It is, therefore, proposed to continue these special measures for a further period of two years through this Constitution amendment Bill.

(viii) THE REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE (AMENDMENT) ACT, 2017

The Act is aimed at ensuring un-hindrance participation of women in electoral process and protecting their right to vote.

6. Resolutions Passed and Reports Presented:

Thirty-eight (38) Resolutions were passed by the National Assembly during the period and fourteen (14) Reports were laid in the National Assembly (**Annex-V & VI**).

7. Calling Attention Notices, Adjournment Motions, Privilege Motions and Questions

Three hundred fifty-five (355) Calling Attention notices were received out of which eighty-seven (87) were taken up in the House. One hundred thirty-one (131) adjournment motions were received by the National Assembly Secretariat and one (01) was brought before the House. Seventy (70) privilege motions were made and no one was taken up by the House. Seven thousand, eight hundred and two (7802) questions were asked, out of which one thousand, eight hundred and twenty-five (1825) questions were answered (**Annex-VII**).

8. Joint Sitting

On 1st June, 2016, the President of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan addressed the Parliament (Joint Sitting) to meet the constitutional requirement under Article 56 (3) of the Constitution of Islamic Republic of Pakistan.

SENATE BRANCH

The President, under Clause (1) of Article 54 of the Constitution of Pakistan, 1973, is empowered to summon either House or both Houses of Majlis-e-Shoora (Parliament) in joint sitting to meet at such time and place as he thinks fit and also to prorogue the same.

Article 61 read with Article 54 (2) of the Constitution provides that Senate shall meet for not less than one hundred and ten (110) working days in each Parliamentary Year.

The Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs, keeping in view the requirements of mandatory working days and availability of Government business provided by Ministries, Divisions and Departments, prepared and got approved a tentative schedule of sessions of Senate from the Prime Minister for the period from 12th March 2016 to 11th March 2017. The summaries for summoning of Senate session initiated strictly in accordance with approved schedule during the Parliamentary Year. However, certain deviations were made depending on the exigencies of political and administrative factors.

SESSIONS

In the reporting period the Senate met in eighteen (18) sessions including three (03) Joint Sittings, four (04) requisitioned sessions spread over one hundred and nineteen (119) working days (**Annex- VIII**).

ORDERS OF THE DAY

In pursuance of rule 38 of the Rules of Business, 1973, Ministry issued eighty-two (82) Orders of the Day in the year, 2016-2017, for introduction and passage of Government legislative business in the Senate.

GOVERNMENT BILLS/ORDINANCES INTRODUCED

During the financial year, 2016-2017, five (05) Government Bills/Ordinances were introduced in the Senate (**Annex-IX**).

GOVERNMENT BILLS PASSED

During the financial year, 2016-2017, thirty-seven (37) Government Bills were passed by the Senate (**Annex-X**).

2. In compliance with Article 73 of the Constitution, the Finance Minister tabled the Finance Bill, 2017, in the Senate for its recommendations thereon. The Senate extensively discussed the Bill and made two hundred and seventy-nine (279) recommendations for consideration of the National Assembly. The Senate also submitted its recommendations to National Assembly on four Money Bills as a whole. (**Annex -XI**)

PRIVATE MEMBERS' BILLS PASSED

During the financial year, 2016-2017 ten (10) Private Members' Bills were passed by the Senate (**Annex-XII**).

ORDINANCE

One (01) Ordinance was laid in the House under Article 89 (2)(a)(ii) of the Constitution for information (**Annex-XIII**).

CALLING ATTENTION NOTICES, ADJOURNMENT MOTIONS, PRIVILEGE MOTIONS AND QUESTIONS

Five hundred and fifty-three (553) Calling Attention Notices were received in the Senate during the year 2016-2017. Out of these statements on one hundred and one (101) were admitted for discussion in the House only. Notices of three hundred and forty-two (342) Adjournment Motions were received out of which fifty (50) were disposed of. Notices of twenty (20) Privilege Motions were received. One (01) was withdrawn, ten (10) were under process and nine (09) were referred to Privileges Committee. One thousand four hundred and twenty-one (1421) questions were asked and replied in the Senate during this period (**Annex-XIV**).

RESOLUTIONS / REPORTS

- i. Sixty (60) Resolutions on different subjects were passed during the financial year, 2016-2017. (**Annex-XV**).
- ii. During the period twelve (12) Reports on various issues were laid in the Senate (**Annex-XVI**).

LEGISLATION PERTAINING TO ELECTION COMMISSION OF PAKISTAN.

AMENDMENTS IN THE REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE (CONDUCT OF ELECTION) RULES, 1977

This Ministry has sought approval of the President of Pakistan to amend Form-XXI (**STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES**), prescribed under the Representation of the People (Conduct of Election) Rules, 1977 in order to ensure authentication and providing instructions to be adhered to by the Members of the National Assembly/Provincial Assemblies.

APPOINTMENT OF PARLAMENTARY SECRETARIES

Parliamentary Secretaries are appointed by this Ministry from amongst the Members of National Assembly with the approval of the Prime Minister. A Parliamentary Secretary is entitled to draw salary and others privileges as per policy notified vide Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs Notification No.F.13(43)/2003-PA dated 18th July, 2006. During the present regime twenty-five (25) Parliamentary Secretaries have been appointed so far. Details are at **(Annex- XVII)**.

FUNCTIONS OF THE PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARIES

The main functions of the Parliamentary Secretaries are as follows:-

- a) In the absence of Minister-In-Charge the Parliamentary Secretary shall represent him in the National Assembly and may act and speak on his behalf:
- b) Answer questions and attend to Calling Attention Notices;
- c) Move Resolutions, Motions and Bills in respect of his Ministry:
- d) Liaison with the Members of the National Assembly:
- e) Attend meetings of the Standing Committee concerning his Ministry.

ENHANCEMENT/INCREASE OF SALARY AND ALLOWANCES OF THE MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT, CHAIRMAN/DEPUTY CHAIRMAN SENATE AND SPEAKER/DEPUTY SPEAKER OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY.

In pursuance of Rule 3(3) item 28(6) of Schedule – II of the Rules of Business, 1973, this Ministry with the approval of the Prime Minister vide Notification dated 23rd August, 2016 notified grant of Ad-Hoc Relief Allowance -2016 @ 10 % on revised pay to the Members of Parliament including Parliamentary Secretaries and Chairmen Standing Committees **(Annex-XVIII-XVIII(ii))**.

Finance Division has conveyed the Decision of the Cabinet, taken in its meeting held on 23rd November, 2016, the Cabinet considered the summary dated 8th September, 2016 submitted by the Finance Division for Revision in Basic Pay of Parliamentarians, and accorded approval for revision with effect from 1st October, 2016. This Ministry notified the revision in salaries of above Public Office Holders and Members of Parliament with effect from 1st October, 2016. **{Annex-XIX-XIX(ii)}**.

COMMITTEES SECTION

A. STANDING COMMITTEES MEETINGS (SENATE AND NATIONAL ASSEMBLY)

As per distribution of work, all matters relating to following three Committees of the Senate and National Assembly, which are directly dealt with in this Ministry, have been assigned to the Committees Section:-

- i. Standing Committee on Parliamentary Affairs.
- ii. Standing Committee on Rules of Procedure & Privileges.
- iii. Standing Committee on Government Assurances.

1. SENATE STANDING COMMITTEES' MEETINGS.

During the period from July, 2016 to June, 2017, four (04) meetings of the Senate Standing Committee on Parliamentary Affairs were held. Similarly seventeen (17) and seven (07) meetings of Senate Standing Committees on Rules of Privileges and Government Assurances, respectively, were conducted/coordinated during the said period, details of which are as under:-

Sr. #	Name of Committee	2016-17
i	Senate Standing Committee on Parliamentary Affairs	04
ii	Senate Standing Committee on Rules of Procedure & Privileges	17
iii	Senate Standing Committee on Government Assurances	07

2. NATIONAL ASSEMBLY STANDING COMMITTEES' MEETINGS.

Six (06) meetings of the National Assembly Standing Committee on Parliamentary Affairs were held during the period from July, 2016 to June, 2017. Moreover, fifteen (15) meetings of the National Assembly Standing Committee on Rules of Procedure & Privileges and twelve (12) meetings of the National Assembly Standing Committee on Government Assurances were also conducted/ coordinated during the same period, details of which are as under:-

Sr. #.	Name Of Committee	2016-17
i	National Assembly Standing Committee on Parliamentary Affairs	06
ii	National Assembly Standing Committee on Rules of Procedure & Privileges	15
iii	National Assembly Standing Committee on Government Assurances	12

B. STARRED/UN-STARRED QUESTIONS (SENATE/NATIONAL ASSEMBLY).

1. SENATE STARRED/UN-STARRED QUESTIONS.

During the period from July, 2016 to June, 2017, answers/replies of eleven (11) Starred/Un-Starred Questions, concerning to Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs/Election Commission of Pakistan were sent to the Senate Secretariat, details of which are as under:-

Sr. #.	Question	2016-17
i	Starred	11
ii	Un-Starred	--
Total:		11

2. NATIONAL ASSEMBLY STARRED/UN-STARRED QUESTIONS.

During the period from July, 2016 to June, 2017, fifty-one (51) Starred/Un-Starred Questions of the National Assembly, concerning to Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs/Election Commission of Pakistan, were replied, details of which are as under:-

Sr. #.	Question	2016-17
i	Starred	47
ii	Un-Starred	04
Total:		51

C. APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS OF ELECTION COMMISSION OF PAKISTAN

Four members of Election Commission of Pakistan were appointed during the said period.

D. COURT CASES RELATING TO ELECTION COMMISSION OF PAKISTAN TAKEN UP WITHIN THE PERIOD FROM JULY, 2016 TO JUNE, 2017

Five (5) Court cases, relating to Election Commission of Pakistan (ECP) were received from Supreme Court, High Courts etc during the period from July, 2016 to June, 2017. The same were persuaded in the courts in consultation with the Election Commission of Pakistan/Law and Justice Division.

Administration

Wing

Admn Section

Six hundred & fifteen (615) cases were prepared and finalized by the Admn. Section, as per detail given here-under: -

1. 10 officers and 01 official were posted in, whereas 06 officers and 01 official were posted out. Charge assumption/charge relinquishment were accordingly notified
2. 20 cases of G.P. Fund Advance were processed / finalized.
3. 32 cases of House Building Advance were processed/finalized
4. 12 cases of Motor Car Advance were processed/finalized
5. 30 cases of Motor Cycle Advance were processed /Finalized
6. 03 cases of Promotion were finalized.
7. 45 cases of Pay fixation were finalized.
8. 09 officials were appointed in Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs on contingent basis
9. 04 cases of retirement of employees were finalized.
10. 14 cases of LFP & 19 cases of issuance of Security passes have been finalized.
11. 60 cases of re-imburement of medical claims of serving and retired employees of the Ministry had been finalized
12. Verification of 58 service books has been done through AGPR. 105 service books were updated.
13. 03 cases/appeals were contested in the Courts.
14. 12 PERs/ACRs of officers posted in this Ministry have been sent to the quarter concerned after fulfillment of codal formalities.
15. Replied 54 queries/information required by Establishment / Cabinet/ Finance Divisions, President's Secretariat / Prime Minister's Office & other foras, from time to time and National Assembly/Senate Questions.
16. Regularly updation of progress & compliance of the instructions conveyed by Wafaqi Mohtasib (Ombudsman)'s Secretariat regarding facilitation measures for pensioners/ early/ timely settlement/finalization of the pension cases of employees of the Ministry
17. 02 cases of nomination as Welfare Staff - Moavineen (sponsored by their departments) for Hajj-2017 were finalized
18. 65 cases of internal postings/ transfers of officers/officials have been done.
19. 17 cases of Educational Stipend/Fee Re-imburement, 01 case of

Benevolent Grant, 08 cases of Marriage Grant & 02 cases of Farewell Grant were forwarded to Federal Employees Benevolent Fund & Group Insurance.

20. Weekly/Monthly Updation of Sanctioned Strength/Working strength of the Ministry

21. 22 cases of session allowance and diet charge/conveyance allowance of the Ministry were finalized etc.

22. **Miscellaneous**

- a) Preparation/Updation of seniority lists of employees of Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs.
- b) Grant of NOC to the employees of the Ministry for issuance of passport/Visit Abroad and NOC for appearing in tests/interviews against various posts in other Govt. Departments.
- c) Scrutiny of application Proformas required documents for security passes of employees of the Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs and issuance of security passes from Ministry of Interior.
- d) Cases of provision of basic information to the Federal Government Employees Housing Foundation for allotment of Plot etc. to employees of Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs.
- e) Submission of Annual Return to PPARC, M.S Wing, Establishment Division showing Sanctioned and Gender/Domicile-Wise, Actual Strength of all Categories of Federal Government Employees & Non-Muslim Federal Government Employees by their Religion, Domicile, Sex and BPS working in the Ministry.
- f) Disposal of receipts, which are required to be disposed of at Section level.
- g) Other tasks assigned by the Secretary / Joint Secretary (Admn).

COORDINATION SECTION

(1) HIRING/DE-HIRING:

One Hundred and Five (105) cases of hiring/de-hiring were processed and finalized for providing residential accommodation to officers/officials of Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs.

(2) TRAINING FOR CAPACITY BUILDING OF OFFICERS/OFFICIALS:

Twenty five (25) officers/officials were nominated for various local training, foreign Training, courses, workshop, seminars and conferences.

(3) ESTABLISHMENT OF PUBLIC COMPLAINT RESOLUTION MECHANISM:

Public Complaint Resolution Mechanism has been established in collaboration with Federal Ombudsman Secretariat to address the complaints of general public. The focal person for public complaint resolution was nominated. The complaint resolution mechanism was circulated among all officers and officials of the Ministry. The details of focal person were placed on the notice board and website of the Ministry for the knowledge of general public. **(Annex-XX)**

(4) YEAR BOOK:

The Year Book 2015-2016 was compiled, printed and circulated.

(5) PERFORMANCE ON PRINCIPLES OF POLICY:

The performance on implementation of Principles of Policy of year 2013-14 was compared analytically with the performance of previous three years, on the special directive of the Prime Minister.

(6) DEVELOPED SOPS FOR LITIGATION CASES:

The standard operating procedures (SOPs) were developed for processing litigation cases in the Ministry. The litigation dashboard template was also developed to maintain the update on all the litigation cases. **(Annex-XXI)**

7) MISCELLANEOUS:

The following One Hundred and Ten (110) cases were processed and finalized:-

- a)** Observance of the Principles of policy in relation to the affairs of the Federation
- b)** Submission of a report to the Prime Minister's Office on achievements of Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs.
- c)** Implementation of Minutes / decisions of the meetings held in operational matters.
- d)** Allocation of subjects to various Sections / Wings of the Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs.
- e)** Official business relating to various Ministries / Divisions /Departments /PPRA/ NDMA/ PILDAT / NCGR/ Others.
- f)** Court / Human Rights / Wafaqi Mohtasib cases.
- g)** Proceedings of employees for short/long training scholarships/Master Degree programs through EAD.
- h)** Preparation of presentations for Secretary.
- i)** Collection of dates (on yearly basis) from Cabinet Division for distributing amongst the class-IV employees of the Ministry.
- j)** Provision of information under Section 19(1) of FOI ordinance 2002.
- k)** Appointment of focal persons.
- l)** Circulation of policies / directives / Standing orders / Court orders.
- m)** Collection of Books from GHQ Book Services Club for distribution amongst officers of the Ministry.

GENERAL SECTION

Four hundred and nineteen (419) cases were processed and finalized relating to the following business:

(1) **TRANSPORT:**

- a) One (1) vehicle GT-741, Toyota Land Cruiser (Protected) V-8 Armored, 4608cc was obtained from Cabinet Division for the Federal Minister for Parliamentary Affairs for operation duties.
- b) Two old vehicles were replaced from Cabinet Division.
- c) Repair and Maintenance of eleven official vehicles.
- d) Payment of POL.
- e) Payment of over time of Staff Car Drivers of this Ministry.

(2) **STATIONERY /OFFICE EQUIPMENT:**

- a) Purchase of Stationery items.
- b) Purchase of Computer Hardware & Software.
- c) Purchase of Plant and Machinery.
- d) Repair and Maintenance of Office Equipments / Computers / Photocopiers.
- e) Purchase and Maintenance of Furniture & Fixture.

(3) **R& I SECTION:**

More than Seven Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty (7830) official letters were received and Six Thousand Seven Hundred and Fifty One (6751) letters were issued.

- (4) Entertainment / Light Refreshment for official meetings.
- (5) Publication/Printing/Newspapers/Telephones.
- (6) Security of Office Building.

BUDGET & ACCOUNTS SECTION

The prime objective of Budget & Accounts Section has been to maintain a high-level of financial discipline while further improving the quality of financial operations in the Ministry. Achievement of this objective was duly acknowledged in the Departmental Accounts Committee of 24th May, 2017, after the Auditor-General's Department conducted an intensive external audit of the accounts of the Ministry. It was unanimously recognized that a remarkable level of financial discipline had been maintained in the Ministry through implementation of internal controls in procurement planning, regularity in expenditure and proper documentation of all transactions. It was also acknowledged that internal audit was being conducted regularly and that the latest internal audit report revealed negligible deviations from financial regulations.

2. Another achievement of Budget & Accounts Section relating to financial discipline was that during the financial year, monthly expenditure of the Ministry was accurately and promptly reconciled with AGPR figures. This was done in compliance of a critical requirement of CGA organization.

3. Routine achievements of Budget & Accounts Section are as follows:

1. 651 Pay/TA/DA Bills of Twenty five (25) Federal Parliamentary Secretaries were prepared on monthly basis and the payment for making them.
2. Air Tickets & Travel Vouchers to twenty five Federal Parliamentary Secretaries were issued on half yearly basis.
3. The pay of twenty five Federal Parliamentary Secretaries was transferred to their bank accounts on monthly basis.
4. The cheques on the account of TA/DA/HA to the twenty five Federal Parliamentary Secretaries were maintained and prepared .
5. The TA/DA bills of Federal Minister were prepared on monthly basis.
6. The Revised Estimates and Budget Estimates/B.O/N.I.S. in respect of ID-1928-Payment to Parliamentary Secretaries and ID-1929-Parliamentary Affairs, Division was prepared for Green Book on annual basis.
7. The anticipated savings under ID-1928 & ID-1929 were surrendered.

8. The ten re-appropriation cases were processed.
9. The token sum schedule to make the head operative was prepared.
10. The logistic support was provided to conduct Internal/Post Audit.
11. The annotated replies to the Audit Reports were prepared and submitted.
12. All PAC/DAC matters relating to Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs were dealt with.
13. The consultation/opinion/views/comments were recorded on the files referred to Budget & Accounts Section from other Sections of Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs.
14. 830 Contingency/Establishment/TA/DA/GP Fund Bills were prepared on monthly basis during the financial year 2016-2017.
15. The Computer Changes were prepared on monthly basis during the financial year 2016-2017 and submitted to A.G.P.R.
16. Actual monthly expenditure report in respect of Federal Parliamentary Secretaries was prepared and submitted to A.G.P.R.
17. The actual monthly expenditure report in respect Federal Minister was prepared and sent to Cabinet Division.
18. Monthly expenditure in respect of ID-1928-Payment to Parliamentary Secretaries & ID-1929-Parliamentary Affairs, Division was reconciled during the financial year 2016-2017.
19. G.P Fund/Motor Car Advance/H.B.A/Motor Cycle Advance register was maintained on monthly basis during the financial year-2016-2017.
20. The Cash Book of the Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs was maintained on daily basis and the same got signed by the Deputy Secretary nominated by the P.A.O. on monthly basis.
21. 129 cheques issued by A.G.P.R., were Drawn & Disbursed.
22. The cash/imprest money of Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs was properly handled.
23. SAP/PIFRA system were dealt with smoothly during the financial year 2016-2017.
24. Income Tax Certificates were prepared and issued to the employees of Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs and Firms.

PRIME MINISTER'S PUBLIC
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PRIME MINISTER'S PUBLIC AFFAIRS AND **GRIEVANCES WING**

The core objective of Prime Minister's PA&GW is to provide relief to the general public particularly, the poor of the poorest by redressing their grievances addressed to the Prime Minister. Such grievances mainly pertain to financial assistance, medical treatment, district administrations, police department, utility services, procedural family disputes etc.

2. During the period under review, this Wing has succeeded to achieve the following :-

- This Wing has processed as many as **25872** applications/complaints received from different corners out of which **13328** were disposed, while rest of them **12544** applications/petitions are under process with various Government Ministries/Departments/agencies at provincial as well as federal level.(**Annex-XXII**)
- As compared to the previous years, response level has improved upto 44%.
- The Minister Incharge, Prime Minister's Public Affairs and Grievances Wing conducted visited various DHQs and hospitals in different parts of the country to get the on ground situation of the progress and met the aggrieved persons.
- A software "Complaint Handling System" was enforced, which provided online access to the Ministries/Departments/other agencies in order to ensure proper monitoring and evaluation of disposal of public complaints/applications.

- The Prime Minister's Grievances Wing arranged bone marrow transplant, liver transplant, cancer treatment and treatment for other fatal diseases. Since the beginning of this program till the end of the period under review as many as 340 patients have been provided treatment. **(Annex-XXIII)**

- The ear transplant service was provided to many deaf children which resolved their hearing issues.

- Prime Minister's Grievances Wing is also collaborating with Medical Directorate of Adjutant Branch of GHQ, which envisages improvement of existing health facilities and setting up of new health institutions to enhance health coverage to the poor people of the country.

**DETAIL OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY SESSIONS
DURING THE YEAR, 2016-2017**

Sr. No	Sessions	Date of Summoning	Date of Prorogation	Total Working Days
1.	Joint Sitting President's Address	01-06-2016 (Wednesday)	01-06-2016 (Wednesday)	01
2.	33rd (Budget Session)	31-05-2016 (Tuesday)	22-06-2016 (Wednesday)	21
3.	34th	01-08-2016 (Monday)	17-08-2016 (Wednesday)	17
4.	35th	02-09-2016 (Friday)	09-09-2016 (Friday)	08
5.	36th	26-09-2016 (Monday)	07-10-2016 (Friday)	09
6.	Joint Sitting Discussion on Kashmir situation and passage the Bills)	05-10-2016 (Wednesday)	07-10-2016 (Friday)	03
7.	Joint Sitting (Address by Turkish President)	17-11-2016 (Thursday)	17-11-2016 (Thursday)	01
8.	37th	18-11-2016 (Friday)	30-11-2016 (Wednesday)	13
9.	38th	14-12-2016 (Wednesday)	20-12-2016 (Tuesday)	07
10.	39th	26-01-2017 (Thursday)	07-02-2017 (Tuesday)	13
11.	40th	06-03-2017 (Monday)	22-03-2017 (Wednesday)	17
12.	41st	12-04-2017 (Wednesday)	21-04-2017 (Friday)	10
13.	42nd	15-05-2017 (Monday)	18-05-2017 (Thursday)	04
14.	43rd	23-05-2017 (Tuesday)	31-05-2017 (Wednesday)	09
Total Days Completed:				133

BILLS INTRODUCED IN THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY FROM
01-07-2016 TO 30-06-2017

S. No	Title of Bill	Date of Introduction	Ministry/Division Concerned
1	The Limited Liability Partnership Bill, 2016	03-08-2016	Finance
2.	The Pakistan Council of Renewable Energy Technologies Bill, 2016	10-08-2016	Science and Technology
3.	The Income Tax (Amendment) Ordinance, 2016 (IV of 2016)	11-08-2016	Finance
4.	The Post Office (Amendment) Bill, 2016	02-09-2016	Communications
5.	The Pakistan Commissions of Inquiry Bill, 2016	02-09-2016	Law
6.	The Tax laws (Amendment) Ordinance, 2016 (V of 2016)	07-09-2016	Finance
7.	The Women in Distress and Detention Fund (Amendment) Bill, 2016	28-09-2016	Human Right
8.	The Companies Ordinance, 2016 (VI of 2016)	18-11-2016	Finance
9.	The Constitution (24 th Amendment) Bill, 2016	18-11-2016	Law
10.	The Alternate Dispute Resolution Bill, 2016	18-11-2016	Law
11.	The Costs of Litigation Bill, 2016	18-11-2016	Law
12.	The Pakistan Air Force (Amendment) Bill, 2016	28-11-2016	Defence
13.	The Pakistan Climate Change Bill, 2016	29-11-2016	Climate Change
14.	The Constitution (Twenty-fifth Amendment) Bill, 2016	26-01-2017	Law

15.	The Compulsory Teaching of the Holy Quran Bill, 2016	26-01-2017	Education
16.	The Apprenticeship Bill, 2016	01-02-2017	Education
17.	The Pakistan Tobacco Board (Amendment) Bill, 2016	01-02-2017	Commerce
18.	The Public Interest Disclosures Bill, 2017	01-02-2017	Law
19.	The Rulers of Acceding States (Abolition of Privy Purses and Privileges) (Amendment) Bill, 2017 (Money Bill)	02-02-2017	SAFRON
20.	The Constitution (Twenty-Sixth Amendment) Bill, 2017	09-03-2017	Law
21.	The Constitution (Twenty-Seventh Amendment) Bill, 2017	09-03-2017	Law
22.	The Constitution (Twenty-Eight Amendment) Bill, 2017	10-03-2017	Law
23.	The Pakistan Army (Amendment) Bill, 2017	10-03-2017	Law
24.	The Auditor-General's (Functions, Powers and Terms and Conditions of Service) (Amendment) Bill, 2017	20-03-2017	Finance
25.	The Islamabad Capital Territory Child Protection Bill, 2017	15-05-2017	Human Rights
26.	The Investment Corporation of Pakistan (Repeal) Bill, 2017	15-05-2017	Finance
27.	The National Food Safety, Animal and Plant Health Regulatory Authority Bill, 2017	15-05-2017	National Food Security & Research
28.	The Constitution (29 th Amendment) Bill, 2017	15-05-2017	Law
29.	The Constitution (30 th Amendment) Bill, 2017	15-05-2017	SAFRON
30.	The Tribal Areas <i>Riwaj</i> Bill, 2017	15-05-2017	SAFRON
31.	The National Skills University Islamabad Bill, 2017	18-05-2017	Education
32.	The Finance Bill, 2017	26-05-2017	Finance

BILLS PASSED BY THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY
FROM 01-07-2016 TO 30-06-2017

S. No.	Title of Bill	Date of Passage	Ministry Concerned
1.	The Pakistan Engineering Council (Amendment) Bill, 2016	11-08-2016	Science and Technology
2.	The Private Power and Infrastructure Board (Amendment) Bill, 2016 (as passed by the Senate)	11-08-2016	Water and Power
3.	The Members, Election Commission (Salary, Allowances, Perks and Privileges) Bill, 2016 (Money Bill)	15-08-2016	Parliamentary Affairs
4.	The National Command Authority (Amendment) Bill, 2016	05-09-2016	Defence
5.	The Plant Breeders' Rights Bill, 2015	05-09-2016	National Food Security & Research
6.	The Benami Transactions (Prohibition) Bill, 2016 (As passed by the Senate with amendment)	26-09-2016 01-02-2017	Finance
7.	The Hindu Marriage Bill, 2016 (As passed by the Senate)	26-09-2016 09-03-2017	Human Rights
8.	The Companies (Appointment of Legal Advisors) (Amendment) Bill, 2016(As passed by the Senate with amendment)	26-09-2016 01-02-2017	Finance
9.	The Islamabad High Court (Amendment) Bill, 2016	26-09-2016	Law-
10.	The Civil Courts (Amendment) Bill, 2016	26-09-2016 Withdraw on 16-05-2017	Law
11.	The Central Law Officers (Amendment) Bill, 2016 (As passed by the Senate with amendment)	03-10-2016 26-01-2017	Law
12.	The Legal Practitioners and Bar Councils (Amendment) Bill, 2016(As passed by the Senate with amendment)	03-10-2016 01-02-2017	Law

13	The Code of Civil Procedure (Amendment) Bill, 2016.	03-10-2016	Law
14	The Criminal Law (Amendment) (Offences in the Name or on Pretext of Honour) Bill, 2015 (Private Bill)	06-10-2016 (in joint sitting)	Law
15	The Criminal Law (Amendment) (Offences relating to Rape) Bill, 2015 (Private Bill)	06-10-2016 (in joint sitting)	Law
16	The Pakistan Council for Science and Technology Bill, 2016	21-11-2016 12-04-2017	Science & Technology
17	The Pakistan National Accreditation Council Bill, 2016	23-11-2016	Science & Technology
18	The Pakistan Commissions of Inquiry Bill, 2016 (As passed by the Senate)	30-11-2016 22-03-2017	Law
19	The Income Tax (Amendment) Bill, 2016	30-11-2016	Finance
20	The Public Private Partnership Authority Bill, 2016 (As passed by the Senate)	30-11-2016 22-03-2017	Finance
21	The Pakistan Climate Change Bill, 2016	26-01-2017	Climate Change
22	The Explosive Substances (Amendment) Bill, 2016	01-02-2017	Law
23	The Limited Liability Partnership Bill, 2016	01-02-2017	Finance
24	The National Commission on the Rights of the Child Bill, 2016	01-02-2017	Human Rights
25	The Illegal Dispossession (Amendment) Bill, 2016	01-02-2017	Interior
26	The Cost and Management Accountants (Amendment) Bill, 2016	02-02-2017	Finance
27	The Costs of Litigation Bill, 2016	02-02-2017	Law

28	The Alternate Dispute Resolution Bill, 2016 (as passed by the Senate with amendment)	03-02-2017 18-05-2017	Law
29	The Companies Bill, 2016	06-02-2017	Finance
30	The Pakistan Air Force (Amendment) Bill, 2016	06-02-2017	Defence
31	The Post Office (Amendment) Bill, 2016	10-03-2017	Communications
32	The Constitution (Twenty-Eight Amendment) Bill, 2017	21-03-2017	Law
33	The Pakistan Army (Amendment) Bill, 2017	21-03-2017	Law
34	The Compulsory Teaching of the Holy Quran Bill, 2017	19-04-2017	Education
35	The Marine Insurance Bill, 2016	17-05-2017	Commerce
36	The National School of Public Policy (Amendment) Bill, 2017 (as passed by the Senate)	17-05-2017	Establishment
37.	The Finance Bill, 2017	13-06-2017	Finance

ACTS PASSED BY BOTH THE HOUSES OF PARLIAMENT
FROM 01-07-2016 TO 30-06-2017

S.No.	Title of Bill	Date of Passage	Act. No	Ministry/Division Concerned
1.	The Credit Bureaus (Amendment) Act, 2016	21-07-2016	XXXIV of 2016	Finance
2.	The Islamabad Capital Territory Local Government (Amendment) Act, 2016	21-07-2016	XXXV of 2016	Interior
3.	The Securities and Exchange Commission of Pakistan (Amendment) Act, 2016	21-07-2016	XXXVI of 2016	Finance
4.	The Deposit Protection Corporation Act, 2016	03-08-2016	XXXVII of 2016	Finance
5.	The Financial Institutions (Recovery of Finance) (Amendment) Bill, 2016	03-08-2016	XXXVIII of 2016	Finance
6.	The Private Power and Infrastructure Board (Amendment) Bill, 2016	11-08-2016	XXXIX of 2016	Water and Power
7	The Prevention of Electronic Crimes Bill, 2016	11-08-2016	XL of 2016	Information Technology
8	The Banks (Nationalization) (Amendment) Bill, 2016	03-08-2016	XLI of 2016	Finance
9	The Members, Election Commission (Salary, Allowances, Perks and Privileges) Act, 2016	15-08-2016	XLII of 2016	Parliamentary Affairs
10	The Criminal Law (Amendment) (Offences in the Name or on Pretext of Honour) Act, 2015 (Private Bill)	06-10-2016 (in joint sitting)	XLIII of 2016	Law
11	The Criminal Law (Amendment) (Offences relating to Rape) Act, 2015 (Private Bill)	06-10-2016 (in joint sitting)	XLIV of 2016	Law

12	The Special Economic Zones (Amendment) Act, 2016	07-10-2016	XLV of 2016	Cabinet
13	The Pakistan Engineering Council (Amendment) Act, 2016	22-11-2016	XLVI of 2016	Science & Technology
14	The Islamabad High Court (Amendment) Act, 2016	22-11-2016	XLVII of 2016	Law
15	The Code of Civil Procedure (Amendment) Act, 2016	22-11-2016	XLVIII of 2016	Interior
16	The Income Tax (Fourth Amendment) Act, 2016	30-11-2016	XLIX of 2016	Finance
17	The Plant Breeders' Rights Act, 2016	23-11-2016	L of 2016	National Food Security & Research
18	The Central Law Officers (Amendment) Act, 2017	26-01-2017	I of 2017	Law
19	The Companies (Appointment of Legal Advisors) (Amendment) Act, 2017	01-02-2017	II of 2017	Finance
20	The Legal Practitioners and Bar Councils (Amendment) Act, 2017	01-02-2017	III of 2017	Law
21	The Criminal Laws (Amendment) Act, 2017	06-02-2017	IV of 2017	Interior
22	The Benami Transactions (Prohibition) Bill, 2016 (As passed by the Senate with amendment)	01-02-2017	V of 2017	Finance
23	The Pakistan National Accreditation Council Act, 2017	09-03-2017	VI of 2017	Law
24	The Hindu Marriage Act, 2017 (As passed by the Senate with amendment)	09-03-2017	VII of 2017	Human Rights
25	The Public Private Partnership Authority Bill, 2017	22-03-2017	VIII of 2017	Finance
26	The Pakistan Commissions of Inquiry Bill, 2017 (As passed by the Senate with amendment)	22-03-2017	IX of 2017	Law
27	The Pakistan Climate Change Act, 2017	17-03-2017	X of 2017	Climate Change
28	The Pakistan Army (Amendment) Act, 2017	22-03-2017	XI 2017	Law

29	The Constitution (Twenty-third Amendment) Act, 2017	28-03-2017	XII of 2017	Law
30	The Federal Board of Intermediate and Secondary Education (Amendment) Act, 2017 (Private Member's Bill)	14-03-2017	XIII of 2017	CAAD
31	The Pakistan Council for Science and Technology Act, 2017	12-04-2017	XIV of 2017	Science and Technology
32	The Limited Liability Partnership Act, 2017	19-04-2017	XV of 2017	Finance
33	The Explosive Substances (Amendment) Act, 2017	15-05-2017	XVI of 2017	Law
34	The Costs of Litigation Act, 2017	15-05-2017	XVII of 2017	Law
35	The Pakistan Air Force (Amendment) Act, 2017	15-05-2017	XVIII of 2017	Defence
36	The Companies Bill, 2017	24-05-2017	XIX of 2017	Finance
37	The Alternative Dispute Resolution Act, 2017	18-05-2017	XX of 2017	Law
38	The Witness Protection, Security and Benefit Act, 2017 (Private Member's Bill)	18-05-2017	XXI of 2017	Interior
39	The Senate Secretariat Services Act, 2017 (Private Member's Bill)	16-05-2017	XXII of 2017	Parliamentary Affairs
40	The Land Acquisition (Amendment) Act, 2017 (Private Member's Bill)	18-05-2017	XXIII of 2017	Interior
41	The Representation of the People (Amendment) Act, 2017 (Private Member's Bill)	18-05-2017	XXIV of 2017	Parliamentary Affairs
42	The Provincial Motor Vehicles (Amendment) Act, 2017 (Private Member's Bill)	18-05-2017	XXV of 2017	Interior
43	The National Counter Terrorism (Amendment) Act, 2017 (Private Member's Bill)	18-05-2017	XXVI of 2017	Interior
44	The Finance Act, 2017	13-06-2017	XXVII of 2017	Finance
45	The Illegal Dispossession (Amendment) Act, 2017	09-06-2017	XXVIII of 2017	Law

RESOLUTIONS PASSED BY THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY
FROM 01-07-2016 TO 30-06-2017

S.No	Resolution	Passage date
1.	The National Assembly wishes to place on record its solidarity with the Parliament and the democratic government of Turkey	01-08-2016
2.	Perpetrated on innocent Kashmiris by Indian Security Forces in Occupied Kashmir	01-08-2016
3.	The National Assembly strongly condemns the recent atrocities	01-08-2016
4.	This House strongly condemns the brutal murder of Amjad Sabri Shaheed	01-08-2016
5.	This House wishes to place on record its deepest sorrow at the passing away of a great Pakistani, Abdul Sattar Edhi	01-08-2016
6.	The National Assembly strongly condemns the terrorist attacks in three cities of Saudi Arabia on 4th July, 2016	02-08-2016
7.	The National Assembly Strongly Condemns the brutal killings in Quetta	09-08-2016
8.	The National Assembly commemorates 69th Anniversary of the Assembly	10-08-2016
9.	The House strongly condemns the attacks on the Media Houses and controversial speech of Altaf Hussain, Leader MQM	02-09-2016
10.	The Govt. should set up separate counter for Women in NADRA and Passport Offices of Charsadda	06-09-2016
11.	The National Assembly strongly condemns the hanging to Senior Leader of Jamat-e-Islami Meer Qasim Ali by the Government of Bangladesh	07-09-2016
12.	Government should take steps to abolish interest on House Building Advance	27-09-2016
13.	The National Assembly condemns the Indian claim in United Nations General Assembly about Jammu and Kashmir being integral part of India	27-09-2016
14.	The Government should take steps for early construction of Diamer-Bhasha Dam	04-10-2016
15.	The Government should take steps to rename Swat Airport as "Maj. Gen. Sanaullah Khan Niazi Shaheed Airport	04-10-2016

16.	Government should take steps to stop forced conversions of minority women followed by forced marriages.	04-10-2016
17.	The Joint Session of the Parliament recognizes the legitimacy of the indigenous struggle of the Kashmiri people	07-10-2016
18.	The National Assembly expresses its deep concern over tragic incident at Indian unprovoked firing	18-11-2016
19.	Resolution to commemorate the birthday of the Prophet Muhammad (Peace be upon him)	22-11-2016
20.	Grant subsidy for low income persons on their first Hajj	22-11-2016
21.	People of Pakistan Strongly Denounce the Indian Escalation of the Situation at the Line of Control (LOC)	30-11-2016
22.	Deep Grief over the demise of Revolutionary Leader Fidel Castro	30-11-2016
23.	The House strongly condemns the terrorists attack at Islamic Cultural Centre, Quebec City, Canada	01-02-2017
24.	The National Assembly Reiterates its unwavering support for the Kashmiri people's right of self determination	06-02-2017
25.	The Govt. should take steps to simplify the procedure of payment of pension	07-03-2017
26.	The Govt. should take steps to improve the performance of PTV	07-03-2017
27.	The Govt. should take steps to discontinue 5% deduction from salaries as repair/maintenance for occupying govt. accommodation	07-03-2017
28.	The Govt. should take steps to control unemployment	07-03-2017
29.	The Govt. should take steps to construct gates and protection walls around Railway Tracks	07-03-2017
30.	The Govt. should take steps to undertake expansion/up-gradation of Sukker International Airport	07-03-2017
31.	The House acknowledges this day as the International Women Day	08-03-2017
32.	The Govt. should take steps to establish a Women University in Each District	14-03-2017
33.	The National Assembly adopts Resolution against Blasphemous contents on Social Media	14-03-2017
34.	The House unanimously condemns the murder of Mashal Khan	18-04-2017
35.	The House condemns the suicidal attack on Deputy Chairman Senate and JUI's General Secretary.	15-05-2017
36.	The National Assembly condemns the brutal murder of 14 Labourers in Baluchistan	16-05-2017
37.	The National Assembly of Pakistan expresses its deep concern over recent developments in relations involving brotherly Muslim States in Gulf region	08-06-2017
38.	The National Assembly of Pakistan strongly condemns terror attacks on the Parliament of Islamic Republic of Iran and mausoleum of Ayatollah Khomeini	08-06-2017

REPORTS/PAPERS LAID BEFORE THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY
FROM 01-07-2016 TO 30-06-2017

S. No	Subject	Laid on
1.	Third Quarterly Report for the year 2015-16 of the Central Board of State Bank of Pakistan on the State of Pakistan's Economy	15-08-2016
2.	Report of the Committee on FATA Reforms, 2016	09-09-2016
3.	Report of 1 st Biannual Monitoring on the Implementation of NFC Award (July-December 2015)	28-09-2016
4.	The report of the Federal Accounts for the financial year 2014-15 and reports of the Auditor General thereon for the Audit year 2015-16..	3-10-2016
5.	The Reports of the Public Accounts Committee on the accounts of the Federation for the years 1998-99, 2003-04, 2007-08 & 1996-97	21-11-2016
6.	Annual Report of the Board of the Directors of State Bank on the State of Pakistan's Economy for the year 2015-2016.	28-11-2016
7.	Report on 2 nd Biannual Monitoring on the Implementation of NFC Award (January –June 2016)	26-01-2017
8.	Civil Servants (Service in International Organizations) Rules, 2016 as required by Section 10-A (2) of Civil Servants Act, 1973	26-01-2017
9.	Benazir Income Support Programme (BISP) Progress Report 2014-2016 as required by section 17 of the BISP Act, 2010.	01-02-2017
10.	Annual report of the National Economic Council for the financial year 2014-15	01-02-2017
11.	Fiscal and Debt Policy Statements (2016-17)	03-02-2017
12.	First Quarterly Report for the year 2016-17 of State Bank of Pakistan.	03-02-2017
13.	Annual report of the Council of Common Interests (CCI) for the year 2015-2016	03-02-2017
14.	The second quarterly Report for the year 2016-2017 of the Board of Directors of State Bank of Pakistan on the State of the Pakistan's Economy.	12-04-2017

CALLING ATTENTION NOTICES RECEIVED
FROM 01-07-2016 TO 30-06-2017

1.	Calling Attention Notices received	355
2.	Calling Attention Notices taken up by the House	87

ADJOURNMENT MOTIONS RECEIVED
FROM 01-07-2016 TO 30-06-2017

1.	Adjournment Motions	131
2.	Adjournment Motions brought before the House	01

QUESTIONS OF PRIVILEGE MOTION RECEIVED
FROM 01-07-2016 TO 30-06-2017

1.	Privilege Motions received	70
2.	Privilege Motions brought before the House	00

QUESTIONS RECEIVED
FROM 01-07-2016 TO 30-06-2017

1.	Questions received (Starred and Un-Starred)	7802
2.	Questions answered	1825
3.	Questions admitted but not answered and lapsed.	1552
4.	Questions disallowed	247

**DETAIL OF SENATE SESSIONS HELD DURING
THE FINANCIAL YEAR, 2016-2017**

Sr. No.	SESSION NUMBER	DATE OF SUMMONING	DATE OF PROROGATION	TOTAL WORKING DAYS
1.	250 th Session	18-07-2016	29-07-2016	12 days
2.	251 st Session (Requisitioned)	05-08-2016	05-08-2016	01 day
3.	252 nd Session	05-09-2016	09-09-2016	05 day
4.	253 rd Session	26-09-2016	07-10-2016	09 days
5.	Joint Sitting	05-10-2016	07-10-2016	03 days
6.	254 th Session (Requisitioned)	04-11-2016	04-11-2016	01 day
7.	Joint Sitting	17-11-2016	17-11-2016	01 days
8.	255 th Session	18-11-2016	25-11-2016	08 day
9.	256 th Session (Requisitioned)	15-12-2016	16-12-2016	02 days
10.	257 th Session	19-12-2016	23-12-2016	05 days
11.	258 th Session	09-01-2017	20-01-2017	12 days
12.	259 th Session	13-02-2017	20-02-2017	08 days
13.	260 th Session	03-03-2017	10-03-2017	08 days
14.	260 th Session	13-03-2017	28-03-2017	11 days
15.	261 st Session	10-04-2017	21-04-2017	12 days
16.	262 nd Session (Requisitioned)	11-05-2017	15-05-2017	05 days
17.	263 rd Session	26-05-2017	09-06-2017	15 days
18.	Joint Sitting (Presidential Address)	01-06-2017	01-06-2017	01 day
Total working days				119 Days

GOVERNMENT BILLS/ORDINANCES INTRODUCED IN THE SENATE
DURING TH FINANCIAL YEAR, 2016-2017

<u>S.No.</u>	Short title of Bill	Date of Introduction in the Senate
1.	The National Accountability (Amendment) Ordinance, 2017 (Ordinance No. II of 2017).	10.01.2017
2.	The COMSATS University Islamabad Bill, 2017].	10.01.2017
3.	The National School of Public Policy (Amendment) Ordinance, 2017 (Ordinance No. I of 2017)	18.01.2017
4.	The Corporate Rehabilitation Bill, 2017.	19.01.2017
5.	The Right of Access to Information Bill, 2017	15.05.2017

**GOVERNMENT BILLS PASSED BY THE SENATE DURING THE
FINANCIAL YEAR, 2016-2017**

BILLS PASSED BY THE SENATE		
S.No.	Short Title	Date of Passage
1.	The Private Power and Infrastructure Board (Amendment) Bill, 2016	19-07-2016
2.	The Financial Institutions (Recovery of Finances) (Amendment) Bill, 2016	21-07-2016
3.	The Credit Bureaus (Amendment) Bill, 2016	21-07-2016
4.	The Securities and Exchange Commission of Pakistan (Amendment) Bill, 2016	21-07-2016
5.	The Islamabad Capital Territory Local Government (Amendment) Bill, 2016	21-07-2016
6.	The Prevention of Electronic Crimes Bill, 2016	29-07-2016
7.	The Criminal Law (Amendment) (Offences in the name or on the pretext of Honour) Bill, 2016	06-10-2016
8.	The Criminal Law (Amendment) (Offences Relating to Rape) Bill, 2016	06-10-2016
9.	The State Life Insurance Corporation (Re-organization and Conversion) Bill, 2016	07-10-2016
10.	The Special Economic Zones (Amendment) Bill, 2016	07-10-2016
11.	The Pakistan Engineering Council (Amendment) Bill, 2016	22-11-2016
12.	The Code of Civil Procedure (Amendment) Bill, 2016	22-11-2016
13.	The Central Law Officers (Amendment) Bill, 2016	22-11-2016
14.	The Islamabad High Court (Amendment) Bill, 2016	22-11-2016
15.	The Plant Breeders' Rights Bill, 2016	23-11-2016
16.	The Criminal Laws (Amendment) Bill, 2016	25-11-2016

17.	The Legal Practitioners and Bar Councils (Amendment) Bill, 2016	20-12-2016
18.	The Companies (Appointment of Legal Advisers) (Amendment) Bill, 2016	21-12-2016
19.	The National Command Authority (Amendment) Bill, 2016	22-12-2016
20.	The Benami Transactions (Prohibition) Bill, 2016 (Passed with Amendments and referred to N.A).	17-01-2017
21.	The Hindu Marriage Bill, 2017 (Passed with Amendment and referred to N.A)	17.02.2017
22.	The Pakistan Commissions of Inquiry Bill, 2016.	08.03.2017
23.	The Public Private Partnership Authority Bill, 2016.	09.03.2017
24.	The Pakistan Council for Science and Technology Bill, 2016.	09.03.2017
25.	The Pakistan National Accreditation Council Bill, 2016.	09.03.2017
26.	The Pakistan Climate Change Bill, 2017.	17.03.2017
27.	The Pakistan Army (Amendment) Bill, 2017.	22.03.2017
28.	The Constitution (Twenty-Third) (Amendment) Bill, 2017.	28.03.2017
29.	The National School of Public Policy (Amendment) Bill, 2017.	18.04.2017
30.	The Limited Liability Partnership Bill, 2017.	19.04.2017
31.	The Companies Bill, 2017 (Passed with Amendment and referred to N.A)	15.05.2017
32.	The Alternate Dispute Resolution Bill, 2017 (Passed with Amendment and referred to N.A)	15.05.2017
33.	The Costs of Litigation Bill, 2017	15.05.2017
34.	The National Commission on the Rights of the Child Bill, 2017. (Passed with Amendment and referred to N.A)	15.05.2017
35.	The Explosive Substances (Amendment) Bill, 2017	15.05.2017
36.	The Pakistan Air Force (Amendment) Bill, 2017	15.05.2017
37.	The Illegal Dispossession (Amendment) Bill, 2017	09.06.2017

**MONEY BILLS LAID IN THE SENATE FOR MAKING RECOMMENDATION UNDER
ARTICLE 73(I) OF THE CONSTITUTION.
FINANCIAL YEAR 2016 – 2017**

Sr. No	Title of Bill	Laid on	Recommendation presented on
1.	The Income Tax (Amendment) Bill, 2016	06.09.2016	26-09-2016
2.	The Tax Laws (Amendment) Bill, 2016	08.09.2016	26-09-2016
3.	The Rulers of Acceding States (Abolition of Privy Purses and Privileges) Bill, 2017	14.02.2017	20.02.2017
4.	The Finance Bill, 2017	26.05.2017	08-06-2017. (279 recommendations have been given by the Senate on the Budget 2017-18 of the National Assembly)

**PRIVATE MEMBERS' BILLS PASSED BY THE SENATE DURING THE
FINANCIAL YEAR, 2016-2017**

BILLS PASSED BY THE SENATE		
S.No.	Short Title	Date of Passage
1.	The Panama Papers Inquiries Bill, 2016 (Private Members Bill)	15-12-2016
2.	The Corporate Rehabilitation Bill, 2016 (Private Members Bill)	19-12-2016
3.	The Oil and Gas Regulatory Authority (Amendment) Bill, 2015. (Private Members Bill)	09.01.2017
4.	[The National Counter Terrorism Authority (Amendment) Bill, 2016. (Private Members Bill)	09.01.2017
5.	The Representation of the People (Amendment) Bill, 2016. (Private Members Bill)	09.01.2017
6.	The Federal Board of Intermediate and Secondary Education (Amendment) Bill, 2016. (Private Members Bill)	13-02-2017
7.	[The Prohibition of Corporal Punishment Bill, 2016 (Private Members Bill).	20.02.2017
8.	The Senate Secretariat Services Bill, 2017. (Private Members Bill)	10.03.2017
9.	The Pakistan Penal Code (Amendment) Bill, 2017. (Amendment of section 323) (Private Members Bill).	17.04.2017
10.	The Pakistan Penal Code (Amendment) Bill, 2017. (Amendment of sections 273, 274 and 275) (Private Members Bill).	17.04.2017

**ORDINANCE LAID FOR INFORMATION IN THE SENATE DURING
THE FINANCIAL YEAR, 2016-2017**

SR. NO.	ORDINANCE	LAID ON
1.	The Companies Ordinance, 2016. (Ordinance No. VI of 2016)	22.11.2016

CALLING ATTENTION NOTICES RECEIVED DURING THE YEAR 2016-2017

1.	Calling Attention Notices received	553
2.	Statement were made in the House	101

ADJOURNMENT MOTIONS RECEIVED DURING THE YEAR 2016-2017

1.	Adjournment Motion received	342
2.	Disposed of	50

PRIVILEGE MOTIONS RECEIVED DURING THE YEAR 2016-2017

1.	Privilege Motion received	20
2.	Disposed of	--
3.	Withdrawn	01
4.	Ruled out of order	--
5.	Under process	10
6.	Referred to Privilege Committee	09

QUESTIONS REPLIED IN THE SENATE DURING THE YEAR, 2016-2017

Sr. No.	Session Nos	Starred/Un-Starred Questions
1.	250 th Session	162
2.	251 st Session	106
3.	252 nd Session	--
4.	253 rd Session	88
5.	254 th Session	152

6.	255 th Session	---
7.	256 th Session	112
8.	257 th Session	---
9.	258 th Session	240
10.	259 th Session	118
11.	260 th Session	235
12.	261 st Session	208
13.	262 nd Session	---
14.	263 rd Session	---
Total		1421

RESOLUTIONS PASSED BY THE SENATE DURING THE FINANCIAL YEAR, 2016-2017			
Sr.No	Name of Mover	Subject	Date of Passage
1	Senator Raja Muhammad Zafar-ul- Haq, Leader of the House	<p>The Senate of Pakistan expresses deep sorrow on the sad demise of the national hero of humanity Abdul Sattar Edhi. It is a great loss, not only to the Pakistani nation but to the whole world and humanity. May Allah rest the departed soul in eternal peace and give courage to nation and his family members to bear this irreparable loss.</p> <p>Abaul Sattar Edhi was a prominent Pakistani philanthropist, social activist, ascetic and humanitarian. He was the founder and head of the Edhi Foundation in Pakistan and ran the organization for the better part of six decades.</p> <p>Abdul Sattar Edhi was born in 1928 in a small village of Bantva near Joona Garh, Gujrat (India). The seeds of compassion for the suffering humanity were sown in his soul by his mother's infirmity. When Edhi was at the tender age of eleven, his mother became paralyzed and later got mentally ill. Young Abdul Sattar Edhi devoted himself for looking after all her needs; cleaning, bathing, changing clothes and feeding.</p> <p>Even at this early age, he felt personally responsible for taking on the challenge of developing a system of services to reduce human miseries. The task was huge and he had no resources. But it was something that he had to do even if he had to walk to the streets, if he had to beg for this purpose.</p> <p>Edhi and his family migrated to Pakistan in 1947. In order to earn his living, Abdul Sattar Edhi initially started as a peddler, later became a commission agent selling cloth in the wholesale market in Karachi.</p> <p>Despite his enormous fame and the vast sums of money that passed through his hands, Edhi adhered to a very simple and modest life style. Although Mr. Edhi had a traditional Islamic background yet he had an open and progressive mind on a number of sensitive social issues. He strongly supported the notion of working women which can be reflected from the fact that out of 2000 paid workers of Edhi Foundation around 500 are women.</p> <p>This House pays tribute to Mr. Abdul Sattar Edhi</p>	18 th July, 2016

		<p>for his selfless services to the humanity particularly to the neglected and marginalized segments of society. He was a great legend, ambassador of humanity, a selfless soul who devoted his life for serving the humanity, sheltering orphans and serving helpless people. His countless services to humanity will be remembered forever.</p> <p>This House recommends that 8th July, the day on which Mr. Abdul Sattar Edhi left the world, may be observed as “Edhi Day”, to commemorate the services of Mr. Abdul Sattar Edhi and to encourage the youth to follow in his footsteps.</p>	
2.	Senator Saeed Ghani	<p>The Senate of Pakistan acknowledges the great contributions of Mr. Amjad Sabri Shaheed as a quawwal, artist and humanitarian. He has brought many Laurels and honours for Pakistan. His contributions have enriched the culture of this country. His death is a great loss, not just for his family but also for Pakistan and the entire Muslim world.</p> <p>Mr. Amjad Sabri was born on December 23, 1976 to a household which was famous for quawwali, the traditional form of music associated with the devotion to holy personalities in Islam. His father was Ghulam Fareed Sabri and he is the nephew of Maqbool Sabri. Together, Maqbool and Ghulam Fareed formed the duo of the Sabri brothers, who went on to garner national and international acclaim.</p> <p>Mr. Amjad Sabri presented the work of his father and uncle in a new light, which helped the younger generation connected to qawwali, something which had not happened earlier.</p> <p>Mr. Sabri’s death is a great loss to the world of Qawwali but his mesmerizing Kalams and Qawwalis will never let him die in the hearts of his fans.</p> <p>This House expresses its strong condemnation of the murder of Amjad Sabri and urges the Government of Sindh, the Federal Government and the law enforcement agencies to take immediate action to apprehend all the culprits involved in this heinous murder.</p>	18 th July, 2016

3.	Senator Col. (R) Syed Tahir Hussain Mashhadi	"This House recommends that the Government should take effective steps to promote religious harmony, unity and brotherhood in the country."	18 th July, 2016
4.	Senator Mohammad Azam Khan Swati	"The Senate places on record and demonstrate its solidarity with the democratic government and great people of Turkey. The Senate admires, congratulates and pays its tribute to the brave people of Turkey who displayed an uncommon courage by upholding democratic norms and defeated military coup and saved their country from anarchy and civil war. It was so moving to see common Turk took to street and world witnessed that human flesh stopped steel Tanks on just a single call of their leader, President Rajjap Tayyab Erdogan. We admire all opposition political parties for their historical and unprecedented resolve to protect democracy. We stand by our brotherly country in this very defining moment of their political history and pray for those who lost their lives for a just cause of defending the future of their country."	20 th July, 2016
5.	Senator Hafiz Hamdullah	The resolution says, Madina Munawara is a heart of Islam. It has the honour of second holy city of Islam which foundation was laid by the the Holy Prophet Hazrat Muhammad (Peace Be Upon Him). The anti-Islam elements badly hurt the whole Muslim Ummah through an act of terrorism in Madina. The attackers are the enemies of the whole Muslim Ummah and they have no religion and state. The resolution also demanded to devise a joint and effective strategy to eliminate menace of terroris.	21 st July, 2016
6.	Senator Raja Muhammad Zafar-ul- Haq, Leader of the House	The Senate of Pakistan, after having detailed discussions and deliberations on adjournment motions moved by Senators from all Parliamentary Parties on the unprecedented State terrorism, brutal killings, human rights violations and restrictions on freedom of expression including mass and social media restrictions in the Indian Held Kashmir (IHK), unanimously resolves, to express solidarity with the oppressed and struggling people of IHK in their latest popular, spontaneous, indigenous and widespread upsurge against the illegal and unjust occupation. The House takes note that since the pivotal martyrdom of Burhan Wani, and scores of innocent civilians, the unprecedented brutality of the Indian security forces in the Valley have resulted in an ongoing massacre leading to over	22 nd July, 2016

		<p>50 fatalities, 3500 injuries and nearly 150 persons blinded and critically maimed.</p> <p>Apart from the fifth generation of Kashmiris facing near genocidal policies of the State, with the highest soldier-civilian ratio in the world as over 700,000 troops and paramilitary remain as occupiers in a Valley with a population of 4 million, black laws reinforce the egregious human rights violations. Black laws like the Public Safety Act, the Jammu & Kashmir Armed Forces Special Powers Act and other punitive measures which should be immediately repealed since these are repugnant to fundamental rights and human dignity encoded in universal laws and civilised norms. The proliferation of mass graves and the blatant use of lethal and proscribed non-lethal weapons testify to this chilling reality.</p> <p>To cover up these excoriable crimes against humanity, the 'world's largest democracy', India, has resorted to the worst kind of censorship including print, electronic and social media blanket bans. This attempt to blackout voices of truth coming out from behind this 'Iron Curtain' of terror and shame has included intimidation and harassment of journalists, conscientious objectors and human rights defenders.</p> <p>The Senate, representing the sentiments of the entire Federation of Pakistan,- STRONGLY AND UNEQUIVOCALLY CONDEMNS these blatant violations of international and human rights laws, and URGES the international community, inter governmental and inter-parliamentary organizations, elected representatives and bodies, human rights organizations, civil society and media organizations working for freedom of expression to respond to this urgent call of conscience by implementing forthwith the United Nations resolutions on the inalienable right of self-determination of the people of Jammu and Kashmir.</p>	
7.	Senator Chaudhary Tanvir Khan	“This House recommends that the Government should take effective steps to control the increasing number of child beggars in Islamabad and to make arrangements for their proper education.”	25 th July, 2016

8.	Senator Col. (R) Syed Tahir Hussain Mashhadi	“This House recommends that the Government should take immediate steps to provide quality services to patients in all Federal Government hospitals.”	25 th July, 2016
9.	Senator Mohammad Azam Khan Swati	“This House recommends that the Government should prepare a National Safety Plan and National Transport Policy for National Highways and Motorways in the country to protect and facilitate commuters, improve traffic discipline and introduce compulsory short courses for motorists in traffic rules and road safety in order to minimize road accidents and casualties.”	25 th July, 2016
10.	Senator AitzazAhsan (Leader of the Opposition)	<p>"WHEREAS the long and arduous struggle of the people of Pakistan for federalism and bicameral parliament was reflected in the Constitution of Islamic Republic of Pakistan, 1973 and as a result, the Senate of Pakistan, on 6th August, 1973 came into existence as a House of the Federation, giving equal representation to the Federating Units;</p> <p>WHEREAS the drafters of the Constitution, 1973, considered it the most important introduction in the Constitution to provide for a truly and genuinely federal form or federal Constitution in the country notwithstanding the huge disparity in the population of various provinces;</p> <p>WHEREAS the Senate of Pakistan keeping in view the concept of unity through diversity provides for the blossoming of different cultures within the Federation, so as to synthesize it into one Pakistani culture thus playing an important role in promoting inter-provincial and federal-provincial harmony;</p> <p>WHEREAS the Senate of Pakistan commemorates its 44th Foundation Day;</p> <p>THEREFORE, the Senate of Pakistan, on this historic day and keeping in view the significance of evolving and safeguarding parliamentary traditions,-</p> <p>REITERATES its commitment to play its Constitutional role of defending and safeguarding the rights and interests of the Federation, Federating Units and citizens of Pakistan;</p> <p>PAYS TRIBUTE to,- the unsung heroes of democracy, political workers and common people of Pakistan who</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • sacrificed their lives and liberty to uphold the Constitution of Pakistan, 1973; our predecessors who worked hard to maintain the dignity and status of the Senate of Pakistan; 	5 th August, 2016

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • APPRECIATES the inclusion of Members of Senate in the Public Accounts Committee (PAC), a step forward in strengthening the democracy and participatory federalism which had become the constitutional requirement after the Constitution (18th Amendment) Act, 2010; RESOLVES to continue its struggle for,- Enhancement of the role and powers of the Senate in order to make Pakistan a true federation as envisaged by the Constitution, 1973; Protection and representation of interests and rights of the,- Federating units and the people of Pakistan; • Marginalized segments of Society; and • Ethnic minorities • Transmitting fruits of democracy to the people of Pakistan; <p>Undertaking legislation that translates policies for the welfare and betterment of the Federation, the Federating Units and its citizenry;</p> <p>Ensuring that devolution of subjects and powers takes place within the constitutional parameters and Safeguarding the interest of the country in the wake of emerging regional and global realities.”</p>	
11.	Senators Raja Muhammad Zafarul-Haq, Leader of the House	<p>"The Senate of Pakistan strongly condemns the cruel and barbaric act of terrorism in Quetta on 8 th August, 2016 and expresses deep sorrow over the killing of more than 60 lawyers including the son of Senator Dr. Jehanzeb Jamaldini and other innocent people in the gruesome incident.</p> <p>The terrorists again perpetuated other cowardly attacks on the District Courts and lawyers in Mardan and the Christian Community in Peshawar.</p> <p>The Senate of Pakistan expresses its deep sorrow and grief over the sad incidents and shows solidarity with the families of the victims and prays for the early recovery of the injured.</p> <p>The House expresses heart felt grief with Senator Dr. Jehanzeb Jamaldini and his family on loss of his son in the incident.</p> <p>The Senate of Pakistan stands side by side with the lawyers' community, civil society, law enforcement agencies and journalists on this occasion of grief and loss sustained by them and shows solidarity and full support to defeat the terrorist elements in achieving their illicit objectives and calls upon the Federal Government and the Governments of Balochistan and Khyber Pakhtunkhwa as well as the law</p>	5 th September, 2016

		<p>enforcement agencies to deal with such elements with iron hands.</p> <p>The Senate of Pakistan resolves that such cruel / cowardly incidents of terrorism cannot shake the determination and commitment of this nation against the terrorism.</p> <p>May Allah bestows His infinite mercy upon the departed souls and give courage to the families to bear such an irreparable loss."</p>	
12.	Senators Raja Muhammad Zafarul-Haq, Leader of the House	<p>"The Senate of Pakistan salutes the martyrs and heroes of the valiant Pakistan Armed Forces who defended the motherland with characteristic courage, sacrifices and determination on the occasion of the Defence Day of Pakistan Day. 51 years ago when our cowardly neighbor launched a war of aggression against Pakistan by crossing the international border at Lahore on September 6, 1965, the entire nation was united to combat and defeat the aggressor. The kind of morale and unity that was demonstrated during that period was unprecedented, it showed the spirit of resilience and resistance of the Pakistani nation, with the people of Pakistan at their back, foiling the nefarious designs of the enemy.</p> <p>The biggest lesson as we mark the Defence of Pakistan Day is that a nation united can never be defeated. Let it not be forgotten that the Kashmir dispute was the catalyst for the 1965 war, and then, as today the people of Jammu and Kashmir have not only rejected the Indian occupation but are resisting Indian atrocities with all spirit that an unarmed people can muster, namely, the realization that Right is Might.</p> <p>The Senate of Pakistan reaffirms its resolve to continue supporting our valiant Armed Forces for their sacrifices to eliminate terrorism from Pakistan so that there is an abiding peace, security and stability in our region as the core cause of conflict and instability will be removed and the country attains economic self sufficiency."</p>	6 th September, 2016
13.	Senator SaeedulHassainMandokhail	<p>"This House strongly condemns the remarks made by Altaf Hussain regarding Pakistan, chanting slogans against Pakistan and instigating his party workers to attack on media houses in Karachi on 22nd August, 2016.</p> <p>This House calls upon the Government to take strict action against him and others for violating the law of the land, attacking media houses and creating law and order situation in the country."</p>	26 th September, 2016

14.	Senator Cl. (R) Syed Tahir Hussain Mashhadi	"This House recommends that the Government should take necessary steps to do away with all the unauthorized slums in Islamabad and construct low cost housing units for the residents of the same."	26 th September, 2016
15.	Senator Mian Muhammad Ateeq Shaikh	"This House recommends that the Government should take immediate steps to stop brain drain from the country."	26 th September, 2016
16.	Senator Raja Muhammad Zafar-ul-Haq, Leader of the House	"The Senate of Pakistan, meeting at time when there is an on-going popular, spontaneous, and widespread uprising of the oppressed people of Jammu and Kashmir; Expresses its strong solidarity with the Kashmir people for valiantly resisting the brute repression of the Indian occupation forces and acknowledges that they are writing a glorious chapter in the annals of historical freedom movements through their determination, will and spirit of sacrifice; Strongly condemns the India's use of bullets and pellets which are killing, maiming and wounding a whole new generation of unarmed boys and girls, which is a crime against humanity; Reiterates that the only way out is to grant the people of Jammu and Kashmir their inalienable right of self-determination in accordance with the relevant United Nations" Resolutions, to which India and Pakistan are signatory; Urges the international community to immediately take notice of the grave human rights violations in the occupied Jammu and Kashmir to prevent India to desist from war hysteria to distract attention from India's crimes against humanity in Jammu and Kashmir; Urges the United Nations to hold independent inquiry into the „Uri incident" to take it to its logical conclusion; Resolves that if the Indian government dares to embark on any military adventure against Pakistan, the people, the Government and the armed Forces of Pakistan will stand united as one to face and defeat any form of aggression with all the might of their command."	26 th September, 2016
17.	Senator ChaudharTanvir Khan	"This House felicitates Pakistan Cricket team on the achievement of number one position in Test Cricket Rankings."	3 rd October, 2016
18.	Senator Mian Muhammad Ateeq Shaikh	"This House recommends that the Government should give incentives to local car manufactures in order to boost up production of low priced vehicles in the country."	3 rd October, 2016
19.	Senator SassuiPalijo	"This House recommends that a 250 KM highway be constructed along the coast from Sircreek to	3 rd October,

		Karachi to serve as a wall against sea intrusion.”	2016
20.	Senator AitzazAhsan	“The Senate of Pakistan strongly condemns the cruel and barbaric attack on Police Training College in Quetta on 24th October, 2016 and expresses deep sorrow and grief over the killing of more than 60 persons in that attack. The Senate of Pakistan shows solidarity with the families of the victims and prays for early recovery of the persons injured in that attack. The Senate of Pakistan reiterates its commitment to stand side by side with the peace loving people of Pakistan and law enforcing agencies and show solidarity and full support to them in defeating the terrorist elements in and elimination of terrorism from the country. The Senate of Pakistan also condemns in strongest way the involvement and sponsoring of terrorism in Pakistan, especially in Balochistan, by some foreign countries / agencies and calls upon the Government to deal with all types of terrorist elements in the country with iron hand. May Allah shower His infinite mercy upon the departed souls and give courage to their families to hear this irreparable loss.”	4 th November, 2016
21.	Senator Sehar Kamran	“This House recommends that the women should be given adequate representation in the Council of Islamic Ideology and the relevant law / rules should be amended for this purpose, if required.”	21 st November, 2016
22.	Senator SaminaAbid	“This House recommends that the Government should include the subject of Climate Change in the curriculum for class One to Matric in all Government Educational Institutions in Islamabad.”	21 st November, 2016
23.	Mohammad Azam Khan Swati	“This House recommends that the Government should bring changes in National Accountability laws to discover moveable and immoveable Benami properties / companies and announce a handsome reward or percentage of amount for those who identify and inform the NAB about detail of such properties / companies, keeping the name of informer confidential.”	21 st November, 2016
24.	Mohammad Usman Khan Kakar	“This House recommends that agricultural loans presently outstanding against the farmers in Balochistan be waived off in view of the deteriorating condition of agricultural sector due to law and order situation, low water level and excessive load shedding in that province.”	21 st November, 2016
25.	Senator Raja Muhammad Zafar-ulHaq,	“This House strongly condemns the launching of a ballistic missile towards Makkah-al-Mukarma region on Thursday, 27th October, 2016 which	22 nd November, 2016

	Leader of the House.	fortunately was intercepted by air defence forces of the Kingdom and destroyed. This House calls upon the OIC and United Nations Security Council to take serious notice of flouting of the in-viability of holy places which amounts to encroaching upon religious sanctities of over one billion Muslims throughout the world as stipulated in international conventions. Representing the sentiments of the people of Pakistan and the Muslim world as a whole, This House strongly condemns such action which amount to hurting the sentiments and feelings of the Muslims. The House urges the Government of Pakistan to reassure its full support to the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia towards the protection of the sanctity of the holy places which ties together the Muslims throughout the world.”	
26.	Senator Saleem H. Mandviwala	“This House congratulates and appreciates the efforts of Senator Mohammad Ishaq Dar, Federal Minister for supporting the Parliament and Parliamentarians and to meet their genuine needs and demands.”	25 th November, 2016
27.	Senator Osman Saifullah Khan	"This House recommends that the Government should take necessary steps to withdraw high denomination Rs. 5000 notes from circulation in order to reduce illicit money flow, encourage the use of bank accounts and reduce the size of undocumented economy.”.	19 th December, 2016
28.	Senator Kalsoom Perveen	"This House recommends that the Government should augment the efforts of the Provincial Government of Balochistan to rehabilitate the affecttees of earthquake hit areas in the province.”.	19 th December, 2016
29.	Senator Mohammad Azam Khan Swati	"This House recommends to the Government to make necessary amendments in the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan, 1973, to empower the Senate of Pakistan to pass the Money Bill, including the Finance Bill.”.	19 th December, 2016
30.	Senator Mohammad Talha Mahmood	“This House recommends that evening and night shifts may be started in the dispensaries in the rural areas of Islamabad in order to make the medical facility available round the clock to the people living in those areas.”	16 th January, 2017
31.	Senator Sehar Kamran	“This House strongly condemns the statement of the Indian Prime Minister, Narendra Modi attributing terrorism to Pakistan and drawing a parallel between India and Israel evoking a parallel between Kashmir and Palestine, during the recently held BRICS Summit held in Goa, India. The House appreciates the reaction of	16 th January, 2017

		International Community to this baseless propaganda by the Indian Prime Minister. The House believes that the statement made by the Indian Premier was an effort to divert the attention of the International Community from the Indian atrocities against the people of Indian occupied Kashmir. The House reiterates that there will be no compromise on the sovereignty and defence of Pakistan and our resolve to fight against terrorism and contribute towards bringing peace and harmony in the world.”	
32.	Senator Chaudhary Tanvir Khan	“This House recommends that the Government should launch a scheme for provision of interest free loans to farmers for installation of solar tube wells in the country.”	16 th January, 2017
33.	Senator Mohammad Azam Khan Swati	“This House recommends that the Government should appoint a Foreign Minister on priority basis.”	13 th February, 2017
34.	Senator Karim Ahmed Khawaja	“This House recommends that the Government should take appropriate steps to achieve the targets of Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).”	13 th February, 2017
35.	Senator Col. (R) Syed Tahir Hussain Mashhadi	“This House recommends that separate counters should be established for women in all regional passport offices in the country	13 th February, 2017
36.	Senator Mohammad Azam Khan Swati	“This House recommends that the Government should take necessary steps for operating PIA flights between Peshawar and Lahore and to change the present timing of PIA flights from Karachi to Peshawar.	13 th February, 2017
37.	Senator Raja Muhammad Zafar-ulHaq, Leader of the House	Enhancement of Role and Powers of Senate of Pakistan—to protect the rights of the federating units and provide a meaningful participation to the Provinces and other territories in the affairs of the Federation	13 th February, 2017
38.	Senator Syed Shibli Faraz	“This House expresses its profound grief and sorrow over the sad demise of famous Pakistani Novelist, Playwright and Short Story Writer Bano Qudsia, who was also known as Bano Appa. Bano Qudsia was born on 28th November, 1928 in Ferozepur in the British India. Her family migrated to Lahore after the partition of India. She began writing, short stories at a very early age while studying in class five. She graduated from Kinnaird College Lahore and then joined the Government College Lahore to do her Masters in Urdu Literature which she completed in 1951. Bano Qudsia was married to the famous writer	13 th February, 2017

		<p>Ashfaq Ahmed and together they set up home that was an exemplary Pakistani home where each and every one was welcomed with the open heart. Late Bano Qudsia's novel "Raja Gidh" is considered as modern Urdu classic. Among her more prominent writings are "Aatish-e-Zer Pa, Aik Din, Amarbail, AasayPaasay, ChaharChaman, Chhota Shehar" etc. Her most famous plays include "Tamseel, Hawake Naam, Khaleej". In her literary work as well as in her life, one can find deep spirituality and close connection to the Creator. She was a legend in her lifetime. Among the many distinguished awards that were given to her, are included the Sitar-e-Imtiaz given by the Government of Pakistan. In 2010, she was also awarded "Hilal-elmtiaz" by the Government of Pakistan for her services in literature. In 2012, she was awarded "Kamal-e-Fun" a lifetime achievement award for the year, 2010 by the Pakistan Academy of Letters. In 2016, the Government College University, Old Ravens Union at its Annual Union, conferred on her a lifetime achievement award. The same year, the Pakistan Life Care Foundation also forwarded the lifetime achievement award to Bano Qudsia. Bano Qudsia died on 4th February, 2017 at the age of 88 but she will continue to live forever in her literary work. While sharing the loss sustained by her family members and the nation, this House expresses its heartfelt sympathies with the bereaved family. We pray to Almighty Allah to shower his infinite blessings upon her and may her soul rest in eternal peace (Ameen).</p>	
39.	<p>Senator Raja Muhammad Zafar-ul-Haq, Leader of the House</p>	<p>This House expresses its profound grief and sorrow over the sad demise of former Education Minister for Sindh, Dr. Hamida Khuhro, the historian, politician, professor and writer. Khuhro was twice served as 6 Provincial Minister for Education. She was the daughter of Mohammad Ayub Khuhro, who served as Chief Minister of Sindh before and after creation of Pakistan. She secured her Ph.D in South Asian History from the University of London and taught at Oxford University before she joined Sindh University Jamshoro as a Professor. Being a prolific writer, she penned many books such as "Sindh through the Centuries", "Mohammad Ayub Khuhro, a life of courage in politics", "the Making of Modern Sindh" and "British Policy and Social Change in the 19th century". She also co-authored "Karachi</p>	<p>13th February, 2017</p>

		Mega-City of all times” with Anwar Murad. Her matchless contributions to history, education and literature will always be remembered. While sharing the loss sustained by her family members and the nation, this House expresses its heartfelt sympathies with the bereaved family. We pray to Almighty Allah to shower His infinite blessings upon the departed soul. A copy of this resolution may be sent to the bereaved family.	
40.	Senator Mohammad Azam Khan Swati	“This House recommends that quota reserved for the provinces of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa and Balochistan in appointments in Governments departments be implemented through a Constitutional amendment.”	13 th February, 2017
41.	Senator KalsoomPerve en	“This House recommends that compensation package announced by the Government for heirs of martyrs of terrorist attacks in Civil Hospital and Police Training Center, Quetta should be paid to them immediately.”	20 th February, 2017
42.	ChaudharyTan vir Khan	“This House recommends that the Government should take immediate steps for establishment of a Federal Food Authority to control sale of substandard food items in Islamabad.	20 th February, 2017
43.	Mohammad Azam Khan Swati	“This House strongly condemns the recent terrorist attack on a mosque in Quebec, Canada in which six persons were killed and seventeen got injured.”	6 th March, 2017
44.	Maulana Hafiz Hamdullah	“This House strongly condemns the recent terrorist attack on mosques in USA and Canada which are sheer violation of International Human Rights Charter. The House urges upon the Government of USA and Canada to take steps for protection of religious freedom of Muslims. The House demands of the Government of Pakistan to raise this issue on all international forums including UNO and OIC to stop such incidents against Muslims.”	6 th March, 2017
45.	Sehar Kamran	“This House recommends that the Government should take necessary steps to register minors in domestic employment, if any, and the street children in Islamabad Capital Territory (ICT) and to protect their fundamental rights as guaranteed in the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan. The House also recommends that the Government should take effective steps for welfare and protection of deprived children in ICT and to provide them education and basic necessities of life to make them useful citizens. The House urges upon the Government to strictly implement the laws regarding child labour, child	6 th March, 2017

		protection and child abuse in ICT and award severe punishment to those found violating the same.”	
46.	Abdul Rehman Malik	“This House shows its concern on the phrase “Islamic Terrorism” being used by the US President, Mr. Donald Trump. The House urges upon the Government to convey to the US ambassador the concerns of the people of Pakistan in this regard and request the President through him to stop using the said phrase.”	6 th March, 2017
47.	Senator Raja Muhammad Zafar-ul-Haq, Leader of the House	On the occasion of International Women’s Day “This House acknowledges the contributions of Pakistani women from every walk of life – our homemakers, farmers, domestic helpers, labours, filmmakers, educationists, artists, doctors, writers, poets, media persons, legislators and pay tribute to their relentless efforts of Pakistani women for the development and progress of the country, and salute their struggle for standing against dictators for the democratic rights of the people of Pakistan. The House reaffirms its commitment to protect the constitutional rights of women and ensure to promote their safety and welfare.”	8 th March. 2017
48.	Senator Kamil Ali Agha	Resolution against ‘blasphemous’ content on social media.	10 th March, 2017
49.	Senator Sehar Kamran	“This House recommends that the Waseela-e-Haq and Waseela-e-Rozgar schemes lauched under the Benazir Income Support Programme during the previous Government which have been discontinued by the present Government may be revived forthwith.”	13 th March, 2017
50.	Senator Muhammad TalhaMahmood	"This House recommends that the Government should take necessary steps to regulate the working hours, fees and other charges of private hospitals and clinics in Islamabad."	20 th March, 2017
51.	Senator ChaudharyTanvir Khan	"The House pays tribute to the Pakistan Navy on successfully conducting the biggest International Naval Peace Exercise in Pakistan in collaboration with 37 countries."	20 th March, 2017
52.	Senator ChaudharyTanvir Khan	“This House recommends that the Government should take effective steps for promotion of wind energy in the country.”	10 th April, 2017
53.	Senator Karim Ahmed Khawaja	“This House recommends that the Government should take effective steps to implement the provision of clause (3) of Article 172 of the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan in letter and spirit.”	10 th April, 2017
54.	Senator Mohsin Aziz	“This House recommends that the Government should appoint a Minister for the Ministry of	10 th April,

		Textile Industry in order to promote the growth of textile exports and sustainability of the textile sector.”	2017
55.	Senator Mohsin Aziz	“This House recommends that the Government should take effective steps to promote the celebration of traditional Islamic religious festivals and days of religious significance in the schools and educational institutions to mark the religious out look of our society.”	17 th April, 2017
56.	Senator SirajulHaq	“This House recommends that the Government should take effective steps to control the indecent and vulgar material on electronic and print media and on web.”	17 th April, 2017
57.	Senator Muhammad Talha Mahmood	“The Senate of Pakistan strongly condemns the cruel and barbaric attack on the convoy of Deputy Chairman Senate, Senator Molana Abdul Ghafoor Haideri, at Mastung on the 12th May, 2017, and expresses deep sorrow and grief over the killing of more than 25 persons in the attack. The Senate of Pakistan expresses its deep sorrow and grief over the sad incident and shows solidarity with the families of the victims and prays for the early recovery of the Deputy Chairman Senate and other injured. The Senate of Pakistan resolves that such cruel / cowardly incidents of terrorism cannot shake the determination and commitment of this nation against the terrorism. May Allah bestows His infinite mercy upon the departed souls and give courage to the families to bear such an irreparable loss.”	15 th May, 2017
58.	Senator TajHaider	“The Senate of Pakistan strongly condemns the brutal murder of ten construction workers in Gwadar on 13th May, 2017 and four laborers working on a development project in Kharan District of Balochistan Province on 5th April, 2017 and expresses deep sorrow and grief over the killing of innocent lives who were the bread earners of their families. The Senate of Pakistan deplores the barbaric incident; shows solidarity with the families of the victims and resolves that such cowardly incidents cannot shake the determination and commitment of this nation against terrorism. May Allah bestows His infinite mercy upon the departed souls and give courage to the families to bear such an irreparable loss.”	15 th May, 2017
59.	Raja Muhammad Zafar-ul-Haq, Leader of the House	“This House expresses its profound grief and sorrow over the sad demise of Mr. Iftikhar Muhammad Mughal, Director Staff (BS-19), Senate Secretariat, who embraced martyrdom in a suicide bombing on the convoy of Deputy	15 th May, 2017

		<p>Chairman Senate in Mastung, Balochistan on 12th May, 2017, Senate of Pakistan and its Secretariat express heartfelt grief over the loss of an officer and colleague who has become a direct victim of the terrorism which has claimed so many precious lives of innocent Pakistanis. Late Mr. Iftikhar Muhammad Mughal, before joining the Senate Secretariat worked in the Social Welfare and Special Education Division, Islamabad. He rendered exemplary official services during his career in the Senate Secretariat, which is spread over a period of almost twenty years. His superiors and colleagues remember him as a humble, cooperative and competent officer. The services rendered by Late Iftikhar Muhammad (Mughal) would be long remembered and his loss will be deeply mourned. We all share the loss sustained by his family and friends. This House expresses its deepest sympathies with the bereaved family. We pray to Almighty Allah to shower His infinite blessings upon the departed soul and may his soul rest in eternal peace (Ameen).”</p>	
60.	Senator Karim Ahmed Khawaja	<p>“The Senate of Pakistan strongly condemns the acts of terrorism committed in our brotherly neighbor, Iran, attacking the Parliament in Tehran and Mausoleum of Imam Khomeini. These are crimes against humanity and expose the gravity of the threat of terrorism to Iran and the neighborhood we live in. The people of Pakistan express solidarity with the people and Parliament of Iran. We are united in the cause against terrorism in any part of the world but more so in the region.”</p>	8 th June, 2017

PAPERS AND REPORTS LAID BEFORE THE SENATE DURING THE <u>FINANCIAL YEAR, 2016-2017</u>		
S.No.	Short Title	Laid on
1.	The Third Quarterly Report for the year 2015-2016 of the Central Board of Directors of the State Bank of Pakistan on the state of the Economy.	20-07-2016 (250 th Session)
2.	1 st Biannual Monitoring on the Implementation of National Finance Commission (NFC) Award for the period July-December, 2015.	08-09-2016 (252 nd Session)
3.	The Federal Accounts for the Financial year 2013-2014 and the reports of Auditor General thereon for the Audit year 2014-2015.	09-09-2016 (253 rd Session)
4.	The Federal Accounts for the Financial year 2014-2015 and the reports of Auditor General thereon for the Audit year 2015-2016.	04-10-2016 (253 rd Session)
5.	The Annual Report for the year 2015-2016 of the Central Board of Directors of the State Bank of Pakistan on the state of the Economy.	24-11-2016 (255 th Session)
6.	2 nd Biannual Monitoring on the Implementation of National Finance Commission (NFC) Award for the period January-June, 2016.	21-12-2016 (257 th Session)
7.	Annual Report of the National Economic Council for the Financial Year 2014-15.	11-01-2017 (258 th Session)
8.	First Quarterly Report for the year 2016-2017 of the Central Board of Directors of the State Bank of Pakistan on the state of the Economy.	13-01-2017 (258 th Session)
9.	The Progress Report of Benazir Income Support Programme (BISP) for the period 2014-2016.	13-01-2017 (258 th Session)
10.	The Civil Servants (Service in International Organizations) Rules, 2016.	18-01-2017 (258 th Session)
11.	Annual Report of the Council of Common Interests (CCI) for the Financial Year 2015-2016.	14-02-2017 (259 th Session)
12.	Second Quarterly Report for the year 2016-2017 of the Central Board of Directors of the State Bank of Pakistan on the state of the Economy.	11-04-2017 (261 st Session)

**DURING THE PERIOD FOR 1ST JULY, 2016 TO 30TH JUNE, 2017 FOLLOWING
PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARIES WERE IN POSITION**

S.NO.	NAME	MINISTRY/DIVISION	DATE OF APPOINTMENT
1.	Rana Muhammad Afzal Khan, MNA, NA-82	Finance, Revenue, Economic Affairs, Statistics & Privatization	02.12.2013
2.	Mr. Alam Dad Laleka , NA-189	Communications	11.12.2013
3.	Raja Muhammad Javed Ikhlas, NA-51	Cabinet Secretariat	11.12.2013
4.	Ch. Jaffar Iqbal, NA-106	Defence	11.12.2013
5.	Syed Sajid Mehdi, NA-168	Housing & Works	11.12.2013
6.	Rao Muhammad Ajmal Khan, NA-146	Industries & Production	11.12.2013
7.	Mr. Muhammad Tallal Ch. NA- 76	Science and Technology	11.12.2013
8.	Mr. Mohsin Shah Nawaz Ranjah, NA-65	Information, Broadcasting & National Heritage	11.12.2013
9.	Ch. Hamid Hameed, NA-66	Kashmir Affairs & Gilgit-Baltistan	11.12.2013
10.	Mr. Rajab Ali Khan Baloch, NA- 78	National Food Security & Research	11.12.2013
11.	Shahzadi Umerzadi, RS(W)	Petroleum & Natural Resources	11.12.2013
12.	Mian Imtiaz Ahmad, NA-196	Ports & Shipping	11.12.2013
13.	Syed Muhammad Ashiq Hussain Shah, NA-145	Railways	11.12.2013

14.	Mr. Sarzameen , MNA (NA-23)	Textile Industry	06.06.2014
15.	Dr. Darshan, MNA (Reserved Seat)	National Health Services, Regulations and Coordination	06.06.2014
16.	Mr. Khalil George, MNA (Reserved Seat)	Religious Affairs and Inter-faith Harmony	12.06.2014
17.	Mrs. Shaheen Shafiq, MNA (Reserved Seat)	States & Frontier Regions	02.07.2014
18.	Sardar Muhammad Shafqat Hayat Khan, MNA (NA-68)	Overseas Pakistanis and Human Resource Development	05.06.2015
19.	Mr. Muhammad Nazir Khan, MNA (NA-40)	Federal Education and Professional Training	22.03.2016
20.	Mr. AzharQayyumNahra, MNA, NA-100	Water & Power	03-05-2016
21.	MianNajeebUddinAwaisi, MNA, NA-184	Commerce	03-05-2016
22.	Dr. Muhammad Afzal Khan Dhandla, MNA (NA-74)	Interior & Narcotics Control	02.12.2016
23.	Ms. MaizaHameed, MNA (Reserved Seat)	Capital Administration and Development Division	22.12.2016
24.	Syed Muhammad Saqlain Shah Bukhari, MNA (NA-182)	Ministry of Inter Provincial Coordination	11.01.2017
25.	Mr.Ibadullah, MNA (NA-31)	Planning and Development	11.01.2017

**GRANT OF AD-HOC RELIEF ALLOWANCE TO THE MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT
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GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN
MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS

NOTIFICATION

Islamabad the 23rd August, 2016

No. F.17 (1)/2015-PA (Senate), - In pursuance of Section 14B read with section 14C of the Members of Parliament (Salaries and Allowances) Act, 1974 (Act No. XXVII of 1974), the Federal Government is pleased to sanction the revision of pay/salary with effect from 1st July, 2016 for Members of Parliament, Parliamentary Secretaries and the Chairmen Standing Committees as under:-.

Existing Pay/Salary	Revised Pay/Salary
Rs. 36,423/-	Rs. 44,631/-

2. Federal Government is also pleased to sanction an Ad-hoc Relief Allowance-2016 @ 10% of the above revised pay/salary to the Members of Parliament, Parliamentary Secretaries and the Chairmen Standing Committees with effect from 1st July, 2016. The Ad-hoc relief allowances 2013, Ad-hoc relief-2014 and Ad-hoc relief-2015 stand discontinued as per Finance Division's O.M. No. F.1(2)/Imp/2016-333, dated 1st July, 2016 and other provisions of the said Office Memorandum shall also apply, mutatis mutandis.

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Existing Pay/Salary	Revised Pay/Salary
Rs. 97,124/-	Rs. 119,008/-

2. Federal Government is also pleased to sanction an Ad-hoc Relief Allowance-2016 @ 10% of the above revised pay/salary of the Chairman and the Speaker with effect from 1st July, 2016. The Ad-hoc relief allowances 2013, Ad-hoc relief-2014 and Ad-hoc relief- 2015 stand discontinued as per Finance Division's O.M. No. F.1(2)/Imp/2016-333, dated 1st July, 2016 and other provisions of the said Office Memorandum shall also apply, mutatis mutandis.

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Existing Pay/Salary	Revised Pay/Salary
Rs. 89,841/-	Rs.110,085/-

2. Federal Government is also pleased to sanction an Ad-hoc Relief Allowance-2016 @ 10% of the above revised pay/salary of the Deputy Chairman and the Deputy Speaker with effect from 1st July, 2016. The Ad-hoc relief allowances 2013, Ad-hoc relief-2014 and Ad-hoc relief- 2015 stand discontinued as per Finance Division's O.M. No. F.1(2)/Imp/2016-333, dated 1st July, 2016 and other provisions of the said Office Memorandum shall also apply, mutatis mutandis.

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Existing Pay/Salary	Revised Pay (Inclusive of ARAs 2010 & 2016)
Salary Rs. 44,631/-, plus ARA 2010 & ARA 2016	Rs. 150,000/-

2. The Ad-hoc Relief Allowance (ARAs) 2010 and 2016 amounting to Rs.11,903/- and Rs.4,463/- per month respectively accordingly stand discontinued, since 1st October, 2016.

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Existing Pay/Salary	Revised Pay (Inclusive of ARAs 2010 & 2016)
Salary Rs. 119,008/-, plus ARA 2010 & ARA 2016	Rs. 205,000/-

2. The Ad-hoc Relief Allowance (ARAs) 2010 and 2016 amounting to Rs.31,750/- and Rs.11,901/-per month respectively accordingly stand discontinued, since 1st October, 2016.

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Existing Pay/Salary	Revised Pay (Inclusive of ARAs 2010 & 2016)
Salary Rs. 110,085/-, plus ARA 2010 & ARA 2016	Rs.185,000/-

2. The Ad-hoc Relief Allowance (ARAs) 2010 and 2016 amounting to Rs.29,360/- and Rs.11,009/- per month respectively accordingly stand discontinued, since 1st October, 2016.

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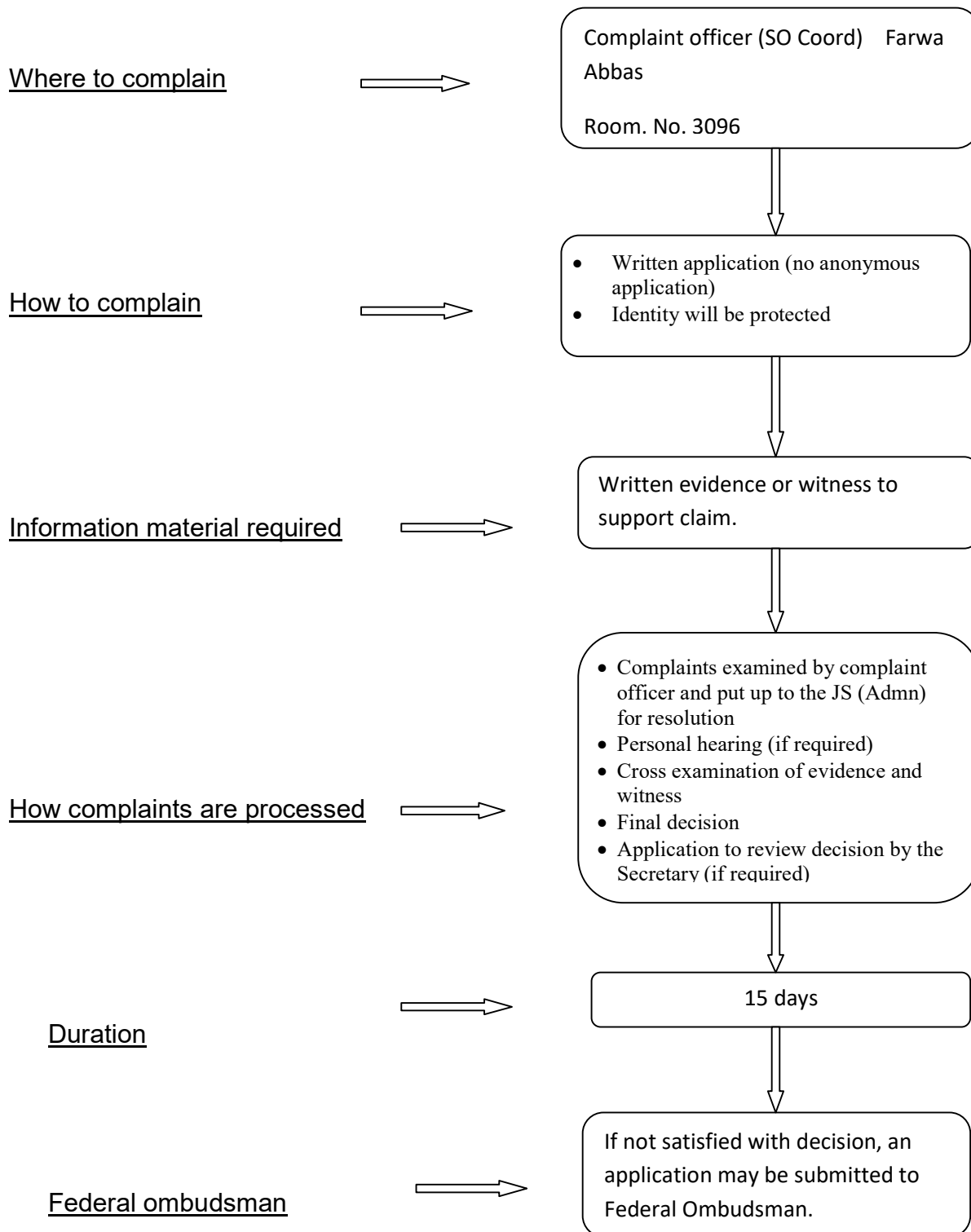
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STANDARD OPERATING PROCEDURES FOR LITIGATION

Litigation cases received in Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs pertain to service matters of officials. Sometimes private citizens wrongly initiate litigation to seek relief from Parliament through this Ministry, which is not relevant with the function and cope of this Ministry.

Standard Operating Procedure:

- i. When a notice of new case is received in Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs the same is marked to Coordination Section whereas, the case which relates to service matter is marked to Admin Section.
- ii. The file is marked to the relevant Section for preparing report comments.
- iii. Upon receipt of comments of concerned Section a report/parawise comments are referred to Law and Justice Division for vetting and nomination of Law office/counsel.
- iv. After clearance of file from the law and justice Division, the comments are filed in Court/Tribunal.
- v. When the case is set for hearing, representative of Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs briefs the concerned Law Officer/counsel and also attend the court at the time of hearing.
- vi. If the Court decides a case against the government the matter is examined in consultation with concerned Wing/Ministry/Department as well as Law and Justice Division and if it is decided to assail that decision before the appellate/review forum. Further action is taken accordingly.

Case processed in the Wing during Financial Year 2016-17

Province	Total Complaints Received	Disposed Off	Cases Under Process
Punjab	13168	6548	6620
Sindh	6656	4805	1851
KPK/FATA/PATA	3769	1332	2437
Balochistan	541	193	348
G.B/AJK/ICT	1738	450	1288
TOTAL	25872	13328	12544

**List of Medical Cases approved under Prime Minister's Programme
(Province Wise) As on 20-09-2017**

S. No.	Province/Area	No. of Patients	Amount sanctioned (in million)
1	Punjab	85	197.93
2	Sindh	94	283.20
3	KPK/FATA	116	253.71
4	ICT	28	65.22
5	Balochistan	9	27.06
6	AJK/GB	8	4.89
	Total	340	832.016