REPRESENTATION UNDER SECTION 21, 22 OF THE ELECTION ACT 2017 READ WITH RULE 12 OF HE ELECTION RULES 2017 AGAINST THE PROPOSED DELIMITATION OF NATIONAL ASSEMBLY CONSTITUENCY NA-170 (BAHAWALPUR CITY) DISTRICT BAHAWALPUR FOR THE REASONS BELOW.

Respectfully Sheweth:

- 1. That the petitioner is a registered voter of the proposed constituency of NA 170 of District Bahawalpur. The attested extract of voter list showing petitioner as voter is attached as Annexure "A".
- 2. That the proposed constituency of NA-170 consist of 7,62,111/voters. The adjacent constituency of NA.173 District
 Bahawalpur consist of 701223 votes.
- 3. That while delimiting constituencies of District Bahawalpur, areas of two union councils namely no.20 and 21 (Fatoowali and Rama) have been added to NA-170 detaching the same from NA-173. This new addition consist of 35,235 votes. The deducting of this area / votes from NA-173 and its addition to NA 170 is impracticable, against geographic, compactness,

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physical features, existing boundaries of administrative units, facilitates of communication, public convenience and wrong distribution of population,. It is evident that if the newly added areas of union councils 20 and 21 (Fatoowali and Rama) are dethatched from NA-170 and kept the part of the same constituency i.e, NA-173 it would result.

- a. just and fair division of population as NA-173 would be consisting of 7,36,458 votes whereas NA-170 would consist of 7,26,876 votes. This is a perfect and justified division of population.
- b. that the areas of union council 20 and 21 (Fatoowali and Rama) added to NA-170 have been part of constituency now numbered as NA-173, for last many decades. A sudden change in the constituency of a good chunk of people would cause public inconvenience.
- c. that most of the area NA-170 is urban having geographic compactness and uniform facilities of communication. Adding up the area / votes of union council No. 20 and 21 (Fatoowali and Rama) (rural in nature) would not represent a happy blending of the geographic and demographic features.

PROPOSAL.

That NA-170 and NA-173 may be reconstituted in the following manner:-

a. Area of U.C No. 20 and 21 (Fatoowali and Rama) be subtracted / deleted from NA-170 and be again added to NA-173 as has been the practice for last many decades.

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PRAYER

It is therefore humbly prayed that constituencies NA-170 and NA.173 may kindly be reconstituted by substarching areas of U.C. Nos. 20 and 21 (Fatoowali and Rama) from NA-170 and be added up with the constituency NA-173 by accepting this instant representation.

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