

To,

*The Secretary Election Commission,
Election Commission of Pakistan,
Sharah-e-Dastur G-5/2 Islamabad.*

*Subject: INCLINATION/OPINION REGARDING NEWLY CREATED
CONSTITUENCY NA-259*

R/Sir,

1. *That applicant is belonging from constituency of NA-259 and interested to participate in upcoming Election as candidate from the Constituency of NA-259 newly constituted by the Election Commission of Pakistan comprising of District Dera Bugti Cum Kohlu, Cum Barkhan, Cum Sibi (Lehri). It is worth to mention here that from present delimitation of NA-259 the voters of the Constituency except Tehsil Bhag are satisfied because delimitation has been made according to ground reality, as the inhabitants of the said constituency are belonging from Baloch Tribes having approximately equal financial and social status in short they are realistically, linguistically, racially and rationally equal. The most important aspect of the same is that the candidate who will participate in election having no pecuniary capabilities to purchase votes or to register/include fake voters like fake voters have been included in Constituency of District Duki which effect all the constituency. Further according to old delimitation of NA-263 (now NA-258), there was bigotry/racialism between Baloch and Pathan tribes as they avoid to cast votes except to their tribal*

candidate due to which large number of voters avoid to cast their votes and now due to inclusion of District Barkhan in NA-259 the impact bigotry is wipe out.

2 *That beside above the applicant agrees to the extent of delimitation of NA-259 as recently constituted by the Election Commission of Pakistan, but there is objection to the extent of Tehsil Bhag, as the inhabitant and voters of Tehsil Bhag are aggrieved, because Tehsil Bhag remained part of the NA-262. Regarding inclusion of Tehsil Bagh in NA-259 demonstration/protest has also been made which has duly appeared in daily newspaper Jung Quetta dated 16-03-2018 and 19-03-2018. Copies of newspaper clips and Map are attached. According to said protest the inhabitants claimed for remaining Tehsil Bhag in NA-262 and to be excluded from NA-259. The population of NA-262 is only 386255 whereas population of NA-259 is 950000. The same is also violation of policy and requirement of the Election Commission of Pakistan, because for National Assembly seat minimum population should be about 771546.*

While eliminating Tehsil Bhag from the constituency of NA-262 Kachi cum Jhal Magsi the most important aspect for constituting a Constituency has been ignored, because the required population is lacking, as mentioned above the population of NA-262 is 386255, therefore in such circumstances the Tehsil Bhag is required to be remained as

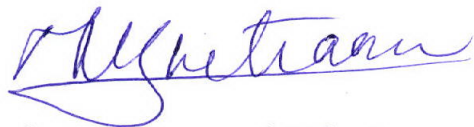
part of NA-262 on previous position. Further while including the Tehsil Bhag in NA-259 the Commission did not consider the distance from Barkhan to Tehsil Bagh which also 400 kilometers which will create problems and difficulties for the people of Tehsil Bhag. Moreover, the District Lehri was the part of District Kachi subsequently the same was attached/included in District Sibi through notification of provincial cabinet. Prior to the said delimitation of Election Commission of Pakistan Tehsil Leheri was part of NA-262. Further Tehsil Bagh which is part and parcel of District Kachi have no nexus or connection with NA-259, therefore keeping in view the problems of the voters of Tehsil Bhag, as said Tehsil remained part of PB Kachi-II, but due to decrease in population did not fulfill the requirement. In such circumstances the said Tehsil Bhag is required to remain in NA-262 Kachi cum Jhal Magsi. The one more aspect of present delimitation of NA-259 is said to be the historical attachment as the Barozai Sardars of Sibi collected revenue from lower Barkhan in olden time and the ancestors and inhabitants of District Barkhan and surroundings studied from Sibi, moreover the Shahi Jirga used to be held in Sibi and Sibi Darbar also took place in Sibi.

From all above it is concluded that applicant and people of District Barkhan agrees and happy with present delimitation of NA-259 Barkhan Kohlu/Dera Bugti/Sibi and have concern about the elimination of Tehsil Bagh and Tehsil

Lehri and inclusion of same in NA-262, however, keeping in view the population the same will be little bit of parity with both Constituency i.e. N.A 262 and NA-2549 by including Tehsis Lehri and Bhag in NA-262, as doing so there will be no need to again disburse or bifurcate the above said constituencies and requested your kind honour to remain intact the same.

It is humbly requested that applicant and voters are District Bakhran are thankful of Election Commission of Pakistan and appreciated/agree with present delimitation of NA-259, therefore, same is required to be intact with further request that Tehsi Bagh may kindly be executed from NA-259 Kachi Cum Jhal Magsi and may be included in NA-262 due to above said reasons.

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