BEFORE THE HONOURABLE SECRETARY, ELECTION COMMISSION OF PAKISTAN, ISLAMABAD

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REPRESENTATION UNDER SECTION 21 (3) OF ELECTION ACT, 2017, READ WITH RULE 12 OF ELECTION RULES, 2017, REGARDING ALTERATION/MODIFICATION IN THE PRELIMINARY DELIMITATION LIST OF CONSTITUENCY NA-268, BALOCHISTAN

Respectfully Sheweth:-

- 1. That the Honourable Election Commission of Pakistan has issued the preliminary delimitation of NA-268, which comprise of Districts i.e. Chaghi, Noshki, Kalat, Mastung and Shaheed Sikandarabad. Population of above referred constituency becomes 1083497, whereas the criteria fixed by the Honourable Election Commission of Pakistan is 771546, for NA Constituencies of Balochistan.
- 2. That the petitioner submits the following objections about the above said Constituency NA-268, Balochistan issued by the Honourable Election Commission of Pakistan:
 - i) There is difference of languages among the Districts included in the constituency. Barohi is

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spoken in Mastung, Kalat and Shaheed Sikandarabad. Whereas, Balochi is spoken in the native District of Chaghi and Noshki and in PB-33 (Quetta).

- ii) There is a lot of difference between the cultures of Districts Mastung, Kalat and Shaheed Sikandarabad inter-se Chaghi and Noshki. Chaghi is the native District of petitioner.
- iii) It is impossible for the petitioner being a candidate of NA-268/constituency in question to conduct Election campaign in such wide & scattered area and heavy scattered population of 1083497 proposed through' preliminary delimitation.
- iv) It is worth mentioning here that the area proposed through preliminary delimitation is consists of about 1100 KMs, hence, it would not be possible for any person to cover such vast area. The communication system of Districts Mastung, Kalat and Shaheed Sikandarabad is also on different routes and is difficult for a candidate to visit the areas for election campaign.
- v) That Quetta (present PB-33), Chaghi and Noshki are situated at same route, however, Mastung, Kalat and Shaheed Sikandarabad are totally different ways and routes.
- vi) The population of Quetta (PB-33), Chaghi and Noshki is 350000, 245000 and 185000, respectively, (Total 780000), which fulfils the population criteria of Election Commission of

- vii) That previously the petitioner was elected as MNA in the year 2008, from Quetta (presently PB-33), Chaghi and Noshki (present NA-268). And it is convenient for the petitioner to approach the people of the said constituency who are geographically, historically, culturally and by language are same with the petitioner.
- viii) That the petitioner seeks permission of this Honourable ECP to grant him personal hearing from the Honourable Chairman, ECP, if required and needed.

It is, therefore, respectfully prayed that by accepting the above said proposals of the petitioner, the necessary changes may be done, and Quetta (present PB-33), Chaghi and Noshki, according to the proposed sketch map being submitted with the instant representation, may graciously be declared as a single constituency (present NA-268) by excluding the Mastung, Kalat and Shaheed Sikandarabad, in the best and wider interest and welfare of the people of constituency.

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