

April 3, 2018

The Secretary
Election Commission of Pakistan
Islamabad

**Representation regarding proposed Delimitation
of NA-73 Sialkot II and NA-72 Sialkot I**

Dear Sir:

Petitioner no.1 is a registered voter of village Punn, Patwar Circle Uddo Fatah, Tehsil Pasrur, District Sialkot. Petitioner no.2 is a registered voter of village Khaire, Patwar Circle Bassu Pannun, Tehsil Pasrur, District Sialkot. Both these villages are included in the preliminary proposal for delimitation of constituency NA-73 Sialkot II. Petitioner no. 3 is a registered voter of village Pejoke, Patwar Circle Pejoke, Tehsil Pasrur, District Sialkot which is included in the preliminary proposal for delimitation of constituency NA-72 Sialkot I.

The petitioners have filed this representation against the said preliminary proposals, with the plea that **Patwar Circles Uddo Fatah and Bassu Pannun may be included in NA-72 Sialkot I instead of NA-73 Sialkot II, and in lieu thereof Patwar Circles Saukanwind, Miro Bhadyar and Bhureke may be transferred to NA-73 Sialkot II.** Grounds for the proposed adjustments are as follows:

- (1) Patwar Circle Uddo Fatah, Patwar Circle Bassu Pannun along with Patwar Circle Pejoke are part of Union Council Pejoke. Patwar Circle Pejoke is already included in the preliminary proposal for NA-72 Sialkot I. Obviously, it would be **administratively much more convenient** if the other two Patwar Circles of Union Council Pejoke, namely Uddo Fatah and Bassu Pannun, are also

included in the same constituency NA 72 Sialkot I. Similarly, Patwar Circle Miro Badyar and Patwar Circle Bhureke are part of Union Council Ghatalian. All other Patwar Circles of Union Council Ghatalian are in NA 73 Sialkot II. Obviously, it would be **administratively much more convenient** if Patwar Circles Miro Badyar and Bhureke of Union Ghatalian are also included in the same constituency NA 73 Sialkot II instead of NA 72 Sialkot I.

- (2) Perusal of the map of Tehsil Pasrur shows that constituency NA-72 Sialkot I will be more **geographically compact** if Patwar Circles Uddo Fatah and Bassu Pannun are included in it in lieu of Patwar Circles Saukanwind, Miro Bhadyar and Bhureke. The same is true of NA 73 Sialkot II;
- (3) **Physical features** of the area, including in particular the location of distributaries and roads, are such as would favour the inclusion of Patwar Circles Uddo Fatah and Bassu Pannun in NA-72 Sialkot I;
- (4) **Communication facilities**, e.g. Pasrur-Satrah road, which has recently been reconstructed, provide direct link of Union Councils Uddo Fatah and Bassu Pannun with Tehsil Headquarters Pasrur, a short distance away. It is therefore administratively much more convenient for residents of the villages in these two Union Councils to travel to Pasrur, which is the Tehsil headquarters of NA-72 Sialkot I, rather than to Daska, which is the Tehsil Headquarters of NA-73 Sialkot II.
- (5) According to the 2017 Census, population of Patwar Council Uddo Fatah is 7,859 and population of Patwar Circle Bassu Pannun is 7,728. It is proposed that these two Patwar Circles (total population 15,587) may be included in NA-72 Sialkot I instead of NA-73 Sialkot II, and in lieu thereof, three Patwar Circles located on the border of the two constituencies may be transferred from NA-72

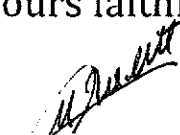
Sialkot I to NA-73 Sialkot II, namely Patwar Circle Saukanwind (pop. 10,054), Patwar Circle Miro Bhadyar (pop. 5,879) and Patwar Circle Bhureke (pop. 3,070), total population 19,003.

As a consequence of the above adjustments, the total population of NA-72 Sialkot I will be 774,596 [778,012 (preliminary proposals) plus 15,587 (Patwar Circles Uddo Fatah and Bassu Pannun) less 19,003 (Patwar Circles Saukanwind, Miro Bhadyar and Bhureke)]. The adjusted population of NA-73 Sialkot II will be 767,924. **The proposed adjustments are therefore fully in accordance with the population criterion for delimitation of constituencies.** Other constituencies of the District remain unaffected.

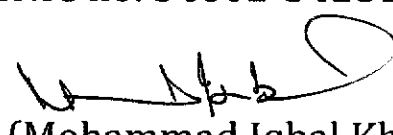
In view of the above-mentioned cogent grounds, it is respectfully requested that **Patwar Circles Uddo Fatah and Bassu Pannun may be transferred from NA-73 Sialkot II to NA-72 Sialkot I and in lieu thereof Patwar Circles Saukanwind, Miro Bhadyar and Bhureke may be transferred from NA-72 Sialkot I to NA-73 Sialkot II.**

Yours faithfully


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