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REPRESENTATION No._____/2018

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(PETITIONER)

REPRESENTATION UNDER SECTION 21(3) OF THE ELECTION ACT, 2017 READ WITH RULE 12 & 13 OF THE ELECTION RULES, 2017 FOR ALTERATION/MODIFICATION IN THE DELIMITATION OF CONSTITUENCY PP-213 MULTAN-III DISTRICT MULTAN

Respectfully Sheweth,

- That the undersigned is registered voter of PP 213 OF Multan District. The vote of the Petitioner is registered in the Electoral List of Zakariya Colony, Circle No.1 at serial No. 9. The certified copy of the voter list is annexed herewith as Annexure-A.
- 2) That according to the delimitation issued by the Honorable Election Commission of Pakistan, the area delimited for the purpose of PP-213 consists of following areas,
 - i. Multan Cantt. Of Multan Saddar Tehsil,
 - ii. Multan Cantt. Qanoongo of Multan City Tehsil excluding the following Patwar Circles:
 - A. DoranaLagana
 - B. Piranghaib
 - iii. The following Census Charges of Municipal Corporation Multan:
 - A. Charge No. 23
 - B. Charge No. 18
 - C. Charge No. 19

Of Multan District

[Copy of the Map of PP-213 issued by Pakistan Bureau of Statistics, Multan Municipal Corporation is attached as <u>Annexure-B</u>]

3) That the petitioner is aggrieved by the new delimitation and Seeks proposed delimitation in PP-213 and PP-212 of Multan District under following amongst the other.

GROUNDS

- a) That the new delimitation as published in preliminary report and preliminary list is against the provision of section 20 of the Election Act, 2017. Read with rule 10 and 12 of the election Rules 2017.
- b) That the Election Commission has delimited PP-213 in such a way that it has adjusted Union Councils No.37,38,40,41 and UC 62 unnecessary in PP-213 by adding few areas of PP-212(old PP-199)

in PP-213 (old PP-198) which were never been part of PP-213 ever before.

- c) That the population required for the relevant population census could be retained by bringing Minor changes in PP213.
- d) That charge 18 and 19 have been added and are made part of the constituency which were never been part of the same since the last delimitation done in 2002, even it was never been part of the former Provincial constituency earlier to last delimitation. Further it is in violation of the principles that old constituencies must not be disturbed much.
- e) That the delimitations of both constituencies have not been done as mentioned in rule 10(5) of the Election Rules 2017 according to which the delimitation of constituencies of an Assembly shall start from the Northern end of the district, or, as the case may be, the agency and then proceed clock-wise in zigzag manner keeping in view that population among the constituencies of an Assembly shall remain as close as maybe practicable to the quota. Hence the requirement of Law has been over looked in the delimitation process done by the commission.
- f) That as per amended delimitation the areas of PP-213 (Former PP-213) and PP-212 (former PP-199) have been added without any justification and totally ignoring the principle that old constituency should be least disturbed. The following charges/areas have wrongly been added in PP-213

Charge No.18 Circle 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 8, 9, &10

Charge No. 19

Total Population: 132220

Areas to be included in PP-213 UC 77, 78, 79 and 80

Total Population: 107940

- g) That the principles of geographical compactness, homogeneity and contiguity were violated in delimiting PP-213 and PP-212 constituencies. Maps of both constituencies are attached as <u>Annexure C & 1C.</u>
- h) Those areas contiguous to PP-213 are included in PP-212, whereas areas contiguous to PP-212 are included in PP-213.
- i) That the principle of facilities of communication and public convenience was also ignored.
- j) That the existing PP-213 is not contiguous with PP-212 constituency,



which is in violation of rule of clock wise delimitation as laid down in Election Rules 2017.

4) That the under mentioned proposed changes will make both PP213 and PP-212 constituencies in line with the principles of delimitation:

- i) That the Charge no. 18 Circle no. 1,2,3,4,7,8,9 & 10 and Charge no. 19 be excluded from PP-213 and included in PP-212 constituency and Union Council no. 77, 78, 79 & 80 be excluded from PP-212 and included in PP-213 constituency in lieu thereof. Proposed map is attached as **Annexure D**
- 5) That the marking of rest of district remains the same and there will be no change or effect on other constituencies after making correction to the proposed delimitation.

PRAYER

In view of what has been stated above, it is humbly prayed that the instant Petition may very kindly be accepted and the constituency PP 212 & 213 Multan may very kindly be delimited as proposed by the petitioner and in accordance with law.

Any other relief which this Honorable commission deems fit may also be granted in the supreme interest of the justice.

PETITIONER

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