



ELECTION COMMISSION OF PAKISTAN

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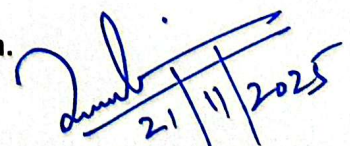
Islamabad, the 21st November, 2025

No. F. 21(1)/2025-Elec-I M/F In pursuance of Article 218 (3) of Constitution of Islamic Republic of Pakistan, it is the duty of Election Commission to organize and conduct elections and to make such arrangements as are necessary to ensure that the elections is conducted honestly, justly, fairly and in accordance with law and that corrupt practices are guarded against. The Election Commission, in exercise of its power under Article **220 of the Constitution and all other powers enabling it in that behalf, has requisitioned the services of Pakistan Armed Forces/Civil Armed Forces, in terms of Article 245** of the Constitution. Accordingly, the Federal Government vide Ministry of Interior Order No. 1/7/2018-CAF(C) dated 21-11-2025 under Article 220 and 245 of the constitution has authorized the deployment (**22nd-24th November, 2025**), of sufficient strength of Civil Armed Forces as 2nd tier responders (standby / quick reaction force mode only) and Pakistan Army as 3rd Tier responders (in-situ Quick Reaction Force Mode) respectively for provision of general area security to assist the Election Commission of Pakistan in peaceful conduct of bye-elections scheduled to be held on **23-11-2025**.

2. The forces so deployed are empowered to exercise powers under section 4 and 5 of the Anti-Terrorism Act, 1997, for the duration of their deployment (22nd November to 24th November ,2025) in National and Provincial Assembly constituency No. PP-115 Faisalabad-XVIII, PP-116 Faisalabad-XIX, PP-269 Muzaffargarh-II, NA-185 Dera Ghazi Khan-II, NA-18 Haripur, PP-73 Sargodha-III, NA-96 Faisalabad-II, NA-104 Faisalabad-X, NA-143 Sahiwal-III, PP-98 Faisalabad-I, PP-203 Sahiwal-VI, NA-129 Lahore-XIII and PP-87 Mianwali-III in aid of civil power subject to law enforced in Pakistan.

3. The Election Commission of Pakistan in terms of **Article 220** of the Constitution of Islamic Republic of Pakistan read with **Section 5 and Section 193** of the **Elections Act, 2017 (XXIII of 2017)** hereby authorizes each designated officer in-charge of Pakistan Armed Forces/Civil Armed Forces (Gazetted as well as Junior Commissioned Officer, deployed for providing security as per mandate in the above manner to exercise powers of Magistrate First Class for entire period of deployment i.e. **22nd to 24th November, 2025** in respect of offences punishable under sections 176, 177, 183 and 194 of the aforesaid act and to take cognizance of any such offences under any of the clauses of **sub-section (1) of Section 190** of the Code of Criminal Procedure and to try any such offences in a summary way in accordance with the provisions of the said Code relating to summary trials.

By Order of the Election Commission of Pakistan.


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