

ELECTION COMMISSION OF PAKISTAN

Secretariat
Constitution Avenue, G-5/2,
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DIRECTIVE

No.F. 2(3)/20201-LGE-P WHEREAS, the Election Commission of Pakistan under Article 222(b) of the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan and Section-221 of the Elections Act, 2017 read with Section-10 of the Punjab Local Government Act, 2022, is charged with the duty to delimit the constituencies of the Local Government Institutions.

WHEREAS, the Election Commission of Pakistan has issued schedule for carrying-out delimitation of Union Councils vide Notification bearing No. F.2(1)/2022-LGE(P) dated 08.12.2022, whereupon, proceedings will be started by the Delimitation Committees as per notified timelines.

AND WHEREAS, delimitation of Union Councils is required to be carried-out giving due regard to the existing boundaries of administrative units such as District, Tehsil, Qanungo Halqa, Patwar Circles, Revenue Estates, tiers and extent of urban and rural local areas etc. Accordingly, any change in the limits of these units, tiers and extent of urban and rural local areas, while proceedings of delimitation are under way shall hamper the smooth proceedings.

NOW THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred upon it under Article 218(3) of the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan read with Sections-219(6) of the Elections Act, 2017 and all other powers enabling it in that behalf, the Election Commission of Pakistan is pleased to direct that boundaries of existing administrative units, Metropolitan Corporations, District Councils and defunct Local Governments, shall stand freezed forthwith and no change in the boundaries of aforementioned administrative units shall be made till the culmination of delimitation process in the Punjab Province.

The Hon'ble Election Commission has been further pleased to direct, that the Officers appointed as Conveners / Members of Delimitation Committees, (vide ECP Notification bearing No.F.2(1)/2022-LGE(P) (Vol-II) dated 07.12.2022) shall not be transferred / posted till the culmination of delimitation process in the Punjab Province.

By order of the Election Commission of Pakistan


(SHARIFULLAH)
Director General (LGE)

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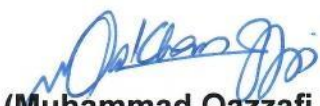
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- (11) Chief Secretary, Government of Punjab, Lahore.
- (12) Secretary, Board of Revenue, Government of the Punjab, Lahore.
- (13) Secretary, Local Government & Community Development Department, Government of the Punjab, Lahore.

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- (1) The Provincial Election Commissioner, Punjab.
 - (2) All Members of the Delimitation Committees
 - (3) All Regional Election Commissioners of Punjab.
 - (4) All District Election Commissioners concerned.
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