# **ELECTION COMMISSION OF PAKISTAN**

SIKANDAR SULTAN RAJA, CHAIRMAN NISAR AHMED DURRANI, MEMBER JUSTICE ® IKRAM ULLAH KHAN, MEMBER

In re: REPRESENTATIONS/OBJECTIONS UNDER SECTION 21 (3) OF ELECTIONS ACT, 2017 READ WITH ELECTION RULES, 2017, FILED IN RESPECT OF NATIONAL ASSEMBLY CONSTITUENCIES OF DISTRICT LAHORE, PUNJAB

SrNo. Case no		Petitioner	Constituency	
1.	W.P.No.8043/2023.	Muhammad Israeel	NA-123	
2.	W.P.No.4072/2023.	Karamat Ali Muhammad YounasAdeel Muhammad Bilal Rafiq	NA-122-124	
3.	3. W.P.No 4053/2023 Muhammad Akmal Misc. other (SB)		NA-126	
4.	F.1(664)/2023-Law	Ahmad Naeem	NA-128 & 118	
5.	F.1(661)/2023-Law	Shahid Hussain Khan	NA-128 & 118	
6.	F.1(660)/2023-Law	Muhammad Usman	NA-128 & 118	
7.	F.1(665)/2023-Law	Salman Javaid	NA-128 & 118	
8.	F.1(90)/2023-Law	MubassharNauman	NA-119	
9.			NA- 118	
10.	10. F.1(115)/2023- Law Muhammad Ijaz		NA-121	
11.	11. F.1(116)/2023-Law Sharafat Ali		NA-121	
12.	F.1(270)/2023-Law Zulfigar Ali Bhatti		NA-129	
13.	F.1(406)/2023-Law	Ali Raza	NA-128	
14.	F.1(328)/2023-Law	Chaudhary Riaz Akhtar	NA-130	
15. F.1(408)/2023-Law		Rao Zaheer Iqbal Javed Ahmad	NA-129	

....Petitioners

# For the petitioners

Mr. Taimoor Aslam Khan Advocate for the petitioner No.1&2

Mr. Shahriyar Tariq Advocate for the petitioner No.3

Nemo for Respondent No.4

Nemo for Respondent No.5

Nemo for Respondent No.6

Nemo for Respondent No.7

Mr. Meesum Zaidi Advocate for the petitioner No.8

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Mr. Muhammad Ijaz (In-person)

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Mr. ShahrukhMahboob Advocate for the petitioner No.13.

Chaudhary Riaz Akhtar (In-person)

Clerk of Mr. Mian Raheel Aslam Advocate for the petitioner No. 15.

## For the Delimitation Committee



- 1. Mr. Saeed Gul PEC Punjab/Convener.
- 2. Mr. Shabbar Abbas Bukhari, REC /Member.
- 3. Mr. Ibrar AhmadJatoi, Director (Elections)/Member.
- 4. Mr. Shakeel Ahmad, REC/Member.
- 5. Mr. Roy Sultan Bhatty DEC/Member.
- 6. Mr. Tanveer-Ul-Hassan, Dy. Director LGE-Punjab/Member.
- 7. Mr. Atif Rahim, Dy. Director (Admin)/Member
- 8. Mr. Abdul Wadood, DEC/Member.

# Date of Hearing 11.12.2023

# ORDER

Sikandar Sultan Raja, Chairman-In terms of Article 51(3)(4) of the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan, 1973 ("Constitution") as per 25th Constitutional Amendment, the National Assembly consists of 266 General seats, 60 seats reserved for women and 10 seats for Non-Muslims and the Provincial Assembly of Punjab consists of 297 General seats, 66 seats reserved for women and 08 seats for Non-Muslims. The Pakistan Bureau of Statistics Officially published the final results of the 07th Digital Population and Housing Census-2023 on 7th August, 2023 and the Election Commission of Pakistan (hereinafter referred as "ECP") in pursuance of the provisions of Article 218 (3) of the Constitution read with Section 17 of the Elections, Act, 2017 read with Rule 7 of the Election Rules, 2017 initiated the delimitation exercise in accordance with the number of seats in the National as well as Provincial Assemblies as specified in Article 51 and 106 of the Constitution. Accordingly, five (05) delimitation committees were constituted for the preparation of draft proposals of delimitation of constituencies of the National and Provincial Assemblies vide Office Order No.1/2023 dated. 17th August, 2023. In pursuance of Section 21 of the Elections Act, 2017 read with Rule 11 of the Elections Rules, 2017, preliminary report of delimitation committees was published by the ECP in respect of National Assembly and the Provincial Assemblies of the provinces of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Punjab, Sindh, Balochistan and Islamabad Capital Territory and invited representations and suggestions thereon for accessible delimitation process so that the political parties and general public be given fair chance to participate in the electoral process. ECP received fifty two(52) representations in respect of National& Provincial Assembly constituencies of

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District Lahore. All the representations were decided by the Commission vide order Dated 26-11-2023.

- 2. The petitioner No.01 Muhammad Israeel has challenged the above order of this Commission before the Hon'ble Lahore High Court Lahore through Writ petition No.8043/2023 with certain amended proposals of delimitation regarding NA-120, NA-122,NA-123andNA-125. The Hon'ble Court on 08-12-2023 remanded the matter to the Commission with the direction to decide the Petition in accordance with law after hearing all the concerned with in three days. The written order of the Hon'ble High Court is still awaited, however, order was passed in the Court room in presence of the representatives of the Commission.
- 3. In compliance of the above order of Hon'ble Lahore High Court, the Commission issued notices to all the petitioners/objectors who had earlier filed the representation including Mr. Muhammad Israeel for appearance on 11-12-2023 before the Commission.
- 4. On the date of hearing i.e 11-12-2023, Respondents No.2 & 3 Mr. Karamat Ali & others and Muhammad Akmal, appeared and also informed the Commission that their Writ Petitions were also fixed today before the Hon'ble Islamabad High Court and the Hon'ble Court referred the matters to the Commission for decision as the Commission has already issued notices to all the objectors in the petition of Mr. Israeel, remanded by the Hon'ble Lahore High Court Lahore.

# Facts of the representations of petitioner Nos 1 to 15:

The petitioner No.01 namely Mr. Muhammad Israeel through his counsel Mr. Taimoor Aslam Khan Advocate has given amended proposal in his writ petition No.8043/2023, regarding NA-120, 122, 123 and 125 as compared to his earlier proposal given during petition against preliminary delimitation which was partially accepted vide Commissions order dated 26-11-2023. In addition to his previous proposal following is the proposal of the petitioner in respect of NA-120, 122, 123 and 125:-

#### PROPOSAL OF NA-123 LAHORE

## Exclusion:

Circle No.7 (Defence phase 5), 8(Defence Phase 2) &9 (small industry Society-Alfalah Town Bedian Road) of Charge No.1882

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Walton Cantonment having Population of 66,827 Excluded from NA-123 and included in NA-122 since the Cantonment's main Administration unit is located thereunder.

## Inclusion;

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- i Circle Nos 4 and 9 of charge No. 18602 of Lahore Cantt having population of 33,297 has been excluded from NA-120 and included in NA-123.
- ii Circle No.6 of charge no.18601 of Tehsil Cantt having population of 18,890 has been excluded from NA-120 and included in NA-123.
- iii Charge No 26105 of Tehsil Raiwind having population of 16,857 has been excluded from NA-125 and included in NA-123.
- iv Charge No 18703 of Tehsil Cantt having population 48,547 has been excluded from NA-122 and included in NA-120.
- In addition to the above proposal, the Counsel for the petitioner has highlighted the issue of Walton Cantonment. The petitioner elaborated that Walton Cantonment is one of the biggest cantonment in the country which is distributed between the constituencies whereas petitioner in his proposal has suggested to include three circles of charge No.11 of Walton cantonment in NA-122. Through the proposal of the petitioner the population of the constituencies will remain within the prescribed population quota and it will be more compact and convenient for the general public.
- The petitioners No.02 namely Mr. Muhammad Younas Adeel/ Karamat Ali and other through their counsel Mr. Taimoor Aslam Khan Advocate have initially given the following proposal through their representation which was partially accepted. The previous proposal in respect of the National Assembly constituencies i.e. NA-120, NA-121, NA-122, NA-123, NA-124, NA-125, NA-127 and NA-128 is given below:

### PROPOSAL OF NA-120 LAHORE

i. Circle No.1, 2 & 7 of Charge No.2607 of Shalimar Tehsil, Charge No.26,028 of Shalimar Tehsil and Charge No.26,030 of Shalimar Tehsil may be excluded from NA-121 and be included in NA-120.

- ii. Circle No.1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9 of Charge No.18602 of Lahore Cantt Tehsil and Circle No.1, 3 and 4 of Charge No.18706 of Lahore Cantt Tehsil may be excluded from NA-120 and be included in NA-123.
- iii. Circle No.2, 5 and 6 of Charge No.18706 of Lahore Cantonment and Charge No.18707 of Lahore Cantonment may be excluded from NA-120 and be included in NA-122.

## PROPOSAL OF NA-121 LAHORE

- i. Charge No.18701 and Charge No.18702 of Lahore Cantonment, Circle No.3 of Charge No.18605 of Lahore Cantt Tehsil, Charge No.18606, 18607 and 18608 of Lahore Cantt Tehsil may be excluded from NA-122 and be included in NA-121.
- Charge No.18609 of Lahore Cantt Tehsil and Charge No.18568 of City
  Tehsil may be excluded from NA-128 and be included in NA-121.
- iii. Circle No.1, 2 and 7 of Charge No.26027 of Shalimar Tehsil, Charge No.26028 and 26030 of Shalimar Tehsil may be excluded from NA-121 and be included in NA-120.

### PROPOSAL OF NA-122 LAHORE

- Charge No.18803 of Walton Cantonment and Circle No.1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 of Charge No.18804 of Walton Cantonment may be excluded from NA-128 and be included in NA-122.
- ii. Circle No.1, 2, 3 & 6 of Charge No.18809 of Walton Cantonment may be excluded from NA-127 and be included in NA-122.
- iii. Circle No.7, 8 and 9 of Charge No.18811 of Walton Cantonment may be excluded from NA-123 and be included in NA-122.
- iv. Circle No.2, 5 and 6 of Charge No.18706 of Lahore Cantonment and Charge No.18707 of Lahore Cantonment may be excluded from NA-120 and be included in NA-122.
- v. Charge No.18701 and 18702 of Lahore Cantonment may be excluded from NA-122 and be included in NA-121.
- vi. Charge No.18703, 18704 and 18705 of Lahore Cantonment may be excluded from NA-122 and be included in NA-128.

vii. Circle No.3 of Charge No.18605 of Lahore Cantt Tehsil, Charge No.18606, 18607 and 18608 of Lahore Cantt Tehsil may be excluded from NA-122 and be included in NA-121.

# PROPOSAL OF NA-123 LAHORE

- i. Circle No.1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9 of Charge No.18602 of Lahore Cantt Tehsil and Circle No.1, 3 and 4 of Charge No.18706 of Lahore Cantonment may be excluded from NA-120 and be included in NA-123.
- ii. Circle No.9 and 10 of Charge No.25916 of Model Town Tehsil may be excluded from NA-124 and be included in NA-123.
- iii. Circle No.3 & 5 of Charge No.25902 of Model Town Tehsil may be excluded from NA-123 and be included in NA-124.
- iv. Circle No.7, 8 and 9 of Charge No.18811 of Walton Cantonment may be excluded from NA-123.

## PROPOSAL OF NA-124 LAHORE

- i. Circle No.3 & 5 of Charge No.25902 of Model Town Tehsil may be excluded from NA-123 and be included in NA-124.
- Circle No.3 of Charge No.26104 of Raiwind Tehsil may be excluded from NA-124 and be included in NA-125.
- Circle No.9 & 10 of Charge No.25916 of Model Town Tehsil may be excluded from NA-124.

## PROPOSAL OF NA-125 LAHORE

 Circle No.3 of Charge No.26104 of Raiwind Tehsil may be excluded from NA-124 and be included in NA-125.

## PROPOSAL OF NA-127 LAHORE

i. Circle No.1, 2, 3 and 6 of Charge No.18809 of Walton Cantonment may be excluded from NA-127.

### PROPOSAL OF NA-128 LAHORE

- Charge No.18703, 18704 and 18705 of Lahore Cantonment may be excluded from NA-122 and be included in NA-128.
- ii. Charge No.18803 of Walton Cantonment and Circle No.1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 of Charge No.18804 of Walton Cantonment may be excluded from NA128.

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iii. Charge No.18609 of Lahore Cantt Tehsil and Charge No.18568 of City Tehsil may be excluded from NA-128 and be included in NA-121.

# Addition proposal through Writ petition No. 4072/2023

### Exclusion;

- Charge No 18607 of Lahore Cantt Tehsil having Population of 17031 excluded from NA-122 and included in NA-128.
- ii. Circles No.1 & 2 of charge No18703 of Lahore Cantonment having population 22352 excluded from NA-122 and included in NA-120.
- 8 The Petitioner No. 03 namely Mr. Muhammad Akmal through his counsel has initially contended that final delimitation has been done beyond actual and physical existence which is against the basic principles of convenience for the local residents. Therefore, the petitioner has proposed that the National Assembly constituency i.e NA-126 Lahore may be delimited as under:

	a.	Charge No.1 excluding Circle No.07, 13, 14 of City Tehsil.	507,545
NA-126		Charge No.55 excluding Circle No.6, 7 of City Tehsil	75,245
Lahore X		Charge No.57 of City Tehsil	171,777
		Charge No.59 of City Tehsil	39,348
	b.	Following Circle of Charge No.1 of Raiwind Tehsil	
		Circle No.01, 03, 07	163,008
			956,923

The Petitioner further elaborated that Charge No 57 is located near to NA-126 and constituency will become more compact, contiguous and convenient for the general public if it is included in NA-126. He further contended that 2 circles of Charge No. 4 of Model Town tehsil will be more convenient for public if it will be included in NA-124, as they were never part of NA-126.

The petitioners No. 04, 05, 06 & 07 namely Mr. Ahmad Naeem, Shahid Hussain Khan, Muhammad Usman and Salman Javaid, respectively, did not appear before the Commission today, however, their proposals in respect of National Assembly constituencies of district Lahore i.e. NA-118 Lahore II, NA-122 Lahore VI and NA-128 Lahore XII are as under:

		NA-128 Laho	
SR. NO.	CHARGE	POPULATION	REMARKS
1.	18803	55723	NA-128 to exclude and include in NA-122
2.	18804	55804	NA-128 to exclude and include in NA-122
3.	26037	43235	NA-118 to exclude and include in NA-128
4.	26015	26982	NA-118 to exclude and include in NA-128
5.	18568	50565	NA-128 Original
6.	18609	7825	NA-128 Original
7.	18610	20762	NA-128 Original
8.	18611	10041	NA-128 Original
9.	18612	39903	NA-128 Original
10.	25905	23677	NA-128 Original
11.	25906	19445	NA-128 Original
12.	25907	3342	NA·128 Original
13.	25908	19773	NA-128 Original
14.	25909	30568	NA-128 Original
15.	259100	48403	NA-128 Original
16.	25922	34575	NA-128 Original
17.	25923	74947	NA-128 Original
18.	25926	29635	NA-128 Original
19.	25927	40178	NA-128 Original
20.	25928	32256	NA-128 Original
21.	25929	38437	NA-128 Original
22.	25930	44222	NA-128 Original
23.	25931	44921	NA-128 Original
24.	25932	***************************************	NA-128 Original
25.		41333	NA-128 Original
26.	25933	60577	NA-128 Original
	25934	30142	The state of the s
27.	25935	24633	NA-128 Original
28.	25936	56219	NA-128 Original
29.	25937	32593	NA-128 Original
30.	259380305	1750	NA-118 to exclude and include in NA-128
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CD NO	CHARGE	NA-118 Laho	
SR. NO.	CHARGE	POPULATION	REMARKS
1.	18515	27410	NA-118 Original
2.	18516	23176	NA-118 Original
3.	18517	25394	NA-118 Original
4.	18518	38902	NA-118 Original
5.	18519	30334	NA-118 Original
6.	18520	18253	NA-118 Original
7.	18521	22280	NA-118 Original
8.	18522	27655	NA-118 Original
9.	18523	24473	NA-118 Original
10.	18524	24398	NA-118 Original
11.	18525	25462	NA-118 Original
12.	18526	35025	NA-118 Original
13.	18527	28168	NA-118 Original
14.	18528	25445	NA-118 Original
15.	18529	28144	NA-118 Original
16.	18530	11016	NA-118 Original
17.	18531	23676	NA-118 Original
18.	18532	38363	NA-118 Original
19.	18533	32771	NA-118 Original
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20.	18535	39829	NA-118 Original

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22.	18605	32951	NA-118 Original	
23.	26004	45225	NA-118 Original	
24.	26006	56018	NA-118 Original	
25.	26013	5730	NA-118 Original	
26.	26015	26982	NA-118 to exclude and include in NA-128	
27.	26037	43235	NA-118 to exclude and include in NA-128	
28.	26038	30374	NA-118 Original Except one block 260380305	
29.	26039	18853	NA-118 Original	
30.	26040	33005	NA-118 Original	
		888261		
	70217	958478		
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SR. NO.	CHARGE	POPULATION	REMARKS	
1.	18803	55723	NA-128 to exclude and include in NA-122	
2.	18804	55804	NA-128 to exclude and include in NA-122	
3.	18506	26545	NA-122 Original	
4.	18507	17031	NA-122 Original	
5.	18508	54265	NA-122 Original	
6.	18503	9735	NA-122 Original	
7.	18701	50363	NA-122 Original	
8.	18702	38684	NA-122 Original	
9.	18703	48547	NA-122 Original	
10.	18704	38569	NA-122 Original	
11.	18705	84893	NA-122 Original	
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- 10 The counsel for the petitioner no. 08 Mr. Meesum Zaidi, Advocate appeared and submitted that his client is satisfied with the final delimitation of the Commission published on 30-11-2023.
- 11 The petitioner No. 09 namely Mr. Raza-ul-Karim through his counsel Mr. Mubeen uddinQazi Advocate contended that his complete proposal was accepted by the Commission while deciding all the representations through order dated 26-11-2023. Therefore, he is fully satisfied with the final delimitation published by the Commission on 30-11-2023.
- The petitioners No. 10 & 11 namely Mr. Muhammad Ijaz & Sharafat Ali appeared in person and submitted that they are satisfied with the final delimitation of the Commission published on 30-11-2023.
- 13. The Petitioner No. 12 namely Mr. Zulifqar Ali Bhatti through hiscounsel Mr. Rao MudassarAzam Advocateappeared and supported the stance of Petitioner No. 03 Mr. Muhammad Akmal and his proposal is given below:

	Following areas of City Tehsil	
	Charge No.37	18103
NA-129	Charge No 38	50001



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Lahore XIII	Charge No.39	48774
	Charge No.51	36637
	Charge No.52	44699
	Charge No.53	48120
	Charge No.54	96972
	Circle No.6 and 7 of Charge No.55	14822
	Charge No.56	62784
	Charge No.58	103619
	Charge No.66	54434
	Charge No.67	42444
	Following areas of Model Town Tehsil	
	Charge No.26	29635
	Charge No.30	44222
	Charge No.31	44921
	Charge No.32	41333
	Charge No.33	60577
	Charge No.34	24633
	Charge No.35	30142
	Charge No.36	56219
		953,091

- 14. The Petitioner No. 13 namely Mr. Ali Raza through his counsel Mr. Shahrukh Mahboob Advocate has also supported the final delimitation carried out by the Commission vide order dated 26-11-2023 and subsequently published on 30-11-2023.
- 15. The petitioner No. 14 namely Mr. Chaudhary Riaz Akhtar appeared in person and submitted that heis satisfied with the final delimitation of the Commission published on 30-11-2023.
- 16. The clerk of petitioner's counsel for the petitioner no.15 Mr. Rao Zaheer Iqbal and Javed Ahmed appeared and said that the senior counsel is busy before the Peshawar High Court and is not able to appear before the Commission.
- 17. All the parties present during hearing have been heard at length. The available record and maps have been perused.
- 18. The delimitation of constituencies is Constitutional cum legal mandate of this Commission. Preliminary delimitation was published by this Commission in accordance with the law/Rules. The voters of the Constituencies were given opportunity to file representations in accordance with Section 21 of

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the Elections Act, 2017. The total population of District Lahore is 13,004,135 as per final results of Census 2023 officially published on 07th August, 2023. Further, as far as possible, variation in population of constituencies of an assembly in not required to exceed ten (10) percent, which as by the law has been determined on the basis of 5% above and 5% below margin; therefore, the constituency may be delimited 5% above or below the quota of seat, which is tabularized below:

Total Population of Distt Lahore	Average Population of NA	5% of average population	5% above average	5% below average	Remarks
13,004,135	928867	46443	975310	882424	10% variation in population means 5% above and 5% below of the total Population

# (Observations of the Commission)

- 19. The proposal of the Petitioner No.1 Muhammad Israeel was examined with the help of available record and maps which was partially accepted while deciding the representations on 26·11·2023. It is observed that in the writ petition before the Hon'ble Lahore High Court the petitioner has agitated that his remaining proposal is also feasible and is in accordance with principles of delimitation. Fresh proposal of the petitioner remanded by the Hon'ble Lahore High Court Lahore is to the extent of NA·120, 122, 123 & 125. The fresh proposals of the petitioner are:
  - i Circle No.7 (Defence phase 5), 8(Defence Phase 2) &9 (small industry Society-Alfalah Town Bedian Road) of Charge No.18811 of Walton Cantonment having Population of 66,827 Excluded from NA-123 and included in NA-122 since the Cantonment's main Administration unit is located thereunder.
  - ii Circle Nos 4 and 9 of charge No. 18602 of Lahore Cantt having population of 33,297 has been excluded from NA-120 and included in NA-123.
  - iii Circle No.6 of charge no.18601 of Tehsil Cantt having population of 18890 has been excluded from NA-120 and included in NA-123.



- iv Circle No.2 of Charge No 26105 of Tehsil Raiwind having population of 16857 has been excluded from NA-125 and included in NA-123.
- v Charge No 18703 of Lahore Cantonment of Tehsil Cantt having population 48,547 has been excluded from NA-122 and included in NA-120.
- 20. The proposal of the petitioner was examined in detail and all the other objectors appeared before the Commission today, who had earlier filed the representations in respect of NA-120, 122 & 123 did not object the proposal of the petitioner Mr. Israeel. Therefore, the proposal of the petitioner No.01 is accepted on the following grounds:
  - i) The proposal of the petitioner is not disturbing the upper and lower limit of prescribed population quota.
  - ii) Majority of the area of Walton cantonment will be combine and the administrative unit of Walton cantonment will become in one and same constituency which will create public convenience.
  - iii) The proposal of the petitioner is not violating the principles of delimitation and also not violating the fundamental rights of voters.
  - iv) It will increase the facilities of communication for the general public.
- YounusAdeel and otherhave proposed changes in certain National Assembly constituencies through their earlier representation which was partially accepted. The fresh proposal of the petitioner remanded by Hon'ble Islamabad High Court is partially accepted to the extent of Circle No.07, 08 & 09 of Charge No.18811 of Walton cantonment and Circle No. 09 of Charge No. 18602 of Lahore Cantt Tehsil. Which has already been decided through accepting the petition of Mr. Israeel and rest of the proposal of the petitioner no. 2 is rejected on the following grounds.

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- i) If the remaining proposal of the petitioner is accepted, it will disturb the population quota of NA-122. The population of NA-122 will cross the upper prescribed limit of population quota.
- ii) It will unnecessarily disturb the constituency of NA-127 and 128 for which the other objectors have shown their satisfaction in respect of final delimitation published on 30-11-2023.
- iii) Presently the shape of the constituencies are more compact and within prescribed population quota.
- 22. The proposal of the petitioner No.3 Mr. Muhammad Akmal has been perused in detail. The petitioner has requested for exclusion of circle No.1 and 2 of charge No.4 of Model Town Tehsil and its inclusion in NA-124 to intact the Model Town tehsil. He further proposed that Charge No.57 of City Tehsil, Lahore be included in NA-126 then the contiguity of the constituency will be better. The petitioner in his earlier representation against preliminary delimitation had proposed certain changes in six Constituencies i.e NA-124, 125, 126, 127, 128, and 129 without any lawful justification. The proposal of the petitioner was partially accepted to the extent of inclusion of charge No. 59 in NA-126, whereas the rest of the proposal is still not feasible. The petitioner intends to take out the areas of NA-129 and wants to include in NA-126 which has no connectivity with eachother. Moreover, the petitioner has not pointed out any violation of principle of delimitation. If the proposal of the petitioner is accepted it will create inconvenience for the general public. Therefore, the remaining proposal of the petitioner is rejected.
- 23. Petitioners No 04 to 07 did not appear before the Commission.
- 24. The Petitioners No. 8, 9, 10, 11, 13 & 14 Mr. Mubashar Noman, Mr. Raza ul Karim, Mr. Muhammad Ijaz, Mr. Sharafat Ali, Mr. Ali Raza & Chaudhry Riaz Akhtar have supported the final delimitation published by the Commission.
- 25. The petitioner No.12 Namely Zulfiqar Ali Bhatti has similar proposal with the petitioner No. 03 Mr. Muhammad Akmal therefore the instantors.

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petition is decided in terms of the decision of petitioner No.03 Mr. Muhammad Akmal.

All the representations made in respect of National Assembly Constituencies of district Lahore has already been decided on 26-11-2023 in addition to it, partial modification of form 07 is allowed to the extent of petitions of Mr. Israeel and Karamat Ali. The office is directed to amend form-7 accordingly.

Sikandar Sultan Raja

Chairman

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Islamabad Dated <u>12- December</u>, 2023 Justice (R) IkramUllah Khan Member

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