Problem of Governance in Pakistan

Outline:

- 1. Introduction
- 2. Concept and understanding of governance
- 3. Types of Governance:
 - a) Good Governance
 - b) Bad Governance
- 4. Situation of Pakistan- all elements of bad governance are rampant in Pakistan
- 5. Variables of bad governance are:
 - a) Political Conflict
 - b) Economic Instability
 - c) Corruption
 - d) Bureaucratic hurdles
 - e) Elite capture
 - f) Lack of political will
 - g) Other factors
- 6. Impacts of bad governance include:
 - a) Pathetic delivery of services
 - b) Low human development
 - c) Erosion of Public Trust
 - d) Democratic retreat
 - e) Other effects:
 - i. Low FDI
 - ii. Image problems
- 7. Principles of good governance should be adopted to rectify governance:
 - a) Rule of law
 - b) Democracy and Bureaucratic reforms
- 8. Conclusion

The worst evils which mankind had ever to endure were inflicted by bad governments.

----Ludwig von Mises----

Poor governance in Pakistan has been identified as a major cause for the country's somber past, turbulent present and a shaky future. Being characterized as having weak implementation of rule of law, non-transparent conduct of government, lack of accountability and infuriating disparity, poor governance has rendered public service delivery and human development ineffective. This below par performance of governance has been linked to political upheaval, economic slump, corruption by almost all the analysts and critics of governance. It is high time to turn tables on governance if the country wants to stabilize its economic and political affairs. Therefore, good governance replacing bad governance is need of hour. It can be concluded that poor governance in Pakistan, stemming from political conflict, economic instability, and corruption, inter alia, has deteriorated public service delivery and human development in the country.

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