

# Security imperatives for Pakistan in the emerging geo-political environment

## Outline

### 1- Introduction

**Thesis statement:** No doubt, Pakistan needs security imperatives in the emerging geo-political environment. Intensive Russia-Ukraine conflict, NATO revival, Indo-US partnership etc are few factors of geo-political environment which assures security imperatives for Pakistan. These security imperatives will keep a balanced status of Pakistan in geo-political environment.

### 2- An overview of the contemporary age of geo-political environment

### 3- Manifestation of emerging geo-political environment

- a) Intensive Russia-Ukraine conflict due to resurgence of Russia
- b) Revival of NATO and its allies on the basis of defense co-operation
- c) Growing Indo-US partnership with multiple focuses
- d) Prevalance of Indian hegemony in the region
- e) US-Sino competition with respect to economic rise
- f) KSA-Iran rivalry aims at creating hegemony over the Middle East



#### 4- Consequences of geo-political environment on Pakistan

- a) Threat to CPEC: A regional connectivity chain
- b) Decline in trade due to insecure trade route
- c) Nuclear imbalance rises in South Asia region
- d) Vulnerability to terrorism and revival of terrorism

#### 5- Security imperatives for Pakistan in the emerging geo-political environment

- a) Allocation of adequate budget on the national defense
- b) Strengthen relations with China to counter regional insecurity
- c) Engage in agreements with the US for modern defense technology
- d) Diplomatic negotiation with Afghanistan to reduce security threat
- e) Discourage nuclear proliferation at global level
- f) Promote intelligence based operations in fragile zones of the country
- g) Balance alignment with Saudi-Iran and Russia

#### 6- Conclusion



### Attention Grab: Introduction:

"Pakistan, undoubtedly, is a dangerous nuclear country." (Joe Biden, the US president, 2022). Growing geo-political environment has pushed the world power to accept Pakistan's nuclear strength about Pakistan needs more security imperatives to keep itself in a balanced position in emerging environment.

