

Q Describe law making process in Pakistan.

Answer: Introduction

"Law is an authority that authority is supreme."

(- Oxford dictionary)

Law is an official form of any bill passed by legislative body of government. In fact several steps are involved in making a bill as a law. Thus, then, it will be a law.

2- Definition of a law

"Law is an official set of any act that is passed by legislature of government after consultation."

(- Oxford university)

OR
 "Law is a solid form of a bill that is passed through several steps and is now approved by political leaders."

(- Cambridge Dictionary)

Hence, law is passed by political parties after consensus.

3. Process of making law in Pakistan

Following are steps making a law in Pakistan:

a) Drafting a bill by respective ministry

The first step is drafting a bill by respective ministry. In Pakistan, several bills are passed by drafting their form by their respective ministries.

• Transgender bill was

drafted by ministry
of humans
in 2018.

Thus, every bill is drafted
by its respective ministry.

b) Consultation with other ministries

After drafting a
bill, consultation with other
ministries is done. In fact,
for fulfilling and guessing
resources for any bill
consultation is done.

"Consultation with other
ministries i.e. ministry
of finance is
being done with
respect to acquire
required resources
for implementation
of bill."

(-Toqees Hussain, 2020)

Hence, consultation with other
ministries is done, too.

c) Submission of bill before

Cabinet

Submission of a bill before cabinet is done for getting consent to make it a law. The consent of cabinet members will guarantee its further process.

"Cabinet is an
arc of parliament."

(- Professor Dickey)

Moreover, if cabinet will recommend some changes or reject the bill, it will be re-considered again by the ministry of law and justice. Therefore, submission of bill before cabinet is a necessary step.

d) Final drafting a bill by Ministry of law and justice.

Further, final drafting of a bill is done by ministry of law and justice. The required changes

are done by law and
ministers. Thus,
final drafting is always
done by ministry of law
and justice.

e) Re-submission of a bill before cabinet

Further more, re-submission
of a bill is done before
cabinet. Now, cabinet will
signature the bill and it
will further proceed.

"Assent of cabinet
members is a
signal of approval
of half of
a process of a
bill."

(-Toqeer Hussain,
law and order, 2018)

Hence, a bill will be resubmitted
before cabinet.

f) Signature of premier

Moreover, a bill is

presented before a standing committee of a national assembly. In fact, presenting of a bill before the national assembly is the very most important step.

"A bill will be passed by the national assembly when it approves by a simple majority."

(- NA approves a bill, Meethu kumar, 2020)

Therefore, a bill is approved by premier.

g) Presenting a bill before senate

"Senate is another threshold of passing a bill."

(- Supremacy of senate, 18th amendment/2010)

After, 18th amendment, the supremacy of senate is enhanced. Senate (after the national

assembly will give its assent to pass a bill.

Thus, presenting a bill before senate is a step of making a law.

h) Assent of president

After all, president's assent is a permission to make a bill as a law.

President will give his/her assent to make it a law within ten days. Thus, assent of president is necessary to complete a bill to law making process.

you have missed 2-3 steps from here onwards.

i) Public demonstration of a law

Following table describes the further process after making a law.

• Original copy to
→ Ministry of law and justice

one photocopy to respective industry

~~one photocopy to official gazette~~

Thus, a bill is officially proceeded a law.

A chart of law-making process

- Drafting a bill
- Consultation with ministries
- Presenting before cabinet
- ~~Final drafting by ministry of law and justice~~
- Re-submission before cabinet
- Signature of premier
- Presenting before senate
- ~~Signature of president~~

4.

Conclusion

"Laws are protection of welfare of the state."

(-Molochi Kodhi, 2015)

In Pakistan, law making process is not a single step. In fact, it is a several step process. Hence, then, it will be a law.

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