

# Good governance is a myth in Pakistan?

## Outline

1- Introduction: Thesis statement; Good governance is not obvious in Pakistan. However, many efforts are done to improve governance. Despite this, good governance is yet ignored and is considered a myth in Pakistan.

These are synonymous

2- Good governance: a pillar of prosperity

3- Contemporary bleak picture of bad governance in Pakistan

These are effects of bad governance?

a) Political turmoil and ideological extreme

b) Surge economic meltdown

c) Rampant rise of corruption

d) Short-sighted government policies ~~fail to improve~~ human development  
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failure

e) Rising wave of terrorism and instability

4- Good governance is obvious in Pakistan

a) Political turmoil and ideological extreme is in support of provincial autonomy and progress

b) Economic policies are shifted for national interest

c) National agencies are paying a good counter-balance against corruption

d) Government effort is obvious to improve human development

e) Intelligence-based successful ~~operations~~ <sup>operations</sup> are led against

Generic statements, be specific

## • terrorism

- 5- Good governance, all get ignored
- Abuse of (provincial) autonomy - leads to political instability and national disintegration.
  - National interest is ousted in formation of economic policies
  - Only minor corruption is under control, while major is beyond control
  - Except a very small extent, human development is in crisis • Red tapism clogs smooth-flow of official matters
  - Intelligence-based operations are unable to eradicate the threat of terrorism.

## 5- Conclusion

- street crimes remain unchecked due to poor law and order

The outline is not exhaustive