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Answer:-

Introduction

"Women are regarded as 'ghetto' in Pakistani society."

(Hina Saleem, Women's strength, 2022)

In Pakistani society, women suffer structural and direct forms of violence. In fact, an evidence is in the case of Mukhtaran Mai. Unfortunately, Mukhtaran Mai suffered violence as 'Honour Revenge' that is advocating violence against women. Therefore, in Pakistani society, women are victims of structural and direct forms of violence.

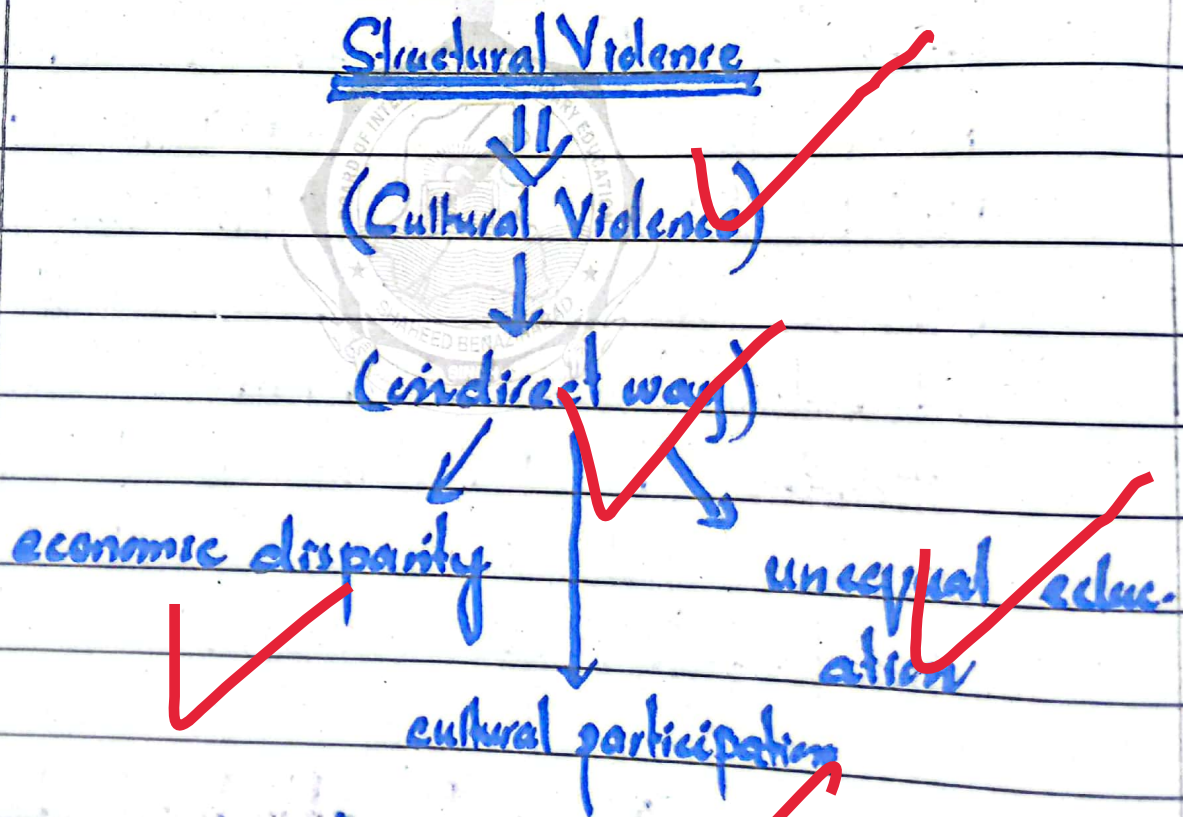
2- Explanation of structural form of violence

"Structural violence is an indirect way

of violence."

(Maxey)

Unfortunately, women also suffer. Structural as indirectly target. In Pakistan, women are deprived of cultural norms. Thus, this reflects structural violence against women.



Thus, women are victims of structural violence.

3- Explanation of direct form of violence

"In direct violence, victim is clearly representative."

(-Maxey)

Along with structural violence, women are also victims of direct violence. In Pakistan, women are also oppressed by direct form of violence.

Direct Violence

physical harassment

sexual abuse

Thus, women are victims of direct violence.

4- A bird's eye view of Mukhtaran Mai case

"Mukhtaran Mai was

gang raped as
"Honour Revenge"

(Faisal Bari, Life
style recidivation, 2022)

Mukhtaran Mai was
born in Punjab. Unfortunately, she
was gang raped by 'Mastoi Baloch'
tribe gang. Thus the case was
highlighted in media.

5- Background of Mukhtaran Mai Case

Mukhtaran Mai was
used as 'honour revenge'. In fact,
Mukhtaran's brother, Abdul-Shakoor
was raped by three persons of
'Mastoi' tribe.

"Abdul Shakoor was
forced to be silent,
but he did not."

Abdul Shakoor was accused of an
relation with Salma and a jirga
was called to resolve the case.

"Jirga decided that Salma should marry with Abdul Shkour, in return Mukhtaran will be married with Salma's brother."

But, Salma's brother refused to do so.

He said as,

"Abdul Shkour will be forgiven if Mukhtaran come and beg forgiveness."

Hence, case of violence of Mukhtaran begin here.

6- Gang rape of Mukhtaran Mai as violence against women in Pakistan. Mukhtaran Mai went to beg forgiveness. But, unfortunately, she was violated.

" Mukhtaran Mai was
raped by gang
of 'Masloi' tribe
at their farm house."

Thus, Mukhtaran Mai was raped
by gang that advocates women's
violence.

7- Mukhtaran Mai Case: The Justice Syst-
em of Pakistan

' Justice delayed
is
justice denied."

(- Faisal Bari, life
style recollection, 2003)
Mukhtaran Mai case was
put in a court. It was solved at
three levels at

" In 2002, the Anti
Terrorist Court announced
death sentence to four
of six offenders."

(- Mukhtaran Mai Case Study)

But, unfortunately,
 "In 2005, Lahore High
 Court acquitted five of
 six offenders and
 one was announced as
 capital punishment"

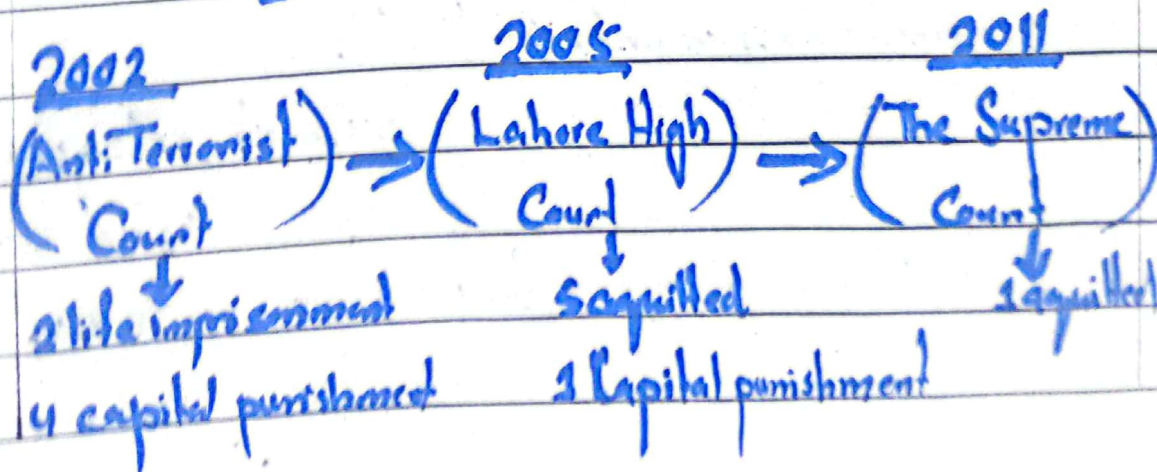
(Mulharam Mai Case
 Study)

However, it does not end here as,

"In 2011, the Supreme
 Court acquitted that
 one person due to
 lack of evidences."

(Mulharam Mai Case
 Study)

Mulharam Mai Case





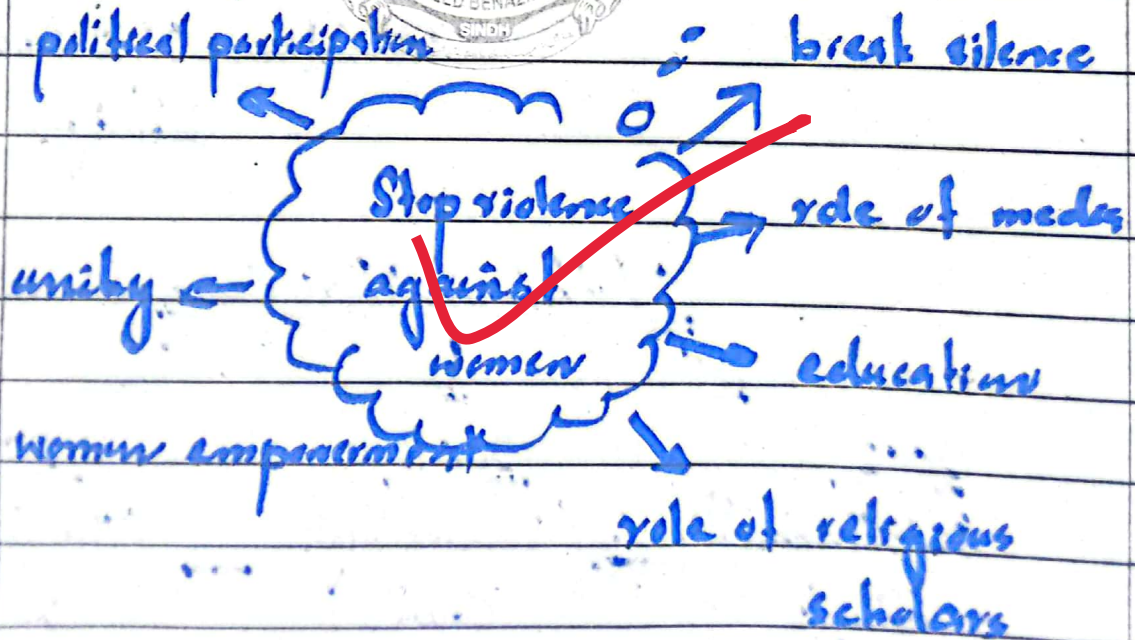
Therefore, justice delayed is justice denied.

8- A short step way forward to cope violence against women in Pakistan

"Women should break silence"

(Zubaidy Mustafa)

Women need to be spokesperson. In fact, women should highlight their issues against violence. Moreover,



Hence, above steps can help in

reducing violence against women.

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Conclusion

"Women are the most
oppressed by
patriarchy."

(Mary Wollstonecraft)

In Pakistani society,
women often suffer structural and
direct forms of violence. In fact,
an evidence is clear in Mukhtaran
Mai case. Thus, Mukhtaran Mai
case highlights violence against
women in Pakistan.

You need to elaborate first the sexual
violence

Then add rape part

Then link with Mukhtara Mai

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