

Population Calamity

"Escalating population ^{bomb} is no more ticking as it has exploded already"

Pakistan's 2023 population census report reveals that there is population growth reached at 241.49 million. This is too much increase in population rate as it became 207.64 million in 2017 while 241.49 m in 2023 which increases annually at the rate of 2.55%. Population explosion at this rapid rate seems to be direct threat for country's already scarced resources. From country's population there is almost 67 percent population is below 30 and 80 percent is below 40. This increasing population has adverse effects on their lives and standards of living as population explosion leads to deplete resources and unemployment which compel them to involve in wrong doings. So population explosion is also biggest cause of increasing crime.

This population escalation has directly impacts on our food scarcity, water-crisis, economic distability and crippled social structure. Exploding population day-by-day has just crippled socio-economic structure of our country.

In order to control the population rate we have to educate our public as this rate of population explosion is mainly due to women illiteracy, religio-culture norms, illiteracy about how

to stop fertility and a misconception that more children will serve more us in our old age or bring more economic stability to our family. But despite these disbeliefs and misconceptions, it's important to control fertility rate of Pakistan in order to stabilize its economic and social structure in world and to make it a prosperous country. This all will be possible by just educating people to lower their fertility rate as many countries improve their economic conditions by harnessing rapidly growth of population. As Bangladesh has much high fertility rate in 1970s but it control it by having two children per woman and reach to above 1pc. Similarly, India control its population growth and at 1.8pc. Turkey and Iran have 2.1pc and 2.3pc, too much smaller than Pakistan's 3.2pc.

To conclude that every dilemma has a remedy, just what we do is just that to lower trying to lower our population growth by educating people and make this issue at dire important. As this issue is not descended from heaven but is man-made. So, we honest and peaceful efforts are required to tackle with this issue of over-population.