

IMF-dependent Economy as Challenge to National Sovereignty

1) Introduction

Thesis statement: Reliance on International Monetary Fund support undermines national sovereignty by imposing stringent economic policies restricting autonomous decision making and prioritizing global economic stability over domestic welfare.

2) Current economic situation in Pakistan

3) How IMF-dependent economy is challenge to national sovereignty

- a) IMF-conditionality
- b) Loss of economic control
- c) Influence of donor countries
- d) Restricted economic autonomy
- e) Debt dependency cycle
- f)

how this challenge is adversely impacting other socio-economic sectors

4) Impacts of IMF-dependent economy on national sovereignty

- a) Public unrest
- b) Political instability
- c) Loss of bargaining power
- d) Change in national laws and regulations
- e) Inequitable development
- f) Increase inflation

rising political instability
public unrest....single words do not include any direction

5) Way forward: Measures to alleviate dependency on IMF

- a) Engage with regional financial institutions
- b) Bilateral agreements with friendly countries
- c) Encourage financial investment in manufacturing, technology, agriculture and services
- d) Implement robust anticorruption measures
- e) Foster innovation and entrepreneurship

6) Conclusion