

## Student Unions: Cornerstones of Social and institutional change

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a. Student unions the agents of institutional change.

a) Make institutes accountable and transparent.

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Only those nations are become the epitome of success and survival who have tendency to revolt against social injustice.

Social change is not one night stand rather it takes time, efforts and manpower through a transition of ideas.

Student unions in schools, colleges and universities are the elements of struggle to attain justice, freedom and basic commodities of life. Their collective strength and voice gestured like they execute the social fabric from hands of oppressors. They are real freedom fighters of civil society for equal means of life for all. Like, success starts from minor to major levels with more and more will.

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power. Similarly, the social change and institutional change are driven out by constant efforts of different unions. The evolution of nations are determined by nature of their subjects. The student unions are also agents of institutional change to serve the people of nation. In a nutshell, student unions are major key player and become the cornerstone of social and institutional change.

Whenever, the density of oppression is increased by oppressor. The existence of revolt arises by some part of society. The existence of student unions are also deep rooted in history. The student unions like Muslim Student Federation, Islami

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Jamiyat a Tulba and People student federation were founded by students in post independence Pakistan and India. These student unions are solely built on the basis of social change. In different eras of history, they worked profoundly for welfare and well-being of people.

The student unions oftenly are regarded as agents of social change. In every era, their essence were for social, political, cultural and economic change. The true example of this change is disclosed through different civil wars. In recent times, the power show of Islami Jamiyat a Tulba of Bangladesh, toppled

down the government of long term oppressor called by Bangladeshis, the prime minister Hasina Wajid. The student unions faced the brutalities of governmental institutions. Resultantly, they achieved what they want after long term transition period.

The student union were an essential part of revolt against social injustice. Many times, the policies are so reluctant that people are become the subjects of miseries. Likewise, the student gouda for children of freedom fighters of war of independence 1971. was so disparited that students start campaign against this policy. The real form of

Social injustice lies in these reforms. After a long run, the student union was successful in ousting the reign of Iron lady.

The student unions has major manifesto of basic needs of their public. The basic necessities like education, health, liberty, equality and freedom of expression were demanded by people in reward of their submission to state.

If the ruler or institutes was violating the needs of people, then a drastic change come through hands of different unions. The student union are also fight for basic needs of people.

The hierarchical structure of

society must be based on the grounds of equality and justice. When the ratio of inequality and injustice leveraged more, then a collective force in the form of student union arose up to eradicate it. The Muslim Student Federation during martial laws of dictators in Pakistan was based on real motive of equality and justice between governing bodies and people.

The student federation want to maintain harmony and peace through equal opportunities and equal distribution of resources among subjects of society without even or odd discrimination. The unequal



distribution of resources leads to object poverty, stagnation and accumulation of wealth in few hands. The student unions are fighters to make harmonious environment among people. This is only possible by speaking out their voices to heads of state. By constant tapping, they attained their means of equal opportunities. The student union is major agent of institutional change along social change. Not only head of state but also the institutes of state are act as co-factor in maintaining the life of people miserable when they start punishing their own ends. So, along social change of society; there is

need to maintain institutes on the right path to serve people better.

The student unions are so consistent in their purpose to maintain the social fabric of society by making institutes accountable and transparent. The check and balance authority must pay heed for transparent deliverance of services by institutes. That's why, when institutes were crossed their limits, the student unions take them to their sole purpose. The Student federation of Bangladesh is also responsible in maintain the key institutes on right path by served the people.

The student union is regarded as regulating authority to main rule of law among all. When the disparities among different classes of society increased by making difference in implimentation of law. Likewise, one law treating some society in two different way can cause distortion. Rich class is considered to be above the law while poor class is below the law. With this type of stratification, any society or institution can not run smoothly rather it becomes object of descrimination.

The student union play their significant role in maintaining rule of law without division caste, creed, color and nationality.

Above all, institutes provide privileges and show biasness under the influence of nepotism and favouritism. When institutes are become under the subject of favouritism their sole purpose to serve and deliver will be fabricated by its own. The result of biasness in job quotas of Bangladesh, make institutes not authentic. The student unions in Bangladesh are real heroes in making institutions free from nepotism and favoritism.

The student unions are key factor in driving the inconsistency and inefficiency. This inconsistency leads to poor services of institutes.

The institutions of executive, legislative and judiciary are three pillars of any state.

If anyone of these shows inconsistency, it will lead to poor governance. The student unions are there to mend the ways that is rupturing the way of institutions to serve people.

Conclusively, the student unions are driving factors in social and institutional transition. The student unions are considered to ends and means of social and institutional transformation.

The social change that is holding upon justice, equality, political and economic integration. These objectives can be achieved by making strong student

unions. The harmonal balance between society and its subjects is only maintained by check and balance of powerful authority. That authority is lies in hands of the student unions. The institutional accountability, transparency and consistency is achieved through proper channeling the pure deliverance of services to people.