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# The Year 2025 - Turning Point for Pakistan

## 1- Introduction

**Thesis statement:** The year 2025 was full of adventures for Pakistan, internationally it reversed the image as a strategic and beneficial partner, however locally it exposed longstanding vulnerabilities and insecurity.

## 2- Events of 2025 - Turning Point

### 2.1- Interstate Relations

2.1.1) Art of Balancing Relations; Saudi

2.1.2) Arab (defence deal), China (SCO

2.1.3 meeting, MOU), USA (Rekodiq)

2.1.2) Event of May; Belligerent response,

display Chinese technology

2.1.3) International Perspective; PAF

expertise, India's aggression and

narrative building

2.1.4) Active Foreign Policy; Use of global

forums - Brussels, Trump's attitude

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## 2.2- Intra-state Events

2.2.1) Constitutional amendment; 27<sup>th</sup> amendment, FCC, CDF

2.2.2) Expose poor climate mitigation; Floods, heartwave, media business vs. disaster management

2.2.3) Demand Administrative wellbeing; IMF report (2025), report on NCCIA

2.2.4) Highlighting Terrorism; Peak of militant attacks, military operations in KP, Balochistan and cross-border (Afghanistan)

2.2.5) Gender disparities; Insecure state, case study of Sana Yousaf, Bano and Ehsan, Humaira Asghar

## 3- Analysis - Demands for 2026

Domestic soothing touch

Economic centric policies

Active international participation

## 4- Conclusion