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"ENGLISH ESSAY"

(2) TOPIC : THE IMPACT OF POLITICAL INTERFERENCE ON JUDICIAL INDEPENDENCE :-

OUTLINE :-

1) INTRODUCTION

- a) what judicial independence and political interference mean.
- b) why an independent judiciary is important in a democracy.
- c) overview of the essay, causes, effects, and solutions to political interference in courts

2) Judicial Independence : Key to Democracy

- d) what judicial independence means
- e) How it has developed over time
- f) The role of an independent judiciary in protecting rights and ensuring fair laws

3) Political Interference in Courts

- g) what political interference is and how it happens

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- Examples From history where Courts were influenced by politics
- Reasons For political interference such as corruption, too much power in one branch of government, or weak systems

4) Effects Of Political Interference

- h)
- Loss of public trust
 - people lose confidence in courts
 - social problems arise when justice is doubted

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- weak Rule of law
 - Laws are applied unfairly
 - people's rights are not protected

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- Damage to Democracy
 - power becomes concentrated in one branch of government
 - the balance between government branches is disrupted

- k)
- Harm to Economy and Society
 - Business are hesitant to invest due to legal uncertainty
 - social progress slows down

5) Examples Of Political Interference

- 6) Real-life examples from different countries:
- struggles in developing nations
 - Authoritarian governments using courts for their agenda
 - controversies in democracies, such as political influence over judicial appointments

6) How to protect judicial Independence

- 7) Legal protections
- secure judges' jobs and financial independence
 - Clear separation of powers in constitutions
- 8) Stronger system
- Fair and transparent selection of judges
 - Independent bodies to keep a check on government power
- 9) Role of society and media
- making court process transparent
 - media exposing interference and promoting reforms

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International Support

- using international principles for judicial independence
- support from global organizations

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Conclusion

Judicial independence means judges can make decisions based on the law without being pressured by politicians or other powerful people. It is a key part of democracy, helping protect people's rights and keeping government power in check. On the other hand, political interference happens when political leaders or groups try to control court decisions for their benefit. In recent years, political interference has become a serious issue, affecting the fairness and credibility of courts. This essay explains what causes political interference, how it harms democracy, and what can be done to stop it.

Judicial independence means courts operate separately from other branches of government. This ensures that judges can make fair decisions without being influenced by politics. Over history,

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Judicial independence became important to fight against by kings and authoritarian rules. When courts are independent, people trust the legal system, and justice is maintained.

Political interference happens when politics or others in power try to influence court decisions. This can take many forms. Throughout history, political reforms in interference has been a problem. For example, authoritarian governments often use courts to silence opponents. Even in strong democracies, debates about political influence in appointing judges have raised concerns.