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Women in Power Structure of Pakistan : Presence, Impacts, Limitations

1) Introduction :

a) Hook

b) History

c) Thesis Statement:

Presence of woman in Power structure of Pakistan is very well coming notion. It can eliminate gender disparity, patriarchal norms, male-dominated society, violence against women and poverty. Their presence have potential to address political instability, rule of law, democracy and economic stability. However, proper accountability and rights of men and transgenders are equally important.

2) Presence of Women in Power structure of Pakistan :

a) Presence in executive structure of power

Case point :

1) Benazir Bhutto - the daughter of nation - era (1987-90, 1993-96)
as Prime Minister

2) Maryam Nawaz era (1984- Present)
as Chief Minister

(Only two women in executive structure of power throughout 78 years of Pakistan emergence)

b) Legislature :

(Women presence in legislature structure of power is less than 5% throughout history)

c) Judiciary :

(Less than 18% of judiciary comprising the

whole judicial power structure of Pakistan.)

- (Less than 17% of total lawyers of Pakistan are comprising of female gender).

d) Police Service of Pakistan

(Less than 5% of officers in Police Service of Pakistan are women)

3) Impacts of Women Presence in Power structure of Pakistan:

- a) It will reduce gender disparity.
- b) It can increase conviction rate of women related violence cases which is $< 1\%$.
- c) It has potential to break patriarchal male-dominated structure of society.
- d) It can enhance peace as Realist scholar says: "Man prepares

for war as war makes men

e) It can amplify the SGD-targets especially, SGD-5, 16 related human rights.

f) It can yield democracy:
(London Meeting of Benazir and Nawaz Sharif over democracy)

g) It can foster development projects by eliminating poverty.

4) Presence of Women in Power : Limitations

a) ~~The~~ The Presence of Women in Power According UN charter: ("Half of the population should consist of female-based power-structure")

b) Rights of men and transgender are equally important.

"We do not want superiority over men but equality"
~ Louis Stanton.

c) Women Presence of Power : Psychological factors and accountability.
~ Shiek Hasina case.

d) Proper balanced approach is required among Men, Women and transgender

5. Conclusion

-(Summary of whole discussion)

The Essay

President Obama and his wife Michelle Obama was taking a lunch at restaurant. Fortunately, the owner of the restaurant was revealed to be Michelle's old friend. On this, President said, if he ~~would~~ did not marry her, she would be the wife of restaurant owner.

Hearing this, historical response of President's wife came. She said: "If she were the wife of the resturent owner, he would be the ~~am~~ President of United states of America.

From this, one can see the importance of women presence of power structure. Their force change the fortune of the nation. Historically, women role in shaping ^{the} progress of nation remained remarkable. Numerous scholars argue, that if women were not ^{stood} behind the European solidiers, they could not wage successful wars. Even during industrial era, women were considered to be backbone of economy of a country. Cut to modern era, women have played splendid role in saving the future of coming generation.

From Benazir Bhutto to chief Minister Maryam Nawaz, from Georgia Meloni to ~~chief~~ Prime Minister Takichi of Japan, they have played an excellent job in power structure of their country. Coming to Pakistan, Women Presence in the power structure of the state has remained landmark victory of Muslim Umma. During PM Benazir Bhutto's era, she tried to recognize Pakistan in world's top nations. In a similar way, the current chief minister is doing an excellent job. But unfortunately, women remained in power for very short in the history of Pakistan. If Pakistan maintains their ratio according to UN charter, it can prove history making notion in the progress of nation. The presence of women in Power structure of

Pakistan is very wel-coming notion. It can eliminate gender disparity, patriarchal norms, male-dominated society, violence against women and poverty. Their presence have potential to address political instability, rule of law, democracy and economic stability. However, proper accountability, adherence of UN charter and rights of men and transgenders are equally important. This essay will assess the presence of women in Power structure of Pakistan; its impacts and limitations.

"We are not demanding our superiority over men but equality."

~ Lucy Stanton

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