

CONSTITUTION OF JANNAT PAKISTAN PARTY

ESTABLISHED UNDER THE CONSTITUTION OF THE ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF PAKISTAN MARCH 23, 2011

Name:

The official name of the party shall be "Jannat Pakistan Party" abbreviated as JPP



Flag of the Party:

The party JPP shall have 'a bright red color flag' (Hex Triplet #FF0000) with a large white circle in the center and with *Bismilla*, written in black *Kufi* script, denoting **The Law of God** which is the party manifesto. The party flag shall be known as 'Inquilab Bismilla' and all members shall pledge allegiance to it and to The Great Manifesto which it stands for. Members are expected to fly *Inquilab Bismilla* with utmost honor and respect, adjacent to the Pakistan Flag with due pro-

tocol. If both flags are flown on a single post the Pakistan Flag shall always fly atop the party flag.

Symbol of the Party: 'The Red Rose' shall be the official symbol of the Party.

Central Office

The Central Office of the Party shall be at *The QuaideAzam House*, 22 A.K Brohi Road, G-11/1 Islamabad.

Party Ideology: The Party denounces all human Sovereignty and embraces the Sovereignty of God. The party celebrates 'One Law of God that governs the Universe' based on which, food, wealth and resources of the land of Pakistan must be made equally available to every citizen. The party believes it to be a fundamental responsibility of the State to ensure that all citizens get an equal opportunity to develop their potentials. The party celebrates that every citizen is a sovereign over himself, over his mind and over his body. Liberty, Equality and Rule of Law are the three cornerstone of the Party's Manifesto. The Party believes that power shall never be exercised to restrain any activity of any citizen against his will except if he or she poses a danger to others.

Membership

Membership shall be open to any individual above the age of 18, irrespective of religion, caste, color, creed, race, gender and nationality of origin. There shall be no membership fee to join the party. Members shall join through the party website www.JannatPakistan.com by registering their name, E mail address, city of residence and phone number. Members who do not have access to E-mail or computer shall submit a paper membership application to any of the party offices and shall be registered on the party website www.JannatPakistan.com.

All Members shall be equally welcome to participate in party meetings and propagate the party ideology. All Members shall have an equal opportunity to participate in **Party Elections** whose process is outlined in the party's constitution. Members shall commit themselves to propagate the party Manifesto to establish a

rule of law in Pakistan, based on The Law of God. Members shall pledge allegiance to the Islamic Republic of Pakistan and to be law-abiding citizens. Members are expected to denounce bigotry, believe in tolerance, equality of men and women in all walks of life and shall not engage in segregation and discrimination of females in party meetings.

All Members shall have an equal opportunity to rise in the party ranks and become Members of Central Parliamentary Council of the party. All Members shall have the title of RAZAKARS and shall be entitled to wear the ceremonial 'Coat of Arms' badges of the party at all ceremonials.

- Membership shall be 'a privilege' granted by consensus of the Central Executive Committee of JPP.
- Membership applicants shall submit in good faith a signed Declaration of Commitment as on page 6.
- Members are free to apply to be elected to the Central Parliamentary Council of the party.
- Honesty is the corner stone of JPP membership. Falsifying any information on the application shall be grounds for denial of Party Membership.

Party's structure: The structure of the party shall consist of the following institutions:

- 1. Central Executive Committee
- 2. Central Election Office
- 3. Central Parliamentary Council
- 4. Central Publicity Committee
- 5. Central Finance Committee
- 6. Youth Activism Committee for 'Warriors of Light.' (Boy Scouts & Girl Guides)

Article 1. CENTRAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEMBERS [CECM]

The President of the party shall be 'Leader of Party's Organization.'

The Central Executive Committee Members shall have the following powers and functions:

The Committee shall comprise of eight devoted men and women with distinction in political knowledge who must show excellence in understanding The Message of Quran. Central Executive Committee Members must possess a deep knowledge of legislature and law making process in Pakistan and must have achieved extraordinary success in their fields of work. Central Executive Committee Members must be able to make a sincere commitment to sacrifice their wealth and possessions to establish a system of equality and justice in Pakistan, based on the Law of God.

At the party's initiation, the Convener of the Party, acting in the capacity of President of the Organization, shall nominate an **eight member Board of Directors**. These shall subsequently serve as members of the Party's **Central Executive Committee**. **Party President** shall be nominated by consensus of the **Central Executive Committee** and shall subsequently be endorsed by a 2/3rd majority of **Central Parliamentary**

Council of elected Members. From amongst the **Central Executive Committee**, the Party President shall nominate the following:

- Vice President of Central Executive Committee.
- Secretary General of the Central Executive Committee.
- Deputy Secretary General Central Executive Committee.
- Chairman Central Finance Committee.
- Deputy Chairman Central Finance Committee.
- Chairman, Central Election Committee.
- Chairman, Central Publicity Committee.
- Chairman, Youth Activism Committee for Warriors of Light.

Sections of Article 1

- 1. **Central Executive Committee Members** shall serve a term of four years and shall be nominated from Party Members by Party President.
- 2. No person shall serve in the office of **Central Executive Committee** for more than two terms.
- 3. All matters shall be decided by consensus of the **Central Executive Committee**.
- 4. All Members of the **Central Executive Committee** shall be formally sworn in and commit themselves to the highest standards of ethics, loyalty and confidentiality to the President and the Party.
- 5. The **Central Executive Committee** shall be the final body to approve and amend the Constitution of the Party. The process for amendment shall include a 'motion of amendment' approved by two thirds majority of elected members of the **Central Parliamentary Council**.
- 6. Any member of **Central Executive Committee** can call for a meeting by notifying the Party President. The Party President shall be obligated to convene a meeting within 48 hrs. Agenda of the meeting shall be the responsibility of the member who called the meeting.
- 7. Party President and Central Executive Committee Members shall convene to meet at least once a month on the first Friday of every month. The Party President shall nominate one of the Central Executive Committee Members to act as a note taker or scribe for the meetings and a documented record of the meetings shall be maintained.
- 8. The Party President shall preside over the **Central Executive Committee**.
- 9. Meetings shall be focused on the agenda items and shall not become forums for debate on interpretations of dogma and beliefs.
- 10. Meetings of **Central Executive Committee Members** shall require a quorum and the presence of 25 percent members of **Central Executive Committee** shall constitute a quorum.
- 11. All communication for scheduling of meetings shall be via E-mail.
- 12. Meetings may be conducted by digital communication through Webinars or as circumstances may permit.

- 13. Any member of the **Central Executive Committees** who fails to attend three consecutive meetings shall be asked to vacate the office by the party President and a new member shall be nominated by the President to serve in lieu, in the **Central Executive Committee Members**.
- 14. Party President has the powers to dismiss the services of any of the eight members of Central Executive Committee for failing to fulfill the Presidents expectations to be a team player or for any number of reason including, efficiency, ethics, positive thinking and cooperative conduct. In any such event, a new member of the Central Executive Committee would be sworn in, in due course of time.
- 15. Central Executive Committee shall accept applications from Members for their nomination as Candidates for National and Provincial Elections to be held under the Election Commission of Pakistan.
- 16. **Central Executive Committee Members** shall hold party elections to decide which party members are to be given Party Tickets for Elections.
- 17. If any difficulty arises in giving effect to any of the provisions of this Constitution, the **President** of the Party may make any such provisions for the removal of difficulty as he may deem fit.

Article 2. CENTRAL ELECTION OFFICE

The Party shall have a Central Election Office to conduct and supervise the party's electoral process involving elections to the following offices.

- Election to the Office of President of Party
- Election to the Offices of Central Parliamentary Council

Central Election Office shall have the following powers and functions.

Sections of Article 2.

- 1. Beginning January 2012, party elections shall be held every **four years** on January 15 by a Digital Voting System. Computerized system using Computerized National Identity Card (CNIC) shall be used for all Party Elections.
- 2. Chairman Election Committee shall supervise election process for its fairness and impartiality.
- Chairman Election Committee shall be one designated member from Central Executive Committee Members. Chairman shall declare the results which shall be posted on the party website.
- 4. Any Member of the party can nominate himself for the position of **Party President or for membership to Central Parliamentary Council.** The **Party President** shall be elected every 4 years by the **Central Executive Committee Members** and endorsed by a 2/3 majority of the Central Parliamentary Council.
- 5. Any member can nominate himself for **Central Parliamentary Council**.
- 6. Nominations shall be made public on the Party Website and **Members** shall be asked to vote in confidentiality, providing their CNIC number and over a two week period.
- If any difficulty arises in giving effect to any of the provisions of Election Process, the Chairman
 Election Committee may make such provisions for the removal of the difficulty as he or she may
 deem fit.

Article 3. CENTRAL PARLIAMENTARY COUNCIL

In order to serve subsequently as a member of Legislature of the **National and Provincial Assemblies of Pakistan**, party Members must be duly elected to represent the party as such.

Central Parliamentary council shall have the following powers and functions.

Sections of Article 3.

- 1. Only duly elected party members shall constitute the **Central Parliamentary Council**.
- 2. Members elected to the **Central Parliamentary Council** shall be given the title of **CHAIRMAN** of their Constituency.
- 3. Any member may nominate himself to become CHAIRMAN from his constituency by submitting a "request for nomination as CHAIRMAN" via E mail to the Party President. The Party President may grant the applicant an 'acting' CHAIRMAN status immediately. The Secretary General of the Party shall 'Post' a general notification on the party's website regarding the nomination. If other competing applicants file for their candidature as CHAIRMAN an open election for CHAIRMAN of the constituency shall be held through computerized system ballot and the nominee declared on the Party website as an elected CHAIRMAN of the Constituency and member of Central Parliamentary Council. CHAIRMAN shall have the title of MARSHAL and wear a ceremonial uniform for self and his or her staff.
- 4. **Central Parliamentary Council** of the Party shall meet every 3 months in Islamabad or at a venue as determined by the Party President. Meetings may be held via Webinar at the discretion of the President.
- 5. **ELECTED CHAIRMEN** of the Central Parliamentary Council must abide by party discipline and shall not issue any press release that is inflammatory or detrimental to the Party's Manifesto.
- 6. **ELECTED CHAIRMAN** of a constituency shall have full authority to organize the party in their constituency or zones, nominate office bearers, **Nazims** for local electoral offices, District, Tehsil (Taluka/ Tappa), Wards/ Primary Committees of National Units.
- 7. **ELECTED CHAIRMAN** of a constituency shall be responsible for publicity of the Party Manifesto in the Constituency and for sponsor all matters of publicity.
- 8. To effect any amendment to the manifesto or constitution of the Party, a 2/3rd majority of the ELECTED CHAIRMEN of the **Central Parliamentary Council** must forward a 'motion of amendment' to the **Central Executive Committee** for approval provided that the number of members present in the meeting are more than half of the total elected CHAIRMEN of the Central Parliamentary Council.
- 9. To process a no-confidence motion against any office-bearer of the party, a 'no-confidence motion' must be presented to the Central Executive Committee Members. A due process shall be granted to the office bearer of the party against whom the motion was passed. Central Executive Committee Members shall decide the matter by their vote using fair and impartial judgment. A vote of five out of eight Central Executive Committee Members constitutes a decision. Central Executive Committee Members shall make a recommendation to the Party President who may evaluate the case and either counsel the office bearer as an attempt to rehabilitate the office bearer or declare that the office bearer has lost his/ her office. A member may be nominated

by the President to fill the position of office until members elect a new office-bearer for the vacated office.

Article 4. CENTRAL PUBLICITY COMMITTEE

Central Publicity Committee shall have the following powers and functions.

Sections of Article 4.

- 1. The Party shall have a Central publicity committee that shall supervise party website and shall be responsible and accountable for all matters of party publicity.
- 2. Chairman, Publicity Committee shall be nominated by the Party President.
- 3. In order to function and fulfill the responsibility, Chairman Publicity Committee shall select team members from all areas of Pakistan and shall oversee the propagation of Party manifesto.

Article 5. CENTRAL FINANCE COMMITTEE

Party President shall nominate two Executive Members from Central Executive Committee Members to serve as Chairman of the Central Finance Committee and as Deputy Chairman of the Central Finance Committee respectively

Central Finance Committee shall have the following powers and functions.

Sections of Article 5.

- 1. The **Chairman of Central Finance Committee** shall be responsible for the CENTRAL FUND of the party and shall open and operate the bank account for the party. Account shall be operative by two signatures of the Chairman and the Deputy Chairman.
- 2. The Chairman shall raise funds for the party by making volunteer appeals by E mails to members and executive members.
- 3. At the discretion of the Party President, members may be <u>requested</u> to contribute to the party funds from time to time, any sum of money which they can easily afford..
- 4. Funds raised by donations from Certified Non Profit Organizations in Pakistan, USA or other Overseas countries shall be used exclusively for party's ADOPT A FAMILY PROGRAM as described in the party's manifesto. Funds from such sources shall be used for non partisan educational purposes, propagation of the cause of democracy and fight against illiteracy, intolerance and bigotry.
- 5. **Chairman of Central Finance Committee** shall be responsible and accountable that Funds of the party are audited by a Certified Public Accountant and information posted on the party website every year on or around 15th of April.

Article 6. YOUTH ACTIVISM COMMITTEE FOR 'WARRIORS OF LIGHT'

The party celebrates the Youth of Pakistan as Leaders of Pakistan. It shall make every endeavor that the youth participate in the political process of the country in a Civil and lawful manner.

Youth Activism Committee for 'Warriors of Light' shall have the following powers and function. Sections of Article 6.

- 1. The Committee shall be headed by **Chairman Youth Activism Committee YAC** who shall be a members of the Central Executive Committee, nominated by the Party President.
- 2. Chairman YAC shall select the members of the Committee and lead the nation wide youth activism movement
- 3. Chairman YAC shall coordinate the Party's FOREIGN STUDENT EXCHANGE PROGRAM.
- 4. Chairman YAC shall serve as a role model for youth and encourage their participation in sports.
- 5. The Committee shall devise ways and means to encourage the Youth of Pakistan to participate in the electoral process.
- 6. The Committee shall actively participate as guidance counselor the youth members of the Party.
- 7. Chairman YAC shall devise a ceremonial Volunteer Workers Uniform for the youth similar to Scouts and Girl Guides. An official dress code shall be adopted on the guidelines of the Youth Scouts: Party Caps, Military berets, Badges, lapels, armbands and other ceremonial shall be worn.
- 8. Chairman YAC shall ensure that Para Military, Civil Defense training, and Emergency Medical Training EMT is imparted to interested youth.
- 9. The Committee shall reach out to the Youth of Pakistan to help them identify positive and constructive goals for utilization of their spare time.
- **10.** The Committee shall help create teams of Youth volunteers in every unit of Pakistan and guide them into organization and activism.

PARTY MEMBERSHIP & MEMBERSHIP PROCESS

RULES: Members are encouraged to celebrate Islam's traditional ceremonial rites and values and take pride in Islam's glorious heritage. **Minority Pakistani Citizen** members are equally encouraged to celebrate their respective traditional and ceremonial rites. Members shall accept full responsibility for their actions, shall not engage in bigotry and intolerance, must exhibit self-discipline and are expected to follow the principle of 'common good over individual good' in every matter. Members may be subject to disciplinary action as defined in party byelaws if they violate the Law of Pakistan. Members are obligated to accept the decision of Leader of Party. Members must agree to follow Quran's ideology in letter and spirit and publicize the party Manifesto to spread Quran's program of Equality and Justice.

Refer to Application Process on Page 8

PARTY MEMBERSHIP & MEMBERSHIP PROCESS:

Declaration of Commitment

Applicants for Party Membership shall submit a signed **Declaration of Commitment** which shall be available as 'sign in process for membership' on the website. It shall read as follows:

"I SOLEMNLY PLEDGE BEFORE GOD to serve as a loyal and law abiding citizen of Pakistan and I and shall always be dedicated to the interests of Pakistan. I solemnly pledge to uphold the ideology of the Jannat Pakistan Party and shall make personal endeavors to propagate The Manifesto. I solemnly pledge my loyalty to the President of the Party and I shall follow directions of the leader of the Party. In the event of any disagreement I am obligated to criticize the leader. I shall never hesitate to guide the leader if I consider the leader is misguided. I understand the party policy 'criticism in private, praise in public.' I have faith in optimism and believe in the success of God's Program of Equality and Social Justice whereby food, wealth and resources of the land of Pakistan shall be equally available to all citizens. I shall respect all religions and faiths and I understand that I am free to celebrate the ceremonial rites of my Faith. I understand that diversity is the strength of the Party and I shall respect ceremonial rites and traditions of all religions and faiths of Pakistan. I believe in equality of men and women. I believe in freedom of religion and freedom of expression. I shall adopt a positive outlook on all matters of life in party meetings. I shall use the best language etiquette to communicate. I shall be rational in all walks of life and refrain from magical beliefs and superstitious rituals. I understand that I shall be asked to make a voluntary contribution to the funds of the party. I pledge on my honor to try and participate in all Party Meetings, General and Local whose calendar shall be provided to me by E mail.

WITH MY SIGNATURE BELOW I pledge on my honor and as my duty to God that I shall propagate the manifesto of the party to the best of my abilities. I understand that I shall not engage in any activity, which is detrimental to the interests and honor of Pakistan and the Party. I understand that diversity is the strength of the Party, all human beings are equal and I shall not engage in any religious sectarian discrimination. I understand that I shall be given a due process of representation in matters of allegations involving misconduct and discipline/ rule violation and that my membership may be revoked at the discretion of Central Executive Committee. I have read the Constitution of Jannat Pakistan Party and all its sections and clauses have been effectively communicated to me"

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT
Applicant's Name
Pakistan National ID Card Number
Address in Pakistan
Mobile Number

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Asarulislam Syed President

Ayaz Khan Yousafzai Vice President

Awais Khan Durrani General Secretary

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