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# WAFAQI MOHTASIB (OMBUDSMAN)'S SECRETARIAT ISLAMABAD.

Islamabad the 7th January, 2022.

### **NOTIFICATION**

No. 6(34) WMS/Coord, 2022.In supersession of the Wafaqi Mohtasib Secretariat Notification No.3 (232) A-II/2014, dated 28<sup>th</sup> June, 2016 and in exercise of power vested under Article 18 of the Establishment of the office of Wafaqi Mohtasib (Ombudsman) Order, 1983 (President's Order No.1 of 1983), the Wafaqi Mohtasib has approved reconstitution of the 'National Committee on Children' as follows:-

1.	Ms. Shaheen Attique -ur- Rehman Vice Chairperson of Bunyad Foundation, Punjab	Chairperson
2.	Senator Rubina Khalid Chairperson Senate Standing Committee on Information Technology	Member
2.	Ms. Mehnaz Akbar Aziz MNA / Chairperson Special Committee on Child Rights, Parliamentary Task Force on SDGs	Member
3.	Ms. Ashifa Riaz Fatyana Minister for Women Development Punjab	Member
4.	Amb.(R) Ms. Fouzia Nasreen Former Ambassador to Nepal, Poland (concurrent accreditation of the Czech Republic), High Commissioner for Australia (concurrent accreditation of the Fiji Island)	Member
5.	Mr. Farhat ullah Baber Ex – Senator	Member
6.	Ms. Raheela Hameed Durrani Former Speaker of the Provincial Assembly / MPA, Balochistan	Member
7.	Ms. Nighat Yasmin Orakzai MPA, Provincial Assembly of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa (KPK)	Member
8.	Ms. Shamsa Ali MPA and Lawyer	Member



Mr. Justice (R) Manzoor Hussain Gillani Member 9. Chairman Association for the rights of the people of Azad Jammu & Kashmir Member 10. Ch. Muhammad Masaud Akhtar Khan Former District & Session Judge, Punjab Member 11. Mr. Zia Ahmed Awan Founder of Madadgaar National Helpline, Sindh Member Ms. Samar Minallah 12. Anthropologist, Documentarian, Filmmaker & Human Rights Activist Member 13. Ms. Manizeh Bano Executive Director, Sahil Ms. Afshan Tehseen Ex Officio Member 14. Chairperson National Committee on the Rights of Child 15. Ms. Riffat Sardar Ex Officio Member Chairperson, KP Commission on the Status of Women Ex Officio Member 16. Ms. Tabana Sajjad Naseer Advisor (General) CPCC, Provincial Mohtasib Punjab 17. Ms. Tahira Yasub Ex Officio Member SSP, Police Department Gilgit Baltistan Syeda Viquar-un- nisa Hashmi Member/Secretary 18. Honorary Advisor & Grievance Commissioner for Children Wafaqi Mohtasib (Ombudsman)'s Secretariat, Islamabad

#### The Terms of Reference (TORs) of the National Committee on Children are as follows:-

- 1. Monitor the status of rights of children in Pakistan, especially the children at risk; and redressing grievances of children through Advisor / Grievance Commissioner for Children, appointed by Hon'ble Wafaqi Mohtasib.
- 2. Address systemic issues relating to child rights through:
  - a. Broad-based consultative meetings with key stakeholders;
  - b. Formation of thematic Task Force or Sub-Committees:
  - c. Initiating/ sponsoring research studies relating to child rights;
  - d. Raising awareness about child rights and protection thereof through electronic and print media, seminars and other available means;
  - e. Other steps, as deemed appropriate by the Committee;

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- 3. Recommend Policy and legal reforms for the protection and welfare of children; and
- 4. Perform such other functions as it deems necessary for the protection and promotion of child rights.

Sd/-(Muhammad Ashfaq Ahmad) Director General (Coord)

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#### Copy to:-

- 1. The Secretary to the President of Pakistan
- 2. The Secretary to the Prime Minister, Prime Minister's Office, Islamabad.
- 3. All Members of the National Committee on Children.
- 4. All Wafaqi Mohtasibs.
- 5. All Provincial Mohtasibs.
- 6. The Mohtasib, Azad Jammu & Kashmir.
- 7. The Secretary, Ministry of Law, Justice& Human Rights Govt. of Pakistan, Islamabad.
- 8. All Senior Advisors/ Advisors/Associate Advisors/ Consultants, WMS Head Office Isd.
- 9. All Regional Head, Wafaqi Mohtasib Secretariat.
- 10. PSO/ Associate Advisor to HWM, WMS, Islamabad.
- 11. Secretary to HWM, WMS Islamabad
- 12. S.P.S to Secretary, Wafaqi Mohtasib Secretariat, Islamabad.
- 13. D.G (Admn), WMS, Islamabad.
- 14. Notification File.