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Most immediate
Assembly Business

No.PA/Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Legis-I (R)/2026/ 5611
Date, Peshawar the 30/04/2026/

To,

The Secretary to Government of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa,
Law, Parliamentary Affairs and Human Rights Department.

Subject: - **JOINT RESOLUTION No. 245 ADOPTED BY THE PROVINCIAL ASSEMBLY OF KHYBER PAKHTUNKHWA.**

Dear Sir,

I am directed to say that the Provincial Assembly of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa in its sitting held on 22-04-2026 passed Per-Majority the following Joint Resolution No.245 moved by Mr. Shah Abu Turab Bangash, Mr. Aftab Alam, Minister for Law, Mr. Muhammad Adnan Qadri, Mr. Sher Ali Afridi, Mr. Anwar Zeb Khan, Mr. Ajmal Khan, Mr. Muhammad Arif, Mr. Abdul Ghani, Mr. Shakeel Ahmad and Malik Adeel Iqbal Members Provincial Assembly of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa. The resolution is given below:-

“This House takes serious note of the recent controversy arising out of inter-High Court transfers, particularly in relation to the Islamabad High Court, which has raised important constitutional questions regarding the independence of the judiciary and the security of tenure of Judges under Article 200 of the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan.

This House, reaffirms that any process of transfer of Judges must strictly adhere to constitutional requirements of consultation, transparency and the free consent of the concerned Judges and that the independence of the judiciary is essential for the enforcement of rule of law and constitutional supremacy.

This House resolves that all constitutional authorities concerned shall ensure that any inter-High Court transfer of Judges is carried out strictly in accordance with Article 200 of the Constitution, in a transparent, consultative and constitutionally compliant manner, safeguarding the independence, dignity, and institutional integrity of the superior judiciary”

You are, therefore requested that action taken on the resolution may be intimated to this Secretariat within a period of ninety days from the date of its communication under sub-rule (2) of Rule 165 of the Provincial Assembly of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Procedure and Conduct of Business Rules, 2025 for circulation amongst the Members of the Assembly.

Yours faithfully,


(MALIK HASAN ZEB)
Assistant Secretary-IV.