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Holy Qur'an On “JUSTICE”

O ye who believe!
stand out firmly for
justice, as witnesses
to Allah, even as
against yourselves,
or your parents, or
your kin, and
whether it be (against)
rich or poor: for Allah
can best protect both.
Follow not the lusts
(of your hearts), lest
ye swerve, and if ye
distort (justice)
or decline to do
justice verily Allah is
well-acquainted with all
that ye do. -

(Surah An-Nisa: 135)



Quaid-e-Azam on "Justice"



I shall always be guided by the principles of justice and fair play without any, as is put in the political language, prejudice or ill-will; in other words, partiality or favoritism. My guiding principle will be justice and complete impartiality, and I am sure that with your support and co-operation, I can look forward to Pakistan becoming one of the greatest nations of the world.

Source: G. Allana, Pakistan Movement Historical Documents (Karachi: Department of International Relations, University of Karachi, 2nd edition [1969]), pp. 407-411

Mission

The Constitution of Pakistan has established the Judiciary as a separate and independent organ of the State.

Its main task is to dispense inexpensive and expeditious justice, uphold the rights and freedoms of the individual and preserve the rule of law in the country.

Its mission is to carry out its task fairly, justly and expeditiously, and to abide by the requirement of the judicial oath “to do right to all manner of people, according to law, without fear or favour, affection or ill-will.”

Indeed, that is a pretty high calling for all key stakeholders of administration of justice system in the country. The CELJE/FJA is all about getting the justice sector professionals into the right shape to achieve the long-avowed goal.

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Message from the Hon'ble Chief Justice of Pakistan

Imparting justice is not only a divine and sacred obligation, but also our legal duty under the Constitution. The whole system of judiciary has been established to fulfill this obligation and efforts have been made to further refine it. Judiciary cannot deliver without proper judicial education. Today we have a professional and leading institution in the field of judicial education i.e. Centre of Excellence for Law and Judicial Education/Federal Judicial Academy to serve our nation. The Annual Report for the year 2013-2014, outlines the vision, objectives, activities, achievements and targets set-out during the reported period. It is an endeavor to bring more transparency, accountability and fiscal efficiency and place it as a guide for the policy markers, keeping in view the role of judicial education, to shape the contours of administration of justice.

Preserving the rule of law and independence of judiciary are the hallmarks of our judicial history. The effectiveness of judicial system has a direct nexus with provision of proper and continuous training for enhancing the professional competence of judicial officers and court personnel in resolving disputes, which consequently, lead to peace, socio-economic development and rule of law. Judicial education aims at sensitizing judicial officers, court personnel and other professionals of the justice sector to enhance knowledge/skills and improve performance to enhance public confidence in the system of judicial administration. The Centre of Excellence for Law and Judicial Education, previously known as Federal Judicial Academy, has explored leading edge ideas to improve the dispensation of justice and preserve a strong and independent judiciary.

There have been some major achievements during the year 2013-2014 as mentioned in the executive summary by the Director General in this report. The up-gradation of the Federal Judicial Academy to Centre of Excellence for Law and Judicial Education and inauguration of Phase-II building is of great significance. During the reported year 564 judges, magistrates, law officers and court personnel obtained training, which is the largest number of trainees trained since inception of the Academy. However, as Excellence has no borders, I am confident that the Centre will continue working hard and will take up future challenges and live up to expectations of the judiciary. The Centre has positively reviewed all features of its organizational and operational structure. The Federal and Provincial governments have promised to provide adequate resources and support to the Centre under its upgraded role, so that its capacity and capability can be brought to the highest standards. As the Centre closely liaisons with provincial academics, it can help to provide sound administrative support to the judiciary to ensure high quality of judicial education to every judicial officers, court personnel and other professionals.

The Director General, faculty and staff are commended for their tenacity and hard work as I express gratitude on behalf of Board of Governors and judiciary for the public service rendered by them. I am sure that this report will be circulated widely amongst various sections of the society including academia and intelligentsia, with a view to solicit their suggestions to further improve the functioning of the Centre.



Justice Nasir-ul-Mulk

Chief Justice of Pakistan/Chairman, Board of Governors

Foreword

"It was the best of times". These opening words from Dickens', "A Tale of Two Cities" perfectly sum up the activities of the Centre of Excellence for Law and Judicial Education (CELJE)/ Federal Judicial Academy (FJA) in the year 2013-14. A lot happened during this period. The Federal Judicial Academy was converted into a "Centre of Excellence for Law and Judicial Education" through the Federal Judicial Academy (Amendment) Ordinance, 2014. The scope of the Centre of Excellence has widened in the area of judicial training and imparting legal education. The construction of the FJA Phase-II building was completed in record time and now it stands out. Our training and orientation job as per Annual Judicial Calendar for 2013-14, duly approved by the Chief Justice of Pakistan/ Chairman, BoG, was no less demanding, but we also spent time focusing on the longer term projects i.e. the quality of training and capacity-building with our international partners such as UNDP, British High Commission, Islamabad, US Embassy, Islamabad, Commonwealth Judicial Education Institute Canada, World Intellectual Property Organization, US Department of Commerce, Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), Australian Federal Police (AFP) and Scotland Yard Police, particularly in the context of rapidly changing world and emerging challenges to the judiciary. We also tried to envisage the future and anticipate likely scenarios that will test our preparedness and resilience as prime judicial training institute of the country, now with degree-awarding status.

Our strategic planning focus as a judicial capacity building institute is to be forever ready to meet the demands of our dynamic environment. We aim to position the properly trained and groomed Judicial Officers, among other professionals and remain relevant and valuable to our various stakeholders.

We have significantly strengthened our ability to enable our subjects under the mandate of the Academy such as Judicial Officers, Law Officers, lawyers, Court Personnel to add to their knowledge, sharpen their skills and exchange ideas/opinions for learning best practices here in the Academy during the training sessions. In the wake of becoming the Centre of Excellence for Law and Judicial Education, the scope / subjects of the institution have been expanded to also impart training to lawyers, investigators, prosecutors, prison officers, government officers, etc. Further, the Centre will also impart teaching in the field of legal education and offer graduate and higher degrees in Law/ Judicial Education. This is an enormous task and currently we are engaged to set up the requisite academic bodies and frame rules/regulations for operationalizing the Centre.

The FJA imparted training to some 600 course participants, comprising judges of Subordinate Courts, court personnel, prosecutors, law officers, etc. At the core of this achievement is the consistent ability of the Academy and its Faculty to innovate in order to sustain quality and relevance, to secure additional participation and to win durable positive appreciation of the Academy, the sole continuing judicial education institute, at the federal level. It is heartening to note here that training courses for our members of legal fraternity hailing from High Court Bar Association, Hyderabad and other Districts of Province of Sindh and two, two-day trainings for judges and lawyers of Islamabad Capital Territory were also held during this period. The training

courses were designed in a manner to cover substantive and procedural laws, court jurisdiction, procedure and practice, and skill development together with subjects like emerging trends and challenges in the areas of judicial administration in the present globalized world. It is hoped that such pre- and in-service trainings will not only enhance the quality of judgment writing but also strengthen the bond and enhance mutual respect among the members of Bar and Bench for an expeditious and effective justice delivery to the litigant public.

All of these and innumerable other achievements testify to the inventiveness and resolution of the honourable Chairman and honourable Judge-Incharge who strived to achieve high standard of training by the Academy. This Annual Report demonstrates the breadth and quality of our work and it also shows how, in their time his lordship, Mr. Justice Iftikhar Muhammad Chaudhry, his lordship Mr. Justice Tassaduq Hussain Jillani, and his lordship Mr. Justice Nasir-ul-Mulk, Chief Justice of Pakistan as Chairman, Board of Governors, have set directions that reinforce the excellence of the Academy.

Let me reiterate that we gave everything possible to make our training courses and orientations meaningful and result-oriented and on the basis of views expressed by the participants during certificate awarding ceremonies at the conclusion of each course and their candid interaction with the honourable Chairman, honourable Judge-Incharge and other honourable judges of the Supreme Court/ High Courts during the inaugural and concluding ceremonies and social evenings, I have logically concluded that the training received by them considerably enriched their experience and enhanced their proficiency in different aspects of their responsibilities as judicial officers.

I extend my profound gratitude to the honourable Chairman and honourable Judge-Incharge without whose keen interest in the affairs of the CELJE/FJA and encouragement, it could not have been possible to achieve the objects for which it stands. I also thank the worthy sitting and retired Judges of the High Courts/District Courts, eminent jurists and experts who made very valuable and substantial contribution as resource person and thus rendered precious support to our efforts in improving the quality/standard of instructions. I must say I am indebted to certain institutions, both, national and international, NGOs and International NGOs for their valuable contribution in the training programs. I am also thankful to the FJA faculty for their concerted efforts to impart teaching and for helping me in administrative matters and staff of the CELJE/FJA, whose active and wholehearted co-operation enabled me to run its affairs in an effective and successful manner.

Looking to the future, my optimistic disposition is that the CELJE/FJA will succeed in making all key stakeholders of administration of justice to work for "Justice for All." As we have done this year, we will sustain that vitality in order to inspire fresh advances for the future.

I am pleased to present the Annual Report for the Centre of Excllence for Law and Judicial Education/Federal Judicial Academy, which not only provides a summary of the many activities carried out by the Academy during the preceding year, but also gives its vision and future course of action to achieve its aims and objects.

(Dr. Faqir Hussain)
Director General

FJA: Board of Governors

CELJE/FJA is a body corporate having perpetual succession and a common seal with power to acquire, hold and dispose of property both moveable and immovable and shall by the said name sue and be sued.

The management of its affairs vests in the Board of Governors which currently consists of:-

1.	Hon'ble Mr. Justice Nasir-ul-Mulk Chief Justice of Pakistan	Chairman
2.	Senator Parvaiz A. Rasheed Federal Minister for Law, Justice & Human Rights	Vice Chairman
3.	Mr. Muhammad Salman Bashir Butt Attorney General for Pakistan	Member
4.	Hon'ble Mr. Justice Muhammad Anwar Khan Kasi Chief Justice Islamabad High Court	Member
5.	Hon'ble Mr. Justice Maqbool Baqar Chief Justice, High Court of Sindh	Member
6.	Hon'ble Mr. Justice Mazhar Alam Khan Chief Justice, Peshawar High Court	Member
7.	Mr. Justice Kh. Imtiaz Ahmad Chief Justice, Lahore High Court	Member
8.	Hon'ble Mr. Justice Ghulam Mustafa Mengal Chief Justice, Balochistan High Court	Member
9.	Barrister Zafarullah Khan Secretary, Ministry of Law, Justice & Human Rights	Member
10.	Dr. Faqir Hussain Director General, CELJE/FJA	Member/Secretary

Role and Powers

1. The Board of Governors, shall *inter alia*:

   (a) Exercise general supervision over the affairs of the Centre of Excellence;

   (aa) Award degrees, diplomas and certificates;

   (ab) Approve academic and research programmes;

   (b) Lay down the policy and programme for training and approve courses of training

   (c) Evaluate and examine the activities of the Centre of Excellence;

   (d) Approve and consider the annual budget and revised budget estimates;

   (e) Receive grants-in-aid from the Federal Government, Provincial Governments and aid giving agencies;

   (f) Cause proper books of account to be maintained for all sums of money received and expended by the Centre of Excellence and arrange for audit by the Auditor-General of Pakistan;

   (g) Prescribe the terms and conditions of service of the Director General and member of the staff;

   (h) Create, abolish, suspend and upgrade posts,

   (i) Prescribe duties of the members of the staff;

   (j) Appoint, suspend, punish, dismiss or remove from service any member of the staff;

   (k) Purchase, hire, construct or alter building for the Centre of Excellence;

   (l) Hold, control and administer the moveable and immovable property, assets and funds of the Centre of Excellence;

   (m) Regulate, determine and administer all matters concerning the Centre of Excellence;

   (n) Affiliate with Provincial judicial academies and other training and educational institutions; and

   (o) Decide any matter ancillary and incidental to the aims and objects of the Centre of Excellence.

2. Under section 7 of the Act, powers have been delegated to the Hon'ble Chairman of the Board, for performance of certain important functions of urgent nature, and he exercises control over and supervision of the affairs of the Centre of Excellence, which he carries out

with the assistance of Hon'ble Judge , Supreme Court of Pakistan, who has been nominated by the Hon'ble Chairman as Judge-Incharge of the Academy, in order to institutionalize the decision making relating to administration and to decentralize his powers.

3. Under section 10 of the Act, the management of the Centre of Excellence is carried on, under the general directions of the Board, by the Director General as its academic and administrative head. He is responsible for the maintenance of good order and discipline and is also the Principal Accounting Officer of the Centre of Excellence.

Management and Functions

Director-General.

1. The Director-General shall be appointed by the Chairman on such terms and conditions as may be approved by the Board.

2. The management of the Centre of Excellence shall be carried on by the Director-General under the general direction of Board.

3. The Director-General shall be the academic and administrative head of the Centre of Excellence and shall be responsible for the maintenance of good order and discipline.

4. The Director-General shall be the Principal Accounting Officer of the Centre of Excellence.

Appointment of Officers and Members of Staff of the Centre of Excellence.

1. The members of the Staff of the Centre of Excellence shall be appointed by direct recruitment or transfer, or deputation or on contract basis or otherwise in such manner and on such terms and conditions as may be approved by the Board,

2. All appointments of the members of the staff to posts in Basic Pay Scale 1 to 16 shall be made by the Director-General with the approval of the Chairman.

3. Appointment of the members of the staff to posts in Basic Pay Scale 17 and above shall be made by the Chairman.

4. Notwithstanding anything contained in any contract or agreement or in the conditions of service, all persons serving in connection with the affairs of the Federal Judicial Academy immediately before the commencement of the Federal Judicial Academy (Amendment) Ordinance, 2014, other than the persons so serving on deputation, shall stand transferred to the Centre of Excellence and become the employees of the Centre of Excellence on the same terms and conditions to which they were entitled immediately before such commencement and shall, on such transfer, cease to be persons in the service of Pakistan.

Hon'ble Mr. Justice Nasir-ul-Mulk

Chief Justice of Pakistan/Chairman, BoG



Personal

Father's Name: Kamran Khan
Place of Birth: Swat, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa
Qualifications: BA, LLB from University of Peshawar,
Barrister-at-Law of the Inner Temple, London

Professional Experience:

- Called to the Bar in the year 1977
- Practiced as an Advocate in all fields of law for more than 17 years before elevation to Bench
- Elected as Secretary General, Peshawar High Court Bar Association, 1981
- Elected twice as President, Peshawar High Court Bar Association in 1990 and 1993
- Appointed as Advocate General, KPk in 1993
- Delivered lectures at the Khyber Law College, University of Peshawar
- Delivered lectures as Guest Speaker at the KPk Provincial Services Academy, Peshawar
- Appointed as Judge, Peshawar High Court on 4.6.1994
- Appointed as Chief Justice of Peshawar High Court on 31.5.2004
- Appointed as Judge, Supreme Court of Pakistan on 5.4.2005
- Appointed as Chief Justice of Pakistan on 6.7.2014

Other Positions:

- Chairman, Centre of Excellence for Law and Judicial Education/Federal Judicial Academy, Islamabad
- Remained Chairman, Federal Review Board of Pakistan from 2009 till 5.7.2014
- Chairman, Judicial Commission of Pakistan

- Chairman, Law and Justice Commission of Pakistan
- Chairman, National Judicial (Policy-Making) Committee
- Chairman, Al-Mizan Foundation
- Remained Acting Chief Election Commissioner of Pakistan from 30.11.2013 till 2.7.2014
- Member, Syndicate, Quaid-i-Azam University, Islamabad

Participation in International Symposiums:

- International Judicial Training Conference, Barcelona, Spain, 2007.
- World Justice Forum-II Austria Center Vienna, 2009.
- Colloquium for Judges on the use of the Principles of Equity and Non-Discrimination, 2009, Maldives, under the UNHCHR, Geneva.
- The International Association of Supreme Administrative Jurisdictions (IASAJ) 2010 Congress, Sydney & Canberra, Australia.
- Decision Making on Pluralist Normative Ground: On the Governance of Disparate Traditional, Religious and Statutory Laws in Pluralist Societies Conference, held in Berlin, Germany in May 2011.
- Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) Conference 2012, Singapore.
- Headed the delegation of the Trial Court Judges on visit to the USA in September 2013.

Senator Pervaiz A. Rashid

Federal Minister for Law, Justice and Human Rights/
Vice Chairman CELJE/FJA, BoG



Name :	Pervaiz Rashid
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Designation:	Senator

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Political Career

Chairman Standing Committee on Information and Broadcasting, Interior and Narcotics Control Overseas Pakistanis, National Heritage and Integration.

Mr. Muhammad Salman Bashir Butt

Attorney General for Pakistan



Admitted to practice in 1982. His qualifications and experience are summarized below:

- B.A., LL.B. (Punjab)
- LL.M. (London)
- Advocate Supreme Court of Pakistan

He has specialized in Corporate, Commercial and Banking Laws, structuring, negotiation and documentation of banking transactions, mergers and acquisitions, Financial transactions and corporate finance, law of property, Civil litigation, Alternate Dispute Resolution, International Arbitration, Contract negotiations, Contracts, International Business Transactions, Oil and Gas Laws, Telecommunications laws, Environmental laws, Laws related to concessions etc., Constitutional cases, civil, Banking and Commercial litigation and related matters.

The name of Mr. Salman Butt continues to be recommended as leading Lawyer by "Chambers Global/Asia," for banking and finance, complex cross border transactions involving Islamic finance, power projects, project finance and infrastructure projects.

Hon'ble Mr. Justice Muhammad Anwar Khan Kasi

Chief Justice, Islamabad High Court



Chief Justice, Islamabad High Court Anwar Khan Kasi Hon'ble Mr. Justice Muhammad Anwar Khan Kasi is a descendent of the famous Pashtun tribe "Kasi" settled in Quetta and around since ages. Born in an educated business family on 28th November 1956, he received his early education from Tameer-Nau Public School Quetta. After doing his FSc from Government Science College Quetta in 1975, he did his graduation from the University of Balochistan in 1978. Thereafter he received his Masters degree in Economics in 1st Division and LLB from Balochistan University in 1980-81. He was enrolled as an advocate in 1982. After practicing law as an advocate for four years, he joined the judicial service of Balochistan as a Civil Judge in May, 1986. Besides working as a Civil Judge on various stations, he worked as a Section Officer (Solicitor) Law Department, Government of Balochistan. He was appointed as an Additional District and Sessions Judge in 1991 and was promoted as District and Sessions Judge in 1997. He worked as District and Sessions Judge in many remote tribal areas i.e Nasirabad, Dera Muraad Jamali, Sibi, Noshki, Kharan, Musakhail, Pishin, Zhob, Chaman and Quetta. He also served as Member Industrial Relations Commission Islamabad 1999, Judge Accountability Court No.1 Balochistan from 2000 to 2003, Judge Anti Corruption Court 2009 and Member Balochistan Service Tribunal from 2009 / 2010. He was elevated as Judge of the Islamabad High Court on 4th January 2011. He gained vast experiences in all the disciplines of law i.e criminal, civil, revenue, customs and service.

In his career as a Judge, he received his professional training from Federal Judicial Academy Islamabad in 1999. He participated in various conferences and workshops which include "First Judicial Conference" held in Quetta 2002, Workshop on "Citizen Court Liaison" held in Federal Judicial Academy Islamabad 2003, Workshop on "Pakistan Environmental Protection Act 1997" in Quetta 2003, Workshop on "Judicial Ethics" 2004 and Workshop on "International Mechanism for protection of Human Rights of Refugees and bonded labor" 2004. He had also been a sports man in the field of hiking, hunting and riding. Besides his native language, he is fluent in almost all the local languages of Pakistan i.e Brahvi, Balochi, Sindhi, Persian and Punjabi. He was appointed Chief Justice Islamabad High Court, Islamabad on 25.02.2013.

Hon'ble Mr. Justice Maqbool Baqar

Chief Justice, High Court of Sindh



Name:	Maqbool Baqar
Father's name:	S. Ali Ashar
Date of birth:	5th April, 1957
Academic qualification:	LLB from University of Karachi
Enrolled as an advocate:	In May 1981
Elevated as an Additional Judge of High Court of Sindh:	On 26th August 2002.
Confirmed as Judge of High Court of Sindh:	On 26th August 2003.
Appointed as Chief Justice of the High Court of Sindh:	On 20th September 2013.

Hon'ble Mr. Justice Mazhar Alam Khan

Chief Justice, Peshawar High Court



Born to a respectable family of Miankhel, (Dera Ismail Khan) on 14.7.1957.

Education

- Received his secondary education from B.I.S.E. Peshawar in 1973.
- Graduated from the Gomal University in 1979.
- Obtained Law Degree from Gomal University, Dera Ismail Khan in 1982.

Professional Career

- Enrolled as an Advocate of the Lower Courts in year 1982. Enrolled as an Advocate of the High Court in year 1984,. Enrolled as an Advocate of Supreme Court of Pakistan in year 2003.

Activities at Bar

- Remained Vice President and Secretary, District Bar Association D.I.Khan.
- Remained Vice President and Secretary High Court Bar Association, D.I.Khan Bench.
- Also remained Member of N.W.F.P. Bar Council, sessions 1999 to 2003 and 2004 to 2009.
- From the year 1998 to 2000, remained visiting part-time Lecturer in Law College, Gomal University, D.I.Khan.
- Remained Legal Advisor of different Firms/Institutions and Banks.

Judicial Career

- Elevated to the Bench as Additional Judge on 07.9.2009.
- Elevated as permanent Judge of the Peshawar High Court on 05.9.2011.

Appointments

- Remained as Member Syndicate of Sarhad University.
- Worked as Chairman Election Tribunal and Companies Judge.

- Worked as Chairman Enrolment Committee of the Provincial Bar Council, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa at Mingora Bench.
- Worked as Member of Administration Committee of Peshawar High Court.

Interests

- Throughout his career, the Hon'ble Judge took keen interest in administration of justice and Rule of Law.

As a Chief Justice

- Took oath as Chief Justice of the Peshawar High Court on 8th April, 2014.

Hon'ble Mr. Justice Kh. Imtiaz Ahmad

Chief Justice, Lahore High Court



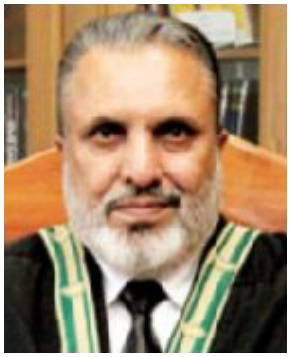
Mr. Justice Kh. Imtiaz Ahmad was born on 30.03.1953 in Pind Dadan Khan; Passed matriculation examination from Government High School, Pind Dadan Khan, District Jhelum. He did his Graduation from Gordon College, Rawalpindi. After LLB Degree from Baha-ud-Din Zakriya University, Multan was enrolled as Advocate in the year 1980; started practice at Pind Dadan Khan, District Jhelum as an Advocate. Appointed as Additional District & Sessions Judge in the year 1992 and served as such till the year 2000; promoted as District & Sessions Judge in the year 2000 and served as such till 14.09.2009. He was elevated as an Additional Judge of the Lahore High Court on 15.09.2009 and as a permanent Judge on 05.09.2011.

- Attended 2nd Pre-service Training Course for AD&SJ NIPA, Lahore w.e.f. 31.10.1992 to 21.01.1993;
- Attended 37th Sharia (Islamic Law) Course, Islamabad w.e.f 1.7.1997 to 21.10.1997;
- Attended CLDP Seminar titled Adjudication of Intellectual Property Disputes in Pakistan w.e.f 18.9.2006 to 19.9.2006 from (FJA) Islamabad;
- Attended Fiscal Management Training Workshop w.e.f 20.11.2006 to 22.11.2006 (FJA) Islamabad.
- Attended Case Flow Management Workshop w.e.f 24.11.2006 to 25.11.2006 from (FJA) Islamabad.
- Attended South Asia Conference on Environmental Justice w.e.f 24.03.2012 to 25.03.2012 at Bhurban, Pakistan.
- Attended the Workshop on Prisoners Vulnerability - Lacking Awareness on 02.11.2013 at FJA Islamabad.
- Attended International Judicial Conference, 2014 at Islamabad w.e.f 18.04.2014 to 19.04.2014.

Hon'ble Mr. Justice Kh. Imtiaz Ahmad is known as a liberal, independent and balanced Judge. As a Judge of the High Court, his Lordship has delivered opinions and authored judgments on various issues of domestic and international concern such as enforcement of fundamental rights. In a famous case (Dr. Niaz Ahmad vs. D.C.O, etc., KLR 2014 Crl.Cases 162), the action of the Government regarding detention was declared illegal and the order was set aside and quashed.

Hon'ble Mr. Justice Ghulam Mustafa Mengal

Chief Justice, Balochistan High Court



Hon'ble Mr. Justice Ghulam Mustafa Mengal was born on the 25th of December 1952, at Quetta (Balochistan).

Justice Ghulam Mustafa Mengal did his matriculation in 1971 and F.A. in January 1974, from the University of Balochistan. He completed his B.A. in March 1976, and L.L.B. from the University of Law College, Quetta (University of Balochistan).

Hon'ble Mr. Justice Ghulam Mustafa Mengal entered the legal profession on the 15th of November 1988, and joined the Chamber of Muhammad Muqeem Ansari, a leading advocate of Balochistan.

He was enrolled as an advocate of the High Court on the 14th of February 1991 and of the Supreme Court of Pakistan on the 13th of September 2008.

On the 18th of November 1999, Justice Ghulam Mustafa Mengal was appointed as Assistant Advocate General, Balochistan, and on the 24th of September 2002, he was appointed as Additional Advocate General and served in this position till the 23rd of September, 2004.

During his career with the Bar he was elected as the Secretary of the Library of the Balochistan Bar Association, and in 2006 as the Vice President of the Balochistan High Court Bar Association. On the 9th of July, 2009, Justice Ghulam Mustafa Mengal was appointed as Chairperson, of the Environmental Protection Tribunal, Balochistan and as Senate Member of Sardar Bahadur Khan Women University on the 17th of September, 2012.

Hon'ble Mr. Justice Ghulam Mustafa Mengal was elevated as Additional Judge, High Court of Balochistan on the 7th of September 2009, and confirmed as Judge of the High Court of Balochistan on the 11th of May 2011.

Hon'ble Mr. Justice Ghulam Mustafa Mengal was appointed as Tribunal of Inquiry twice for the purpose of making inquiries into the tragic incidents of killings/firings, which took place on the 15th of January 2010, at City Khuzdar and on the 3rd of March 2010, at Balochistan University of Engineering & Technology, Khuzdar, respectively.

Hon'ble Mr. Justice Ghulam Mustafa Mengal attended the Judicial Conferences held at Islamabad in 2010, 2011 and 2012, and the Regional Seminar at Lahore in September 2011, organized by the Supreme Court Bar Association. He also attended the South Asia Conference on Environmental Justice at Bhurban, Muree in March 2012.

Barrister Zafarullah Khan

Secretary, Ministry of Law, Justice and Human Rights



Barrister Zafarullah Khan is serving as Secretary to the Government of Pakistan, Ministry of Law, Justice and Human Rights since October 21, 2013. He has 30 years of experience of working in diverse fields. He has served in Civil Services of Pakistan, has been a lawyer, consultant, writer and teacher. He joined the District Management Group of the Civil Services of Pakistan in 1987 and served in the Punjab and Sindh Provinces in various administrative and judicial capacities. He resigned from the Service in 2002 to work for Human Rights and Rule of Law.

He has worked as legal and human rights consultant on women, children and labour issues with different UN organizations, INGOs and NGOs. He was the Chairman, Alternate Dispute Resolution Committee, Collectorate of Customs and Sales Tax, Faisalabad (2004-06). He has taught Law, Human Rights and International Relations in International Islamic University, Quaid-e-Azam University, Iqra University, Civil Services Academy, National School of Public Policy, National Police Academy and many other institutions of higher learning and training.

Barrister Zafarullah Khan holds degrees and diplomas in varied fields. He has done MSc in International Relations from the Quaid-e-Azam University, Islamabad; Bachelor of Law with Honors from the City University, London; Postgraduate Diploma in Bar Vocational Studies from the University of West of England, Bristol; and Bar-at-Law from the Lincoln's Inn. He has certificates in Sahi Bokhari and Fiqh Hanfia from Madrassah Mazher ul Uloom, Umer Kot, Sindh. He has also received degree of Shahad-ul-Aalmia-fe-Uloom-e-Islam from Wifaaq-ul-Madaris-ud-Diniayah, which is equivalent to Masters in Islamic Studies. He has been a high achiever in his academic career. He stood first both in his MSc International Relations and in Bachelor of Law examinations.

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Barrister Zafarullah is a voracious reader and writer. His reading interests include Law, Political

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He has represented Pakistan in various international forums. He defended Pakistan's Second and Third Periodic Reports under Convention on the Rights of the Child before the UN Committee on the Child in 2003 and in 2009. In 2005, he was a resource person in the SAARC Gender Rights Conference, Islamabad. In 2006, he was invited as Guest Speaker in Oxfam regional conference on 'Change-Maker for Domestic Violence', Colombo. He participated in the Peoples' SAARC in 2008, Colombo. He represented Pakistan in 58th Session of the UN Commission on the Status of Women in March 2014, New York.

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He is author of 2 books and co-author of 3 others. Has published 12 research reports and over 50 research papers. He has widely travelled abroad, represented the country in foreign fora and participated in many national/international conferences/workshops.

Hon'ble Two-Member Committee

The Hon'ble Chief Justice of Pakistan/ Chairman, CELJE/ FJA, Board of Governors, has been pleased to constitute the following two-member Committee to assist his Lordship with regard to all affairs of the Centre of Excellence for Law and Judicial Education/ Federal Judicial Academy:-



Hon'ble Mr. Justice
Jawwad S. Khawaja



Hon'ble Mr. Justice
Asif Saeed Khan Khosa

Chapter - 2

FJA: Conceptual and Factual Background

An efficient justice system is what allows citizens and businesses to trust in the functioning of a State and its institutions. And it is this trust that allows for growth and investment.

For us it is a legal requirement and religious imperative to be in the service of mankind because such is the teaching and philosophy of Islam. Our survival as a nation can be possible only with the establishment of a system where only merit is the rule and which will ensure fair, efficient and speedy administration of vertical, horizontal and all embracing justice; as would annihilate, tyranny, oppression and victimization. This can be achieved only with the improvement of judicial system and the quality of justice. In this backdrop, the role of a judge is undeniably fundamental and an indispensable factor, for we must have professionally sound judges to administer qualitative, fair and speedy justice. Continuing judicial education has to be regarded as an accepted part of judicial functions, for growth of the mental qualities of the judges is necessary for sustenance of judicial independence.

In the context of these considerations of vital importance, nothing can be more in place for an introduction to the Federal Judicial Academy and the aims and objects of its establishment, than a reference to the Quranic verses on the role and significance of justice for the creation of a civilized society. In verse number 135 of Surah An-Nisa it is ordained: "O believers stand firm for justice while giving witness for Allah, even though it may be against your own selves or your parents or your kins". In verse number 8 of Surah Al-Ma'idah Allah Almighty says, "always do justice as it is nearest to piety". Then, reliance may also be placed upon verse number 90 of Surah Nahal which enjoins: "Surely, Allah enjoins justice and kindness".

It may be noted that in verse number 135 of Surah An-Nisa, it has not been taken as sufficient only to say that adopt the path of justice, but it was ordained that we should be the flag bearers of justice. We are under a religious obligation, not only to do justice ourselves but also to exhort others to promote the cause of justice. As Muslims, we are duty bound to constitute the kind of support which is required for the establishment of an efficient and equitable system of justice.

The Preamble and Article 2A of the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan also underscore the establishment of an order wherein the principles of democracy, freedom, equality, tolerance and social justice, as enunciated by Islam, shall be fully observed and the independence of judiciary shall be fully secured.

In human resource development, the need, utility and significance of training for improving efficiency and performance can hardly be over-emphasized. There is a dire need to develop, "a distinctive model of judicial education which is designed to address the specific learning requirements of judges". The tradition of on the job learning has indisputably been slow and cumbersome and we urgently do require institutionalization of the training and continuing education of the judges. Training Academies and Institutions had been set up for different services,

but unfortunately no such arrangements had been made for the judiciary.

It was in this conceptual background that the First Law Reforms Commission (1958-59) recommended that the Civil Judges "should receive an intensive practical training in the functions of a subordinate Judge for an adequate period of (one or two years) before they are allowed to work independently," and that during the period of probation "they should be made familiar with the working of various departments of Government, including the Police Department, and that they should be confirmed when they have passed a departmental examination".

The Second Law Reforms Commission (1967-1970) of Pakistan also, *interalia*, made the following recommendations on the subject:

(i) A Judicial Service Academy be set up to impart training to serving and newly recruited judicial officers in substantive and procedural law, the art of judgment writing, the appreciation of case law, the interpretation of Statutes and in the general techniques of planning and organizing judicial work efficiently and with the least inconvenience to the litigant public.

(ii) The Academy should cater for both the Magistrates and the Civil Judges.

(iii) The judicial officers should also be instructed in general subjects connected with police and revenue administration and imparted knowledge about the development activities in the country.

(iv) Judicial Officers with less than ten years service should also be selected by rotation for a short intensive course of training of at least three months duration at the Academy.

(v) the academy should also arrange seminars and Discussion Groups for judicial officers and members of the Bar to devise ways and means for improving the work of courts and the quality of judicial work.

The Academy, should in course of time initiate comparative studies in judicial procedure and techniques employed by other countries to expedite the disposal of court cases."

In consequence of these recommendations and further deliberations, the Federal Judicial Academy was established in 1988 under a Resolution of the Government of Pakistan. It was accommodated at different places from time to time till the present regular campus was built in 1993 by the Government of Pakistan. Later, a legal cover to the organization and functioning of Academy was provided with the enforcement of Federal Judicial Academy Act, 1997. Following a recommendation by the Board of Governors, the Government amended the statute of the Academy to convert it into Centre of Excellence for Law and Judicial Education through an Ordinance in April 2014. Under its revised mandate, the Academy is to impart legal/judicial education to judges, court personnel, law officers, prosecutors, investigators, prison officers, etc. and also award graduate and higher degrees in law/judicial education.

Chapter - 3

The Federal Judicial Academy

The *raison d'être* behind the creation of the Federal Judicial Academy is to ensure that it imparts high-quality training to enable judicial officers, law officers, attorneys and court personnel to discharge their duties effectively in a way that carries the functioning of judicial system and promotes public confidence in the judiciary.

Before the creation of provincial academies, this premiere judicial training Academy had been engaged in the following activities:

i. Orientations/Induction Training for newly recruited or promoted judges;

ii. Continuing Judicial Education - on-the-job training programmes to equip judges and other subjects under its mandate to keep abreast with the changing developments in law, society and the environment at national and international level; and

iii Organizing seminars, conferences, workshops on diverse issues relating to the justice sector.

After the establishment of provincial academies to resolve the issue of overlapping of functions and resources, the Academy now strives to provide pre-service as well as in-service training and education in many specialized subjects to judges of district judiciary, court personnel and other professionals. It also provides a forum to professionals from all over Pakistan to share their experiences and knowledge. The object of the Academy, however, is not only education and dissemination of knowledge and information about new laws but also to develop behaviors, to motivate and to inculcate values that are essential to professional excellence. During the trainings, the Academy makes every possible effort to enhance and enrich their knowledge; sharpen their skills such as communication, control of hearings, time management; and personal qualities such as commitment to fairness, promoting perceptions of fairness, tolerance, and sensitivity to difference of opinion, even punctuality and discipline.

The Academy, besides its mandate aims and objects, provides the participants of different courses an opportunity to ventilate their feelings, and to express practical problems and other on job difficulties. They are also allowed to offer and share solutions and resolve issues/problems, if any, and if possible at the appropriate level. The Academy thus leaves no stone unturned to improve the professional competence of judges and consequently, the quality of justice administered in the courts.

Principles of Policy

The development of curriculum apart, it is necessary for all educational institutions concerned with the dissemination of knowledge and information, to determine with precision, the

scope and dimensions of their activities. The curriculum prescribes the subjects to be taught to the students and the programme of activities. These principles clearly lay down and define the direction which can be taken by an educational institution as a matter of policy. These are a set of rules to prescribe the limits and extent of the role and attitude of the teachers. For illustration of the point, it may be observed that, apart from ensuring conversance of students with the subject, they have to emphasise, as a matter of principles, the need for character building and that too in accordance with the Islamic norms, cultural values and the demands of the society.

This is more so in the case of Federal Judicial Academy which imparts in-service training to the judges, magistrates, law officers and the court personnel, for the achievements of ultimate goal of improving the judicial system and quality of justice. The distinction lies, amongst others, in the fact that there is need for distinctive approach to the continuing education of judges. This approach should build on the foundation of adult and professional learning theory. More importantly, we as members of the faculty must know what are the specific learning needs and practices of the judges and how the perseverance of judicial independence can be ensured. Further, another distinctive feature is the effect and impact of training provided to the judges, on the socio-economic development of the country, and its role in shaping the parameters of a civilized society.

The following principles of policy have been set out to define and prescribe the limits, to be observed by the faculty in particular and the staff in general, and the extent of their authority, in the performance of their functions, for the promotion and fulfillment of its charter:

The Academy shall:

- bring home the message that judicial power is a scared trust and that the judges are accountable to their conscience and ultimately to God Almighty;
- ensure and promote the observance of legal and judicial norms and Islamic values in the continuing education of judges and other professionals related to the justice sector;
- ensure the observance of high ethical standards and preserve impartiality, independence and professionalism;
- help the judges, law officers, court personnel and other key stakeholders of the administration of justice to adhere to the highest standards of personal and official conduct;
- establish an internal organizational structure, administration and program development system which supports effective legal and judicial education;
- establish and promote a comprehensive judicial education process to help judges meet the expectations of the society;

- endeavour to preserve the judicial system's fairness, integrity and impartiality by eliminating bias and prejudice;
- improve the administration of justice and the quality of judicial decisions to strengthen the moral authority of the courts;
- promote the concept of transparency and accountability and enhance public confidence in the administration of justice;
- endeavour to make trainee judges believe that they are not employees in the sense of " employment" and administration that they exercise the authority of the State as given to them by law and prescribed procedure;
- endeavour to cause conviction in the trainee judges that they have to perform unique functions and discharge special responsibilities;
- address itself to public perception of judicial weakness which can be removed through continuing judicial education;
- sensitize the trainee judges to decide cases in accordance with the law which they believe applies to the case before them, free from extraneous considerations of sanction or reward;
- strive to groom impartial and independent judges-attributes, which are 'sine qua non' for the proper discharge of the judicial functions;
- strengthen ethical values and professionalism among officers to promote efficient, effective, transparent and accountable administration;



FJA Phase-II Extension

Going back to late 1990s, the Board of Governors of the Academy decided to acquire the adjacent piece of land for enhancing the capacity of the Academy and improving it up to the level of a Center of Excellence in judicial education. In the wake of deliberations in different BoG meetings, the Academy finally decided and remained successful in getting the plot for expansion of the Academy's physical infrastructure. Deliberations were made on the user requirements and the role of the Academy in the wake of establishment of the provincial judicial academies. It was decided that the FJA would concentrate on 'in-service" training, while the provincial judicial academies would cater the needs of "pre-service" training programs for judges, magistrates, law officers and court personnel etc. This also made it a mandatory step to have the construction of Phase-II of the Academy at the earliest. Thus, fresh user requirements were defined for designing of proper building structure on the adjacent plot. The initial efforts to have construction of Phase-II of the Academy were taken up by the Access to Justice Program (AJP). However, the project could not be implemented due to unavoidable circumstances and the judicial crisis in 2007-8 in the country. The present construction plan was approved in Board of Governor's meeting held on 6th June 2009, under the Chairmanship of Hon'ble Chief Justice of Pakistan. The project of Phase-II was approved at the cost of Rs.987.66 million in 2011. The project was to be completed within 18 months. Mr. Justice Iftikhar Muhammad Chaudhry, Chief Justice of Pakistan / Chairman, BoG, laid the foundation stone of the Federal Judicial Academy, Phase-II Islamabad on July 8, 2011. The construction work commenced in June 2011 and the building was scheduled to be completed by 31st December, 2012.

However, due to slow pace of work and delayed release of funds together with technical hiccups the building could not be completed within the stipulated timeframe and the completion date of the project was extended until 30th April, 2013. Again, the work could not be completed, mainly because of delayed release of funds and, therefore, the completion date was further extended up to 31st December, 2013. But this deadline also could not be met and subsequently because of cost escalation and additional work in the project, apparently, the date of completion of the project was again extended upto 31st December, 2014. At present, the construction of new building has been completed but electrical / mechanical work has not yet been completed and no furniture provided so far.

In a recent meeting, the Hon'ble Chairman issued directive to Government officials for prompt release of funds to complete the building and procure office/classrooms furniture.

The project comprises the components such as academic block, hostel block, faculty suites, gymnasium and servant residences and administration block extension, having a total covered area of 316211 square feet. Provision of tennis and badminton courts and a gymnasium would cater to the social and extra curricular needs of members of staff and trainees. The Phase-II is having an

extended hostel, suites for faculty members, state of the art computer labs, classrooms, seminar rooms, conference hall and mock trial rooms. It is also having a big space for a legal judicial library. The Computer labs will meet the needs of 21st century to provide the backbone to the district judiciary and other professionals for training facilities in IT and through online educational programs. The audio visual rooms have been proposed to have facilities for creating judicial education movies, CD ROMs, audios and other online data for trainees. The façade of the building is designed having Pothohar touch, which is environmental friendly and energy efficient. Women judges in sufficient number have now entered into the field of judicial service, therefore, facilities for females have been proposed to cater their needs, e.g., a Day Care Center will also be built. Needs of special persons are also taken care of while designing the structure of building.

In line with the vision of Hon'ble Chief Justice of Pakistan/Chairman, BoG, the management of CELJE/FJA would not leave any stone unturned to come up to his expectations and provide quality education and training as per best international standards in judicial administration, court management, ADR and in new and emerging fields such as intellectual property & cyber law, environmental laws, etc. to judges, magistrates, court administrators and the others. Hence, it has been decided that in due course of time, LLM and PhD courses will be offered in the Center of Excellence for Law and Judicial Education. In a nutshell, the CELJE/ FJA is an educational and training institute for professionals in the justice sector and students. It is an investment in the future and investment in the human resources. Its impact cannot be measured in immediate terms. The output will be quality of justice administered in the courts and that is an un-measureable target in terms of its immediate impact on the society. It is hoped that the CELJE/FJA will soon achieve the status of an important institution in Asia and beyond.

Emergence of "Centre of Excellence"

The Federal Judicial Academy was the culmination of a long preparatory process which included well-researched reports of Law Commission, noted jurists, judges, judicial educators, recommendations approved during various conferences and workshops that underscored the value of imparting pre-service and 'in-service trainings to a diverse community of stakeholders such as judicial officers, prosecutors, attorneys, court personnel actively involved in the dispensation of justice in the country.

In founding the Federal Judicial Academy, Islamabad, its originators had envisioned an institution of higher continuing judicial education uniquely suited to the needs of a rapidly growing society and of the young judicial officers and other stakeholders of justice system seeking their place in it, core values that continue to guide the Academy in its modern era.

Through all of the changes and evolution, FJA's core mission has held constant. Since its founding, the institution has remained center of judicial learning, distinguished by a commitment to preparing judges and other subjects under its mandate for success in the field. Its training courses and curriculum reflect a history of responsiveness to societal and individual needs. For the last five years, the CELJE/FJA formalized its training schedules of activities through the preparation of Annual Calendar.

The FJA is known throughout the world as Pakistan's premier institution for judicial education. That reputation has been gained and sustained over a period of 25 years. During these years, however, the Institute has experienced different identities. It was founded in 1988 as the Federal Judicial Academy, under a resolution of the Government. It continued as such till 1997 where after the Federal Judicial Academy Act, 1997, was promulgated.

Over the last ten years the Academy has seen a gradual broadening of responsibilities. Founded originally to provide trainings for all key stakeholders of justice system, the Academy's reputation for producing good judicial officers was complemented by its development as an unrivalled centre of judicial education as well as a platform for interprovincial harmony and national cohesion. The Academy's record of achievement has been based upon the caliber and commitment of its faculty, staff and resource persons. During the 25 years of its existence the Academy has assumed that role in respect of promotion of judicial education and training.

The FJA Phase-II has been completed in record time. The splendid new building, spread on a total covered area of 316211 square feet, comprises academic block, hostel block, faculty suites, gymnasium, servant residences and administration block extension. Provision of tennis and badminton courts facilities coupled with a gymnasium would not only add to its beauty but also cater to the social and extra curricular needs of members of staff and trainees.

The publication of the Annual Report at the time when the Academy has been converted into a Center of Excellence for Law and Judicial Education, through a Presidential Ordinance No. V of 2014, promulgated on the 10th April, 2014, provides an opportunity for members of the Academy and others, to appreciate the diversity and achievements of the past, and to acquire an enhanced understanding of its potential future roles.

Events and Functions

Honourable Chief Justice of Pakistan, Honourable Judges of Supreme Court, Honourable Judges of High Courts and others in focus

- One week orientation course on "New Laws inclusive of a two-day workshop on Mediation as an ADR Mechanism" in collaboration with Karachi Centre for Dispute Resolution (KCDR), for Civil Judges-cum-Magistrates from all over Pakistan , Azad Jammu & Kashmir and Gilgit-Baltistan (1st to 6th July, 2013).

  Mr. Justice Khilji Arif Hussain, Chief Guest inaugural ceremony

  Mr. Justice Mian Saqib Nisar, Chief Guest Academy Night

  Mr. Justice Jawwad S. Khawaja, Chief Guest concluding ceremony

- One week refresher course on "Role of Law Officers vis-à-vis quick disposal of Criminal Cases" for law Officers (Prosecutors) from all over Pakistan , Azad Jammu & Kashmir and Gilgit-Baltistan (15th to 20th July, 2013).

  Mr. Sadaqat Ali Khan, Prosecutor General, Punjab Chief Guest inaugural ceremony

  Dr. Faqir Hussain, Registrar, Supreme Court of Pakistan Chief Guest Academy Night

  Mr. Shahadat Awan, Prosecutor General, Sindh Chief Guest concluding ceremony

- One week training course on "Orientation of New Laws" for Additional District & Sessions Judges from all over Pakistan , Azad Jammu & Kashmir and Gilgit-Baltistan (19th to 24th August, 2013).

  Mr. Justice Tassaduq Hussain Jillani, Chief Guest inaugural ceremony

  Mr. Justice Jawwad S. Khawaja, Chief Guest Academy Night

  Mr. Justice Sh. Azmat Saeed, Chief Guest concluding ceremony

- One week training course on "How to be an Effective Superintendent?"for Superintendents of the Sessions Courts from all over Pakistan , Azad Jammu & Kashmir and Gilgit-Baltistan (26th to 31st August, 2013).

  Mr. Meeran Jan Kakar,
  Registrar, Islamabad High Court Chief Guest inaugural ceremony

  Mr. Parvaiz Ali Chawla,
  Director General, Federal Judicial Academy Chief Guest Academy Night

  Mr. Muhammad Arshad,
  Registrar, Peshawar High Court Chief Guest concluding ceremony

- One week orientation course on "Management of family cases inclusive of two-day workshop on challenges being faced by the female judges" for female judges of the Family Courts from all over Pakistan and Azad Jammu & Kashmir (9th to 14th September, 2013).

  Mr. Justice Jawwad S. Khawaja, Chief Guest inaugural ceremony

  Mr. Justice Khilji Arif Hussain, Chief Guest Academy Night

  Mr. Justice Ejaz Afzal Khan, Chief Guest concluding ceremony

- One week training course on "New Laws" with special emphasis on "Intellectual Property Rights Laws and Constitutional Jurisdiction of Courts" for District & Sessions Judges/Additional District & Sessions Judges from all over Pakistan , Azad Jammu & Kashmir and Gilgit-Baltistan (16th to 21st September, 2013).

  Mr. Justice Tassaduq Hussain Jillani, Chief Guest inaugural ceremony

  Mr. Justice Sarmad Jalal Osmany, Chief Guest Academy Night

  Mr. Justice Muhammad Anwar Khan Kasi,
  Chief Justice, Islamabad High Court Chief Guest concluding ceremony

- One week orientation course on "How to be an effective Senior Civil Judge" for Senior Civil Judges from all over Pakistan, Azad Jammu & Kashmir and Gilgit-Baltistan (30th September to 05th October, 2013).

  Mr. Justice Tassaduq Hussain Jillani, Chief Guest inaugural ceremony

  Mr. Justice Jawwad S. Khawaja, Chief Guest Academy Night

  Mr. Justice Nasir-ul-Mulk, Chief Guest concluding ceremony

- One week orientation course on "Case & Court Management and Enforcement of Intellectual Property Rights Laws in Pakistan " for Civil Judges-cum-Magistrates from all over Pakistan , Azad Jammu & Kashmir and Gilgit-Baltistan (07th to 12th October, 2013).

  Mr. JusticeSh. Azmat Saeed, Chief Guest inaugural ceremony

  Mr. Justice Mian Saqib Nisar, Chief Guest Academy Night

  Mr. Justice Nasir-ul-Mulk, Chief Guest concluding ceremony

- One week refresher course on "Effective Financial Management , Control over Process Serving Agency and Environment Law with special reference to jurisdiction and powers of Green Courts, etc." for Senior Civil Judges from all over Pakistan, Azad Jammu & Kashmir and Gilgit-Baltistan (28th October to 2nd November , 2013).

Mr. Justice Ijaz Ahmed Chaudhry,	Chief Guest inaugural ceremony
Mr. Justice Sh. Azmat Saeed,	Chief Guest Academy Night
Mr. Justice Iftikhar Muhammad Chaudhry,	Chief Justice of Pakistan, Chief Guest concluding ceremony

- One week training course on "Continuing Legal Education" for Lawyers from High Court Bar Association, Hyderaband and other Districts of Province of Sindh (25th to 30th November 2013).

Mr. Justice Sarmad Jalal Osmany,	Chief Guest inaugural ceremony
Mr. Justice Iqbal Hameedur Rahman,	Chief Guest Academy Night
Mr. Justice Khilji Arif Hussain,	Chief Guest concluding ceremony

- One week orientation course on "Criminal Trial and Appreciation of Evidence" for 20 Civil Judges-cum-Magistrates from all over Pakistan , Azad Jammu & Kashmir and Gilgit Baltistan (09th December to 14th December, 2013).

Mr. Justice Iqbal Hameedur Rahman,	Chief Guest inaugural ceremony
Mr. Justice Dr. Fida Muhammad Khan,	Judge, Federal Shariat Court Chief Guest Academy Night
Mr. Justice Nasir-ul-Mulk,	Chief Guest concluding ceremony

- One week training course on "District Attorney and Management of Civil Cases" for District Attorneys/Deputy District Attorneys from all over Pakistan , Azad Jammu & Kashmir and Gilgit-Baltistan (16th to 21st December, 2013).

Mr. JusticeNasir-ul-Mulk,	Chief Guest inaugural ceremony
Mr. Justice Ejaz Afzal Khan,	Chief Guest Academy Night
Mr. Parvaiz Ali Chawla,	Director General, FJA Chief Guest concluding ceremony

- One week refresher course on "Sessions Trial and Appreciation of Evidence" for Additional District & Sessions Judges from all over Pakistan, Azad Jammu & Kashmir and Gilgit Baltistan (06th to 11th January, 2014).

Mr. Justice Mushir Alam,	Chief Guest inaugural ceremony
Mr. Justice Ejaz Afzal Khan,	Chief Guest Academy Night
Mr. Parvaiz Ali Chawla,	Director General, FJA Chief Guest concluding ceremony

- One week training course on "How to be an Effective Superintendent" for Superintendents of the Sessions Courts from all over Pakistan , Azad Jammu & Kashmir and Gilgit Baltistan (20th to 25th January, 2014).

Mr. Justice Anwar Zaheer Jamali,	Chief Guest inaugural ceremony
Mr. Justice Nasir-ul-Mulk,	Chief Guest Academy Night
Mr. Justice Mian Saqib Nisar,	Chief Guest concluding ceremony

- Two-day training for judges and lawyers of Islamabad Capital Territory (3rd & 4th February, 2014).

Mr. Justice Muhammad Anwar Khan Kasi,	CJ, I HC,Chief Guest inaugural ceremony
Mr. Justice Mian Saqib Nisar,	Chief Guest concluding ceremony

- Two-day training for judges and lawyers of Islamabad Capital Territory (10th & 11th February, 2014).

Mr. Justice Ejaz Afzal Khan,	Chief Guest inaugural ceremony
Mr. Justice Amir Hani Muslim,	Chief Guest concluding ceremony

- One week orientation course on "Management of family cases inclusive of two-day workshop on challenges being faced by the female judges" for female judges of the Family Courts from all over Pakistan, Azad Jammu &* Kashmir and Gilgit Baltistan (17th to 22nd February, 2014).

Mr. Justice Ijaz Ahmed Chaudhry,	Chief Guest inaugural ceremony
Mr. Justice Amir Hani Muslim,	Chief Guest Academy Night
Mr. Justice Riaz Ahmad Khan,	Judge, Islamabad High Court Chief Guest concluding ceremony

- One week training course on "New Laws" for Civil Judges-cum-Magistrates from all over Pakistan , Azad Jammu & Kashmir and Gilgit Baltistan (3rd to 8th March, 2014).

Mr. Justice Dost Muhammad Khan,	Chief Guest inaugural ceremony
Mr. Justice Khilji Arif Hussain,	Chief Guest Academy Night
Mr. Justice Ejaz Afzal Khan,	Chief Guest concluding ceremony

- One week refresher course on "Role of Law Officers vis-à-vis quick disposal of Criminal Cases" for Law Officers (Prosecutors) from all over Pakistan, Azad Jammu & Kashmir and Gilgit Baltistan (17th to 22nd March, 2014).

Mr. Justice Muhammad Anwar Khan Kasi, Chief Guest inaugural ceremony

Mr. Justice Amir Hani Muslim, Chief Guest Academy Night

Mr. Justice Ejaz Afzal Khan, Chief Guest concluding ceremony

- One week refresher course for newly promoted Additional District & Sessions Judges from all over Pakistan, Azad Jammu & Kashmir and Gilgit Baltistan (31st March to 5th April, 2014).

Mr. Justice Muhammad Anwar Khan Kasi,
Chief Justice, Islamabad High Court Chief Guest inaugural ceremony.

Mr. Justice Mushir Alam, Chief Guest Academy Night

Mr. Justice Dost Muhammad Khan, Chief Guest concluding ceremony

- One week orientation course on "Role of District & Sessions Judges being Non Financial Managers in Financial Management, Constitutional Jurisdiction of Courts and other New Laws" for newly promoted district & Sessions Judges from all over Pakistan, Azad Jammu & Kashmir and Gilgit Baltistan (14th to 19th April, 2014).

Mr. Justice Amir Hani Muslim, Chief Guest inaugural ceremony

Mr. Justice Mushir Alam, Chief Guest Academy Night

Mr. Justice Asif Saeed Khan Khosa, Chief Guest concluding ceremony

- One week orientation course on "Criminal Trial and Appreciation of Evidence" for Civil Judges-cum-Magistrates from all over Pakistan , Azad Jammu & Kashmir and Gilgit Baltistan (5th to 10th May, 2014).

Mr. Justice Muhammad Anwar Khan Kasi, Chief Guest inaugural ceremony

Mr. Justice Dost Muhammad Khan, Chief Guest Academy Night

Mr. Justice Mushir Alam, Chief Guest concluding ceremony

- One week training course on "How to be an Effective Nazir/Budget and Accounts Examiner" for Nazirs/Budget and Accounts Examiners from all over Pakistan , Azad Jammu & Kashmir and Gilgit- Baltistan

Mr. Parvaiz Ali Chawla, Chief Guest inaugural ceremony

Dr. Faqir Hussain, Chief Guest Academy Night

Mr. Khalid Teepu Rana, DG , Human Rights Cell Chief Guest concluding ceremony

- One week refresher course on "Gender sensitization and New laws." for Senior Civil Judges/Civil Judges from all over Pakistan , Azad Jammu & Kashmir and Gilgit-Baltistan (2nd to 7th June, 2014)

  Mr. Justice Sh. Azmat Saeed, Chief Guest inaugural ceremony

  Mr. Justice Dost Muhammad Khan, Chief Guest Academy Night

  Mr. Justice Mushir Alam, Chief Guest concluding ceremony

- One week training course on "District Attorney and Management of Civil Cases" for District Attorneys/Deputy District Attorneys from all over Pakistan, Azad Jammu & Kashmir and Gilgit-Baltistan from 16th to 21st June, 2014

  Mr. Justice Umar Ata Bandial, Chief Guest inaugural ceremony

  Mr. Justice Athar Minallah, Chief Guest Academy Night

  Mr. Justice Ejaz Afzal Khan, Chief Guest concluding ceremony

Capacity-Building of Legal Fraternity

The Federal Judicial Academy Act, 1997 provides that the Centre of Excellence shall arrange orientation and training of new judges, magistrates, law officers, court personnel, investigators, prison officers, government officers, etc. The Act also provides for conducting seminars/ symposiums on legal/judicial issues. The Academy also arranged trainings of lawyers as under:

S. NO.	Title of the Course Training	No. of Participants
1	One week training course on "Continuing Legal Education" for Lawyers from High Court Bar Association, Hyderabad and other Districts of Province of Sindh (25th to 30th November, 2013)	88
2	Two-day training for judges and lawyers of Federal Capital Territory (3rd & 4th February, 2014).	28
3	Two-day training for judges and lawyers of Federal Capital Territory (10th & 11th February, 2014).	38
	Total Number Trained lawyers	154

BoG Meeting

The 38th Meeting of the Board of Governors of the Federal Judicial Academy was held on 2nd November, 2013 in the Federal Judicial Academy, Islamabad under the Chairmanship of Mr. Justice Iftikhar Muhammad Chaudhry, Hon'ble Chief Justice of Pakistan / Chairman Board of Governors.

Hon'ble Mr. Justice Tassaduq Hussain Jillani, Hon'ble Senior Puisne Judge Supreme Court of Pakistan, Judge-Incharge FJA (Academics), Mr. Justice Nasir-ul-Mulk, Hon'ble Judge Supreme Court of Pakistan, Judge-Incharge FJA (Administration), Mr. Justice Qazi Faiz Isa, Hon'ble Chief Justice, High Court of Balochistan, Member, Mr. Justice Dost Muhammad, Hon'ble Chief Justice, Peshawar High Court, Member, Mr. Justice Umar Ata Bandial, Hon'ble Chief Justice, Lahore High Court, Member, Mr. Justice Maqbool Baqar, Hon'ble Chief Justice, High Court of Sindh, Member, Barrister Zafarullah Khan, worthy Secretary Ministry of Law, Justice and Human Rights, Government of Pakistan, Member, Parvaiz Ali Chawla, Director-General, Federal Judicial Academy, Member/Secretary, Dr. Faqir Hussain, worthy Registrar, Supreme Court of Pakistan, On Special Invitation, attended the meeting. The items on the agenda included appointment of Honorary Chairman of the Academy, to declare the Academy as Centre of Excellence and to examine further academic activities besides normal functioning/courses of the judicial officers as after construction of new building its status has to be enhanced and Appointment / extension of tenure of Director-General of the Academy. With regard to the appointment of Director General of the Academy it was decided that since the Academy has been declared as a “Centre of Excellence” and it has to become a degree-awarding institute, therefore, the Director General would be appointed such a person who would be a PhD degree holder in the subject

HCJP Awards Shields in Silver Jubilee Celebrations

The Federal Judicial Academy, Islamabad, celebrated what is known technically as "Silver Jubilee" in the newly-built Phase –II building of the Centre of Excellence for Law and Judicial Education/ Federal Judicial Academy, on November, 2, 2013 with Hon'ble Chief Justice of Pakistan in the chair. It was a special occasion for an important event because it coincided with a one-day workshop on"Prisoners vulnerability –Lacking Awareness" and the inauguration of its Phase-II building. One of the big events of the celebrations was shields presentation to a few celebrated figures, those who played a pivotal role in the construction of the Phase-II of the Academy. Mr. Justice Iftikhar Muhammad Chaudhry, Hon'ble Chief Justice of Pakistan, awarded shields to: Hon'ble Mr. Justice Tassaduq Hussain Jillani, Supreme Court of Pakistan/Judge In charge FJA (Academics), Hon'ble Mr. Justice Nasir-ul-Mulk, Supreme Court of Pakistan/Judge In charge, FJA (Administration), Hon'ble Mr. Justice(R) Mian Shakirullah Jan, Former Judge, Supreme Court Pakistan, Mr. Naveed Akram Cheema, Chief Secretary Punjab, Mr. Dr. Waqar Masood Khan, Secretary, Ministry of Finance, Islamabad, Mr. Hassan Nawaz Tarar, Secretary, Planning and Development Division, Islamabad, Mr. Sohail Qadeer Siddiqui, Project Director, Access to Justice Programme, Islamabad.

On the occasion, Hon'ble Mr. Justice Iftikhar Muhammad Chaudhry, Chief Justice of Pakistan/Chairman Board of Governors, Federal Judicial Academy, was also presented a shield. Hon'ble Judges of the Supreme Court of Pakistan, Honorable Chief Justice, Supreme Court of Azad Jammu & Kashmir, Hon'ble Chief Justices of Provincial High Courts and High Court of Azad Jammu & Kashmir; Hon'ble Chief Judge Supreme Appellate Court Gilgit Baltistan and Chief Judge, Gilgit Baltistan; Hon'ble Judges of the Federal Shariat Court and High Courts; Learned Attorney General for Pakistan and Learned Advocates General of the Provinces, Vice Chairmen of Bar Councils, Learned President and office bearers of the Supreme Court Bar Association, Learned Members of the District Judiciary, Presidents and office bearers of the High Court and District Courts Bar Associations, eminent members of Civil Society and Media and hundreds of other disistinguished guests from across Pakistan attended these Golden Jubilee Celebrations.

On the occasion, HCJP also gave away certificates to the participants of a one-week training course in the ceremony.

Pakistani Judicial Delegation Visits UK

Hon'ble Chief Justice of Pakistan/Chairman Board of Governors of Academy nominated Mr. Fakhar Hayat, Director Instructions for a study tour to U.K from 21st to 29th September, 2013. Hon'ble Mr. Justice Asif Saeed Khan Khosa, Judge Supreme Court of Pakistan was the team leader of Pakistani delegation. Representatives of provincial judicial academies were other members of the delegation.

The delegation observed and participated in a Serious Crimes Course at Warwick University for two days. Thereafter visits to Judicial Institute in Edinburgh , Scotland and Central Criminal Courts in Dublin Ireland were made. Their study tour concluded in London with a visit to the Judicial College of England where best practices and trainings strategy and evaluation were discussed.

Pakistani Delegation Attends SAARC Judicial Conference

Mr. Fakhar Hayat, Director Instructions participated in the SAARC Judicial Conference, on "Anti-money Laundering and Countering the Financing of Terrorism (AML-CFT)" held from 26-28 August, 2013 in Dhaka, Bangladesh. Other members of the Pakistani delegation included five special Judges (ATC) from four provinces.

Pakistani Judicial Delegation Visits USA

On nomination made by the Hon'ble Chief Justice of Pakistan/Chairman Board of Governors of the Academy Ms. Jazeela Aslam, Additional Director, participated in a Judicial Exchange Programme from on 1st September to 14th September, 2013 in the U.S.A. Hon'ble Mr. Justice Nasir-ul-Mulk was the team leader of the delegation. Eight Additional District & Sessions Judges nominated by provincial high courts were other members of the delegation.

DG, FJA, Lands in Nepal

Mr. Parvaiz Ali Chawla, Director General, was nominated by the Hon'ble Chief Justice of Pakistan for a study tour to Nepal from 21st to 26th September, 2013.

Sheriffs in FJA

A two-member delegation from Judicial Institute Edinburgh, Scotland, namely Sherriff Welch and Sherriff Duf along with Mark Carroll, Liaison Prosecutor of British High Commission, visited the CELJE/FJA. They also attended the certificate awarding ceremony and shared their experience and wisdom with the faculty members and training participants (20.4.2014).

U.S. IP Experts Visit FJA

A delegation of US IP experts visited the Academy on 17th September, 2013 and discussed a host of issues of mutual interest with the DG and faculty. Earlier the delegation discussed IP related issues with the participants of one week training course on "New Laws with special emphasis on Intellectual Property Rights Laws and Constitutional Jurisdiction of courts" for District and Sessions Judges/Additional District and Sessions Judges from all over Pakistan, Azad Jammu and Kashmir and Gilgit Baltistan in a panel discussion.

UN- CTED Team Visits FJA

Ms Adria De Landri of Counter Terrorism Committee Executive Directorate United Nations (CTED) and Ms Melissa Lefas of the Center of Global Counter Terrorism Cooperation visited the Federal Judicial Academy , Islamabad in the month of March, 2014.

A host of issues of mutual concern, in particular, the potential for Counter Terrorism Committee Executive Directorate (CTED) to cooperate with the Academy on relevant counter terrorism matters was discussed at length with the Director General, FJA during the meeting.

ANF Academy Trainees Visit FJA

A group of 35 newly inducted Deputy Directors, Assistant Directors and Inspectors (Legal) from Anti-Narcotics Force Academy, Narcotics Control Division, as a part of curriculum-study visit to the Federal Judicial Academy, visited the Academy on January 21, 2014.

The trainees visited various parts of the Academy such as library, lecture room, syndicate rooms, Computer lab, etc. They were given briefing on the functioning of the Academy with special reference to its curriculum and training of the Judges. Three learned Instructors of the ANF Academy also accompanied the group of the trainees.

H. R. M. Development Initiatives

Elevated to High Court

Mrs. Ashraf Jahan, District and Sessions Judge/ Director Instructions was elevated as Additional Judge of High Court of Sindh. She relinquished charge of her office on the 30th August, 2013.

CELJE/FJA Gets New DG

Hon'ble Chief Justice of Pakistan/ Chairman, Board of Governors of Centre of Excellence for Law and Judicial Education/ Federal Judicial Academy appointed the noted scholar, researcher and former Registrar, Supreme Court of Pakistan, Dr. Faqir Hussain as the Director General of Centre of Excellence for Law and Judicial (CELJE) / Federal Judicial Academy (FJA). He took charge on 15th May, 2014.

Appointment as Senior Director

Hon'ble Chief Justice of Pakistan/ Chairman, Board of Governors of Centre of Excellence for Law and Judicial Education/ Federal Judicial Academy appointed Mr. Parvaiz Ali Chawla as Senior Director (BPS-21) of the CELJE/FJA, who relinquished the charge on 15th May, 2014.

Extension in Contract

- The Hon'ble Chief Justice of Pakistan/ Chairman, Board of Governors of the Academy extended the tenure of Mr. Parvaiz Ali Chawla, Director General of the Academy, with effect from 28.10.2013 till the appointment of new Director General on pervious terms and conditions.
- The Hon'ble Chief Justice of Pakistan/ Chairman, Board of Governors of the Academy extended the contact of Mr. Fakhr Hayat as Director (Instructions) for another period of one year with effect from 07-10-2013 to 06-10-2014 in continuation of his previous terms as Director in BPS-21 with the same status and on the same terms and conditions.

Appointments and Repatriations

- Mr. Muhammad Zahid Mustafa, Section Officer, Office Management Group (BPS-18) assumed the charge of the office of the Administrative Officer, on deputation basis, in the Academy on 8th July, 2013 and relinquished the charge of post of Administrative Officer with effect from 9th January, 2014.

- Mr. Raza Ali, Audit Officer (BPS-18) of DG Audit Balochistan who was working on deputation as Accounts Officer in the Academy was repatriated to his parent department. He relinquished the charge of his post on 4th October, 2013. Mr. Salah-ud-Din, Audit Officer (BPS-18) of DG Audit Balochistan was transferred and posted as Accounts Officer in the Academy on deputation basis for the period of three years. He assumed the charged of his office on 5th October, 2013

Retirement

The competent authority imposed the major penalty of compulsory retirement from service upon Mr. Zahoor Ahmed, Assistant Administrative Officer (BPS-16) with effect from 22nd October, 2013 under rule 4(I) (b)(ii) of the Government Servants (Efficiency & Discipline) Rules, 1973.

Upgradations/ Promotions.

- The Hon'ble Chief Justice of Pakistan/ Chairman, Board of Governors of the Academy was pleased to:
- promote-Mr. Zaheer Abbas, Secretary to the Director General, as Senior Private Secretary (BPS-19).
- promote-Mr. Aamir Shehzad, Stenotypist (BPS-14) as Assistant Private Secretary (BPS-16) with effect from 17.04.2014.
- -upgrade the two posts of Computer Programmers in the Academy. Mr. Tariq Aziz, Computer Programer-I and Mr. Asif Majeed, Computer Programer-II were working in BPS-16 since long and now their posts are upgraded to BPS-17.
- -upgrade/promote Mr. Muhammad Saleem, Naib Qasid (from BPS-2 to BPS-3) and Mr. Sadiq Masih, Sweeper (from BPS-2 to 3) on completion of 20 years satisfactory service in terms of Finance Division's (Regulations Wing)'s O.M. No. F.1(4) R-1/2009 dated 31.12-2012.

Creation of Temporary Posts

The Board of Governors of the Academy sanctioned the creation of two temporary seats: Bearer and Sweeper.

Workshops



Undeniably, we live in Global Information Society today; hence, every individual and organization is required to master various kinds of critical 21st century skills and competencies. In this backdrop, the CELJE /FJA believes that none is more important than lifelong learning and information acquisition. Fluency in those skills will enable people and institutions both to succeed in a constantly changing and challenging, and highly competitive world. In accordance with its mandate, the CELJE/FJA offers some of the seminars and workshops as a prime capacity –building responsibility. We also integrate Islamic themes and values in our workshops, orientations and seminars for their inner spiritual transformation to gain the strength to dispense expeditious justice to the justice –seekers in the country. Further, these workshops, seminars and colloquiums also provide an opportunity to the participants to overcome both academic and professional deficiencies, internalize universal values of justice, and develop the necessary skills, attitudes, and commitment to the goals of justice envisioned in our Constitution. The following workshops, seminars and conferences were held during the year 2013-2014:

- Two-day workshops on "Challenges being Faced by Female Judges" for female Judges hailing from all over Pakistan, Azad Jammu & Kashmir 10-11 September 2013 and again on 10-11 February 2014.
- Two-day workshop On "Mediation as an ADR Mechanism" In Collaboration With Karachi Centre For Dispute Resolution (KCDR) for Civil Judges-Cum-Magistrates from all over Pakistan, Azad Jammu & Kashmir And Gilgit-Baltistan 18-19 February 2014.
- One-day national workshop on "Prisoners vulnerability: Lacking Awareness" was organized by the Law and Justice Commission of Pakistan (LJCP) in collaboration with the Centre of Excellence for Law and Judicial Education/ Federal Judicial Academy in the newly constructed Phase-II of the CELJE/FJA, Islamabad, on 2nd November, 2013.

Judicial Cooperation



The Centre of Excellence for Law and Judicial Education/Federal Judicial Academy, Islamabad and the Bureau of International Narcotics and Law Enforcement Affairs of the US Embassy signed the Project Implementation Letter (PIL) under which some assistance in the form of provision of Information Technology (IT) equipment/ furniture etc. would be provided to the Centre to enhance the capacity and performance of the Centre.

Information and Communication Technology

The Federal Judicial Academy (CELJE/FJA) is equipped with state of the art Information Technology (IT) infrastructure. All the sections, offices, seminar room, auditorium and computer labs are connected with Local Area Network (LAN). The WiFi facility is also available in the entire Administration and Hostel blocks of the CELJE/FJA to facilitate the trainee participants.

In the modern era the important role of information technology in quick dispensation of justice cannot be under-estimated. Keeping this in view, the CELJE/FJA used modern techniques and technology for delivering lectures through interactive smart whiteboard in Charge-Coupled Device (CCD), Video Conferencing and multimedia projector etc. in the Seminar Room and Computer Labs.

The knowledge of computer has become essential for the judges in their discharge of judicial duties, therefore, the IT training makes a compulsory part of each training course to enable them to use computer technology independently because study target can not be achieved without practicing special information computer literacy skills. The CELJE/FJA also provides 24 hours internet facility to the trainee participants of the various courses for getting latest knowledge across the globe. The computer section plays a vital role in CELJE/FJA especially during courses to facilitate and give assistance to the resource persons and faculty of CELJE/FJA. The website of the Academy and on-line information, however, requires updating and improvement. It is, therefore, one of the priorities in the activities of the Centre for the next calendar year.

CELJE/FJA Library



The Federal Judicial Academy houses the library's collection of books, journals and other materials acquired to support reading, writing and research among the faculty, trainee Judicial Officers and other professionals. Located in the basement of the CELJE/FJA Library, the Reading Room contains an international, research-level collection of works and some rare books. Over 15000 books, policy studies, films and periodicals are included in the CELJE/FJA library collection.

The Reading Room and Collection are open to the faculty members, participants of different training courses and workshops and the employees of the Academy, researchers, among others, during regular library hours. Library staff is available to the judicial officers with research material. The CELJE/FJA library can be considered as the backbone of entire training curriculum. Indexing of the entire library collection has been computerized. The Digital Library service has been initiated to enable online referencing through our local Intranet. This will be improved and expanded to cover wide resources in due course.

Research & Publications



One of the aims and objects of the CELJE/FJA is to provide judicial education through publishing of journals, memoirs, research papers and reports (s.4(d) of CELJE/FJA Act, 1997). To further these, the Academy has the publications such as Journals, Memoirs

Research papers, Reports, Bench Books, news bulletins, etc. The Academy is publishing its quarterly newsletter titled as "CELJE/FJA Bulletin" regularly. It covers the overall academic and other capacity building activities on the campus and also contains articles of "Essay Competition" first and second position holder trainee judges. The News Bulletin is sent to all the High Courts which forward the same to various heads of district judiciary for distribution among the judicial officers. It is also available on the website of the Academy www.fja.gov.pk

A booklet authored by Hon'ble Mr. Justice Ghulam Rabbani, Judge Supreme Court of Pakistan, called "A Treasure Trove," was published.

Other Facilities at CELJE/FJA

The CELJE/FJA is an ideal setting for the pursuit of judicial training. It is located at a scenic place and housed in a beautiful building with well-furnished lecture hall, syndicate rooms, model courtroom, research room, IT laboratory, and spacious auditorium. The FJA Hostel facilities are provided to all trainee officers/professionals.





CELJE/FJA Hostel

The training is fully residential. Residential accommodation on single occupancy basis is available to all the trainees in the hostel of the Academy. The hostel has a capacity of 26 rooms/ double capacity and 2 suites. It has common room facilities with TV, newspapers & telephone connection.





CELJE/FJA in the Media

The activities of the Centre find suitable place in the print and electronic media especially the inaugural and concluding ceremonies, which are open to the media and duly reported to them by the Coordination, Publications and Media Officer (CPMO). The training sessions, seminars and workshops are open to the media to be reported and question-answer sessions for candid talk, discussions are closed to them. Some press clippings of different dailies reflecting media coverage of various functions and events of the Centre are reproduced as under:

PakistanToday



COURTS ARE UPHOLDERS OF THE RULE OF LAW, SAYS CJP

ISLAMABAD
ONLINE

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The chief justice congratulated the participants of the refresher course who had successfully completed the training.

He said that after a cumbersome exercise in trial the efforts of a judge culminate into judgment and the judgment should be well thought out, analytical, based on evidence and free from grammatical errors. It should be transparent and persuading for the loser of the case. "The criminal justice system in our jurisdiction is not unitary in nature. Its different components, namely investigation agency and prosecution, all are striving to achieve a common objective. So the judicial officers administering criminal justice are advised to acquaint themselves not only with the substantive and procedural laws but also the salutary police rules, science and modern techniques of investigation like forensic, medicine, DNA, finger prints, hand writing, cyber laws and prison rules", the chief justice stated.

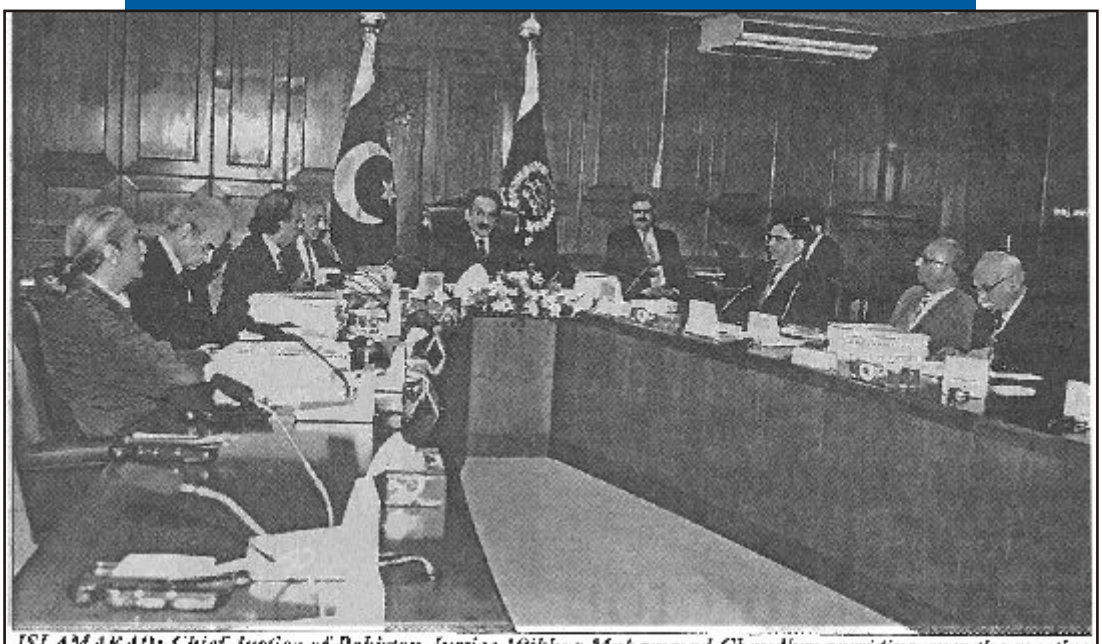
"The Federal Judicial Academy would very soon be converted into a center of excellence and after the completion of construction of phase-II the Academy will be upgraded to the status of a Federal University of Law and Judicial Administration. Its charter for approval is under process with the quarters concerned. This project, on completion, will open new avenues of education and training for judicial officers", the chief justice stated.

He said the academy should periodically revise its curricula to meet the needs of changing circumstances.

"One of its major aims should be faculty development for which 'train-the-trainers' courses should be arranged. Instead of continuing conventional methods of lecturing, the faculty should lay stress on case study and mentoring", the chief justice added.

"With the implementation of the National Judicial Policy, the backlog has been cut to a considerably small size. I am proud of my district judiciary which is the back bone of our judicial system as justice at a grass root level is provided by it", he stated.

The Frontier Post, Peshawar



ISLAMABAD: Chief Justice of Pakistan Justice Iftikhar Muhammad Chaudhry presiding over the meeting of Judicial Commission of Pakistan in Supreme Court. —AFP photo

Terrorism a global challenge: Justice Nasir

ISLAMABAD (APP): Judge Supreme Court of Pakistan, Justice Nasirul Mulk has said that the stakeholders of the criminal justice system need to acquire enhanced skills and in-depth understanding of new areas of forensic science.

He expressed these views in the graduation ceremony on the conclusion of a one-week colloquium on "Modern Investigation and Evidence Gathering Techniques in a Changing Criminal Justice and Counter Terrorism World" held at the FJA, Islamabad, on Saturday.

It is high time that scientific methods be adopted by the investigators for investigating crimes and collecting evidence, he said. Justice Mulk said, "Terrorism is a global challenge and it has become a highly destructive phenomenon in Pakistan, causing human sufferings in terms of loss of lives, property and undermining the very social fabrics of our society. Terrorism in all its forms and objectives need to be curbed."

He said, "It is the primary responsibility of the Government and the Security agencies to take effective steps to control terrorism. Those of us who are associated with the justice system in this country in whatever capacity can also contribute in our own way in the efforts to curb terrorism. An efficient and effective criminal justice system can bring to justice those involved in terrorist activities."

Regarding the Criminal Justice System in the country, he said, "There is a tremendous room for improvement in our criminal justice system and for building the capacity of those involved in the running of the system; that is the investigators, prosecutors and adjudicators.

The Supreme Court on its part has evolved a system of overseeing the working of the Anti-Terrorism Courts. A Judge in each High Court is tasked to oversee the working of such Courts within the Province which in turn is being supervised by a monitoring Judge of the Supreme Court.

PakistanToday

'Court personnel training essential to enhance performance'

Supreme Court Registrar Dr Faqir Hussain inaugurates training sessions for court superintendents

ISLAMABAD

STAFF REPORT

Supreme Court Registrar Dr Faqir Hussain on Monday said that court personnel had a significant role to play and effective training was essential to improve their performance.

He expressed these views in the inaugural ceremony of a week-long training course on "How to be an effective Superintendent" for superintendents from the district and sessions judges office including Azad Jammu and Kashmir, in the Federal Judicial Academy (FJA).

He termed the court personnel as the 'real face of the court' and said that first impressions were often the last impressions. "It is here where the litigant public interacts with the court staff, where 91 percent of litigations come, and the litigant public makes its first impression about the subordinate court and the same impression, whether good or bad, is carried all over," he said. Trainings and orientations were imperative for the lower grade court personnel to improve their performance, he added. He addressed participants of the training course and said that they would not learn about new subjects but also learn how to interact with litigants. Subjects like Etiquette and Mannerisms, Government Servant Conduct Rules, Senior–junior relationships, stress and time management, TA/ Pension/ Leave Rules etc, would be taught at the training programme, Hussain said.

He said the National Judicial Policy (NJP) demanded better performance from all main stakeholders within the judicial system. A two pronged strategy had been adopted in this regard: the speedy disposal of cases and training for judges and court personnel, law officers, attorneys and lawyers, Hussain added.

He said the academy had become more organised during the last few years. The academy used to arrange courses sporadically but had started arranging highly productive training courses for judges, law officers, district attorneys, court personnel and lawyers. Lawyers are imparted education and training through seminars, workshops and conferences in the academy, said Husain.

He lauded the role of subordinate courts and said, "In the wake of the NJP, the performance of subordinate courts has been appreciable."

DG Parvaiz Ali Chawla welcomed the participants and spoke about the important role played by superintendents. He described this role as a bridge between the judge, court personnel and others, and said this training would be immensely beneficial for them.

Academy spokesman Hashim Abro said 21 superintendents from all over the country, including Azad Jammu and Kashmir and Gilgit-Baltistan, were participating in the week-long training at the academy.

The Nation Islamabad

Justice Jillani terms terrorism international issue

ISLAMABAD
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No country can grow under the spectre of terrorism, thus strict application of statues, rules, regulations and polices will go a long way to eliminate the menace of terrorism and pave way for a prosperous and peaceful society.

Justice Tassaduq Hussain Jillani, senior most judge of Supreme Court of Pakistan, expressed these views in the closing ceremony of a two-day deliberation under the aegis of National Counter-Terrorism Judicial Forum (NCTJF), British High Commission, and the Federal Judicial Academy, here in the Academy on Friday.

About the background and nature of this dastardly act, he said, "Terrorism is not a nation, country, region or religion-specific menace but it is an international issue. This human aberration has existed, in one or the other form, since time immemorial and it still continues to disturb peace, progress and cause havoc in society.

However, the only difference is that modern terrorists use sophisticated weapons and tactics. Various terror outfits operate in different parts of the world. Some terrorists legitimise their acts by cloaking it with various popular name tags such as 'liberation', 'revolution,' 'human rights' and 'democracy'.

These terrorists joined by non-state actors with modern techniques have caused huge loss to life and property. They select as their target, markets, public places like hotels, restaurants, bus stands, roads, airports and even shrines and as a result innocent people suffer in these acts."

Regarding preventive and remedial measures, he said that various countries, including Pakistan, are facing menace of terrorism and are taking preventative and remedial measures. For this purpose, Special Courts under the Anti-Terrorism Act, 1997 have been set up.

"I am aware of the criticism about the high rate of acquittal orders and low convictions. Our Judges are independent but they can convict only on the basis available evidence. The judges have to go by the strength of law and evidence before them."

Even if they are morally convinced about the guilt of an accused, they can't give a verdict contrary to record. Lack of adequate evidence requisite for conviction, defective investigation and refraining of witnesses to come forward and testify against the culprits are salient reasons for failure of effective prosecution in the court.

"I believe that quantum of punishment under the Anti Terrorism Act 1997 should be such to act as deterrence. But at the same time the courts cannot ignore the fact that life and liberty of a person cannot be jeopardized without due course of law".

"Counter-terrorism measures should, hence, not undermine democratic values or subvert the rule of law. Within the law, within the bounds prescribed by the law, the Judges has to go within the democratic set-up and care has to be taken to ensure that State does not take recourse to bend the rule of law," he concluded.

About the importance of two- deliberations, he said, "It must have been very productive for you. It would have given you a better understanding about the law, and gaps and flaws in it, if any, and how to improve the law the manner trial." Being a Judge In charge FJA (Academics), he thanked the British High Commission, Islamabad, and Lord Justice Gross, Senior Presiding Judge for England and Wales for organizing this exceptionally relevant Forum for ATC Judges.

Speaking on the occasion, Lord Justice Gross, Senior Presiding Judge for England and Wales, thanked the FJA management for his warm welcome and said that judicial leadership was of the utmost importance in addressing the common problem and was vital in bringing about positive change in investigation techniques, the use of technology, case management and gaining the support of legal profession. "In this way, the difficult challenge of balancing the needs of national security and the rule of law can be best addressed," Lord Justice Gross added.

Earlier, Parvaiz Ali Chawla, DG FJA, presented his welcome speech and said, "We live today in a fully interdependent world. We increasingly need global solutions and global responses to global problems. We have to work more closely with our international partners in addressing global issues which Pakistan and the region is facing today."

Spokesman of the Academy, Hashim Abro said that in the end, the chief guest gave away certificates to 34 anti-terrorism court judges including the monitoring judges from the high courts in the ceremony.

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THENEWS

Culture to be promoted for speedy justice, says CJ

Our correspondent

ISLAMABAD: Chief Justice Iftikhar Muhammad Chaudhry on Saturday said that we have to promote working culture for the expeditious dispensation of justice in the country.

Presiding over the 37th meeting of the Board of Governors of the Federal Judicial Academy (FJA), held here in the academy, the chief justice directed the management to undertake pragmatic and expeditious efforts so that Federal University of Law and Judicial Administration (FULJA) resumes its functioning at the earliest.

He said: "We're here today to deliberate on continuing education for all the stakeholders of administration of justice system. Undoubtedly, it is a subject of great importance to all of us. This Academy was founded in 1988 with a vision and mission

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to provide continuing judicial training to the judicial officers and other key stakeholders as per its mandate, which is now on the path towards becoming a university called Federal University of Law and Judicial Administration that has to excel in creating, preserving and disseminating knowledge to all main stakeholders of administration of justice system in Pakistan and other knowledge-seekers in the country."

He directed the management of the academy to work for acquisition of additional land for the university since the existing land would not be enough for the purpose when it would resume functioning so that we have the university functioning at the earliest.

The chief justice said that number of trainings should be increased and the trainings may be imparted to the trainee judges on subjects of importance and on emerging trends.

Showing his concern regarding the welfare of FJA employees, the CJ said that there must be career-development avenues in the academy, adding that employees may be treated as our own children and their grievances may be addressed properly. He said that those who are working on daily wages, they may be given the minimum wages as per law and they also be given the arrears.

During the meeting, a host of items on the agenda, including Service Rules of the FJA, submission of uniform draft rules/ act for promotion of judicial officers linked with training at the academy, establishment of FULJA, Access to Justice Development Fund for the FJA, training of Afghan judges in the academy, comments of high courts and of director general, Punjab Judicial Academy, on report of research associates, upgradation of the posts of stenotypist/ stenographer and private secretary, implementation of the decisions of the 36th meeting of the Board of Governors and construction of Phase-II of the FJA were disused at length.

TheNation, Islamabad

Courts upholders of rule of law

CJ says judgement should be analytical, well-thought-of, evidence based

OUR STAFF REPORTER

ISLAMABAD - Terming constitution as mother of all laws Chief Justice of Pakistan Justice Iftikhar Muhammad Chaudhry on Saturday said that courts in Pakistan are upholders of rule of law.

He expressed these views while addressing a certificate awarding ceremony on conclusion of a weeklong refresher course on "sessions trial and appreciation of evidence" for additional district & sessions judges from all over the country including Azad Jammu & Kashmir.

The Chief Justice congratulated the participants of the refresher course who have successfully completed this training.

While conducting trial and dispensing justice, the trial court has to be conscious not just of the legal safeguards available but also essentially to act in accordance with newly added Article 10-A, providing for the right to fair trial, he said.

He further said, "After a cumbersome exercise in trial the efforts of a judge culminate into judgment and the judgment should be well thought of, analytical, based on evidence and free from grammatical errors. It should be transparent and even persuading for the loser of the case".

"Criminal justice system in our jurisdiction is not unitary in nature. Its different components namely Police i.e. Investigation Agency, Prosecution, Court and Corrections act in a centrifugal manner, all striving to achieve common object. So the judicial officers administering criminal justice are advised to acquaint themselves not only with the substantive and procedural laws but also the salutary Police Rules and different sciences and modern techniques of investigation like forensic, medicine, DNA, finger prints, hand writing, cyber laws, Prison Rules etc", the Chief Justice stated.

"The Federal Judicial Academy would very soon be converted into a Center of Excellence and after the completion of construction of phase-II, the Academy will be upgraded to the status of Federal University of Law and Judicial Administration. Its charter for approval is under process with the quarters concerned. This project, on completion, will open new avenues of education and training for judicial officers", the Chief Justice stated.

Shedding light on importance of judicial education he said, " The value and importance of judicial education has long been recognized. It can be related to specific outcomes, such as better managed and less costly litigation, as well as greater public confidence.

He said that the Academy should periodically revise its curricula to meet the needs of changing circumstances. "One of its major aims should be faculty development for which train-the-trainers courses should be arranged. Instead of continuing conventional methods of lecturing, the faculty should lay stress on case study and mentoring", the Chief Justice stated.

"With the implementation of the National Judicial Policy, the backlog has been cut to a considerably small size. I am proud of my district judiciary, which is backbone of our judicial system as justice at a grass-root level is provided by it", he stated.

THE EXPRESS
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FAMILY COURT CASES

Judges asked to be extra cautious

Family judges should be circumspect while adjudicating family-related cases because such disputes have far reaching consequences, not only for the estranged parties but also for the entire society. Supreme Court Justice Ejaz Afzal Khan expressed these views while addressing the certificate distribution ceremony for participants of a one-week training course on "Management of Family Cases" at the Federal Judicial Academy (FJA) on Friday. Regarding the challenges being faced by female judges, he advised them to be patient while dealing with family disputes. "Be independent, impartial and impersonal in your professional life and never swim with the tide" he said. NEWS DESK

Dawn

Course for judges on 12th

ISLAMABAD, April 10: A week-long orientation course for senior civil judges will start here at the Federal Judicial Academy on Monday.

Justice Asif Saeed Khan Khosa, Judge of the Supreme Court, will inaugurate the course entitled "How to be an effective senior civil judge."

As many as 18 judges from four provincial high courts including AJK and Gilgit-Baltistan will attend the orientation course, says Hashim Abro, spokesman of the FJA.

Noted speakers/resources persons of the course include Abdullah, former chairman, Public Service Commission NWFP, Tariq Bilal, advocate Supreme Court and legal adviser, National Response Centre on Cyber Crimes, Ayaz Khan, forensic expert, Syed Abbas Ahsan, Islamabad police SSP Security, Syed Safdar Hussain Shah, Noor Ahmed Shad and others.—APP

DAILY EXPRESS, ISLAMABAD-SUNDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2012

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Daily Times

'Rigid people living a delusional life'

ISLAMABAD: Supreme Court judge Justice Azmat Saeed Sheikh said that people who stop learning and think they know everything were living a delusional life.

Justice Azmat expressed these views at the certificate awarding ceremony of a one-week training session for additional district and sessions judges from all over Pakistan, in the Federal Judicial Academy (FJA) in Islamabad. He said it was a painful reality that people were socialised to shut their eyes against painful truths and undeniable facts. "We have become acclimatised to hear half truths and not the whole truth, so much so that we do not speak the truth with our own selves, we prefer to listen the songs of self praise and self adulation," said Justice Azmat. STAFF REPORT

Express, Islamabad

ماتحت عدلیہ کے جج سائلین کی بات حوصلے اور صبر و تحمل سے سنیں، جسٹس اطہر سعید

اسلام آباد (خصوصی نمائندہ) سپریم کورٹ کے جج جسٹس اطہر سعید نے ماتحت عدلیہ کے ججوں پر زور دیا ہے کہ وہ مقدمات کی سماعت کے دوران سائلین کی بات کو حوصلے اور صبر و تحمل کے ساتھ سنیں تاکہ کسی فریق کو یہ احساس نہ ہو کہ اسے صحیح طرح سے نہیں سنا گیا۔ وہ پیر کو جوڈیشل اکیڈمی میں ڈسٹرک اینڈ سیشن ججوں اور سینئر سول ججوں کیلئے منعقدہ ایک ہفتے کے تربیتی کورس کے افتتاح کے موقع پر خطاب کر رہے تھے۔ انہوں نے کہا کہ آج چیف جسٹس افتخار محمد چوہدری کی قیادت میں عدلیہ مکمل طور پر تبدیل ہو چکی ہے، ہمیں ان کی پیروی کرنی چاہیے جن کے حوصلے، استقامت اور ویژن کے باعث آزاد عدلیہ کی منزل حاصل ہو گئی ہے اور عدلیہ کے احترام میں بے پناہ اضافہ ہوا ہے۔

Nawaiwaqt



روزنامہ نوائے وقت راولپنڈی/ اسلام آباد (14) 16 دسمبر 2012ء

معیاری عدالتی تعلیم کے ذریعے ''انصاف سب کیلئے'' کا خواب پورا ہوسکتا ہے، چیف جسٹس

تعلیم نہ صرف معیار زندگی بہتر بناتی ہے بلکہ معاشرے کی کامیابی کا زینہ بھی ہے

اسلام آباد (اے پی پی) فیڈرل جوڈیشل اکیڈمی کے بورڈ آف گورنرز کا 37 واں اجلاس چیف جسٹس سپریم کورٹ جسٹس افتخار محمد چوہدری کی صدارت میں اکیڈمی میں منعقد ہوا۔ شرکاء کا خیر مقدم (صفحہ 14 بقیہ 51)

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کرتے ہوئے چیف جسٹس افتخار محمد چوہدری نے کہا کہ معیاری عدالتی تعلیم کے ذریعہ ملک میں ''انصاف سب کیلئے'' کے خواب کو حقیقت میں تبدیل کیا جا سکتا ہے۔ انہوں نے کہا کہ میں جن لوگوں سے مخاطب ہوں یہ سارے قابل اور پڑھے لکھے لوگ ہیں اور ان کے دانش سے بھرپور خیالات سے اکیڈمی کی ترقی اور بہتر نشوونما میں مدد ملے گی۔ انہوں نے کہا کہ تعلیم نہ صرف کسی بھی فرد کے معیار زندگی کو بہتر بنانے کیلئے ایک موثر ہتھیار ہے بلکہ یہ کسی بھی فرد، معاشرے یا معیشت کی کامیابی کا زینہ بھی ہے اور معیاری عدالتی تعلیم کے ذریعہ ہم ملک میں انصاف ہر ایک کیلئے کے تصور کو حقیقت کا روپ دے سکتے ہیں۔

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TheNation, Islamabad

Collective effort required to educate masses about environment: Jamali

ISLAMABAD

APP

Justice Anwar Zaheer Jamali on Monday said collective efforts were required to create awareness and educate the masses about the environment and its importance.

He expressed these views at the inaugural ceremony of a weeklong training course titled "Intellectual Property Rights Laws, Environmental Laws with Special Reference to Jurisdiction and Powers of Green Courts and other new laws" at the Federal Judicial Academy (FJA). Participants include district and sessions judges, and additional district and sessions judges from all over country including Azad Jammu and Kashmir.

Jamali said, "The academy has done a good job to realise the importance of the subject and incorporate it in the training course." He said this subject began from the destruction of the ozone layer and ended in households. District judges should make sure that environmental laws are enforced, he added.

He said," The mere labelling of environmental courts as 'Environmental Tribunals' or 'Green Courts' is not enough, the presiding officer's role in saving the environment in this age of environmental decay is key."

Expressing disappointment over the environmental laws and tribunals in the country, he said that laws enacted but environmental tribunals have only been 'on the record'. This shows a sorry state of affairs. He said seminars and workshops on this issue are being held frequently, but people need to be educated and made aware of the gravity of the situation. Jamali also spoke about the vibrant economies of East Asia including China, Japan, South Korea and Taiwan, where environmental courts have been working actively. He also referred to the South Asian Conference on Environmental Justice and the Bhurban Declaration, 2012, and said that more efforts were required. "Intellectual Property Rights Laws are not made to exploit poor people in developing countries and protect the interests of multinationals. Judges have to adopt a balanced and pragmatic approach to tackle issues arising out of it" he emphasised.

TheNation, Islamabad

MoU inked to modernise judicial academies

ISLAMABAD (APP) – Federal Judicial Academy (FJA) and United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) on Monday signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) which represents a complete plan of action for modernising judicial academies and transforming them into centers of excellence.

In this regard, a ceremony was held where Justice of Supreme Court, Nasir ul Mulk was chief guest. The event is a landmark achievement for UNDP and the FJA since it is for the first time that the Academy signed the MoU with a development agency. The function was organized by Legal Empowerment of the Poor (LEP) programme.

According to UNDP, the agreement between the two parties would formally shape the partnership in areas of policy engagement, infrastructure and IT support, capacity building and research and advocacy. Speaking on the occasion, Jean Luc Stalon, Country Director UNDP said, "We see this as an investment in future of the entire justice system in Pakistan. It reflects our faith in the ability of this system to meet the expectations of the poor and vulnerable citizens of this country. It also reflects our trust in FJA to lead the way toward this vision."

In his address, Pervaiz Chawla, Director General of FJA said the goals sought by LEP Programme are in complete alignment with the visior of the Federal Judicial Academy The LEP seeks to improve ac cess to justice for the poor anc vulnerable.

The LEP programme was ini tiated by the United Nations De velopment Program (UNDP) anc implemented by the UN Office fo Project Services (UNOPS), t support the ongoing efforts of th justice sector service delivery LEP is part of UNDP Pakistan broader agenda for the Rule o Law and Access to Justice and in tends to work in 37 districts acros all provinces for improving justic sector service delivery for th poor and vulnerable, workin closely with the judiciary, ba councils, prosecution, ombuds men offices and prisons.

The programme aims to se cure the delivery of legal right and services by key institution to the vulnerable segments of so ciety, in parallel to creating de mand and awareness amongs the right holders. The event wa attended by senior judges fron the superior courts, UN official and media.

TheNation, Islamabad

Judiciary enjoys public trust

Justice Mulk Says judicial officers can conduct fair polls

OUR STAFF REPORTER

ISLAMABAD - Judge Supreme Court, Justice Nasirul Mulk, has opined that people of Pakistan have trust and confidence in the judiciary and they consider it as the last resort saying, "Despite having hardships, we have the duty to deliver the justice to the people."

He expressed these views in the certificate awarding ceremony on the conclusion of one-week course titled "Effective Financial Management, control over process serving agency and environmental law with special reference to jurisdiction and powers of green courts, etc.", here in the Federal Judicial Academy (FJA) on Friday.

Regarding people's trust and confidence in the judiciary, the honorable judge gave an example of the recent request of the Chief Election Commissioner for election duties of the judicial officers. "No one else can conduct better polls than judicial officers in the country," he observed.

While deciding any case, always keep two things in your mind. These include: Decide the case according to law and be fair. Once you have decided the case on the basis of these two things, then, there is no need to be afraid of the consequences.

About the problems being faced by the district judiciary he said: We are mindful of the problems being faced by you (the judges of district judiciary) but we have to discuss and debate those problems.

By discussing we can figure out those problems, sort out those issues and find their solutions. Indeed, there are forums where such problems can be discussed for their redressal" he maintained.

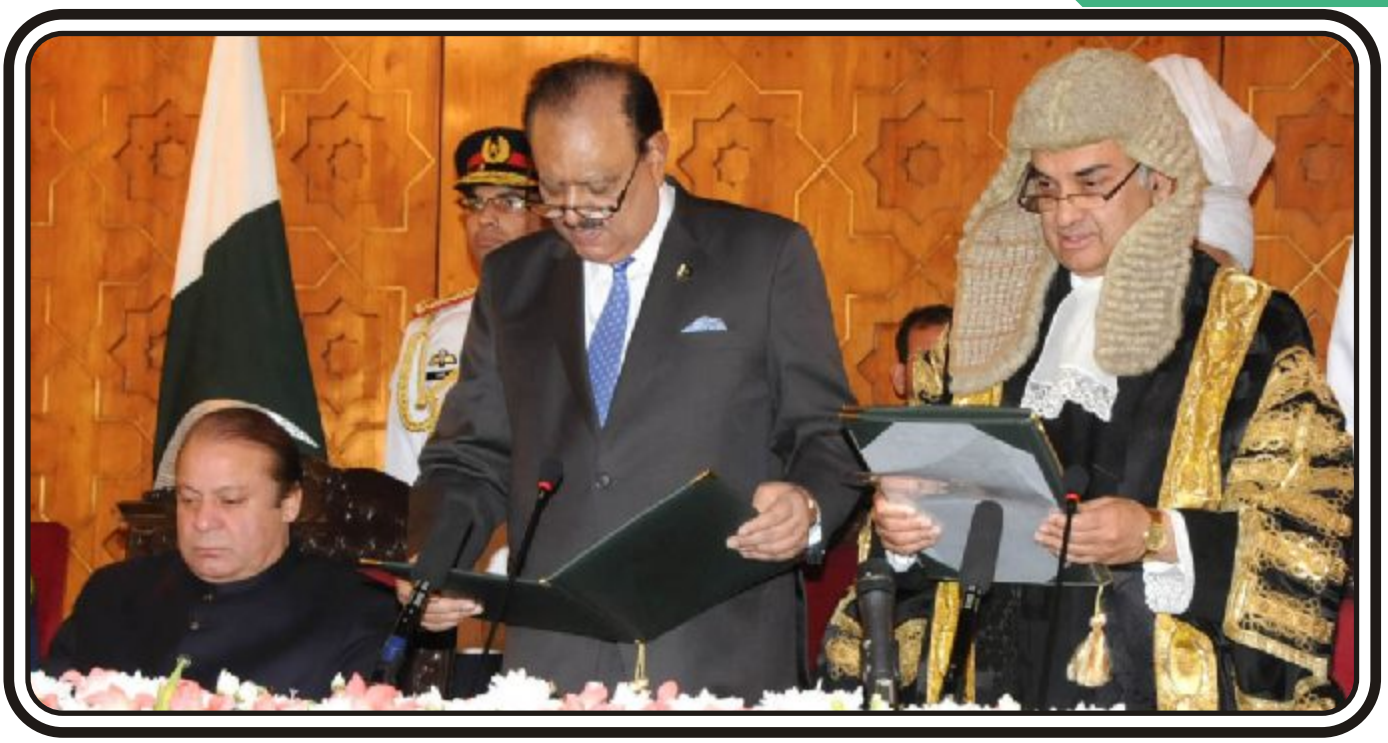
He lauded the content of the training course and said: A wide-range of topics have been covered during this training and I am confident that this training would be highly beneficial for you in your day to day affairs. As you know this that Academy is expanding, not only in its construction but also in the substance. "Now we have back to back training courses here and I hope all of you will get a chance to come here for trainings."

Justice Nasirul Mulk appreciated the idea that trainees come from all parts of Pakistan including AJ&K and GB and they stay here and interact with each other, they develop bond of friendship and some people become friends forever. These trainings are vital for judicial officers and their importance is internationally recognized nowadays. It is this training which gives you knowledge about new trends and skills in the world judiciary.

Enlightening the young judicial officers about the Alternative Dispute Resolution Mechanisms (ADRMs) he said: "Recently, I have an opportunity to attend an international conference abroad I could witness that the people around the world are gone ahead of us in the use of ARD methods. Now they call it "Amicable/ Appropriate Dispute Resolution instead of alternate dispute resolution mechanisms. We must have to use these methods so as to provide speedy justice to the people," he added.

Earlier, Pervaiz Ali Chawla, DG of the Academy presented an overview of the course. He emphasized the point that collective cooperation of all stakeholders of administration of justice system, particularly, bar and bench, was essential for speedy disposal of cases.

Hashim Abro, spokesman of the Academy said that in the end, Honorable Chief guest gave away certificates to nineteen course participants, two of them female judges, in the ceremony.



President Mamnoon Hussain administering oath of office to Hon'ble Mr. Justice Nasir-ul-Mulk as Chief Justice of Pakistan at a ceremony held at the Aiwan-e-Sadr, Islamabad on July 6, 2014, Prime Minister Muhammad Nawaz Sharif is also present



President Mamnoon Hussain administering oath of office to Hon'ble Mr. Justice Tassaduq Hussain Jillani as Chief Justice of Pakistan at a ceremony held at the Aiwan-e-Sadr, Islamabad on 12 December, 2013



Hon'ble Mr. Justice Nasir-ul- Mulk, Chief Justice of Pakistan, during Judicial Exchange Program at U.S.A.



A group photo of the participants of the Judicial Exchange Program at U.S.A



Yesterday is history: Hon'ble two former Chief Justices of Pakistan in a two-day workshop on " Prisoners Vulnerability: Lacking Awareness" under the auspices of Law and Justice Commission of Pakistan at to the CELJE/FJA, Islamabad.



Hon'ble two former CJPs and others: Unveiling the plaque and praying for the future prospects of the newly constructed FJA-Phase -II



Today is a gift of God: Hon'ble (incumbent) Chief Justice of Pakistan exchanging ideas with Hon'ble two former Chief Justices of Pakistan during their visit to various parts of the newly constructed FJA-Phase -II building.



Honoring the honourable: Mr. Justice Iftikhar Muhammad Chaudhry, Chief Justice of Pakistan, presenting a shield to Hon'ble Mr. Justice Nasir-ul- Mulk, appreciating his valuable services as Judge Incharge, FJA during Golden Jubilee Celebrations of the Academy.



A Pakistani delegation headed by Hon'ble Mr. Justice Asif Saeed Khan Khosa at Warwick University during Judicial Training Study Tour of United Kingdom and Ireland



Hon'ble Mr. Justice Anwar Zaheer Jamali, Judge, Supreme Court of Pakistan, presenting his research paper in a two-day workshop on " Prisoners Vulnerability: Lacking Awareness" held at the CELJE/FJA, Islamabad.



Trainee Judges from all over Pakistan in group photo with Mr. Justice Tassaduq Hussain Jillani, former Chief Justice of Pakistan and faculty members of the CELJE/FJA



Lawyers from different District Bar Associations of Sindh in group photo with Mr. Justice Sarmad Jalal Osmany, Hon'ble Judge, Supreme Court of Pakistan, and faculty members during their one-week training here in the CELJE/ FJA



Family Court Judges from all over Pakistan in group photo with Mr. Justice Ejaz Afzal Khan, Hon'ble Judge, Supreme Court of Pakistan and faculty members of the CELJE/FJA



Family Court Judges from all over Pakistan in group photo with Mr. Justice Jawwad S. Khawja, Hon'ble Judge, Supreme Court of Pakistan and faculty members at CELJE/FJA



A group photo of DG, FJA with the participants of the conference at Nepal



Dr. Faqir Hussain, DG, CELJE/ FJA delivering lecture on Preventive Detention Law in Pakistan to the participants of course at Lahore through video link

Annual Budget and Expenditure

Financial statements showing allocated budget actual expenditure during the FY 2013-2014.

Budget Allocated		Actual expenditure	
A01101	Pay of Officer	8,518,440	7,098,357
A01102	Pay of Staff	7,015,500	6,166,736
A01201	Regular Allowances	42,624,888	36,575,305
A01271	Overtime Allowance	187,500	109,275
A01273	Honorarium	1,875,000	1,326,210
A01274	Medical Charges	1,870,500	16,297
A01277	Contingent Paid Staff	500,000	242,323
A03201	Postage & Telegraph	150,000	161,058
A03202	Telephone & T. Calls	1,225,000	597,148
A03205	Pilot and Courier Service	62,500	-
A03301	Gas Charges	1,250,000	722,992
A03302	Water Charges	125,000	33,191
A03303	Electricity Charges	2,500,000	1,149,279
A03305	POL for Generator	3,000,000	230,608
A03403	Rent for Residential Building	4,300,000	3,007,898
A03603	Registration	18,750	12,666
A03805	T.A.& D.A/ Course.	15,776,422	8,771,928
A03806	Transportation of Goods	12,500	-
A03807	POL Charges	1,875,000	575,210
A03809	CNG for Vehicles	1,000,000	106,136

		Budget Allocated	Actual expenditure
A03810	Conveyance Charges	125,000	148,725
A03901	Office Stationery	1,000,000	565,463
A03902	Printing Charges	625,000	255,809
A03905	Newspaper Periodical & Books	337,500	268,270
A03906	Uniforms	125,000	-
A03907	Advertisement & Publicity	1,000,000	-
A03917	Law Charges	125,000	-
A03970	Other (Misc. Exp)	625,000	423,884
A04101	Pension to Employees	312,500	151,488
A04110	Pension Contribution	500,000	351,807
A05200	Employer Contribution BF&GI	312,500	421,253
A05216	Grant for in-service death	1,250,000	-
A06300	Gift & Entertainment	562,500	412,319
A08000	Loan to Govt. Servant	5,000,000	3,500,000
A09200	Computer Equipment	5,875,000	94,510
A09600	Purchase of Machinery	2,987,500	100,539
A09700	Purchase of Furniture	625,000	81,432
A13001	Repair of Transport	1,000,000	314,545
A13101	Repair of Machinery	750,000	123,315
A13201	Repair of Furniture	312,500	126,655
A13700	Computer Equipment	125,000	-
-	Seed Money (for CELJE)	45,000,000	31,500,000
Remit to Govt	Income Tax, GST & Recoveries of Advances		814,701
	Total	162,462,000	106,561,201

Note: Ministry of Law did not issue fourth quarter budget release (30%) for FY 2013-14. Expenditure has been reconciled with AGPR.

Accounts Officer

Former Chairmen, Board of Governors

(FJA)

S. No.	Name of Chairman	From	To
1	Mr. Justice Muhammad Haleem	14. 9. 1988	31. 12. 1989
2	Mr. Justice Muhammad Afzal Zullah	1. 1. 1990	18. 4. 1993
3	Mr. Justice Nasim Hassan Shah	17. 4. 1993	14. 4. 1994
4	Mr. Justice Sajjad Ali Shah	5. 6. 1994	2. 12. 1997
5	Mr. Justice Ajmal Mian	3. 12. 1997	30. 6. 1999
6	Mr. Justice Saiduzzaman Siddiqui	1. 7. 1999	26. 1. 2000
7	Mr. Justice Irshad Hasan Khan	26. 1. 2000	6. 1. 2002
8	Mr. Justice Mohammad Bashir Jehangiri	7. 1. 2002	30. 1. 2002
9	Mr. Justice Sheikh Riaz Ahmad	1. 2. 2002	31. 12. 2003
10	Mr. Justice Nazim Hussain Siddiqui	1. 1. 2004	29. 6. 2005
11	Mr. Justice Iftikhar Muhammad Chaudhry	30. 6. 2005	11. 12. 2013
12	Mr. Justice Tassaduq Hussain Jillani	12. 12. 2013	5. 7. 2014
13	Mr. Justice Nasir-ul-Mulk	6. 7. 2014	Continue

Former Directors General

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1	Sheikh Amjad Ali	27. 9. 1988	26. 8. 1990
2	Professor Abdul Quyyum Qureshi	28. 8. 1990	15. 1. 1992
3	Dr. Anwaar Hussain Saddiqui	15. 1. 1992	9. 2. 1995
4	Mr. Ashiq Hussain (A/C)	9. 2. 1995	9. 3. 1995
5	Dr. Rashid Ahmad Shah	9. 3. 1995	6. 1. 1997
6	Mr. Saleem Aftab Sheikh (A/C)	6. 1. 1997	24. 5. 1997
7	Mr. Muhammad Zakaullah (A/C)	26. 5. 1997	9. 1. 1998
8	Mr. M. A. Latif (A/C)	10. 1. 1998	7. 7. 1999
9	Mr. Justice Khalil-ur-Rehman Khan Director General/Judge In charge	8. 7. 1999	20. 10. 1999
10	Mr. Justice Nasir Aslam Zahid Director General/Judge In charge	21. 10. 1999	26. 1. 2000
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12	Ch. Hassan Nawaz	4. 10. 2000	3. 10. 2005
13	Mr. Moazzam Hayat	5. 10. 2005	4. 10. 2009
14	Mr. Alamzeb Khan (A/C)	5. 10. 2009	27. 10. 2009
15	Mr. Parvaiz Ali Chawla	28. 10. 2009	14. 5. 2014
16	Dr. Faqir Hussain	15. 5. 2014	Continue

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