

PRESS RELEASE

South Asian, European delegation visit to Chairman PCHR office

ISLAMABAD: A high level European and South Asian delegation led by Prafulla Maheshwari, Member of Indian Parliament called on Chairman Parliamentarians Commission for Human Rights (PCHR) Mr. Riaz Fatyana Member National Assembly at his office, here Saturday says a press release.

Delegates member were included of Member of Parliament for Manukau East (Labour Party), New Zealand, Mr. Ross Robertson, Minister of Parliament Bangladesh National Party, Chairman, Foreign Relation Committee Bangladesh Government Mr. Ziaur Rehman Khan, Chief Whip, Opposition, Bangladesh Parliament, Awami League Party and other important members.

During the meeting, the issues relating to human rights, role of parliamentarians, as well as the social sector in the development of Pakistan came under discussion. Riaz Fatyana and Chief Coordinator PCHR Shafiq Chaudhry briefed the delegates about the work of commission and role of parliamentarians.

Riaz Fatyana informed the delegation that Parliamentarians in Pakistan playing their proactive role to address the issue being faced by people and to improve human rights situation in the country.

Talking to delegation regarding the recent rape case in Sui, Balochistan he said that PCHR has submitted calling attention notice and adjournment motion to the National Assembly and referred it to high authorities for the impartial inquiry.

Chaudhry Shafiq briefed the delegates about PCHR recommendations for the legal and administrative system especially Hudood Ordinance, Honour killing Bill, Senior Citizen Bill, Juvenile Justice System Ordinance, Industrial Relation ordinance, and Bonded Labour.

Delegation Visited different sections of PCHR, appreciated the its activities, wished to constitute such organization and assured all sorts of coordination and support.

Delegation decided to establish SAARC member council and proposed joint strategy for the welfare and development of their community.

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