



RESOLUTION NO.513

"The Senate of Pakistan recognizes the significance of Parliamentary Diplomacy in relation to smooth and efficient conduct of parliamentary relations and forging socioeconomic, political, strategic and cultural contacts amongst the Parliaments in general and States in particular in pursuance to the national interest.

The Senate of Pakistan further acknowledges the vital role played by the Honorable Members of Parliament in raising voices on issues of common interests through effective participation in bilateral and multilateral parliamentary fora including International Parliamentary Union, Parliamentary Union of Islamic Countries, Commonwealth Parliamentary Association and Asian Parliamentary Assembly.

The House therefore recommends that Members of Parliament who have been accredited / designated by the Foreign Governments be appointed as Honorary Consul General of particular country in Pakistan with a view to strengthen the existing people to people contact and improve bilateral / multilateral relations in above areas."

Moved by Senator Zeeshan Khanzada on his hon behalf and on behalf of Senators Quratulain Marri, Seemee Ezdi, Faisal Saleem rehman, Haji Hidayatullah Khan, Unanimously Passed by the Senate of Pakistan on Monday, the 31st January, 2022.



RESOLUTION NO.514

"The Senate of Pakistan is cognizant of the importance of rail connectivity amongst the neighboring countries for revenue generation, promotion of business and tourism. The House recommends that the Government should take steps for running passenger/freight trains between Quetta and Zahidan to facilitate travelling of ziaareen, tourists and business community from Pakistan to Iran and boost trade on the analogy of recently resumed freight service from Pakistan to Turkey via Iran."

Moved by Senator Zeeshan Khanzada,
unanimously passed by the Senate of
Pakistan Monday, the 31st January, 2022.



RESOLUTION NO.515

"The Senate of Pakistan;

Notes, that a systematic campaign in a section of the media and social media is being run to undermine the Federal Parliamentary form of Government;

Takes Cognizance, that such a campaign is propagating a Presidential form of Government;

Recalls, that the Founder of the Nation, Quaid-e-Azam Muhammad Ali Jinnah, envisaged a Federal Parliamentary form of Government as his vision for Pakistan;

Further recalls, that the people of Pakistan have relentlessly struggled and sacrificed for a Federal Parliamentary form of Government;

Conscious of the fact, that Pakistan is a participatory federation;

Emphasizes, that the Constitution, 1973, envisages Pakistan to be a Federation, with a Parliamentary form of Government, trichotomy of power, independence of the judiciary, provincial autonomy and fundamental rights for its citizens;

Observes, that a Presidential form of Government will introduce a unitary form of Government, wherein, the entire Constitution, 1973, will be required to be rewritten;

Warns, that given the intra-provincial and federal provincial polarization, internal political instability, the regional situation and international attempts at colonization of Pakistan, will make a national consensus on a new Constitution impossible,

Resolves, that it will preserve and protect the Parliamentary form of Government as envisaged in the Constitution, 1973, as any other form of Government, will have disastrous consequences for the Federation."

Moved by Senator Mian Raza Rabbani on his own behalf and on behalf of Senators Syed Yousaf Raza Gillani, Leader of Opposition, Sheher Bano Sherry Rehman, Sardar Muhammad Shafiq Tareen, Azam Nazeer Tarar, Mushtaq Ahmed, Moulana Abdul Ghafoor Haidri, Muhammad Tahir Bizinjo, Haji Hidayatullah Khan Passed by the Senate of Pakistan with majority of votes on Monday, the 31st January, 2022.