



# VISION

## behind the National Meet on SDGs

Parliamentary engagement is essential to translate the global 2030 Agenda into practice. The implementation of the SDGs requires utilization of wide-ranging policy approaches.

The sustainable goals and their 169 targets are cross-cutting in all areas such as health, nutrition, education, poverty, economic growth, climate change, and sustainable use of resources.

The objectives integrate three approaches of development goals i.e. social inclusion, economic development and environmental sustainability. Pakistan is committed to the SDGs and has embarked on strategizing and implementing its development agenda in line with the SDGs with a distinct approach. Having established first of its kind SDGs Secretariat in its Parliament, Pakistan has institutionalized the process of representation, legislation and representation of the SDGs targets.

In order to achieve the targets and their respective indicators it is imperative to establish a regionally coordinated strategy. There is a need to share experiences and challenges and devise a way forward.

The Pandemic has also significantly disrupted the progress towards the Sustainable Development Goals. It has become imperative to discuss the challenges that are before us after the spread of COVID -19 and it is even more important to engage in discourse regarding the 2030 Agenda.

It is essential to prioritise the SDGs with a national lens. Therefore, the National Meet on the SDGs will provide a platform for redesigning of the global goals in an inclusive, resilient and sustainable manner. One of the key outputs of the National Meet shall include a national framework which will allow for a roadmap to be established and will assist in the prioritization of the goals, nationally. After the key priority areas are identified the focus can be shifted towards its implementation and subsequent policy making.



## PROGRAMME

### Day 1: 27th July 2022

10:00-11:00 AM

#### INAUGURAL SESSION

Main Hall  
Sheesh Mehal,  
Serena Hotel

Welcome Remarks by  
Ms. Romina Khurshid Alam, Convener National  
Parliamentary Task Force on SDGs

Introductory remarks:  
H.E Dr Riina Klonka,  
Ambassador of the European Union to Pakistan

Mr. Raja Pervaiz Ashraf,  
Speaker of the National Assembly of Pakistan  
(TBC)

Key Note: - Mr. Ahsan Iqbal (TBC)

*Group photo*

11:00-11:15 AM

#### SETTING THE SCENE: SDG implementation in Pakistan

11:15-11:30 AM

*Tea Break*

11:30 AM-13:00 PM

#### PARALLEL BREAKOUT SESSION:

Faisalabad  
Board Room,  
Serena Hotel

**Session I:**  
Envisioning inclusive development:  
Socio-economic challenges in Pakistan

Quetta  
Board Room,  
Serena Hotel

**Session II:**  
Ending hunger and malnutrition

Gilgit  
Board Room,  
Serena Hotel

**Session III:**  
Sustainable and Eco-Tourism

13:00-14:00 PM

*Lunch and prayer break*

14:00-15:30 PM

#### PARALLEL BREAKOUT SESSIONS:

Faisalabad  
Board Room,  
Serena Hotel

**Session I:**  
Re-Defining Corporate Social Responsibility for  
the achievement of SDGs

Quetta  
Board Room,  
Serena Hotel

**Session II:**  
Ensuring equitable access to health

Gilgit  
Board Room,  
Serena Hotel

**Session III:**  
National dialogue on climate change and the  
impact of heatwave



## PROGRAMME

### Day 2: 28th July 2022

09:30 - 11:00 AM

#### SESSION:

Main Hall  
Kehkishaan,  
Serena Hotel

Integrating the SDGs into national policy

11:00- 11:15 AM

*Tea Break*

11:15-12:45 PM

#### CLOSING PLENARY:

The way forward – Conclusions of the parallel  
breakout sessions

Closing remarks by Chief Guest (TBC)

Outcome document:

Presented by

Hon. Convener Romina Khurshid Alam

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01:00 PM

Networking Lunch hosted by  
Hon. Convener Romina Khurshid Alam

*Departure of Guests*



SUSTAINABLE  
DEVELOPMENT  
GOALS