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DEMOCRATS SWEEP US MIDTERMS AS LEADERS BLAME IRAN WAR FOR DEFEAT



WASHINGTON, November 4th – Democrats captured majorities in both the US Senate and House of Representatives in the Nov 3 midterm elections, ending Republican control of Congress. Democrats flipped key seats across GOP strongholds, including Texas, Kansas, South Carolina, and Iowa. In Texas, Democrat James Talarico defeated Republican Ken Paxton for the Senate, while Gina Hinojosa ousted Greg Abbott for the governorship. Georgia saw Democrat Keisha Lance Bottoms elected as the first Black female governor of a US state. Addressing the outcome, US Vice President JD Vance blamed the conflict with Iran for the GOP's losses, noting 2024 supporters defected over the war, inflation, high living costs, and US-Israel relations. Vance urged Republicans to heed public demands to end the war, fueling 2028 presidential speculation. President Donald Trump conceded the conflict drove up fuel prices and hurt candidates, though he defended the military operation. Senate Democratic Leader Chuck Schumer stated Democrats intend to use their funding authority to press for an end to the war.

TÜRKIYE RATIFIES TRILATERAL MAKKAH JOINT DEFENCE AGREEMENT

ANKARA, November 6th – Türkiye's parliament approved the Makkah Joint Defence Agreement with Pakistan and Saudi Arabia by 279 votes to 119, completing its ratification process after previous approval by Islamabad and Riyadh. Signed August 7, the trilateral pact creates a collective defense framework against external aggression while expanding intelligence sharing, joint training, and defense cooperation. Officials noted the agreement targets no third country and that troop deployments abroad require separate approval.

EISENKOT TASKED TO FORM ISRAELI GOVERNMENT AMID US PRESSURE ON GAZA PLAN



JERUSALEM, November 8th – Israeli President Isaac Herzog formally tasked opposition leader Gadi Eisenkot with forming the next government on November 8, following October 27 parliamentary elections that produced no clear majority. Backed by 67 Knesset lawmakers against 46 for Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu, the former military chief leads a 48-seat centrist bloc and has 28 days to build a coalition. Concurrently, US President Donald Trump urged Netanyahu during a November 5 call to implement Washington's Gaza peace plan, envisioning demilitarization and Palestinian technocratic rule. Despite an October 2025 ceasefire, an Israeli strike killed two Palestinians in southern Gaza on November 8, highlighting ongoing fragile truce security.

WEST BANK SETTLER VIOLENCE DRAWS PROTEST FROM FORMER ISRAELI GENERALS



GAZA, November 8th – Israeli strikes and gunfire continued across Gaza despite the October 2025 ceasefire, killing two Palestinians and wounding 12 on Sunday, according to medical sources. The latest casualties follow Thursday's attacks, which killed five Palestinians, including a 12-year-old boy and a woman. Gaza's Health Ministry reports that more than 1,610 Palestinians have been killed since the ceasefire took effect. Meanwhile, heavy rainfall and strong winds flooded around 70,000 tents sheltering displaced families, soaking mattresses, blankets and belongings, while shortages of fuel and emergency equipment hampered relief efforts. In the occupied West Bank, around 30 Israeli settlers occupied eight Palestinian homes near Jericho, claiming legal purchases disputed by Palestinian officials. Two Israeli activists were reportedly assaulted and a Palestinian man shot in the leg. Amid growing settler violence, around 30 former Israeli military officials, including six generals, joined Palestinian farmers harvesting olives near Qusra. Rights group Yesh Din documented 180 physical attacks on olive harvesters during the first 35 days of the season.

NATIONWIDE PROTESTS, UNREST SWEEP ACROSS FRANCE

PARIS, November 5th – Nationwide demonstrations swept across France as workers and students protested over wages, tax reforms and public-service funding. The Interior Ministry estimated 575,000 participants nationwide, including 65,000 in Paris, while the CGT union put turnout at 1.6 million. Around 70,000 security personnel were deployed, with authorities reporting 448 arrests and 53 injured police officers. Demonstrations disrupted transport and public services, while clashes were reported in several cities. The protests involved unions representing education, healthcare, transit and postal sectors.

MUSLIM CANDIDATES ACHIEVE HISTORIC WINS ACROSS US MIDTERM

WASHINGTON November 5th – Muslim American candidates secured at least 97 electoral victories across 21 states in the November 3rd US midterm elections, marking a record increase in political representation, according to the Council on American-Islamic Relations (CAIR). The results included 38 state legislative victories, with more than 100 wins projected as remaining votes are counted. Democrat Abdul El-Sayed defeated Republican Mike Rogers in Michigan, becoming the first Muslim elected to the US Senate. In congressional races, Adam Hamawy won New Jersey's 12th District, becoming the state's first Muslim member of Congress, while Darializa Avila Chevalier secured New York's 13th District. Georgia's Ruwa Romman also led in the State Senate District 7 race, while several Muslim lawmakers secured re-election. A CAIR-backed exit survey of 522 Muslim voters identified the Gaza conflict, the Iran war, economic pressures and rising Islamophobia as major factors influencing voting decisions.

JAPAN HIT BY EARTHQUAKE LEAVING MANY INJURED

TOKYO, November 8th – A magnitude 5.7 earthquake struck western Shizuoka Prefecture in central Japan at 1:04 a.m. local time on Sunday, November 8, 2026, at a depth of 40 kilometers. At least 22 people were injured across Aichi and Shizuoka prefectures, primarily from falling during evacuations. The quake reached an upper-five intensity in Chita city, shattering shop windows and briefly suspending regional train services. No tsunami warning was issued, and no abnormalities were detected at the Hamaoka Nuclear Power Plant or along the Nankai Trough. Japan's Meteorological Agency warned residents to prepare for potential seismic activity over the coming week as authorities coordinate emergency response operations.

NORTH KOREA TESTS NEW AIR-DEFENCE MISSILE, CONDUCTS CRUISE MISSILE DRILL



PYONGYANG, November 5th – North Korea test-fired a newly designed air-defence missile system on Wednesday, with state news agency KCNA reporting the operation on Thursday. KCNA stated the test verified the missile's guidance modes, technical reliability, and target-tracking capabilities. Simultaneously, a long-range strategic cruise missile unit conducted a simulated strike drill targeting an airport in the country's eastern region. South Korea's military reported multiple missiles launched from the Sondok area toward the East Sea, flying under 300 kilometers. Defense analyst Shin Jong-woo noted that released images suggest the cruise missile carried a cluster warhead, while the new air-defense system's guidance section bears structural similarities to Russia's S-400 system.

RUSSIA BOMBARDS UKRAINE AHEAD OF US-MEDIATED ABU DHABI PEACE TALKS



KYIV, November 7th – Russia launched 172 drones and 36 ballistic missiles overnight on November 7, 2026, hitting Ukraine's energy and transport networks. Air defenses downed 149 drones and four missiles, but strikes damaged substations and Kyiv's Northern Bridge, leaving 2 dead, 12 wounded, and power cut. President Volodymyr Zelenskyy accused Moscow of trying to weaken Kyiv before US-mediated peace talks in Abu Dhabi on November 10–11, prompting an urgent plea to Washington for Patriot interceptors.

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PAKISTAN SUCCESSFULLY TESTS FIRST INDIGENOUS AIR-TO-AIR MISSILE FA'AZ



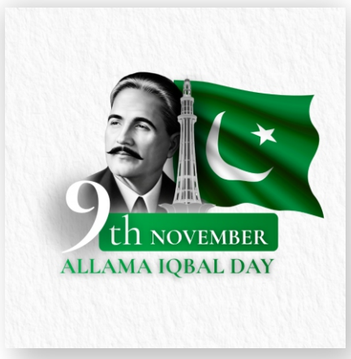
RAWALPINDI, November 3rd – Pakistan successfully conducted the flight test of Fa'az, its first indigenously developed air-to-air missile, Inter-Services Public Relations (ISPR) announced. Featuring an advanced terminal guidance system, the missile is designed to engage aerial targets at extended ranges and enhance the Pakistan Air Force's operational flexibility. Senior military officers, scientists, and engineers witnessed the test, with top leadership extending congratulations to the development team. The milestone follows recent strategic tests, including the extended-range Fatah-2 hypersonic ballistic missile on Oct 13 and the Fatah-IV cruise missile on Oct 6.

PAKISTANI LEADERSHIP EXTENDS DIWALI GREETINGS, REAFFIRMING MINORITY RIGHTS

ISLAMABAD, November 8th – President Asif Ali Zardari, PM Shehbaz Sharif, and Sindh CM Murad Ali Shah extended warm greetings to Pakistan's Hindu community for Diwali on November 8. President Zardari characterized Diwali as a symbol of hope and light, acknowledging the Hindu community as an integral part of national life and recalling Quaid-e-Azam's vision of equal citizenship. Prime Minister Shehbaz Sharif reaffirmed constitutional guarantees for minority rights and called for interfaith harmony. CM Murad Ali Shah highlighted Sindh's culture of religious tolerance, reiterating the government's resolve to safeguard minority freedoms.

WHOLE NATION OBSERVES ALLAMA IQBAL DAY

LAHORE, November 9th – Pakistan will observe the birth anniversary of national poet and philosopher Allama Muhammad Iqbal on November 9th, 2026. Born in Sialkot in 1877, Iqbal's concept of Khudi and his historic 1930 Allahabad Address laid the intellectual foundation for Pakistan. Celebrated for works like Bang-e-Dra and Bal-e-Jibril, his legacy will be marked by ceremonies, literary events, and tributes at his Lahore mausoleum.



PIA TO RESUME DIRECT FLIGHTS BETWEEN ISLAMABAD, BIRMINGHAM



ISLAMABAD, November 4th – Pakistan International Airlines will resume direct flights between Islamabad and Birmingham starting December 1st, operating thrice weekly on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays. PIA aims to serve northern and central UK residents while expanding total Pakistan-UK flights to 23 weekly. Birmingham Airport welcomed the return, citing strong demand from the West Midlands' diaspora of over 320,000 Pakistanis.

CLIMATE CHANGE INCREASES GLACIAL FLOOD THREATS IN HIGH MOUNTAIN AREAS



A new environmental assessment warns of accelerating glacier melt, thawing permafrost, and extreme weather heightening GLOF and landslide risks in High Mountain Asia. Rapid thaw destabilizes slopes and natural dams—causing rockfalls, avalanches, and lake breaches—while heavy rainfall and spring thaws worsen flash floods. UNESCO warns retreating glaciers will lose drought-buffering capacity as heat spikes summer water demand, and poor watershed management threatens severe erosion and pollution. Early-warning systems, hazard mapping, real-time monitoring, and sustainable management can effectively mitigate these threats.

SINDH DIRECTS FINALISATION OF ROUTES FOR NEW KARACHI BUSES

KARACHI, November 5th – Sindh Transport Minister Sharjeel Memon directed officials to finalize routes and logistics for new double-decker and electric buses arriving in Karachi this month. Key routes will connect major commercial, educational, and residential hubs while depot and charging infrastructure is completed. Memon also ordered a Red Line BRT U-turn to be opened on University Road, accelerated progress on the Red and Yellow Line depots, and daily monitoring to finish Taj Haider Bridge.

AIOU LAHORE CAMPUS CONDUCTS ORIENTATION FOR AUTUMN B.ED BATCH



LAHORE – The Allama Iqbal Open University (AIOU) Regional Campus Lahore organized an orientation and training session for newly enrolled B.Ed students of the Autumn 2026 semester. Deputy Regional Director Dr. Uzma Tariq welcomed the students, while Regional Director Ahsan Shakoor reaffirmed the campus's commitment to supporting learners throughout their academic journey. Trainers Muhammad Shafique Ahmad and Ansar Aleem conducted practical demonstrations covering the Learning Management System (LMS), Campus Management Solution (CMS), and academic tracking. The session concluded with an interactive Q&A to resolve student queries regarding coursework and digital portal access.

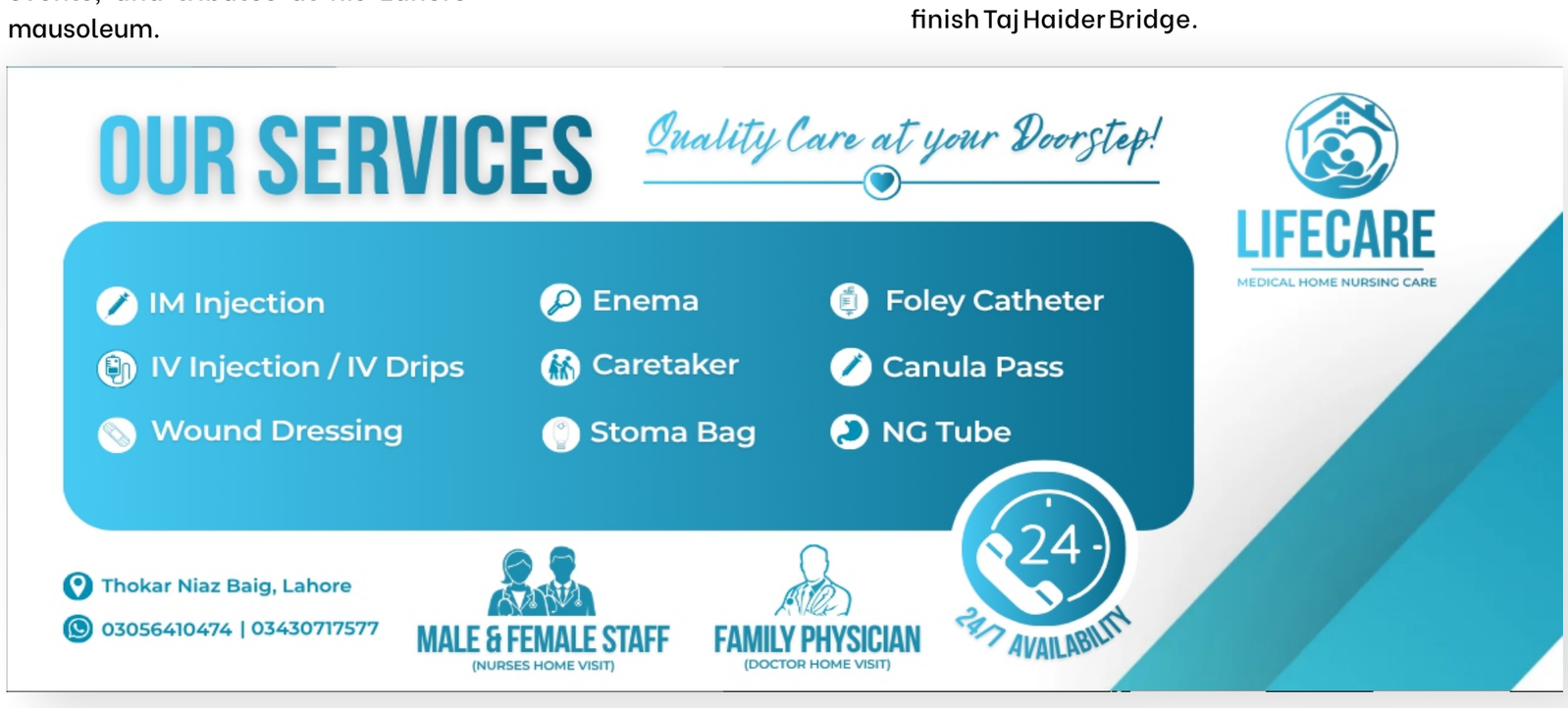
MARYAM NAWAZ ISSUES DEFAMATION NOTICE TO SALIK HUSSAIN OVER CORRUPTION CLAIMS



LAHORE, November 5th – Punjab Chief Minister Maryam Nawaz issued a Rs 5 billion defamation notice to Federal Minister Chaudhry Salik Hussain, ARY News, and its executives following Salik's TV interview alleging widespread corruption and regional bias in development spending. Maryam challenged Salik to substantiate his claims, accusing him of targeting her administration after she refused his request regarding the appointment of Gujrat's deputy commissioner. Salik confirmed receiving the notice under the Punjab Defamation Act, 2024, promising a formal response while maintaining his right to voice legitimate political criticism. PML-Q defended Salik, stating coalition partnership does not require silence on government irregularities. Meanwhile, Defence Minister Khawaja Asif and Punjab Information Minister Azma Bokhari characterized the allegations as part of a political effort to undermine Maryam's administration.

SHEHBAZ SHARIF INAUGURATES KASHMIR CHOWK UNDERPASS

ISLAMABAD, November 5th – Prime Minister Shehbaz Sharif inaugurated the Kashmir Chowk Underpass on Thursday, calling its 27-day completion a "mini miracle". The Rs 1.4 billion project features a 500-meter underpass, a 4 km road network, and two monuments dedicated to Kashmir. Interior Minister Mohsin Naqvi stated 6,340 trees were planted alongside third-party supervision to ensure quality. Built to ease congestion at a junction handling 107,000 vehicles daily, the project was finished ahead of next year's Shanghai Cooperation Organisation conference in Islamabad.



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LATEST FROM LCCI

LEGISLATION TO REPLACE FIRS WITH FINES IN DENGUE CASES: PROVINCIAL HEALTH MINISTER



LAHORE, November 7th – Punjab Health Minister Khawaja Imran Nazeer announced plans on Saturday to introduce legislation replacing immediate FIRs with a graduated fine system for dengue-related regulatory violations, reserving prosecution for third-time offenses. Speaking at the Lahore Chamber of Commerce and Industry (LCCI) on the directions of Chief Minister Maryam Nawaz Sharif, the minister assured business leaders that the proposed mechanism would allow companies to rectify technical shortcomings without facing criminal proceedings. During the session, Minister Nazeer outlined several healthcare initiatives for the trading community, including expanding the "Clinic on Wheels" program to Lahore's commercial hubs, establishing a monthly mobile field hospital at the LCCI, and forming joint technical committees to resolve pharmaceutical regulatory issues. LCCI President Ali Hussam Asghar welcomed the proposed legal reforms, emphasizing the need to protect legitimate commercial activity from disproportionate punitive raids and administrative pressure.

ETHIOPIA OFFERS GATEWAY TO AFRICAN MARKETS FOR PAKISTANI BUSINESSES: AMBASSADOR



LAHORE, November 4th – Ethiopian Ambassador Dr. Oumer Hussien Oba invited the Pakistani business community to explore investment opportunities in Ethiopia, highlighting its position as a strategic gateway to African markets alongside its competitive energy costs and growing industrial infrastructure. Speaking at the Lahore Chamber of Commerce and Industry (LCCI), the Ambassador noted that Ethiopia's 130-million-strong population offers vast potential in manufacturing, textiles, and pharmaceuticals. He also announced that the Ethiopian Embassy will lead a Pakistani business delegation to Ethiopia from January 24 to 29, 2027. LCCI President Ali Hussam Asghar stressed that current trade figures—$5.1 million in Pakistani exports against $14.5 million in Ethiopian imports—do not reflect true bilateral potential. He proposed establishing direct institutional linkages between LCCI and the Ethiopian Chamber of Commerce within a week to launch virtual B2B meetings and target sectors including rice, pharmaceuticals, textiles, and surgical instruments.

CHINESE DELEGATION VISITS LCCI TO BOOST BILATERAL TRADE, INVESTMENT



LAHORE – A high-level Chinese delegation led by Ha Zengyou visited the Lahore Chamber of Commerce and Industry (LCCI) on Tuesday, proposing a four-pronged framework to expand trade, investment, and technology transfer between Pakistan and Xinjiang Province. Focusing on priority areas including agriculture, textiles, infrastructure, and cross-border trade, the delegation highlighted the strategic synergy between the Xinjiang Production and Construction Corps (XPCC) and Punjab's industrial base. Leader of the Delegation Ha Zengyou emphasized that XPCC seeks to partner with Pakistani businesses in standardized cultivation, food processing, cold-chain storage, and downstream textile manufacturing. He offered XPCC's assistance to help Pakistani enterprises navigate Chinese customs regulations, taxation, and market access, while proposing a permanent communication mechanism between economic zones and regional chambers of commerce. Minister Counsellor at the Chinese Embassy Yang Guangyuan also attended the strategic session alongside leading provincial commercial representatives. LCCI President Ali Hussam Asghar identified water-efficient farming, modern irrigation systems, cold-chain storage, and halal meat production as high-priority areas for joint ventures in CPEC Special Economic Zones. Former LCCI President Shahzad Ali Malik noted that Pakistan's annual cotton output has declined from 15 million to 5–6 million bales, urging technical collaboration in seed development and crop management to rebuild domestic yields. Additionally, LCCI Senior Vice President Sardar Usman Ghani proposed establishing a dedicated "Chinatown" in Lahore to provide secure residential, professional, and commercial facilities for visiting Chinese investors.

GILLANI SUPPORTS LCCI'S CALL FOR STAKEHOLDERS CONSULTATION IN LAWMAKING

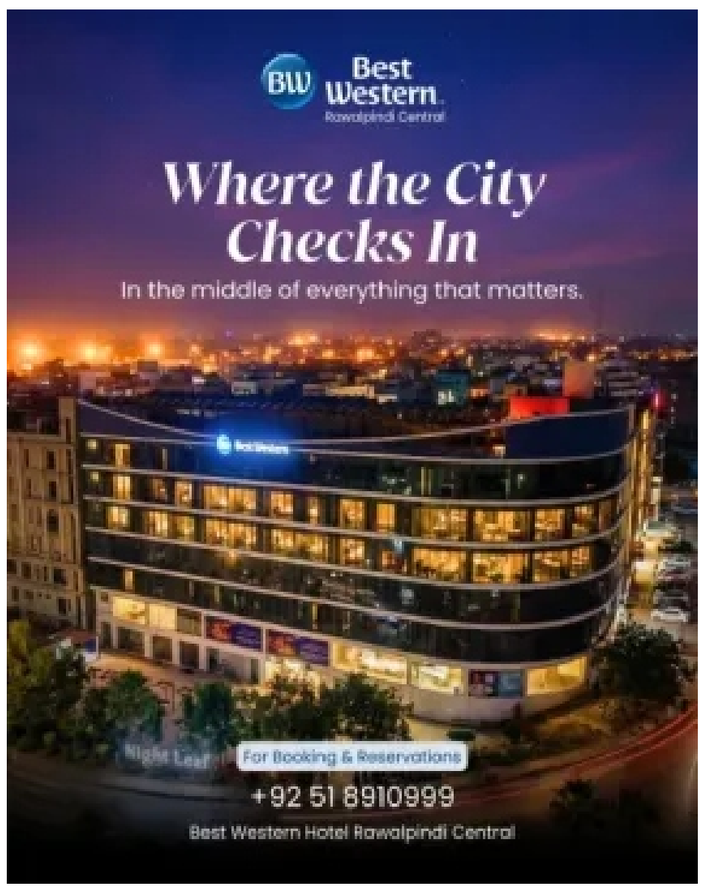


LAHORE, November 5th – Chairman Senate Syed Yousaf Raza Gillani announced on Thursday that the business community will be granted opportunities to present views before relevant Senate standing committees on Finance, Economics, Commerce, and Industry, emphasizing that effective economic policy requires direct stakeholder consultation. Speaking at the Lahore Chamber of Commerce and Industry (LCCI), Gillani acknowledged critical challenges including taxation, policy instability, and rising operational costs, assuring that the Senate would foster a supportive legislative environment. LCCI President Ali Hussam Asghar urged parliamentary review of punitive regulatory measures, advocating for financial penalties over immediate FIRs and arrests to protect business confidence. He proposed establishing a joint legislative review committee and naming the LCCI President an ex-officio member of Senate economic committees. Additionally, MNA Syed Ali Qasim Gillani offered legislative cooperation, highlighting recent statutory amendments restoring trade body tenures to two years.

GILLANI SUPPORTS LCCI'S CALL FOR STAKEHOLDERS CONSULTATION IN LAWMAKING



LAHORE, November 3rd – Federal Minister for Finance and Revenue Senator Muhammad Aurangzeb met with Lahore Chamber of Commerce and Industry (LCCI) President Ali Hussam Asghar to discuss export-led growth, SME financing, and establishing a predictable policy environment. Held with key economic leaders—including Minister of State for Finance Bilal Azhar Kiyani, the State Bank Governor, the Federal Finance Secretary, and senior FBR and Tax Policy Office officials—the meeting highlighted private-sector participation as central to national revival. Senator Aurangzeb emphasized that expanding the export base, simplifying regulatory procedures, and broadening the tax base through evidence-based policies are essential to raising international competitiveness. He affirmed the government's commitment to developing a medium-term tax framework via the Tax Policy Office to ensure long-term stability for investors. LCCI President Ali Hussam Asghar presented recommendations for strengthening small and medium enterprises, expanding credit access, and easing regulatory hurdles. Both sides agreed on maintaining structured consultations between government institutions and commercial chambers to align national policies with ground-level business needs.

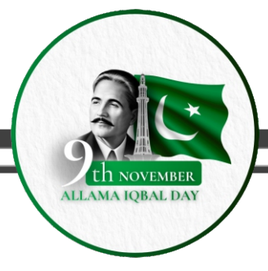


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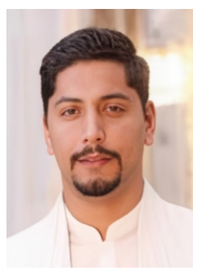




DIGITAL TAX COMPLIANCE: WHY ERP INTEGRATION IS NOW A BUSINESS IMPERATIVE

BY: ADV. HC SOHAIL ANSAR

Integrating automated electronic invoicing and digital financial statement submissions directly into enterprise resource planning (ERP) systems is no longer a futuristic upgrade; it is an urgent corporate imperative. As regulatory frameworks shift toward real-time tax oversight and mandatory digital reporting, businesses must transition away from manual data entry and fragmented accounting practices. When a corporate ERP connects seamlessly via secure APIs to revenue monitoring platforms—such as the Federal Board of Revenue's digital infrastructure—it formats transactions into compliant JSON payloads, secures instantaneous Invoice Reference Numbers (IRNs), and auto-generates dynamic verification QR codes. This systematic integration guarantees that every sales cycle, inventory movement, and B2B transaction is accurately recorded and verified without friction. Crucially, maintaining this digital bridge shields commercial entities from the crushing weight of non-compliance penalties. Regulatory authorities enforce severe dual-track penalties for failing to integrate or issue valid electronic documents, with initial fines starting at half a million rupees and escalating exponentially for repeat defaults, alongside per-invoice penalties and frozen tax registrations. By automating data flows and utilizing offline local caching mechanisms for uninterrupted operations, corporate clients eliminate human errors, ensure complete audit readiness, and protect their bottom line from heavy financial liabilities.



HOW AI HELPS TRANSFORM PHARMACY PRACTICE THROUGH PREDICTIVE PATIENT CARE

BY: ABDUL WASAY

Artificial intelligence is rapidly transforming clinical decision support systems, shifting modern pharmacy practice from reactive dispensing to proactive, predictive care. Advanced machine learning algorithms now analyze vast patient datasets, historical claims, and behavioral indicators to accurately predict medication non-adherence triggers before therapy even begins. By detecting subtle warning patterns like refill delays, socioeconomic barriers, or behavioral drop-offs, AI empowers healthcare teams to intervene early with personalized support mechanisms. Simultaneously, intelligent automated auditing tools scan incoming electronic orders against complex pharmacological databases, flagging subtle prescribing errors, weight-based dosing discrepancies, and obscure contraindications with exceptional precision. Crucially, these advanced neural networks excel at identifying complex, rare multi-drug interactions that easily escape human cognitive bandwidth during high-volume hospital and retail shifts. Operating continuously in the background, these robust safety models intercept critical prescription discrepancies and alert clinical teams before medications ever reach the dispensary bench. This seamless technological integration safeguards vulnerable patients, significantly enhances therapeutic outcomes, minimizes adverse drug events, and elevates the modern pharmacist into a premier clinical advisory role focused entirely on advanced safety oversight.

INTELLECTUAL OF THE MONTH

Mohammad Nawaz Wahla

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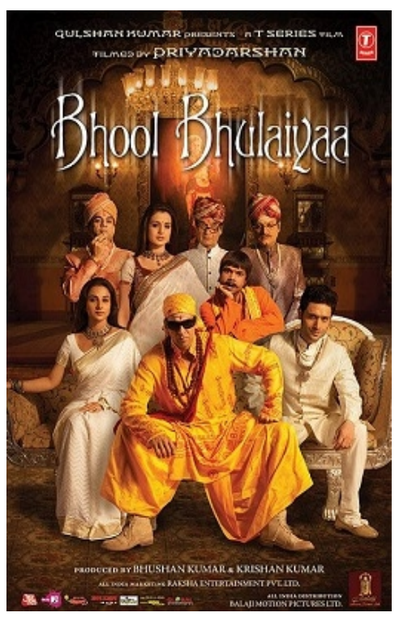






M. Nawaz Wahla's journey from a rural village in Pakistan to the bench of Connecticut's Superior Court was shaped by education, military service and an injury that changed the course of his life. Raised on a farm in Punjab, Wahla grew up with eight siblings. His family lived without electricity or running water, and his mother died when he was only a few years old. His father, a farmer who could neither read nor write, nevertheless placed great importance on education and worked to provide his children with opportunities. Wahla was the only sibling to attend college. In 1972, Wahla was selected as a cadet at the Pakistan Military Academy. After graduating, he was commissioned as a second lieutenant in the Army's artillery regiment. Alongside his military duties, he studied at the University of Punjab Law College, earning a law degree. He went on to serve in the Pakistan Army for more than 17 years and hoped to become a general. His career took a dramatic turn in 1986, when he was commanding a platoon on the Pakistan-Iran border tasked with stopping smugglers bringing Russian arms and ammunition into Pakistan. Wahla recalled that his seven-man unit faced 19 trucks. During the attack, he was shot in the arm and chest, while two soldiers were killed. His arm was shattered and a bullet lodged close to his heart. He spent nine months in hospital, where doctors considered amputating his arm. For his bravery, he received Pakistan's equivalent of the Purple Heart. The injury prompted Wahla to reconsider his future and put his law degree to use. In 1990, he moved to the United States with his wife, Imtiaz, also known as Amy, and their three children, Mehvish, Sarosh and Zulara. He enrolled at the University of Texas School of Law, earning a Master of Comparative Jurisprudence in 1991. In 1993, he completed an internship at The Hague Academy of International Law in the Netherlands. He later earned a Master of Laws degree from the University of Houston Law Center in 1998. Wahla was admitted to practise law in Connecticut in 1999 and opened a private practice in Hartford in 2001. In 2010, Governor M. Jodi Rell appointed him to the state's Superior Court, making him the first Muslim and Pakistani to hold the position in Connecticut's history. At his confirmation hearing, Wahla reflected on arriving in the United States with his young family and said his legal education and experience had prepared him to serve. State Senator Mary Ann Handley praised his journey from an impoverished rural background, describing Wahla and his family as an example of the American dream. His children also pursued professional careers. Mehvish and Sarosh studied at the University of Texas at Austin and became practising attorneys. Their younger sister, Zulara, studied at Fatima Jinnah Medical College in Pakistan and Cornell University, and was a second-year resident at the University of Connecticut Health Center at the time of the 2017 profile. The biography also records Wahla's continued interest in international affairs. It says he completed the Global Master of Arts Program at Tufts University's Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy, focused on global diplomacy. In 2017, he was inducted into the Connecticut Immigrant Heritage Hall of Fame. Wahla has spoken of his pride in both his Pakistani heritage and his American citizenship, saying he had given his blood for Pakistan and was ready to serve his adopted country with equal dedication.





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PRIYADARSHAN'S SUSPENSE / THRILLER

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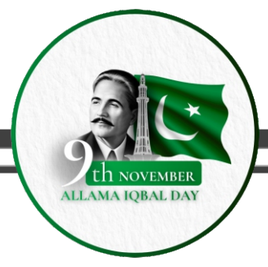
Directed by Priyadarshan, Bhool Bhulaiyaa (2007) remains one of Indian cinema's finest blends of comedy, psychological mystery, and suspense. The film balances a bone-chilling, haunted haveli atmosphere with genuine, laugh-out-loud moments without sacrificing its central plot. Akshay Kumar's entry as Dr. Aditya Shrivastav shifts the tone from heavy, traditional dread to dynamic intrigue. What makes Aditya memorable is the calculated contrast between his goofy facade and sharp intellect. Behind his clowning around, every interaction is an observation and every movement is a step toward gathering behavioral evidence. Priyadarshan uses ensemble comedy as a vital narrative balance. The humor never feels like filler; it breaks up the mounting terror so the audience isn't overwhelmed before the mystery unfolds. The regular cast—Paresh Rawal, Rajpal Yadav, Manoj Joshi, and Asrani—delivers flawless comedic timing, highlighted by Rajpal Yadav's "Chhote Pandit" sequence. The film excels on a second viewing once the twist is known. Re-watching highlights subtle misdirections and details, such as Aditya using his earphones for covert eavesdropping while the household discusses Radha (Ameesha Patel). The screenplay feeds the family's superstitious panic toward Radha while quietly dropping clues about Avni's (Vidya Balan) obsession with Manjulika. Rather than relying on supernatural exorcisms, the story pivots into a psychological breakdown of Dissociative Identity Disorder, making the climax intense and logically satisfying. Ultimately, Bhool Bhulaiyaa stands as a classic because it respects its audience, combining top-tier comedy, an iconic performance by Vidya Balan, and layered storytelling.

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FCC RESERVES RULING ON CORPORATE
REVIEW PETITIONS AGAINST SUPER TAX



KARACHI, November 3rd – The Federation of Pakistan Chambers of Commerce & Industry (FPCCI), alongside the Honorary Consulate General of the Philippines, hosted the Pakistan-ASEAN Business Roundtable titled "Navigating Our Future Together," urging structural reforms to boost trade with the 10-nation bloc. Led by FPCCI Senior Vice President Saquib Fayyaz Magoon, keynote speaker Hanif Gohar, and Philippine Ambassador H.E. Dr. Emmanuel R. Fernandez, diplomats from Malaysia, Indonesia, Thailand, Myanmar, and Brunei discussed addressing the trade imbalance, where Pakistan's exports account for under $1.5 billion of the $11–12 billion annual bilateral volume. Key proposals introduced included an "ASEAN Business Visa Sticker" providing one-year multiple-entry access for FPCCI members, restoring direct flights connecting Karachi to Bangkok, Kuala Lumpur, and Manila, establishing a joint Business Forum secretariat, and advancing PTA/FTA reviews with Indonesia, Malaysia, Thailand, and the Philippines. Director General MOFA Irfan Soomro assured government support, while both sides agreed to institute quarterly consultations and a two-year cooperation roadmap.

NEPRA APPROVES FCA HIKE AND
REVISES INCREMENTAL TARIFF PACKAGE

ISLAMABAD, November 7th – NEPRA approved a Rs2.3673 per unit Fuel Charges Adjustment for September 2026, applicable to November bills for DISCOs and K-Electric consumers. Concurrently, NEPRA raised the incremental electricity rate for industrial and agricultural users from Rs22.98 to Rs25.30 per unit. The decision passed via Chairman Waseem Mukhtar's casting vote following a 2-2 split. The Power Division clarified the Rs25.30 rate applies only to excess usage above baseline levels, protecting non-beneficiary consumers from rising marginal fuel costs.

BANK ALFALAH EXITS AFGHANISTAN,
TRANSFERS OPERATIONS TO GHAZANFAR BANK



KABUL – Bank Alfalah completed the sale and transfer of its Afghan banking operations to Ghazanfar Bank on November 5, 2026, concluding its 21-year presence in the country. Approved by the State Bank of Pakistan and Da Afghanistan Bank, the deal covers Bank Alfalah's Kabul and Herat branches, including all associated assets and liabilities. Initiated via a non-binding offer in 2025, the acquisition allows Ghazanfar Bank to take over customer relationships, while Bank Alfalah ceases operations and initiates formal branch closure in accordance with regulatory procedures, as disclosed to the Pakistan Stock Exchange.

TELECOM, IT SECTORS DRIVE QUARTERLY
RISE IN PAKISTAN SERVICES EXPORTS

KARACHI – Pakistan's services exports rose 22.60% to $2.72 billion during July–September FY2026-27, driven by strong growth in IT and telecommunications. State Bank of Pakistan data shows IT services generated $1.246 billion (up 17.7%), while other business services grew 27.98% to $622 million. September exports reached $929.87 million, up 15.35% year-on-year. Despite services imports rising 16.32% to $3.55 billion, the quarterly trade deficit narrowed slightly by 0.33% to $832.16 million.

PAKISTAN STOCK EXCHANGE REGISTERS
STRONGEST WEEKLY RALLY IN MONTHS

KARACHI – The Pakistan Stock Exchange (PSX) recorded its strongest weekly recovery in nearly six months during the first week of November 2026, with the benchmark KSE-100 Index gaining 7,477 points (4.5%) to close at 173,887. Supported by a 15.9% drop in Brent crude to $98.80 per barrel and easing CPI inflation (9.61%), market capitalisation rose by Rs520 billion to Rs18.9 trillion. Banking and cement stocks led the rally, while total trading volume reached 4.28 billion shares valued at Rs142 billion.

GOV TO PRIORITISE GAS SUPPLY, MOVES
TO STABILISE WINTER LPG STOCKS



ISLAMABAD, November 3rd – The federal government has introduced a winter gas management strategy alongside structural reforms to the Liquefied Petroleum Gas (LPG) sector. Petroleum Minister Ali Pervaiz Malik and Information Minister Attaullah Tarar confirmed that natural gas will be prioritized during household mealtimes. Sui Southern Gas Company (SSGC) announced designated supply windows for breakfast (6:30am–9:00am), lunch (12:00pm–2:30pm), and dinner (6:00pm–9:00pm) to manage an expected 400–500 mmcfd demand surge. To stabilize LPG prices following western border supply disruptions, Pakistan is pursuing bulk import arrangements with Saudi Arabia and Oman. The government also abolished the LPG quota system in favor of competitive auctions. Chaired by Minister Malik on November 7, the auction committee mandated reserving 10% of local production for remote areas, with the remaining 90% auctioned publicly in 5–10 tonne lots (capped at 20 tonnes daily per company). Regulators will report metrics directly to the Prime Minister, backed by OGRA audits and a Price Stabilisation Fund targeting Rs300–Rs400 per kg.

PAKISTAN UNVEILS AUTOMOTIVE INDUSTRY
POLICY TO DRIVE EV TRANSITION, EXPORTS



ISLAMABAD – The Government of Pakistan introduced its Automotive Industry Policy 2026–31 following Prime Minister Shehbaz Sharif's approval. The five-year framework aims to make vehicles affordable, accelerate electric mobility, and target $6 billion in cumulative auto exports over five years—up from $200 million annually. To reduce oil imports, the policy targets a 30% EV sales share by 2030 via phased tariff cuts. Fully electric vehicles will carry a 1% sales tax, range-extended EVs 6%, and plug-in hybrids 9%. EVs under $50,000 are proposed for federal tax exemptions. State Bank EV financing limits increase from Rs3m to Rs10m. Charging gear gets duty-free import and a 1% sales tax. Automakers receive export incentives alongside 45 UN WP.29 safety standards funded by a levy on 1,000cc+ combustion engines.

SAUDI ARABIA EXTENDS MULTI-BILLION DOLLAR
FINANCING FACILITY TO PAKISTAN



ISLAMABAD, November 5th – Finance Minister Muhammad Aurangzeb confirmed that Saudi Arabia has extended its $3 billion financing facility to Pakistan for a "reasonable period" following its October 31 maturity, providing vital relief to national external accounts. Briefing a Senate committee, Aurangzeb stated that Pakistan no longer considers the proposed $10 billion US Exchange Stabilisation Support Facility essential given improved market access. To replace expensive short-term debt, the government plans further issuances of Eurobonds, Panda bonds, and rupee-linked, dollar-settled bonds—building on September's $3 billion Eurobond success. Pakistan is targeting a $4 billion external debt reduction in FY2026-27 and $3.5 billion in FY2027-28, supported by active liability management. Finance Secretary Imdadullah Bosal reported gross external financing requirements of $21.5 billion, with $5 billion already repaid and $10.5 billion in expected bilateral rollovers. Total liquid foreign exchange reserves reached $26.86 billion ($21.47 billion SBP), providing three months of import cover ahead of an expected $1.2 billion IMF disbursement in December.

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CRISTIANO RONALDO ANNOUNCES RETIREMENT
FROM NATIONAL TEAM



LISBON, October 5th – Legendary forward Cristiano Ronaldo has officially announced his intention to retire from international football following the November international break, bringing an end to his historic 23-year career with the Portuguese national team. The 41-year-old superstar revealed he would hand over Portugal's iconic number seven shirt to the next generation, describing the decision as both emotional and difficult. Ronaldo leaves international football as the undisputed all-time men's leader in both appearances and goals, concluding his national career with an unprecedented 234 caps and 146 goals. During his celebrated international tenure, Ronaldo captained Portugal to its first major international silverware at Euro 2016 and subsequently led the nation to UEFA Nations League titles in 2019 and 2025. Expressing deep gratitude in his farewell statement, Ronaldo thanked his family, teammates, coaches, staff, and Portuguese supporters, emphasizing that his country will always remain a vital part of him.

MALIHA ALI TAKES BRONZE AS PAKISTAN
CHALLENGES SEMI-FINAL SCORING



TBILISI, November 6th – Pakistan's Maliha Ali secured a bronze medal at the IMMAF World Championships in Tbilisi on Thursday after losing a closely contested featherweight semi-final to Russia's Polina Baldina by split decision. Demonstrate remarkable resilience, Maliha fought through the semi-final despite suffering a fractured toe, a severely bruised eyelid, and a partially dislocated jaw. She had previously advanced to the medal round by defeating Russia's Veronika Drozdova via split decision and securing a unanimous decision victory over Mexico's Andrea Gabriela Guzman Salazar. Following the fight, the Pakistan MMA Federation filed a formal appeal requesting a round-by-round scoring breakdown, clarification on differing judges' scorecards, and a technical review of the bout. Federation President Omar Ahmed alleged significant judging inconsistencies and raised concerns regarding Pakistan's lack of representation on the officials' panel. The appeal remains pending.

ASIAN CUP RESCHEDULED AS REGIONAL
DISRUPTIONS AFFECT SAUDI ARABIA



RIYADH, Nov 3 – The Asian Football Confederation has postponed the 2027 Asian Cup in Saudi Arabia from January 2027 to Dec 23, 2027–Jan 21, 2028, pending FIFA approval. The AFC cited regional disruptions and travel hazards following recent attacks in the kingdom, including a fatal strike on Riyadh's airport. Organizing chairman Yasser Al-Misehal affirmed preparations will proceed for the new schedule alongside other disrupted regional sporting events.

PAKISTAN FALL TO INDIA DESPITE
LATE COMEBACK IN DHAKA



DHAKA, November 8th – Pakistan bounced back from their opening defeat against India with a convincing 3-0 victory over the Maldives in their second Group B fixture of the SAFF Championship 2026 at Dhaka's National Stadium. McKeal Aroon Abdullah opened the scoring by converting an early penalty in the fourth minute, before Najeebullah Bettani struck twice to give Pakistan a commanding 3-0 half-time lead. Pakistan maintained their advantage throughout the second half to secure their first victory of the tournament and collect three valuable points. The result keeps Pakistan in contention for a semi-final place, with India scheduled to face the Maldives on November 11.

PAKISTAN CRICKET BOARD FINALIZE
TEST SQUAD FOR SRI LANKA SERIES

The Pakistan Cricket Board (PCB) has finalized a 16-member squad for the upcoming ICC World Test Championship series against Sri Lanka, adding four players—all-rounder Aamir Jamal and uncapped trio Muhammad Tayyab Arif, Ali Shabbir, and Saqib Khan—while releasing Ali Usman and Abdullah Fazal from the initial draft. The call-ups follow strong domestic forms and performances in the three-day practice match against Sri Lanka at Islamabad Club. Aamir Jamal returns alongside top-performing departmental prospects: Tayyab Arif (727 runs at 66.09), 19-year-old pacer Ali Shabbir, and Quaid-e-Azam Trophy standout Saqib Khan (47 wickets at 20.60). Ranked ninth in the WTC standings, Pakistan host Sri Lanka at Lahore's Gaddafi Stadium for the second Test from November 17 to 21, aiming to extend their historical dominance of 23 wins in 59 Tests over their seventh-ranked visitors.

ANTONELLI MAKES FORMULA ONE HISTORY
WITH RECORD-BREAKING TITLE



MEXICO CITY, November 2nd – Mercedes driver Kimi Antonelli secured the 2026 Formula One World Championship on Sunday after finishing third at the Mexico City Grand Prix. Aged 20 years and 68 days, the Italian prodigy became the youngest F1 world champion in history, breaking Sebastian Vettel's record of 23 years and 134 days. Red Bull's Max Verstappen won the red-flag-interrupted race—halted following a crash involving Valtteri Bottas—crossing the line 0.799 seconds ahead of Ferrari's Lewis Hamilton. Antonelli's third-place finish clinched the title, making him Italy's first F1 world champion since Alberto Ascari in 1953, with the FIA officially confirming his historic triumph on Monday.

PAKISTAN CLINCHES ASIAN TEAM SQUASH
CHAMPIONSHIP TITLE IN ISLAMABAD



ISLAMABAD, November 7th – Host nation and top seed Pakistan secured the Asian Team Squash Championship men's title on Saturday at the Mushaf Squash Complex in Islamabad, ending a decade-long wait since their last victory in 2016. Noor Zaman opened the final against South Korea with an 11-5, 11-7, 13-11 win over Jeongmin Ryu, before Mohammad Asim Khan sealed the championship by defeating Seojin Oh 11-6, 11-5, 11-4. South Korea took silver, while Hong Kong China and Malaysia shared bronze. In the women's event, Hong Kong China defeated defending champions Malaysia 2-1 for the title, while Pakistan finished fifth after losing 3-0 to South Korea. Squash legends Jansher Khan, Qamar Zaman, and Gogi Alauddin attended the closing ceremony.

HAMZA ZAHOOR CENTURY SEALS
THRILLING PAKISTAN VICTORY OVER INDIA



AL AMERAT, Oman, November 8th – Defending champions Pakistan defeated arch-rivals India by three wickets in their ACC Men's U19 Asia Cup Group A clash on Sunday. After restricting India to 208 in 46.3 overs—thanks to three-wicket spells from Rizwanullah (3-24), Ali Raza (3-37), and Niqab Shafiq (3-42) despite Arjun Rajput's 107—Pakistan recovered from 65-5. Player of the Match Hamza Zahoor struck an unbeaten 100 off 108 balls (10 fours, 3 sixes), sharing a key 107-run stand with Hasnain Abbas Dar (38) to reach 209-7 in 48.1 overs. The victory keeps Pakistan top of Group A ahead of their fixture against Nepal on November 10.

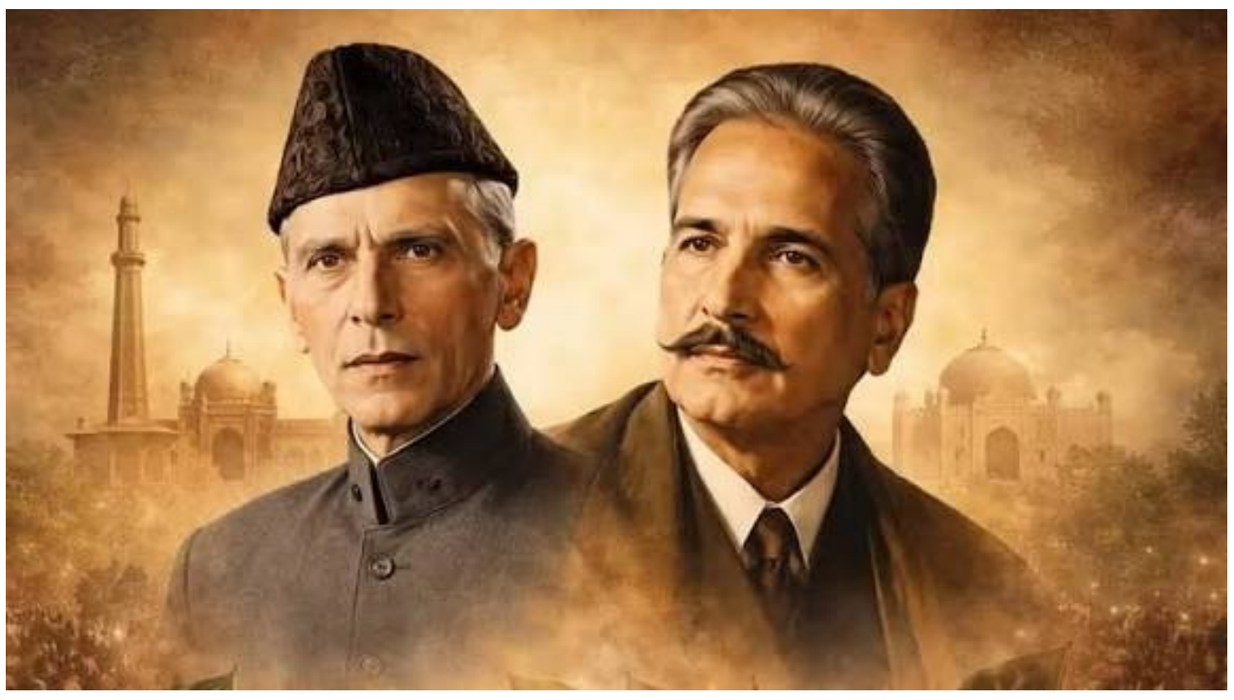
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GOVT SEEKS 'ERTUGRUL-STYLE' SERIES ON QUAID-e-AZAM & ALLAMA IQBAL



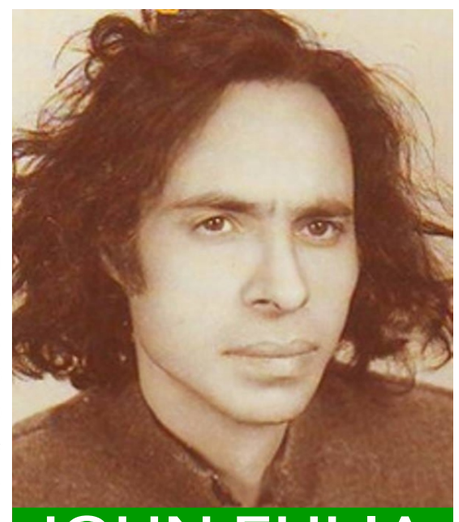
The Government of Pakistan, through the Ministry of Information and Broadcasting, has initiated an ambitious effort to produce a high-budget, multi-season historical television drama series focusing on the lives, intellectual legacies and political leadership of the country's two foremost national figures, Allama Muhammad Iqbal and Quaid-e-Azam Muhammad Ali Jinnah. Driven by the upcoming 150th birth anniversaries of both leaders—Jinnah's in 2026 and Iqbal's in 2027—the project aims to present Pakistan's foundational history to domestic and international audiences. Rather than limiting the commemorations to traditional ceremonies and speeches, the government intends to use high-quality visual storytelling to connect younger generations with the philosophical and political struggle behind the creation of Pakistan. At the heart of the proposed series is the intellectual relationship between Iqbal and Jinnah. It will explore Iqbal's philosophical vision, poetic contributions and early formulation of the idea of a separate Muslim homeland, alongside Jinnah's constitutional struggle, political leadership and role in establishing Pakistan. Particular attention will be given to their correspondence, including Iqbal's confidence in Jinnah's leadership and his belief that he could guide the Muslims of the subcontinent towards self-determination. The production also intends to present a more personal account of Jinnah's life, covering his early education in London, marriage to Ruttie Jinnah, the support of his sister Fatima Jinnah, and his struggles with deteriorating health and political challenges. Through these elements, the series aims to portray the founding leaders beyond their conventional historical representations. The administrative process was initiated by the Directorate of Electronic Media and Publications (DEMP), an executive body operating under the Ministry of Information and Broadcasting. The initiative falls under the National Committee on Allama Iqbal's 150th Birth Anniversary Celebrations, which has also approved supporting projects, including a memorial library. DEMP formally invited – proposals from production companies through a competitive Request for Proposals (RFP). The procurement notice was published on the Pakistan Public Procurement Regulatory Authority (PPRA) platform under reference number P69101 on September 25, 2026. The original submission deadline of September 29 was subsequently extended through a corrigendum to October 6, giving interested production houses additional time to prepare their bids. The Ministry established detailed requirements to ensure the series meets international production standards. The invitation targeted established production houses, television networks and independent producers with experience in historical productions, advanced visual effects (VFX) and international distribution. Applicants were required to provide 20 to 25 episode synopses for the first season, script concepts, profiles of proposed head writers and directors, historical set designs, and plans for dubbing and subtitling to reach international audiences. The procurement requirements also stressed academic accuracy, requiring production houses to outline research methodologies involving professional historians and institutions such as the Iqbal Academy Pakistan. The aim is to ensure that the historical events and personalities portrayed throughout the series remain grounded in archival research. Despite the closing of the tender submission window on October 6, 2026, the project remains in its preparatory stages. Available official procurement records do not identify a successful bidder, selected production studio or contract recipient. Consequently, casting decisions for Jinnah and Iqbal, the appointment of directors, filming schedules, broadcasting networks and expected release dates have yet to be officially confirmed. The proposed series represents a major federal government effort to commemorate Pakistan's founding figures through modern television production. By combining historical research, personal narratives and high-end visual storytelling, the initiative seeks to preserve the intellectual and political legacies of Iqbal and Jinnah while introducing their contributions to a new generation of viewers.

PTV DRAMA, FILM ACADEMY TO BE REVIVED WITH MODERN TRAINING

ISLAMABAD – Federal Information Minister Attaullah Tarar announced plans to revive and modernise the PTV Drama and Film Academy to upgrade local production standards alongside a restructuring of PTV Home. The academy will provide professional training in filmmaking, drama, editing, digital content creation, and Pakistan's first local colour-grading program. Developed with universities and the private sector, the curriculum will combine practical studio labs with portfolio projects that will broadcast on PTV platforms. A private-sector-backed pilot project will launch first to ensure financial sustainability.

NATION MOURNS LEGENDARY POET JOHN EHLIA AS LITERARY CIRCLES PAY TRIBUTE

KARACHI, November 8th – The 24th death anniversary of celebrated poet and philosopher Jaun Elia was observed on November 8, 2026. Born Syed Hussain Sibt-e-Asghar Naqvi in Amroha in 1931, he migrated to Karachi in 1957, mastering multiple languages including Urdu, Arabic, Persian, and Hebrew. Known for his distinct style exploring loneliness and existentialism, his works include Shayad, Gumaan, and Ya'ni. To mark the day, Lit Talks hosted a literary gathering titled "Bayad-e-Jaun Elia" in PECHS, Karachi.



JOHN EHLIA

WORLD CULTURE FESTIVAL BRINGS INTERNATIONAL ARTISTS TO KARACHI

KARACHI – The third edition of the 25-day World Culture Festival Karachi 2026 commenced on October 29 and will run until November 22. Organized by the Arts Council of Pakistan Karachi in partnership with GEO, the mega-event features over 1,000 international artists from 150 countries alongside 500 Pakistani performers across theater, music, dance, film, visual arts, and workshops. Recent highlights included the day-nine "Folk Nights: Roots & Roads" concert on November 7, alongside contemporary dance and film screenings. On November 8, the tenth day showcased an American dancer's performance, a traditional Thai dance workshop, and international musical acts. The festival has already featured Spanish Flamenco, Polish theater, and Brazilian dance. Arts Council President Muhammad Ahmad Shah emphasized that participating artists are fostering global peace, harmony, and international cooperation through creative exchange.

ALAN WALKER TEASES MUSICAL COLLABORATION WITH PAKISTANI SINGERS

LAHORE, November 5th – Renowned Norwegian-British DJ Alan Walker arrived in Lahore in early November 2026 after an online exchange with singer Hamza Malik regarding the viral hit Alfaaz. After noticing a character wearing his signature mask in the song's music video, Walker connected with Malik and duo Zain & Zohaib. During his visit, Walker spent productive sessions at Giraffe Studios, explored historic sites like the Badshahi Mosque, and posted teasers near Lahore Fort's Alamgiri Gate hinting at an upcoming remix or joint release. The song Alfaaz, released in July, previously reached Spotify's Global Top 50. Official project details remain unannounced.

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URDU BAZAAR ELECTIONS TRIBUTE



NEW ERA OF DEMOCRACY IN URDU BAZAAR: ELECTIONS HELD AFTER A DECADE

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In Lahore's Urdu Bazaar, where books have educated generations and sustained countless livelihoods, Javed Iqbal's electoral victory carries a meaning beyond the result itself. It is an affirmation of a simple but powerful principle: those whose lives depend on an institution deserve a voice in its future. Iqbal's credentials were not built in an election campaign. His journey is rooted in Javed Publishers, an educational publishing house established in 1987. From traditional textbooks to learning initiatives such as Suffah and Bolti-Kitabain, the enterprise has responded to changing educational needs. Building a name in a demanding industry requires persistence; sustaining it demands the ability to evolve. His contribution has also reached beyond his own business. As Convener of the Text Books Publishers Committee of the Federation of Pakistan Chambers of Commerce and Industry (FPCCI) for 2024-25, he took on a role connected with the concerns of publishers at the national level. That experience matters: Urdu Bazaar needs representation informed not only by commerce, but by an understanding of the wider industry. This election is therefore an opportunity, not merely an occasion for celebration. Behind every book displayed in Urdu Bazaar stands a network of printers, publishers, wholesalers and small shopkeepers. Their challenges are real, their interests diverse, and their expectations legitimate. A leader worthy of their confidence must hear every voice, including those who chose another candidate. Javed Iqbal now faces the most important test of leadership: turning an electoral mandate into visible service. If his tenure strengthens representation, encourages dialogue and delivers practical improvements, his victory will acquire a significance that no campaign slogan can confer. The ballot has written the opening line. The legacy will be written by what comes next.



A MESSAGE OF UNITY & PROGRESS

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لائنز گروپ کے ابو ذر غفاری اور شاہین گروپ کے جاوید اقبال کو دلی مبارکباد۔ یہ دونوں حضرات جمہوریت کے علمبردار کے طور پر ستائش کے مستحق ہیں، کیونکہ انہوں نے اردو بازار میں 16 سال کے تعطل کے بعد جمہوری عمل کی بحالی میں اہم کردار ادا کیا ہے۔

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