

Mr. Akbar Hussain Durrani (TI)
Member



Mr. Akbar Hussain Durrani (TI) a retired officer of BS-22 belongs to Pakistan Administrative Service (PAS). He holds Master degree in International Relation from Balochistan University and did Project Management course from UK, "Institute of Education University of London".

Before joining Civil Service, Mr. Durrani was a commissioned officer in the Pakistan Army and belonged to prestigious Special Service Group (SSG-two Commando). He remained SSG Instructor from 1987-1988 at Cherat. He retired on 26th October, 2021 as Federal Secretary, Ministry of Narcotics Control, the highest ranking position in the Govt. of Pakistan after rendering 33 years of meritorious services. Mr. Durrani has the honour of having served at top bureaucratic positions such as Chief Secretary Punjab, Federal Secretary Information & Broadcasting, Federal Secretary Inter-Provincial Coordination, Federal Secretary Education & Professional Training and Additional Secretary, Cabinet Division. Prior to that he had served for 19 years in Balochistan on key positions, including Secretary Home and Tribal Affairs for about 5 ½ years in three tenures. He successfully conceived, led and planned operations against religious sectarian and ethnic insurgents across Balochistan and played a pivotal role in finishing 'NO-GO' Areas in the province. Additionally, he has served as Secretary Finance, Secretary Information and Technology, Secretary Higher and Technical Education and Secretary Prosecution in the Govt. of Balochistan. He remained Political Agent of district Kohlu, Deputy Commissioner Mastung, District Chagai and District Kachhi (Dahdar). He also remained as Commissioner Sibi Division in 2009. He had also served in the development sector for three (3) years (2005-2008). He was the Provincial Head Education Sector Reforms Assistance (ESRA), a program of RTI (Research Triangular Institute) International, North Carolina, USA. The program focused on four major areas, policy and planning, professional development, adult and youth literacy and public-private partnership. It was a success story in the field of primary education and received with great appreciation at all levels. Earlier, he had served about 10 years in the Govt. of Punjab on various important assignments.

Mr. Durrani is an avid reader of history, politics and religion and always provides ways forward to address the multifaceted challenges that exist in Pakistan. In recognition of his meritorious services, Mr. Akbar Hussain Durrani was bestowed upon "Tamgha-i-Imtiaz (TI)" an Award of Excellence in the year 2005 by the then President of Islamic Republic of Pakistan which is an honour that is exceptional for civil servants. The Govt. of Pakistan notified Mr. Akbar Hussain Durrani (TI) as Member Federal Public Service Commission (FPSC) on 30th March, 2022 and he took the oath of his office on 1st April, 2022.