

**Citizens' Group on Electoral Process**  
*Ascertaining the Prospects of Free and Fair Election*

**REPORT**

**FACT FINDING MISSION TO  
GUJRAT & SIALKOT**

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## **Introduction**

The Citizens Group on Electoral Process – CGEP, facilitated by PILDAT, undertook a Fact Finding Mission to Gujrat on Thursday, February 07, 2008 and to Sialkot on Friday, February 08, 2008.

Following CGEP members comprised the Fact Finding Mission to Gujrat:

1. Justice (Retd.) Saeed uz Zaman Siddiqui; Chairman CGEP; Former Chief Justice of Pakistan
2. Dr. Ijaz Shafi Gilani, Member CGEP; Chairman Gallup, Pakistan
3. Dr. Parvez Hassan, Partner, Hassan & Hassan Advocates
4. Mr. Shahid Hamid, Former Governor Punjab
5. Mr. Ahmed Bilal Mehboob, Executive Director PILDAT
6. Ms. Aasiya Riaz, Joint Director PILDAT

Following CGEP members comprised Electoral Fact Finding Mission to Sialkot:

1. Justice (Retd.) Saeed uz Zaman Siddiqui; Chairman CGEP; Former Chief Justice of Pakistan
2. Justice (Retd.) Khalil ur Rehman Khan, Former Judge, Supreme Court of Pakistan
3. Lt. Gen. (Retd.) Moinuddin Haider, Former Governor Sindh and Former Interior Minister
4. Mr. Ahmed Bilal Mehboob, Executive Director PILDAT
5. Ms. Aasiya Riaz, Joint Director PILDAT

CGEP would like to thank the district authorities, candidates and government officials for their support and cooperation extended to the CGEP Mission.

## **Programme**

The CGEP Fact Finding Mission met and interacted with the District Nazim Gujrat; the DCO; the DPO; the District Returning Officer and Returning Officers, Candidates for National and Provincial Assembly Constituencies belonging to the PML-N, PML-Q, and PPP and the Assistant Election Commissioner, Gujrat. PML-Q candidate Chaudhry Wajahat Hussain (NA- 104, Gujrat I), however, did not meet with the Group despite the fact that he had confirmed the appointment .

At Sialkot, the CGEP delegation held meetings with Candidates for National and Provincial Assembly Constituencies belonging to the PML-N, PML-Q, and PPP, District Returning Officer Sialkot, and the News Media representatives at Sialkot.

Detailed programmes of the two visits are attached as *Appendix A*.

## **Background**

### **Electoral Fact Finding Mission to Gujrat**

The Gujrat District has been receiving extraordinary media attention ahead of elections due to the fact that Gujrat is the district of the President of the former ruling party PML-Q and former Prime Minister Chaudhry Shujaat Hussain. Chaudhry Shujaat Hussain and his brother Chaudhry Wajahat Hussain are candidates for the National Assembly from Gujrat, while his brother Chaudhry Shafaat Hussain is the District Nazim. Chaudhry Pervaiz Elahi, cousin and brother-in-law of Chaudhry Shujaat Hussain, has been the Chief Minister of the province. The PML-Q, it has been alleged, has been using its official connections, resources and muscle to rig the election in its favour.

### **Electoral Fact Finding Mission to Sialkot**

Similar allegations have appeared in the press about the role of PML-Q candidates in terms of using their connections, clout and official positions to influence the electoral race in Sialkot. Major allegations in this regard have appeared about the use of official protocol of a Speaker and at times that of the acting President of Pakistan by PML-Q candidate Chaudhry Amir Hussain in running his campaign. Chaudhry Shujaat Hussain, President PML-Q, is also contesting from NA-112 Sialkot-III.

### **Purpose and Scope of the CGEP Fact Finding Missions**

The purpose of the CGEP Fact Finding Missions to Gujrat and Sialkot has been to analyse and assess the situation on the ground in the light of the complaints appearing in the news media and those forwarded to the CGEP from both districts and to issue an objective report to the media, all concerned and the ECP highlighting the CGEP findings after ascertaining the prospects of free and fair election in the two districts.

## Major Complaints in Gujrat

The Citizens Group conducted the Fact Finding Mission in the backdrop of following major complaints received from District Gujrat:

1. **Appointment of Polling Staff:** It was alleged that a “substantial number of staff appointed as polling persons were non-gazetted officers, retired officers and favourites” of the PML-Q to influence elections
2. **Cash Award to teachers:** Cash awards by District Nazim to teachers “appointed to perform polling duties” alleged as a political bribery
3. **Nazim’s involvement in general election:** District Nazim Gujrat allegedly running election campaign of his brothers and presiding over rallies of PML-Q; District Government Staff and resources employed to run election campaign of PML-Q; Police campaigning for PML-Q, coercing and threatening other candidates and their supporters
4. **Postal Ballots:** Large number of postal ballot applications orchestrated by District Government to manipulate voting of government employees in favour of PML-Q
5. **Threat of election-day violence:** Threats by powerful groups are intimidating opponents and their voters which may result in election-day violence.

## Discussion with the Parties Concerned & Analysis of the Complaints

Following is the detail of CGEP Mission’s Discussion and Analysis based on its interactions and meetings at Gujrat:

### 1. Appointment of unqualified Polling Staff

Candidates such as Mr. Ahmed Mukhtar of PPP, had formally lodged complaints with the ECP and shared with PILDAT that unqualified polling staff was appointed in the district including retired employees and favourites of the PML-Q. The Citizens Group raised the issue with the District Returning Officer Gujrat Mr. Allah Bakhsh Ranjha, who informed CGEP that he had taken notice of the issue based on complaints received and already replaced the questionable appointments with the qualified staff. The Group inferred that initially there were some polling staff appointments which probably did not meet the qualification criteria but the District Returning Officer has taken notice and addressed the problem.

## **2. Cash awards by District Nazim to Teachers as a Political Bribe**

The CGEP delegation learnt that the District Nazim Gujrat had indeed distributed cash awards on January 10, 2008, during the election period, to 227 teachers (104 male and 123 female teachers). A total of Rs. 2,261,500 was distributed to the teachers in the form of cash awards ranging between Rs. 250 to Rs. 10,000 per person (The average award per person turns out to be Rs. 9963. The Nazim informed the CGEP delegation that these cash awards were Teachers Incentive Awards which were approved in November 2007 by the provincial government and the selection of teachers was made at the education Department Level. The Group learnt that the awards were disbursed for the first time and questioned the timing of the distribution of cash awards. However, the Group could not establish the connection whether the cash awards were actually distributed to those teachers who were appointed as polling staff.

## **3. District Nazim Gujrat allegedly Running Election Campaign**

The District Nazim Gujrat Chaudhry Shafaat Hussain acknowledged that he was indeed electioneering and part of election campaign of PML-Q but said he did that in his "individual" and not in his "official" capacity. He highlighted that being a younger brother of the two politically well-established elder brothers, he was not in a position to patronize them or their campaign but was part of the campaign as a member of the family. The Group noted that much the same scenario was evident in all districts of the country where Nazims were campaigning either for their relatives or for the candidates they supported. It was indeed a conflict of interest and there was no way to separate personal from the professional. Moreover, the Nazim Gujrat admitted himself that he only came to office to meet with the CGEP delegation and has otherwise been away from office due to campaign. This indeed poses a problem as the public suffers due to the absence of Nazim from his office and his official duties. Such a scenario also means that in every district where Nazims are actively campaigning, they are practically suspended from their official duties due to their involvement in the campaign without depriving them of the resource base of the district. The CGEP strongly highlighted that it was in anticipation of these issues that it had proposed to make the office of Nazim dysfunctional in the period of elections.

#### 4. Postal Ballots

In its meeting with the District Returning Officer, the Group inquired into the complaint seeking the numbers of postal ballot applications received and the number of postal ballots issued by the DRO. The details provided (carried below) by the DRO indicate that the number of postal ballots issued does not pose a major issue nor it constitutes to be a major potential instrument of election rigging:

Constituency	Total Applications received for Postal Ballots	Number of Applications Rejected by ROs / DRO	Number of Applications approved / Ballots Issued	Remarks
NA-104 Gujrat-I	1665	1275	390	76 % of the total applications were rejected
NA-105 Gujrat-II	379	351	28	93 % of the total applications were rejected
NA-106 Gujrat-III	259	12	247	5 % of the total applications were rejected
NA-107 Gujrat-IV	182	11	171	6 % of the total applications were rejected
Total	2485	1649	836	34 % of the total applications in the four constituencies were rejected

#### 5. Threat of Election-Day Violence:

The DCO and the DPO informed the CGEP delegation that out of a total of 1013 polling stations in Gujrat, 101 or 10% were declared sensitive. However, upon further interaction, the Group learnt that these recommendations to decide which polling station to be declared sensitive had not originated from the office of the District Returning Officer, but were issued, upon advice of the DPO, by the Home Department Punjab to the ECP. Another important information was that the DPO had been serving in the district for the past many years in different

positions. Not only the DRO but the candidates were not consulted on which polling stations should be declared sensitive.

A large number of candidates belonging to political parties other than the PML-Q raised serious fears of violence and use of force on the day of election. Candidates such as Mr. Ahmed Mukhtar informed the CGEP delegation that they have provided the ECP with a list of polling stations they want to include in the sensitive polling stations. Candidates and political workers of parties other than PML-Q and many local journalists indicated that people are afraid of participating in any political activity including voting which may be perceived as against the Chaudhry camp since they are very powerful and can harm relatively weak opponents. It appears that unless effective confidence building measures are taken, the voters will be reluctant to participate in electioneering and may not come out to vote on the day of the election.

#### **6. Open flouting and non-Enforcement of ECP Code of Conduct**

As a rather common factor in most cities of the country, in Gujrat too all candidates had displayed large hoardings and banners not conforming to the ECP-prescribed sizes in the Code of Conduct for Elections 2008. The ECP also does not seem to enforce its own Code of Conduct or notice and take up its violation across districts of the country.

#### **7. Ghost Polling Stations**

The candidates and their workers belonging to PML-N and PPP also alleged that a number of ghost polling stations have been established in various constituencies. Upon enquiry, these persons briefed the group that a number of polling stations as announced in the polling stations scheme can not be located and they seem to have dubious addresses. The subject was raised by the group with the DRO and the group was informed that the DRO would visit the locations of the polling stations along with the complainants to resolve the matter.



## **Major Complaints in Sialkot**

The Citizens Group conducted the Fact Finding Mission in the backdrop of following major complaints received from District Sialkot:

1. **Use of National Assembly Speaker's Official Facilities in the election:** Chaudhry Amir Hussain, PML-Q candidate for NA-111 Sialkot-II, and Speaker of the outgoing 12th National Assembly allegedly using his official protocol as Speaker and his National Assembly Staff and equipment to run his campaign. The complaint allegedly exacerbated when Chaudhry Amir Hussain became Acting President and used his protocol as Acting President to run his campaign.
2. **Nazim's involvement in general election:** District Nazim Gujrat, Mr. Akmal Cheema allegedly running election campaign of his brother Mohammad Ajmal Cheema, PML-Q candidate for PP-121-Sialkot-I and other PML-Q candidates by using district government staff and clout.
3. **Polling Station Scheme:** Polling stations are so located that this will give advantage to PML-Q candidates. The natural locations of polling stations in larger population centres have been allegedly changed to make it difficult for non PML-Q voters to vote on the polling day.
4. **Postal Ballots:** Large number of postal ballot applications orchestrated by District Government to manipulate voting of district and government employees in favour of PML-Q

## **Discussion with the Parties Concerned & Analysis of the Complaints**

Following is the detail of CGEP Mission's Discussion and Analysis based on its interactions and meetings at Gujrat:

### **1. Official Protocol to run Election Campaign**

Chaudhry Amir Hussain, PML-Q candidate for NA-111 Sialkot-II, and Speaker of the outgoing 12th National Assembly explained to the CGEP delegation that his protocol as Speaker was being used by him which he was entitled to, but that extra security was provided by Government due to the security environment in the country and he being a potential target of the terrorists. He also briefed the Group that he voluntarily suspended his election campaign when he assumed the charge of Acting President of Pakistan but he had to travel to the constituency briefly because the death of the son of a close friend. Although the fairplay demands that no official facilities should be used by a candidate. It is

true that according to the law the Honourable speaker continues to be the speaker despite the dissolution of the National Assembly and as such he is entitled to all the facilities like official residence, staff car, staff etc. It is also true that when he acts as the President of Pakistan during the absence of the President, he is entitled to the protocol, facilities and staff according to the rules and regulations. But the question is raised whether he is entitled to these facilities and protocol even when he is a candidate and actively campaigning since these facilities and protocol may give him an advantage over his competitors. Although the law and rules may not bar him from using the official facilities, the spirit of the law and fairplay requires that he should not use these facilities as a candidate because these facilities are meant to facilitate the performance of his duties as a Speaker or as an Acting President only. But a clear distinction should be made between the official facilities / protocol and the security detachment deputed for the honourable speaker. The state is responsible for providing security to all its citizens according to the level of risk one is exposed to. Since the Honourable Speaker is a potential target of terrorists, it is only fair to provide him with necessary security personnel and equipment. Likewise, since his opponent, Dr. Firdaus Ashiq Awan has also reportedly been declared by the government a potential target of the terrorists, the state should make sure that she also receives adequate security cover. During the mission's meeting with Dr. Firdaus Awan, she complained that she was offered only minimal security which she has declined. Various candidates also acknowledged during the meetings that official protocol was not necessarily an advantage in all cases as it puts off many ordinary voters instead of impressing them.

## **2. Role of District Government and Nazim**

The CGEP delegation was informed by various candidates as well as the media that District Nazim was indeed running the campaign of his brother. The CGEP, based on its earlier view, strongly believes the Nazims should have been made dysfunctional at least for the election period. It came to the knowledge of the mission that about 2000 Grade 4 employees have been inducted into the Education Department about 3 months ago (Apparently just before the announcement of the election schedule). Similarly about 200 employees were inducted in the local Health Department around the same time.

## **3. Polling scheme**

The CGEP delegation discussed in detail the complaints raised by various candidates in this regard with the District Returning Officer. The DRO said that the candidates had not raised these objections earlier but promised to look into

the issue to rectify this. PPP candidate, Dr. Firdaus Ashiq Awan has sent a detailed complaint in this regard to the Election Commission in which she has graphically illustrated the shifting of polling stations from the scheme used in the past to the new schemes. The RO, DRO and the Election Commission should seriously examine and consider her complaints.

#### 4. Postal Ballots

In keeping with its earlier findings, the CGEP delegation learnt that the number of postal ballots issued does not pose a major issue nor it constitutes a potential major instrument of election rigging:

Constituency	Total Applications received for Postal Ballots	Number of Applications Rejected by ROs / DRO	Number of Applications approved / Ballots Issued	Remarks
NA-110 Sialkot-I	Nil	Nil	Nil	-
NA-111 Sialkot-II	4	-	4	
NA-112 Sialkot-III	Nil	Nil	Nil	-
NA-113 Sialkot-IV	274	263	11	96 % of the applications were rejected
NA-114 Sialkot-V	353	250	103	71 % of the applications were rejected
<b>Total</b>	<b>631</b>	<b>513</b>	<b>118</b>	81 % of the total applications in the five constituencies were rejected

## **Conclusions and Recommendations;**

After visiting Attock earlier and Gujrat and Sialkot now, the CGEP has noticed the following trends which are not in keeping with the true spirit of free and fair election:

- 1. Involvement of Local Governments in the election: District and other Nazims** are actively involved in the election campaign for their favourite candidates for the membership of National and Provincial Assemblies. It is highly unlikely that the human and material resources at their command as Nazims are not being pressed in support of their favourite candidates. The Election Commission, the political parties and the Government should very seriously examine this phenomenon and find ways to address the problem both in the short term (this election) and long term (future elections).
- 2. New Postings and Transfers:** Suddenly large number of new postings are done barely a few days or weeks before the polling schedule is announced raising the possibility that these new recruitment is some kind of political bribe connected to the general election. Similarly, it was discovered that, in general, the ROs, DROs, DCOs and DPOs were transferred and appointed shortly before the election schedule was announced raising questions about the possible link between the move and the election.
- 3. Postal Ballots:** A large number of applications for ballot papers were filed but rejected by the Returning Officers. This phenomenon is both disturbing and reassuring at the same time. It appears that some organised effort has been made for getting large number of postal ballots issued. If the applicants are qualified and their applications are rejected on technical grounds, efforts should be made to educate potential voters through postal ballots to correctly file the applications. In case it is an organised effort to make a large number of unqualified persons to gate-crash and become postal ballot holders, it is a disturbing sign and may pose greater problems in the future. Unfortunately the Election Commission has not made the constituency-wise data of number of applications filed and postal ballots issued of previous elections which has made it impossible to ascertain whether such efforts are specific to this election or this is part of a routine effort. The redeeming feature is that the Returning Officers are generally vigilant and are able to check the efforts to get postal ballots for persons who may not be qualified to get a postal ballot. There had been and in fact still is a lot of scepticism about the postal ballots and many candidates complained that an effort is afoot to use large scale postal ballots to tip the balance in favour of a particular party. It is not understandable that why Election Commission is unable to announce the exact number of postal ballots issued in each constituency in Pakistan even the last date of filing the application for postal ballot was December 28, 2007 and it is long past. The incomplete

information so far gathered by the group so far, however, does not indicate that the postal ballots are a potential tool of election rigging in this election in general although such an effort in selected constituencies can only be ruled out after receiving the constituency-wise statement of postal ballots issued for general election 2008 and the previous one or two elections.

- 4. Perception of insecurity of Voters:** Due to the recent wave of terrorist attacks and suicide bombings especially after the assassination of Mohtarma Benazir Bhutto in one such attack, there is a general sense of insecurity among people in the country. Potential voters are generally reluctant to participate in the election-related activity and may not turn out to vote on the polling day due to this sense of insecurity. In some districts and constituencies local tensions have further heightened the perception that violence may disrupt polling and voters may be hurt. Gujrat is one such district where tensions run very high. The Group saw the wall chalking and banners of one 'Wajahat Force' in Gujrat city which many in the media have interpreted as a strong-arm tactic of Chaudhry Wajahit Hussain in favour of his family and party. There is a general consensus about Gujrat to a great extent and about other areas to a lesser degree that very effective measures need to be taken to inspire confidence among voters on the polling day. It is strongly recommended by the group that Army should begin to show their presence in Gujrat and other sensitive areas a few days before the polling day and should be available around the sensitive polling stations on the polling day. Without such a measure, violence on the polling day is a serious possibility and voter confidence and the resultant turn-out will be low.
- 5. Sensitive Polling Stations:** The Election Commission should consult candidates, ROs and DROs in addition to the Police and Home Departments while preparing the list of sensitive polling stations. The concerns of Candidates in this context should be rectified to the maximum possible extent.
- 6. Remuneration to Election and Polling Staff:** The Group feels that the remuneration being paid to Polling Staff is extremely meagre compared to the responsibilities the staff is expected to perform. CGEP not only recommends that adequate transportation and security arrangements be made for the polling staff, their emoluments should also be at least doubled if not enhanced three times the current level. The CGEP also noted with concern that generally the Returning Officers and District Returning Officers are not provided the adequate resources such as conveyance to carry out their sensitive and critical duties relating to election. CGEP strongly recommends that in view of the critical and pivotal position of the ROs and DROs in the electoral process, they should not only be provided adequate facilities, they should also be given a reasonable honorarium for these additional duties.

## CGEP Fact Finding Mission to Gujrat & Sialkot

Thursday, February 7 and Friday, February 08, 2008

### Programme

Thursday, February 7, 2008

No.	Meetings	Time
1.	Meeting with  <b>Chaudhry Wajahat Hussain</b> NA-104 Gujrat-I, PML-Q & other PML-Q candidates	11:00 am - 12:00 noon
2.	Meeting with  <b>Chaudhry Shafaat Hussain</b> District Nazim Gujrat	12:10 - 12:40 pm
3.	Meeting with  <b>Abdul Ghafoor Bhatti</b> District Coordination Officer, Gujrat  <b>Mahmood-ul-Hassan Qureshi</b> District Police Officer, Gujrat	12: 50 - 01:50 pm
4.	Meeting with  <b>Mr. Allah Bakhsh Ranjha</b> District Returning Officer; District and Session Judge, Gujrat	03:10 - 03:40 pm
5.	Meeting with  <b>Mr. Hammad Ejaz,</b> Assistant Election Commissioner Gujrat	03:50 - 04:15 pm
6.	Meeting with  <b>Mr. Ahmed Mukhtar</b> NA-105 Gujrat-II	04: 25 - 05:00 pm

7.	Meeting with  <b>Syed Faisal Abbas</b> NA-104 Gujrat-I & other PML-N Candidates	05:00 - 05:30 pm
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**Friday, February 8, 2008**

<b>No.</b>	<b>Meetings</b>	<b>Time</b>
1.	Meeting with  <b>Chaudhry Amir Hussain</b> Former Speaker National Assembly NA-111 Sialkot-II, PML-Q & Other PML-Q Candidates	11:30 am
2.	Meeting with  <b>Capt. (Retd.) Atta Muhammad Khan</b> District Coordination Officer-DCO, Sialkot  <b>Capt. (Retd.) Muhammad Amin</b> District Police Officer, Sialkot	12:30 pm
3.	Meeting with  <b>Ms. Firdous Ashiq Awan</b> NA-111 Sialkot-II, PPP	02:00 pm
4.	Meeting with  <b>Mr. Sohaib Ahmed Rumi</b> District Returning Officer Sialkot	03:00 pm
5.	Meeting with  <b>Khawaja Muhammad Asif</b> NA-110 Sialkot-I	04:30 pm
6.	Meeting with News Media, Sialkot	05:30 pm

## Appendix B

### **Electoral Race in Gujrat**

Following is the list of candidates for the General Election 2008 on the four (4) National Assembly and eight (8) Provincial Assembly Seats in the District Gujrat: <sup>1</sup>

#### **Gujrat – NA 104, NA 105, NA 106 and NA 107**

1. NA-104 Gujrat-I Chaudhary Shaukat Mehmood GUN
2. NA-104 Gujrat-I Chaudhary Wajahat Hussain BICYCLE
3. NA-104 Gujrat-I Syed Faisal Abbas TIGER
4. NA-104 Gujrat-I Shabbir Ahmed ELEPHANT
5. NA-104 Gujrat-I Nawabzada Ghazanfar Ali Gul ARROW
  
1. NA-105 Gujrat-II Alhaj Mirza Saeed Baig TONGS
2. NA-105 Gujrat-II Ch. Ahmed Mukhtar ARROW
3. NA-105 Gujrat-II Ch. Shujaat Hussain BICYCLE
4. NA-105 Gujrat-II Ch. Muhammad Gul Nawaz SCOOTER
  
1. NA-106 Gujrat-III Ch. Jamshaid Nasar SCOOTER
2. NA-106 Gujrat-III Syed Faiz-ul-Hassan Shah WRENCH
3. NA-106 Gujrat-III Syed Noor-ul-Hassan Shah BICYCLE
4. NA-106 Gujrat-III Qamar Zaman Kaira ARROW
5. NA-106 Gujrat-III Col. (R) Mian Muhammad Akram Advocate TIGER
6. NA-106 Gujrat-III Muhammad Asif Chaudhary GUN
  
1. NA-107 Gujrat-IV Ch. Azhar Hussain CUP & SAUCER
2. NA-107 Gujrat-IV Ch. Mubashar Hussain TELEVISION
3. NA-107 Gujrat-IV Raja Masood Ahmad ARROW
4. NA-107 Gujrat-IV Rehman Naseer Ch. BICYCLE
5. NA-107 Gujrat-IV Shaukat Elahi Ch. STAG
6. NA-107 Gujrat-IV Ali Asghar SCOOTER
7. NA-107 Gujrat-IV Col. (R) Raja Javed Mujtiba FOOTBALL
8. NA-107 Gujrat-IV Muhammad Jamil Malik TIGER
9. NA-107 Gujrat-IV Maj.(R) Tariq Javed Akhtar PITCHER

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<sup>1</sup> Election Symbols include: PPP: Arrow; PML: Bicycle; PML-N: Tiger; MQM: Kite; MMA: Book



## **Gujrat – PP 108, PP 109, PP 110, PP 111, PP 112, PP 113, PP114 and PP 115**

### **Gujrat - Provincial Assembly Candidates**

- 1.PP-108-Gujrat-I Khalid Javed Asghar Ghural BICYCLE
  - 2.PP-108-Gujrat-I Sajjad Ahmad Sajid RICKSHA
  - 3.PP-108-Gujrat-I Shabbir Ahmad TIGER
  - 4.PP-108-Gujrat-I Sheraza Ahmad GUN
  - 5.PP-108-Gujrat-I Muhammad Ashraf Hukkah
  - 6.PP-108-Gujrat-I Nawabzada Muzaffar Ali Khan ARROW
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- 1.PP-109-Gujrat-II Asad ullah Warraich SPADE
  - 2.PP-109-Gujrat-II Ch. Abdullah Yousaf BICYCLE
  - 3.PP-109-Gujrat-II Shabbir Ahmad TIGER
  - 4.PP-109-Gujrat-II Muhammad Riaz Dar SCOOTER
  - 5.PP-109-Gujrat-II Maj. (Rtd) Moeen Nawaz Warraich ARROW
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- 1 PP-110-Gujrat-III Ch. Moonis Elahi BICYCLE
  - 2 PP-110-Gujrat-III Ch. Nasir Samman ARROW
  - 3 PP-110-Gujrat-III Imran Ullah TIGER
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- 1 PP-111-Gujrat-IV Ch. Ahmed Mukhtar ARROW
  - 2 PP-111-Gujrat-IV Ch. Muhammad Fawaz SPINNING WHEEL
  - 3 PP-111-Gujrat-IV Haji Nasir Mahmood TIGER
  - 4 PP-111-Gujrat-IV Syed Aleem Imtiaz GOAT
  - 5 PP-111-Gujrat-IV Imrana Khalid RACKET Women
  - 6 PP-111-Gujrat-IV Majid Hamayyun SCREW
  - 7 PP-111-Gujrat-IV Muhammad Azhar Butt SCOOTER
  - 8 PP-111-Gujrat-IV Mian Imran Masud BICYCLE
  - 9 PP-111-Gujrat-IV Mian Haroon Masud COMB
  - 10 PP-111-Gujrat-IV Waqar Hussain Tahir ELEPHANT
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- 1 PP-112-Gujrat-V Anjum Rashid WRENCH
  - 2 PP-112-Gujrat-V Tanvir Ashraf Kaira ARROW
  - 3 PP-112-Gujrat-V Ch. Abaid Ullah Bhaddar GUN
  - 4 PP-112-Gujrat-V Ch. Liaqat Ali Bhaddar BICYCLE
  - 5 PP-112-Gujrat-V Saif-ur-Rehman Bhatti Advocate TIGER
  - 6 PP-112-Gujrat-V Ghilman Tarq Kaira SCOOTER
  - 7 PP-112-Gujrat-V Lt. Col. (R) Zafar Iqbal Choudhary JUG
  - 8 PP-112-Gujrat-V Naveed Akhtar Qureshi Advocate HUKKAH
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- 1 PP-113-Gujrat-VI Ch. Arshad Mehmood SCOOTER

2 PP-113-Gujrat-VI Ch. Jafar Iqbal TIGER  
3 PP-113-Gujrat-VI Ch. Ali Riaz Advocate HUKKAH  
4 PP-113-Gujrat-VI Khalid Hussain Advocate GOAT  
5 PP-113-Gujrat-VI Mian Khalid Rafique ARROW  
6 PP-113-Gujrat-VI Mian Tariq Mehmood BICYCLE

1 PP-114-Gujrat-VII Ch. Ayyaz Ahmad TELEPHONE  
2 PP-114-Gujrat-VII Ch. Muhammad Arshad BICYCLE  
3 PP-114-Gujrat-VII Ch. Naeem Aslam Dhoria ARROW  
4 PP-114-Gujrat-VII Raja Naeem Nawaz TIGER  
5 PP-114-Gujrat-VII Sumaira Khalid Chaudhary Dhoria  
TELEVISION  
6 PP-114-Gujrat-VII Ali Asghar SCOOTER  
7 PP-114-Gujrat-VII Muhammad Ilyas Ch. Foot Ball  
8 PP-114-Gujrat-VII Noman Ashraf STAG

1.PP-115-Gujrat-VIII Ch. Shamshad Ali Advocate ELEPHANT  
2 PP-115-Gujrat-VIII Ch. Irfan-ud-Din Hukkah  
3 PP-115-Gujrat-VIII Ch. Muhammad Ashraf TELEVISION  
4 PP-115-Gujrat-VIII Ch. Muhamad Naseer Abbas BICYCLE  
5 PP-115-Gujrat-VIII Ch. Nasir Ahmad Chupar Advocate TIGER  
6 PP-115-Gujrat-VIII Ch. Waqas Ijaz ARROW  
7 PP-115-Gujrat-VIII Amar Usman Adil SCOOTER  
8 PP-115-Gujrat-VIII Lt. Col. (R) Zafar Iqbal Choudhary CLOCK  
9 PP-115-Gujrat-VIII Muhammad Anwar Malik Foot Ball  
10 PP-115-Gujrat-VIII Maj. Retd.Tariq Javed Akhtar TRUCK  
11 PP-115-Gujrat-VIII Ch. Shahid Raza BULB  
12 PP-115-Gujrat-VIII Ch. Muhammad Shabbir Advocate COAT

## **Electoral Race in Sialkot**

Following is the list of candidates for the General Election 2008 on the five (5) National Assembly and ten (10) Provincial Assembly Seats in the District Sialkot:

### **Sialkot - NA 110, NA 111, NA 112, NA 113 and NA 114**

1. NA-110 Sialkot-I Prof.Muhammad Sagheer Choudhary. Kite
  2. NA-110 Sialkot-I Khawaja Muhammad Asif. Tiger
  3. NA-110 Sialkot-I Zahid Pervaiz alias Zahid Bashir. Arrow
  4. NA-110 Sialkot-I Mian Muhammad Riaz. Bicycle
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1. NA-111 Sialkot-II Adrees Bajwa. Tiger
  2. NA-111 Sialkot-II Ch.Amir Hussain. Bicycle
  3. NA-111 Sialkot-II Ch.Manzoor Hussain. Boat
  4. NA-111 Sialkot-II Dr. Fardos Ashiq Awan. Arrow
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1. NA-112 Sialkot-III Ch.Adrees Ahmed Cheema Hukkah
  2. NA-112 Sialkot-III Ch.Shujat Hussain Bicycle
  3. NA-112 Sialkot-III Rana Abdul Rahim Bib Ran Shamim Ahmed Khan Jug
  4. NA-112 Sialkot-III Rana Abdul Sattar Bib Ran Shamim Ahmed Khan Tiger
  5. NA-112 Sialkot-III Sheikh Shafiq ur Rehman Foot Ball
  6. NA-112 Sialkot-III Lt.Col.(R) Sultan Sikandar Ghumman. Arrow
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1. NA-113 Sialkot-IV Ahmed Jalal Sahi Boat
  2. NA-113 Sialkot-IV Agha Abdul Rauf Chaudhry Bowl
  3. NA-113 Sialkot-IV Ch. Shah Nawaz Bhalli Bus
  4. NA-113 Sialkot-IV Ch.Abdul Sattar Clock
  5. NA-113 Sialkot-IV Dr.Zaheer-ul-Hassan Rizvi Arrow
  6. NA-113 Sialkot-IV Sahabzada Syed Murtaza Amin Tiger
  7. NA-113 Sialkot-IV Ali Asjad Malhi Bicycle
  8. NA-113 Sialkot-IV Mirza Abdul Qayyum Elephant
  9. NA-113 Sialkot-IV Munawar Ahmed Gill Football
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1. NA-114 Sialkot-V Ch: Abdul Sattar Bicycle
  2. NA-114 Sialkot-V Zahid Hamid Tiger
  3. NA-114 Sialkot-V Abbas Ali Bus

4. NA-114 Sialkot-V Ghulam Abbas Arrow
5. NA-114 Sialkot-V Mufti Muhammad Younas Book

**Sialkot - PP 121, PP 122, PP 123, PP 124, PP 125, PP 126, PP127, PP 128, PP 129, PP 130 and PP 131**

1. PP-121-SIALKOT-I Ch. Muhammad Saboor Kasana. Foot Ball
2. PP-121-SIALKOT-I Rana Tariq Mehmood. Tiger
3. PP-121-SIALKOT-I Qamar Ellahi. Elephant
4. PP-121-SIALKOT-I Mohammad Ajmal Cheema. Bicycle
5. PP-121-SIALKOT-I Muhammad Haq Nawaz Bhalli. Hukkah
6. PP-121-SIALKOT-I Major (r) Tariq Yousaf Rajput. Arrow
7. PP-121-SIALKOT-I Noor Ahmed. Book

1. PP-122-SIALKOT-II Raja Amer Khan. Arrow
2. PP-122-SIALKOT-II Umer Farooq Dar. Bicycle
3. PP-122-SIALKOT-II Muhammad Akhlaq. Tiger
4. PP-122-SIALKOT-II Muhammad Usman Dar. Elephant

1. PP-123-SIALKOT-III Hafiz Muhammad Raza. Tonga
2. PP-123-SIALKOT-III Khawaja Awais Mushtaq Advocate.  
Arrow
3. PP-123-SIALKOT-III Imran Ashraf. Tiger
4. PP-123-SIALKOT-III Mehr Arshad Mahmood. Bicycle
5. PP-123-SIALKOT-III Mehr Muhammad Afzal. Foot Ball

1. PP-124-SIALKOT-IV Ch. Arsal Waqar Ahmed Ghuman.  
Bucket
2. PP-124-SIALKOT-IV Rana Abdul Rehim bin Rana Shamim  
Ahmed KhaBus
3. PP-124-SIALKOT-IV Rana Abdul Sattar Bin Rana Shahmim  
Ahmed KhTiger
4. PP-124-SIALKOT-IV Emmanuel Nawab Mani. Bowl
5. PP-124-SIALKOT-IV Malik Tahir Akhtar. Arrow
6. PP-124-SIALKOT-IV Mian Muhammad Riaz. Bicycle

1. PP-125-SIALKOT-V Ch. Khush Akhtar Subhani. Bicycle
2. PP-125-SIALKOT-V Ch. Tariq Subhani. Boat
3. PP-125-SIALKOT-V Ch. Tahir Mehmood Hundali Advocate.  
Arrow
4. PP-125-SIALKOT-V Ch. Ghulam Mustafa. Scooter

5. PP-125-SIALKOT-V Ch. Muhammad Rafi. Tiger
6. PP-125-SIALKOT-V Muhammad Haq Nawaz Bhalli. Hukkah

1. PP-126 Sialkot-VI Tanveer-ul-Islam Arrow
2. PP-126 Sialkot-VI CH: Waqas Qasim Tiger
3. PP-126 Sialkot-VI Khalid Mehmood Alvi, Advocate. Hukkah
4. PP-126 Sialkot-VI Syed Akhtar Hussain Rizvi Bicycle
5. PP-126 Sialkot-VI Syed. Aqeel Haider Shah Elephant
6. PP-126 Sialkot-VI Sajeela Ansar Bajwa Clock Women
7. PP-126 Sialkot-VI Ch. Amir Khalid Bajwa Hand Pump
8. PP-126 Sialkot-VI Musarrat Mansoor Khan Crown Women

1. PP-127 Sialkot-VII Armghan Subhani Bicycle
2. PP-127 Sialkot-VII Rana Muhammad Shafiq Khan Pasruri Loud Speaker
3. PP-127 Sialkot-VII Abbas Ali Fan
4. PP-127 Sialkot-VII Farooq Akbar Kahloon Bell
5. PP-127 Sialkot-VII Muhammad Yousaf Basket
6. PP-127 Sialkot-VII Munawar Ahmed Gill Tiger
7. PP-127 Sialkot-VII Naseem Akhtar Rana Arrow Women

1. PP-128 -SIALKOT-VIII Ch.Kamran Zakria Sandhu Boat
2. PP-128 -SIALKOT-VIII Ch.Muhammad Anwar Aziz Bowl
3. PP-128 -SIALKOT-VIII Ch. Muhammad Ayyub Mayo Advocate Arrow
4. PP-128 -SIALKOT-VIII Ch.Muhammad Sajid Sandhu Bus
5. PP-128 -SIALKOT-VIII Zulfiqar Mehmood Ahmed Clock
6. PP-128 -SIALKOT-VIII Rana Muhammad Afzal Tiger
7. PP-128 -SIALKOT-VIII Rauf Ahmed Bajwa Elephant
8. PP-128 -SIALKOT-VIII Shahid Mehmood Butt Foot Ball
9. PP-128 -SIALKOT-VIII Tariq Rafique Sandhu Fan
10. PP-128 -SIALKOT-VIII Ali Raza Flower Vase
11. PP-128 -SIALKOT-VIII Muhammad Rizwan Bicycle

1. PP-129-SIALKOT-IX Ahmed Jalal Sahi Takhti
2. PP-129-SIALKOT-IX Jamil Ashraf Tiger
3. PP-129-SIALKOT-IX Ch.Idrees Ahmed Cheema Television
4. PP-129-SIALKOT-IX Ch.Ansar Iqbal Baryar Bicycle
5. PP-129-SIALKOT-IX Dr.Javed Iqbal Truck
6. PP-129-SIALKOT-IX Rauf Ahmed Bajwa Bullock cart
7. PP-129-SIALKOT-IX Usman Javed Guhman Arrow

1. PP-130 -SIALKOT-X Agha Abdul Rauf Chaudhry Boat
2. PP-130 -SIALKOT-X Ch.Mumtaz Ali Bicycle
3. PP-130 -SIALKOT-X Dr. Khalid Luqman Chaudhry Bowl
4. PP-130 -SIALKOT-X Shabina Waien Bus Women
5. PP-130 -SIALKOT-X Qari Zulifqar Ali Sialvi Arrow
6. PP-130 -SIALKOT-X Muhammad Abid Mughal Advocate  
Hukkah
7. PP-130 -SIALKOT-X Muhammad Noor Khan Advocate  
Ricksha
8. PP-130 -SIALKOT-X Munawar Ali Crown
9. PP-130 -SIALKOT-X Yahya Gul Nawaz Tiger

1. PP-131-SIALKOT-XI Ch.Zahid Sultan Ghumman Coat
2. PP-131-SIALKOT-XI Ch.Saif Ullah Cheema. Arrow
3. PP-131-SIALKOT-XI Ch.Abdul Qayyum Bajwa Advocate.  
Elephant
4. PP-131-SIALKOT-XI Ch.Muhammad Azeem Noori  
Ghumman. Bicycle
5. PP-131-SIALKOT-XI Haji Akhtar Ali Gujar. Flower vase
6. PP-131-SIALKOT-XI Dr.Khalid Luqman Chauhdry. Garland
7. PP-131-SIALKOT-XI Dr.Muhammad Shafique Butt. Hand  
Pump
8. PP-131-SIALKOT-XI Rana Jamshaid Sher. Pitcher
9. PP-131-SIALKOT-XI Farooq Nawaz Ghumman. Ring
10. PP-131-SIALKOT-XI Liaqat Ali Ghuman. Tiger
11. PP-131-SIALKOT-XI Malik Nasir Mehmood Advocate.  
Scissors