



PAKISTAN HINDU COUNCIL

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DR. RAMESH KUMAR VANKWANI PATRON-IN-CHIEF

The teachings of every religion urge followers to serve humanity and stand against brutality, cruelty and evil. Hinduism, also known as Sanatana Dharma, is one of the world's ancient religions, which urges the followers to help mankind, and support the vulnerable, regardless of religious or geographical affiliations.

Helping the oppressed is key virtue of Hinduism. It is said that during the Karbala tragedy, a Hindu named Rahib Dutt and his twelve sons also sacrificed their precious lives in support of Hazrat Imam Hussain (RA). Even today there is a Hindu community called Hussaini Brahmin who used to mourn along with Muslims every year in the month of Muharram.

The entire history of the Subcontinent shows us that local society is traditionally based on interfaith harmony, tolerance, pluralism and diversity. The basic teachings of Hinduism focuses on becoming good human beings to serve mankind. Keeping this in view, all Hindu rulers are bound to ensure religious harmony, societal tolerance and pluralism under their rule.

At the time of the establishment of Pakistan, the non-Muslim population was about one fourth, and today, according to the latest census data, non-Muslim community is less than four percent of the total population, in which Hindu community is largest one, followed Christians.

Quaid-e-Azam reiterated his commitment to protect the rights of patriotic non-Muslim minorities through his practical steps. One example being the appointment of Hindu politician Jogendranath Mandal as the Law Minister. Quaid-e-Azam, in this way, wanted to deliver a clear message to the world that Pakistan has definitely come into existence in the name of religion, but there is no space for any kind of discrimination on religious grounds.

The lesson of history is that history does not forgive anyone, but our tragedy is that we used to indulge ourselves in distorting history. We are still unable to understand what was the real purpose of creating Pakistan. Sir Ganga Ram, Sardar Bhagat Singh, Jogendranath Mandal and Jagannath Azad are among the countless great personalities of our glorious past, but we have forgotten them only because of our prejudice.

We must think about the reasons why we are going backwards every year, while the countries that achieve independence after us transform themselves into strong economies. We need to ensure that our society must be free from bias and prejudice.

Pakistan Zindabad!



ABOUT US

VISION

We plan to uplift the socio-economic conditions of the Hindu community in Pakistan

MISSION

To endeavor for the promotion and propagation of Hindu culture and to unite all the Hindus at one platform and solve the problems faced by Hindu community at grass root level.





Dr. Ramesh Kumar Vankwani
Patron-in-Chief

MANAGING COMMITTEE



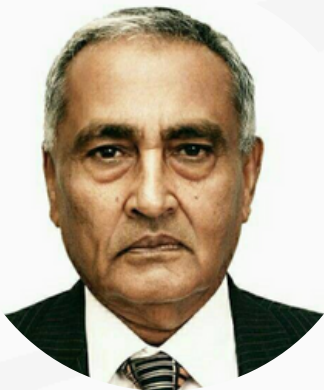
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President



Raja Bhawan
Vice President



Parshotam Ramani
General Secretary



Paman Lal
Joint Secretary



Bharat Kumar Manglani
Finance Secretary

MANAGING COMMITTEE



Mr. Vikram Rathi



Dr. Mohan Lal



Mrs. Mangla Sharma



Mr. Tarachand Keswani



Mr. Roshan Lal



Mr. Mukhi Thanwar Ratnani



Mr. Mangal Das



Mr. Karamchand



Mr. Harish Sakhija



Mrs. Roop Mala

AIMS & OBJECTIVES



- To endeavor for the promotion and propagation of Hindu culture and to unite all the Hindus at one platform and solve the problems faced by Hindu community at gross root level.
- To organize conferences, symposia and lectures on academic, literary and cultural topics, for the promotion, welfare, safeguard and to take appropriate steps to consolidate and strengthen the Hindu community and inculcate a sense of oneness among Hindu Society.
- To establish libraries and reading rooms and also to plan establish, develop and establish educational institutions i.e. schools, colleges, computer labs, yoga centers, art galleries, Hindu cultural centers Pathshalas, and Dharamshallas etc.
- To establish centers for building noble character in the young generation for promotion of Hindu culture and ideology.
- To establish charitable hospitals, clinics, dispensaries, Blood Banks, Health Centers, Laboratories, etc and also to establish centers for the physical, mental, literary and moral development and to arrange training programs.
- To promote close contacts for identity of views, friendly relations and sense of unity and fraternity among the fellow members specifically and Hindus Community in general.
- To adopt ways and means for the promotion of education and economic prosperity in Hindu Community and to establish manage and support educational institutions for the promotion of modern education such as computers, IT and Vedic studies, all Hindu scriptures and oriental sciences etc.
- To assist and co-operate with other Associations, Panchayats and Organizations, having similar charter, in the pursuit of the foregoing aims and objects.
- To undertake and to perform all such other lawful activities as may be instrumental and conducive for the attainment of any of the foregoing aims.
- To inculcate, foster and stimulate the spirit of mutual self-help on principal of co-operation and coordination among the fellow members.
- To extend immediate help in case of any specific problem confronting any faction of the community beyond their local reach.
- To extend help for the promotion of cause of Education from primary level to university level specially among poor factions of community through out Pakistan, by way of awarding scholarships and providing books, uniforms etc.

AIMS & OBJECTIVES



- To protect the existing institutions, schools, cremation grounds, graveyards, Hindu Trust Properties, Pathshalas, gymkhana & other Hindu places.
- To celebrate and assist the Hindu community for celebration of welfare festivals for developing sense of unity.
- To help and work for the promotion of such schemes of charity for the welfare and social uplift of the community, particularly in poor faction of the society.
- To obtain and accept subscriptions, donations, grants and gifts, and any other help from individuals, firms, Govt. and semi Govt. organizations, NGO's, and other institutions, local Government etc..
- The Council shall be run on non-political, non-religious and non-commercial basis.
- The promoter/office bearer and members shall not be paid employees of the Association, in any form whatsoever.
- To ensure, receive, accept and manage funds, donations, grant endowments and any other movable and immovable properties from lawful sources within a country and to utilize them for enhancing and promoting the aims and objects enunciated herein.
- The Council shall confine its activities only to the aims and objects of the Council and the income and property of the Council from whatever sources derived shall be applied solely towards the promotion of the objects of the Council and no portion thereof shall be paid by way of dividend / Profit and bonus to any member / office bearers or otherwise. Violation of this condition will be personal responsibility of the office bearers or members concerned.
- To help and encourage the institutions working for Hindu matrimonial system for arranging group marriages and also to arrange such group marriages of poor faction of Hindu Community

PAKISTAN HINDU COUNCIL WELFARE PROJECTS



Combined Marriages



PHC Schools



Flood Relief Drive



Ration Distribution



Coffin Carrier Bus
Services



Financial Assistance
Program



Ambulance Service

PAKISTAN HINDU COUNCIL WELFARE PROJECTS

COMBINED MARRIAGES

Since 2008, the PHC's annual combined marriage events have provided a dignified start to married life for over 1200 financially disadvantaged Hindu couples. The organization bears all expenses and provides essential support to the newlyweds.

EDUCATION

Recognizing education as a cornerstone of progress, the PHC operates 17 primary schools in Tharparkar, providing free education, including books, uniforms, and stationery, to underprivileged children. Besides this the The Mata Sarasvati Scholarship program will support female students in schools and colleges, emphasizing the importance of their education.

HEALTHCARE SERVICES

The PHC runs a network of 16 ambulances across Pakistan, offering crucial medical transport to all, irrespective of faith. Additionally, it also operates cremation bus services in Karachi and Hyderabad, ensuring respectful funeral arrangements.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Annually, the PHC provides financial aid to needy individuals for medical emergencies, marriages, and education.

JEEVAN KA SATHI MATRIMONIAL SERVICES

The "Jeevan Ka Sathi" marriage bureau (established in 2021) have successfully connected Hindu couples, facilitating the search for life partners within the community.

MAJOR ACHIEVEMENTS

* MATA SARASVATI SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

The Mata Sarasvati Scholarship, initiated by the Pakistan Hindu Council has emerged as a beacon of hope for underprivileged female students. This scholarship has made significant strides in promoting education and empowering the youth.

* FLOOD RELIEF DRIVES

In response to the devastating floods that struck various parts of Pakistan in 2022, PHC launched extensive flood relief efforts. The Council distributed food, clean water, medical supplies, and essential items to hundreds of affected families, irrespective of religion. These relief drives reflected PHC's commitment to serving humanity in times of national crisis.

* NEW CREMATION BUS SERVICES

Recognizing the hardships faced by underprivileged families in transporting deceased loved ones for cremation, PHC launched dedicated cremation bus services in key regions. These services provide free and dignified transportation for final rites, particularly benefiting rural and low-income families.

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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AUDITOR'S REPORT

We have audited the annexed Balance Sheet of **PAKISTAN HINDU COUNCIL** as at 30 June, 2022 and the related income and expenditure account, cash flow statement and notes to the accounts together thereof (here-in-after referred to as financial statements) for the year then ended.

We conducted our audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.

In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of entity's affairs as at 30 June, 2022 and its surplus for the year then ended.

This report is issued on the request of management for the specific use only.


Raza Siddiqui & Co.
Chartered Accountants

Karachi

Dated: January 06, 2023

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

PAKISTAN HINDU COUNCIL
STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURE
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2022

	Note	2022 RUPEES	2021 RUPEES
Income & Donation	5	76,191,852	38,046,885
Operating expenses	6	(65,034,429)	(34,126,856)
Administrative expenses	7	(11,316,718)	(7,686,635)
Finance cost	8	(108,821)	(3,494)
(Deficit)		(268,116)	(3,770,100)
(Deficit) carried forward to general fund		(268,116)	(3,770,100)

The annexed notes form an integral part of these financial statements.



FUTURE PLANS OF PAKISTAN HINDU COUNCIL

DIGITALIZING JEEVAN KA SATHI MARRIAGE BUREAU

To modernize and streamline matchmaking services for the Hindu community, PHC plans to digitalize its Jeevan Ka Sathi Marriage Bureau by developing a user-friendly mobile application. This app will offer a secure and respectful platform for individuals and families to connect and find suitable life partners, enhancing accessibility and privacy.

JOB FAIR AND EDUCATION EXPO

PHC aims to organize nationwide Job Fairs and Education Expos that will serve as bridges between students, graduates, educational institutions, and employers. These events will offer career counseling, scholarship information, skill development sessions, and direct interaction with industry leaders, helping youth explore opportunities for employment and higher education.

ALL PAKISTAN MINORITIES HERITAGE PHOTO CONTEST

Recognizing the cultural richness of Pakistan's minority communities, PHC will launch the All Pakistan Minorities Heritage Program. This initiative will focus on documenting, preserving, and promoting the cultural, historical, and religious heritage of minorities across Pakistan through exhibitions, digital archives, educational campaigns, and cultural festivals.

INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITIES FOR YOUTH

To foster professional growth and practical learning, PHC is introducing structured internship programs for students and recent graduates. These internships will provide valuable work experience and mentorship.



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