

INTERNATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS OBSERVER AND THE GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN



**IHRO was registered under the
Social Welfare Act 1961
in 2002 by the Social Welfare Department,
Government of Pakistan, Islamabad.**

IHRO CONTRIBUTION TO THE WORK OF THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RIGHTS, GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN



IHRO worked with the Ministry of Human Rights, Government of Pakistan and other departments from 2009-2011 as partner organization on volunteer bases. Founder president of the organization (IHRO) Mr. Khalid Pervaiz Sulehri was appointed Chief Coordinator of the Ministry on honorary bases without any pay or benefits by the Federal Minister for Human Rights Syed Mumtaz Alam Gillani.

IHRO played a vital role for the following activities of the Ministry

- ☞ To arrange workshops and meetings on different issues of the Human Rights to promote the mandate of the Ministry.
- ☞ To arrange regular consultation workshops and meetings with other partners to establish National Commission on human Rights (NHRC), this has been enforced by the Government of Pakistan in 2015.
- ☞ To commemorate international days of the United Nations every year regularly including human rights day, women rights, democracy and other days for the promotion and protection of human rights.
- ☞ To promote its services to Publish the **Year Book** of the Human Rights Ministry with other partners and officials.
- ☞ To address the applications of different cases of the Human Rights violations to Federal Minister of human rights with research and investigation.



IHRO also participated in the following consultation of different treaties of the United Nations before ratification by the Government of Pakistan.

Treaty	Signature Date	Ratification Date, Accession(a), Succession(d) Date
CAT - Convention against Torture and Other Cruel Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment	17 Apr 2008	23 Jun 2010
CCPR - International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights	17 Apr 2008	23 Jun 2010
CRC-OP-SC - Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Rights of the Child on the sale of children child prostitution and child pornography	26 Sep 2001	05 Jul 2011
CRPD - Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities	25 Sep 2008	05 Jul 2011



President of Pakistan Mr. Asif Ali Zardari signing the Bill on National Commission for Human Rights in Pakistan”