



# Glossary and abbreviations

| <b>Term</b> | <b>Definition</b>                   |
|-------------|-------------------------------------|
| ADR         | Alternative Dispute Resolution      |
| AJK         | Azad Jammu and Kashmir              |
| ALPS        | Alert for Price Spikes              |
| ANF         | Anti-Narcotics Force                |
| AQ          | Al-Qaeda                            |
| AQIS        | Al-Qaeda in the Indian Subcontinent |
| ASWJ        | Ahle Sunnat wal Jamaat              |
| ATA         | Anti-Terrorism Act                  |
| ATCs        | Anti-Terrorism Courts               |
| BHUs        | Basic Health Units                  |
| BISP        | Benazir Income Support Programme    |
| BJP         | Bharatiya Janata Party              |
| BLA         | Balochistan Liberation Army         |
| BLA-A       | Balochistan Liberation Army Azad    |
| BLA-J       | Balochistan Liberation Army Jeeyand |
| BLF         | Balochistan Liberation Front        |
| BNA         | Baloch National Army                |

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|-------------|---|
| BNP         | Balochistan National Party                  |
| BRAS        | Baloch Raji Aajoi Sangar                    |
| BRG         | Baloch Republican Guard                     |
| BYC         | Baloch Yakjehti Committee                   |
| CDA         | Capital Development Authority               |
| CDF         | Chief of Defence Forces                     |
| CJCSC       | Chairman Joint Chiefs of Staff Committee    |
| CNIC        | Computerised National Identity Card         |
| CNSC        | Commander of the National Strategic Command |
| CPEC        | China-Pakistan Economic Corridor            |
| CPI         | Consumer Price Index                        |
| CrPC        | Code of Criminal Procedure                  |
| CTD         | Counterterrorism Department                 |
| CTW         | Counter Terrorism Wing (of the FIA)         |
| ECP         | Election Commission of Pakistan             |
| FATA        | Federally Administered Tribal Area          |
| FC          | Frontier Corps                              |
| FCR         | Frontier Crimes Regulation                  |
| FIA         | Federal Investigation Agency                |
| FIR         | First Information Report                    |
| FSC         | Federal Shariat Court                       |

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|-------------|---------------------------------------|
| GB          | Gilgit-Baltistan                      |
| GHQ         | Army General Headquarters             |
| GDP         | Gross Domestic Product                |
| GoP         | Government of Pakistan                |
| HGB         | Hafiz Gul Bahadur                     |
| HIIP        | Harkat Inqilab-e-Islami Pakistan      |
| HM          | Hizb ul-Mujahideen                    |
| HuA         | Hizb-ul-Ahrar                         |
| HUJI        | Harakat-ul Jihad Islami               |
| HuM         | Harakat ul-Mujahideen                 |
| HRCP        | Human Rights Commission Pakistan      |
| ICT         | Islamabad Capital Territory           |
| IED         | Improvised Explosive Device           |
| IFRP        | Illegal Foreigners' Repatriation Plan |
| IGP         | Inspector General of Police           |
| IMP         | Ittehad-ul-Mujahideen Pakistan        |
| IS          | Islamic State                         |
| ISI         | Inter-Services Intelligence           |
| ISIL        | Islamic State of Iraq and the Levant  |
| ISKP        | Islamic State – Khorasan Province     |
| ISPP        | Islamic State – Pakistan Province     |

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| JAAC        | Jammu Kashmir Joint Awami Action Committee              |
| JeM         | Jaish-e-Muhammad  |
| JFM         | Jaish Fursan Muhammad                                   |
| JSQM-A      | Jeay Sindh Qaumi Mahaz-Arisar                           |
| JuA         | Jamaat-ul-Ahrar   |
| JUI-F       | Jamiat Ulema-i-Islam – Fazl                             |
| JUI-P       | Jamiat Ulama-e-Islam (Pakistan)                         |
| KP          | Khyber Pakhtunkhwa                                      |
| KPDMA       | Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Disaster Management Authority        |
| Lel         | Lashkar-e-Islam   |
| Lej         | Lashkar-e Jhangvi                                       |
| LeT         | Lashkar-e-Taiba   |
| LFS         | Labour Force Survey                                     |
| MoFA        | Ministry of Foreign Affairs                             |
| Mol         | Ministry of Interior                                    |
| MOPDSI      | Ministry of Planning, Development & Special Initiatives |
| MQM-L       | Muttahida Qaumi Movement – London                       |
| MQM-P       | Muttahida Qaumi Movement – Pakistan                     |
| MRC         | Migrant Resource Centre                                 |
| NAB         | National Accountability Bureau                          |
| NACTA       | National Counter Terrorism Authority                    |

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|-------------|-------------------------------------|
| NFC         | National Finance Commission         |
| NSC         | National Security Committee         |
| PBC         | Pakistan Bar Council                |
| PBM         | Pakistan Bait-ul-Mal                |
| PECA        | Prevention of Electronic Crimes Act |
| PMA         | Pakistan Medical Association        |
| PML         | Pakistan Muslim League              |
| PML-N       | Pakistan Muslim League-Nawaz        |
| PPC         | Pakistan Penal Code                 |
| PPP         | Pakistan People's Party             |
| PPR         | Pakistan Prison Rules               |
| PTI         | Tehreek-e-Insaf party               |
| PTM         | Pashtun Tahafuz Movement            |
| RHCs        | Rural Health Centres                |
| SBP         | State Bank of Pakistan              |
| SCI         | Sunni Ittehad Council               |
| SLA         | Sindhudesh Liberation Army          |
| SMP         | Sipah-e-Muhammad                    |
| SNC         | Single National Curriculum          |
| SP          | Superintendent of Police            |
| SPA         | Sindhudesh People's Army            |

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| SRA         | Sindhudesh Revolutionary Army         |
| SSP         | Sipah-e-Sahaba Pakistan               |
| TDP         | Temporarily Displaced Person          |
| TJP         | Tehreek-e-Jihad Pakistan              |
| TLP         | Tehreek-e-Labbaik Pakistan            |
| TNP         | Tehrik-e Namoos Pakistan              |
| TRF         | The Resistance Front                  |
| TTP         | Tehrik-e Taliban Pakistan             |
| UAVs        | Unmanned Aerial Vehicles              |
| Wilayat     | Shadow province                       |
| WPMPLA      | West Pakistan Muslim Personal Law Act |

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