



GOVERNMENT OF SINDH  
LOCAL GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT

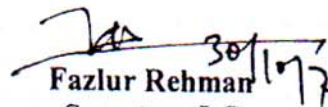
**NOTIFICATION**

E&A(LG)4(72)/2007 Local Government Department, Government of Sindh is pleased to notify Musalihat Anjuman Justice Advocates (MAJA) of Gender Justice Through Musalihat Anjuman Project Sindh for District Sanghar with the following composition.

1.DCO Sanghar		Convener
2.DPO Sanghar		Member
3.EDO CDD Sanghar		Member
4.Dr. Mohammad Hashim Khaskheli	Taluka Nazim Sinjhor	Member
5. Murad Ali Nizami	Nazim UC I Sanghar	Member
6. Mst. Sameena Mehmood	General councilor Dist Sanghar	Member
7. Mst. Tahira Begum	General councilor Dist Sanghar	Member
8. Mrs. Nawab Channar	General councilor Dist Sanghar	Member
9. Ali Nawaz Sheikh	Secretary UC Mitho Khoso	Member
10. Mohammad Yossif Wassan	Secretary UC Shah Mardanabad	Member
11. Representative of Aurat Foundation		Member
12. Representative of Sindh Development Society		Member/ Secretary

**Functions of MAJA:**

- Promoting and spreading awareness about the justice services available from the platform of MA.
- Promoting awareness about Alternate Dispute Resolution mechanism for curbing gender violence.
- Promoting awareness amongst women victim of violence about MA
- Assisting the functioning of MA on gender violence issues through evidence, document collection, bringing witnesses to the proceedings, and liaison with local police for any support.
- Providing follow up for smooth implementation of the decisions/ agreements concluded as a result of MA proceedings.
- Dissemination of legal awareness about the rights of women as well as other vulnerable sections of society within the district (including school and colleges)
- Monitoring and serving watchdogs over the proceedings of MA so that they are not allowed to impinge upon the rights of women or subject to elite capture.
- Establishing networks and communication channels with District level bodies including Criminal Justice Coordination Committees, Public Safety Commissions, Citizen Police Liaison Committees and Bar Associations for minimizing and curbing the menace of gender violence.
- Facilitating and supporting MA to provide legal aid, shelter, treatment etc for the victims of gender violence as and when required.

  
Fazlur Rehman  
Secretary LG

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Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to:

1. All the above members.....
2. Ms. Faiza Effendi, ARR/Chief Gender Unit UNDP, Islamabad