



PRESS REGISTRAR

GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN
MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING
OFFICE OF THE PRESS REGISTRAR
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**NOC Proforma
For Fresh Title of Newspaper/ Publication
(On Behalf of Authority)**

Detail About Proposed Publication:

- Proposed Title: _____
- Category _____
Politics/Sports/Health/Religion/Social/Economy/Education/Finance & Trade/Technology/Others
- Periodicity: _____ Language (s): _____
- Station: _____
- Name of Keeper of Printing Press Assigned for Proposed Publication: _____

- Address of Printing Press Assigned for Proposed Publication: _____

Owner's Credentials:

- Name of Authority: _____
- Registration Number of Authority: _____
- Name of Owner: _____ S/o, D/o, W/o _____
- CNIC No.

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- Telephone No. _____ Mobile No. _____
- Email Id: _____ Present Profession: _____
- Address: _____
- Names of Titles already listed in Owner's Name: _____

- Source of Funding: _____
- Account No: _____
- Name of Degree: _____ Year of Passing: _____
- Name of University: _____
- Experience: (a) Name of Registered Publication(s): _____

(b) Designation _____ (c) Period Served _____

Publisher's Credentials:

- Name of Publisher: _____ S/o, D/o, W/o _____
- CNIC No.

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- Telephone No. _____ Mobile No. _____
- Email Id: _____ Present Profession: _____
- Address: _____
- Names of Titles already listed in Publisher's Name: _____

- Name of Degree: _____ Year of Passing: _____
- Name of University: _____
- Experience: (a) Name of Registered Publication(s): _____
(b) Designation _____ (c) Period Served _____

Editor's Credentials:

- Name of Editor: _____ S/o, D/o, W/o _____
- CNIC No.

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- Telephone No. _____ Mobile No. _____
- Email Id: _____ Present Profession: _____
- Address: _____
- Names of Titles already listed in Editor's Name: _____

- Name of Degree: _____ Year of Passing: _____
- Name of University: _____
- Experience: (a) Name of Registered Publication(s): _____
(b) Designation _____ (c) Period Served _____

Dated: _____

Signature of Owner

Requirements

- Copies of valid CNIC of owner, publisher and editor (duly attested by Government Officer in BS-17 or above);
- Attested Copy of master's or bachelor's degree/ equivalence of applicant with **original HEC attestation stamps**; (In case of foreign degree, HEC's recognition/ equivalency certificate required);
- **Original Experience Certificate** in journalism of Registered Newspaper issued by Chief Editor/ Publisher, Name & Stamp of issuing authority is necessary; 5-year experience if the applicant is a master's degree holder/ 10-year experience if the applicant is a bachelor's degree holder.
- At least **10-15 articles/news stories/news clippings** published during period mentioned in experience certificate with name of applicant to verify the certificate as bona fide;
{If the applicant is a professional degree holder, applied for a title in a specific professional field then shall furnish an experience certificate and news clippings/articles in that respective field.}
- Original Receipt of fee for NOC duly **verified by Treasury Officer**; **Rs. 5000/-** for Karachi, Lahore, Islamabad, Rawalpindi stations, whereas for rest of the country fee is **Rs. 1,000/-** (On **32-A Challan Form** in any branch of **NBP / State Bank** in **A/C # C03886**, Account Title: **Government of Pakistan**);
- Bank Statement of **last six months** (duly verified by the Bank Manager, with stamp) showing minimum closing balance not less than Rs.5 lacs;
- No Objection Certificate from Proposed Printer of Publication as specified on original letterhead of printing press;
- Copy of Form-A of proposed printer of publication;
- Original Affidavit of Publisher as specified on stamp paper of Rs.100/-, duly attested by Oath Commissioner;
- Original Affidavit of Owner for source of funding as specified on stamp paper of Rs.100/-, duly attested by Oath Commissioner;
- Authority Letter of Competent Authority (CEO/ Head of Organization) with nomination of Publisher on original letter head;
- Attested copy of registration certificate of company/authority/etc. along with affidavits verified by the concerned registration authority;

NOTE:

- ***Incomplete proformas/cases shall not be entertained.***
- ***Applications with all requirements submitted through proper channels i.e. Regional designated officers in PID/ RIO offices, shall be entertained.***

Affidavit of Publisher of Publication

I, Mr./Ms. _____ s/o, d/o , w/o _____ holder of CNIC No. _____ resident of _____ on behalf of _____ registration No. _____ dated _____ do hereby solemnly affirm and declare on oath as under: -

- i. That I will be the publisher of the newspaper/publication titled as _____ in (Language) _____ from (Station) _____;
- ii. That I will print the publication/newspaper titled as _____ from Printing Press titled _____;
- iii. That I have passed _____ Examination from _____ University/Board in the year _____;
- iv. That I have associated/worked in periodical titled as _____ for a period of _____ years from _____ till _____;
- v. That _____ (Name of Owner/ company/ etc.) will bear the expenditure to be incurred on the printing and publication of the aforementioned publication;
- vi. That I will abide by all the rules and regulations laid down in the Press Newspapers, News Agencies and Books Registration Ordinance-2002, as amended in 2007 and rules made thereunder and the Constitution of Pakistan regarding news agencies and the printing and publication of newspapers, periodicals and books etc.;
- vii. That I will supply four (4) copies each of Newspaper/Magazine regularly to **PRESS REGISTRAR, Islamabad;**
- viii. That I am not holding **three or more than three titles (including publication and news agency)** in my name;
- ix. That I will be bound to strictly follow the eligibility criteria and inform the Press Registrar Office, if and when, **editor** of said publication is required to be changed;
- x. That I will be bound to seek No Objection Certificate from the Press Registrar Office, if and when, **printer/language/periodicity/owner/publisher** of said publication is required to be changed;
- xi. That I will not publish any material against the ideology/sovereignty of Pakistan, Armed Forces, contemptuous to the Courts and the supremacy of Islam;
- xii. That I have not been convicted of any criminal offence and have no criminal record;

- xiii. That the above contents are true to the best of my knowledge and belief and nothing has been concealed. I would be liable to be prosecuted in contravention of the above said;
- xiv. That according to best of my knowledge above mentioned newspaper/periodical is not existing in any part of the country and if any publication/periodical having above title, be found operational before my application, I will withdraw/change the above-mentioned title.

Deponent

Name: _____

CNIC No._____

Signature & Thumb: _____

Affidavit of Owner of Publication (For Source of Funding)

I, Mr./Ms. _____ s/o, d/o, w/o _____
resident of _____ holder of
CNIC No. _____, on behalf of _____
_____ registration No. _____ dated _____
declared on oath that;

That I will be the sole proprietor/owner of the newspaper/periodical entitled as _____
_____ from (Station) _____ located at _____
_____;

That I am giving this declaration that I am regularly filing income tax return. My status is active in the FBR record and I have mentioned my source of income in details in my tax return. I will be responsible for giving undertaking on oath that I will appear before the Press Registrar to explain and prove my source of income if and when required.

That I am also giving this declaration that all expenses for the newspaper/periodical will be organized from my own sources of income.

Deponent

Name: _____

CNIC No. _____

Signature & Thumb: _____

NOC
(From Proposed Printer of Publication)

I, Mr./Ms. _____ s/o, d/o, w/o _____ holder of
CNIC No. _____ resident of _____

do hereby solemnly affirm and declare on oath as under: -

- i. That I am the sole proprietor/owner of printing press titled _____
declared on _____ from (Station) _____;
- ii. That I give my consent to be the sole printer of the newspaper/publication
titled _____ in
(Language) _____ from (Station) _____;
- iii. That I have no objection, if the publisher/owner of said publication/newspaper print the
publication from my printing press;
- iv. That I will abide by all the rules and regulations laid down in the **Press Newspapers, News
Agencies and Books Registration Ordinance-2002, as amended in 2007** and rules made
thereunder and the Constitution of Pakistan regarding news agencies and the printing and
publication of newspapers, periodicals and books etc.;
- v. That I have not published any material against the ideology/sovereignty of Pakistan, Armed
Forces, contemptuous to the Courts and the supremacy of Islam;
- vi. That I have not been convicted of any criminal offence and have no criminal record;
- vii. That the above contents are true to the best of my knowledge and belief and nothing has
been concealed. I would be liable to be prosecuted for contravention of the above said;

Issuing Authority

Name: _____

CNIC No. _____

Signature & Stamp: _____
