



Activity Report

Project Name: Strengthening Associations of Local Governments and their Members for Enhanced Governance and Effective Development Outcomes in Pakistan (SALG)

No: CSO-LA/2016/377-353

Activity name: Training session on provincial women laws

Date and Mode: April 28, 2021, Virtual Zoom Meeting with WDLCAKP

Objectives: The objective of this workshop is to create an awareness session on Provincial women Laws

Chief Guest: Ms. Khurashid Bano (Social Activist)

Analysis:

- LCAs series of training session on women's provincial laws took a step forward
- The purpose of this workshop was to create awareness Regarding important Provincial women laws. Women councilors from the Local Council Association of KPK participated in this workshop.
- **Ms. Maham Ahmed (Women and Minority Inclusion Officer)** started the meeting with opening remarks and welcomed the participants.
- LCAS has invited the CEO of DA HAWA LUR organization as an expert **Ms. Khurashid Bano** to facilitate our women councilors regarding the details of following Women law in Kpk.
 - **Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Enforcement of women's property right Act 2019**
 - **Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Harassment of women at workplace (amendment) Act 2017**
 - **Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Domestic violence Act 2021**

Before opening the session Ms. Khurashid Bano Simplified the laws for women's property rights, harassment at the workplace, and domestic violence Laws. she discussed the importance of these laws for improving the social functioning of women.

She also informed women councilors regarding Dispute Resolution Councils (DRC), which is present in Pakistan since 2010. She urges women to utilize it and attain further information through its field office in Peshawar.

- Harassment is when someone behaves in a way that makes you feel distressed humiliated and threatened.
- Harassment is both a criminal and civil action under the protection against harassment at workplace act 2010
- Under this act, people can take action against the person in the civil courts.



- The court shall issue an order or injunction if the person harassing is not stopping to harass another individual
- Property rights act provide a quick and efficient mechanism to provide the woman her share in the property.
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- At the end of the session, Councillors asked several important questions and Ms. Khurashid Bano facilitated them with relevant satisfactory answers

Outcomes:

- 1- Knowledge enhancement of women councilors regarding their Property Rights, protection against harassment at the workplace, and Domestic violence
- 2- Economic empowerment of women

Agenda:

Workshop on provincial Laws for Women in KPK

Time	Topic
11:45 – 12:00	Background and Objective of the workshop
12:00 – 12:15	Introduction of Our Expert- Ms.Khurashid Bano
12:15 – 12:45	Briefing the features of women Protection laws
12:45 – 01:00	Question & Answers and Closing Remarks

