



**LAW AND JUSTICE COMMISSION OF PAKISTAN  
(SUPREME COURT BUILDING)  
ISLAMABAD**

**REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS (RFP)**

The *Access to Justice Development Fund (AJDF)* is a statutory endowment established by the Government of Pakistan to improve citizen's access to justice and support initiatives aimed at improving the service delivery of justice sector. The Fund is being administered and managed by the Law and Justice Commission of Pakistan (LJCP). The Commission intends to financially support the projects in the following areas:

- A. Legal Empowerment**
- (i) Clinical legal aid to clients affected by violation of their fundamental rights by executive, especially on matters concerned with criminal justice.
  - (ii) Representation in public interest litigation,
  - (iii) Public awareness and legal literacy campaigns, and
  - (iv) Awareness on environmental laws.
- B. Judicial and Legal Research**
- (i) Judicial and legal research aimed at improving the delivery of judicial and legal services and the quality of the judgments,
  - (ii) Initiatives to reform laws and advocacy related endeavors.
- C. Legal Innovations**
- (i) Innovations in teaching of legal education and development of curriculum, including funding of pilot projects,
  - (ii) Improving standard of legal education,
  - (iii) Improvement in professional standards of the legal professionals.

**In addition, the Commission also provides funding for special projects on the aforementioned subjects in the following designated underdeveloped areas:**

Name of Province/Region	Districts/Regions
Balochistan	Washuk, Kharan, Awaran, Barkhan, Musakhel, Sherani, Chaghi and Harnai.
Khyber PukhtunKhawa	Buner, Chitral, Hangu, Karak, Tank, Upper Dir, Shangla and Kohistan.
Punjab	Dera Ghazi Khan, Bahawalnagar, Multan, Bhakkar, Mianwali, Khushab, Jhang and Attock.
Sindh	Kashmore, Umerkot, Mithi, Kamber, Shikarpur, Jacobabad, Ghotki, Dadu, Nausharo Feroze, Sanghar, Badin, Khairpur, Shaheed Benazirabad, Jamshoro, Thatta, MirpurKhas, Larkana, Sukkur and Hyderabad.
SAFRAN	FATA and Frontier Region.

**Eligibility for submission of proposals**

Lawyers, academicians, researchers, human rights activists, institutions (government organizations, departments, semi-government organizations, autonomous bodies, private institutions), Bar Councils, Bar Associations and well reputed civil society organizations, interested in legal empowerment and research related initiatives, are eligible for funding to execute projects in the specified areas.

**Applications must be submitted on prescribed form supported by relevant documents.**

- Guide lines, forms, criteria and details of requisite documents,
- All relevant government rules and regulations shall apply regarding management, disbursement and utilization of funds,
- Incomplete proposals or those submitted after closing date shall not be entertained,
- The proposals are required to be submitted in hard and soft form,
- Soft copy of the proposal be submitted at [proposals@ljcp.gov.pk](mailto:proposals@ljcp.gov.pk),
- The Secretariat reserves the right to accept or reject any proposal,

**The last date for submission of proposals is 08/10/2019.**

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