

Future Youth Group Executive Committee Meeting
at Avari Hotel, Lahore
on 26 April 2008

List of participants

1. Mr. Abbas Qureshi – President FYG
2. Mr. Ross Mahtani – General Secretary FYG
3. Mr. Sana-ullah – Finance Secretary – FYG NWFP
4. Mr. Wajid Nawaz – Senior Vice President – FYG Islamabad
5. Mr. Farhan – Senior Vice President – FYG
6. Ms. Asiya – President – FYG Islamabad
7. Mr. Akhyar – Vice President – LYSA

The meeting was called to resolve the internal issues of FYG, streamline its relations with the parent organization, Liberal Forum Pakistan (LFP) and issues and confusions in the international forum, LYSA due to the issues mentioned above.

A. Internal communication problem

Current status:

A e- network by the name of liberalfuture@yahoogroup.com has been established to facilitate communication and make all the issues clear to the FYG members. The website of Future Youth Group needs to be updated.

Decisions:

1. Mr. Farhan Anwar and Ross Mahtani will circulate all the information to all members through this e- network by keeping LFP and FNSt in the CC.
2. The website will be updated and the database will be maintained. Mr. Zubair, the Information Secretary and Mr. Ross Mahtani will manage the website.
3. Mr. Farhan Anwar resigned four weeks earlier after the dominating behavior of LFP Chairman Mr. Asif Khan but his resignation was not accepted by the FYG Board. On the request of the Board, Mr. Farhan withdrew his resignation. Therefore, he still acts as the Vice President as per constitution of FYG.

B. LYSA issues

Current Status:

LFP's involvement: LFP's involvement in the LYSA and misleading emails has created confusions at the FNSt Indian Office and in the LYSA board.

Decisions:

1. The FYG Board members came to the conclusion that the email exchange between Mr. Asif Khan of LFP and the LYSA board was derogatory and a source of embarrassment for FYG and Pakistan and any further correspondence shall be stopped.
2. In Future the correspondence with LYSA shall be done through FYG (Mr. Rana Farhan Anwar) and the LYSA representative in Pakistan (Mr. Akhyar) as FYG is the member of LYSA not LFP.
3. FYG shall accept any invitation of meeting from LFP in near future to resolve issues.
4. Mr. Farhan Anwar shall write a letter to LYSA clarifying its position and LFP unconstitutional meddlesomeness. The letter will be shared with all the board members with a CC to LFP and FNSt office.

C. Interim Structure

Status:

Since Abbas has joined Foreign Service, he resigns from the position as chair. The gap has to be filled..

Decisions:

1. Therefore, the board decides to form an interim structure till the AGM is held.
The structure until the AGM will be supervised by nominated individuals from 3 provinces. The House decided upon these names:
 - Rana Farhan Anwar – to act as President
 - Ross Mahtani– General Secretary, responsible for the smooth flow of information in FYG
 - Sanaullah / Zahoor – responsible for NWFP
 - Ms. Asiya Arif / Wajid Nawaz – responsible for Islamabad
 - Mr. Akhyar Habib / Mr. Zubair Warraich– responsible for Punjab
 - Mr Ubaid ur Rehman – responsible Sindh

D. LFP – FYG Matters

Status:

The meddlesomeness of LFP in FYG matters has affected the reputation of FYG and Pakistan on the international forums and undermined the position of FYG members on various occasions.

Decisions:

1. In terms of LFP's meddlesomeness in FYG matters it has been decided that FYG should be separated from LFP and exist as an independent organization. In lieu of the invitation from LFP board for a meeting on this specific matter, the final decision will be taken after the out come of the meeting and will be presented on the FYG AGM on May 11th for approval.

The date of the meeting of the two boards will be communicated by LFP until 28th of April, 2008.

Signed

Abbas Sarwar Qureshi
Abbas S. Qureshi

Akhyar Habib
Habib

Asiya Arif
Coordinator - FYG Gsb.
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26/4/08

General Secretary (NWFP)

Rana Farhan Anwar
26/4/08

Rana Farhan Anwar
(President FYG PAK)

Ross Mahitani
Ross Mahitani

Wajid Nawaz
26-04-08
(Islamabad)