



## RESOLUTION NO. 398

"On the International Day of Victims of Enforced Disappearance, the Senate of Pakistan:

1. Strongly condemns this abhorrent practice of Enforced Disappearance, which is a grave crime and violation of all human, constitutional political and civil rights;
2. Expresses solidarity with the families of missing persons and those who are victims of Enforced Disappearances;
3. Assures the families of all disappeared persons that the Senate of Pakistan will be their voice in ensuring justice, recovery and punishment to the perpetrators;
4. Urges the Government to immediately enact legislation to criminalize Enforced Disappearance so that it is part of the Pakistan Penal Code; and
- 5 Demands that the Government should join the international campaign to end Enforced Disappearances by ratifying by ratifying the international convention to protect all persons against enforced or involuntary disappearances."

Moved by Senator Mian Raza Rabbani on his own behalf and on behalf of Senators Syed shibli Faraz, Raja Muhammad Zafar-ul-Haq, Leader of the House, Sherry Rehman, Muhammad Usman Khan Kakar, Dr. Jerhanzeb Jamaldini, Hasil Khan Bizejo, Sitara Ayaz and Dr. Sikandar Mandhro.

Unanimously Passed by the Senate of Pakistan on Thursday, the 30<sup>th</sup> August, 2018.

