



RESOLUTION NO.21

"The Senate takes a very serious view of the statements against it by some of the members of the Ruling party and considers this to be an effort to bring the constitutionally elected Upper House into disrepute despite the fact that the law Minister of the Federal Government had assured on the floor of the Senate that the Government had no reservations whatsoever about the legitimacy of the Senate and that the Ruling party wants to create a climate of understanding and cooperation between the Government and the Senate.

The Senate views the statements made against the Upper House as a serious attempt to dismantle the constitutional structure of the country, which may lead to the de-stabilisation of the democratic process. The Senate irrespective of this attitude of the Government is committed to the protection of the constitutional organs of the country. The Senate will also continue its present policy of cooperation in respect of all matters that are in the best interest of the nation.

The Senate requests the Prime Minister, who is the Leader of the House in the Senate, to put an end to such statements against the Senate by some of the members of her party and expects the Government to defend, protect and uphold the Senate's dignity, status and image at all levels and on all forums."

Moved by Senator Mohammad Ali Khan, Passed by Majority on 27th July, 1989