



RESOLUTION NO. 597

“Recognizing the immense and enduring legacy of poet-philosopher and great thinker Dr. Allama Muhammad Iqbal, on his 148th birth anniversary and his pivotal role in awakening the spirit of Muslims of the Indian subcontinent.

Acknowledging him as the "Poet of the East" and the architect of the vision for a separate Muslim homeland in British India, a vision solidified in his 1930 Allahabad Address.

Affirming that his poetry, philosophy, and political thought continue to inspire the nation and its youth, embodying ideals of self-realization, the concept of KHUDI, unity, and courage, his intellectual legacy will continue to serve as a beacon of guidance for future generations.

Committed to upholding the principles of liberty, equality, and justice that were central to his vision.

The SENATE OF PAKISTAN hereby;

Resolves to honor the enduring contributions of Dr. Allama Muhammad Iqbal by promoting his philosophy in educational curricula and public discourse across the nation.

Calls upon all citizens, particularly the youth, to embrace Iqbal's message of self-belief, courage, and the pursuit of excellence to build a strong and prosperous Pakistan.

Urges a renewed commitment to the spirit of unity and brotherhood, as articulated in Iqbal's poetry, to overcome internal and external challenges and work for the collective progress of the nation and the Muslim world.

Encourages Government, Civil Society, and educational institutions to organize and support events, seminars, and cultural activities that reflect and celebrate the life and teachings of Dr. Allama Muhammad Iqbal.

Reaffirms the national resolve to work towards a just, humane, and progressive society based on the principles of freedom, dignity, and mutual respect, as envisioned by Iqbal.

Decides that the observance of Iqbal Day will be used not only as a day of remembrance but also as a day of active recommitment to the ideals that were powerfully articulated by Iqbal for the betterment of all humanity.”

Moved by Senator Sherry Rehman on her own behalf and on behalf of Senators Mohammad Ishaq Dar (Leader of the House), Amir Waliuddin Chishti, Kamran Murtaza, Haji Hidayatullah Khan, Syed Ali Zafar, Rana Sana Ullah Khan and Manzoor Ahmed Unanimously Passed by the House on Sunday, the 9th November, 2025.