

Media Coverage

Seminar on Population Strategies in Sindh

Attached is the print media coverage on our Seminar on Population Strategies in Sindh (January 8, 2011) at IoBM. The attached coverage is in the following newspapers with more to follow:

Regional Times (twice)

The Express Tribune

The Nation

Business Recorder (twice)

Financial Post (twice)

Daily News (twice)

Such electronic channels as AAJ TV, PTV and GEO News were also present in our Management Excellence Centre to cover to cover this occasion.

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**BUSINESS
RECORDER**

Karachi, Tuesday 11 January 2011, 6 Safar 1432

**IoBM holds
seminar**

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DAILY NEWS

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Streamlining population strategies

by Parvez Jamil

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He was giving his view at the Seminar on Population Strategies in Sindh: New developments under the 18th Amendment, jointly organized by the Centre for Studies in Sindh, Institute of Business Management (IoBM) and Rotary Fund for Population and Sustainable Development in Karachi on January 08.

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By Staff Reporter

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'Population welfare forum should be formed'

Speakers at seminar urge implementation of population-management plans

OUR CORRESPONDENT

KARACHI

The establishment of a Sindh Foundation for Population Activities was suggested by Dr Mehtab Karim, the senior fellow at George Mason University, Virginia and IoBM visiting professor. "Here all the stakeholders, for instance, the provincial government, NGOs, the private sector and key professionals could be assigned proper tasks under public-private partnership," he explained.

Dr Karim was speaking at an interactive seminar on "Population Strategies in Sindh, New Developments under the 18th Amendment" which was jointly organised by the Centre for Studies in Sindh, Institute of Business Management (IoBM) and the Rotary Fund for Population and Sustainable Development on Saturday.

"When it comes to the welfare of the people, population planning is one of the most important things that needs to

be formulated as early as possible," he said. Muslim countries like Iran and Bangladesh follow a population plan which helped them control their overgrowing population, he added. "If a population plan can work in other Muslim countries, I do not see why it cannot happen here."

A well-defined and formulated population plan needs to be implemented in Sindh, he said.

Also addressing the seminar, Sindh Assembly Speaker Nisar Khuhro said it is a challenge for our economists to address the fact that 10 million young people are unemployed which ultimately leads them to commit crime.

Speaking on population welfare, Khuhro said there are two major concerns: the overgrowing population and its care. "Infrastructure and facilities are available for the welfare of the public. Manpower is also there. What is lacking is the implementation." Vision, innovation and a commitment are needed, he added. "With a growing population comes the responsibility of maintaining law and order, which we are struggling with at the moment."

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The Nation

ON SUNDAY

Safar 4, 1432, Sunday, January 9, 2011

10m youth not contributing to economy: Khuhro

OUR STAFF REPORTER

KARACHI - Speaker Sindh Assembly Nisar Ahmed Khuhro has said that there were two concerns regarding population welfare and these problems pertained to controlling the population and caring for the population.

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Population strategies in Sindh

IoBM organising seminar on 8th

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This seminar is scheduled to be addressed by Nisar Khuhro, Speaker, Sindh Assembly, Dr. Mehtab S. Karim, Senior Fellow, George Mason University, USA and Visiting Professor, IoBM, Dr. Samrina Hashmi, Former General Secretary, Pakistan Medical Association, Dr. Qaiser Bengali, Advisor to Chief Minister Sindh for Planning and Development, Dr Farhan Essa Abdullah, Director Operations and Technical Services, Dr Ease's Lab and Diagnostic Centre, Talib Karim, Rector, IoBM, Rotarians: Dr. Ali Akhter and Irfan Qureshi.—PR

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Karachi – Thursday, January 6, 2011 – Safar 1, 1432

‘Seminar on new developments in Sindh on 8th’

FP Staff Report

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Besides representatives from the United Nations Food Program (UNFP) and USAID, there is expected to be pertinent Sindh Government participation from the Chief Secretary; Secretary Population Welfare, Secretary Women and Development, Secretary Health, Secretary Education, Secretary Finance, Additional Chief Secretary Planning and Development, Government of Sindh.

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By Pervaiz Jamil

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