

**Revised (Dated 08.07.2020)**

**PLAN OF "PLANT FOR PAKISTAN DAY"**

**TO BE INAUGURATED DURING LAST WEEK OF JULY 2020**

In compliance to the directions received from Ministry of Climate Change vide letter No F. No. 5(12)2019/AIGF dated 30.06.2020, following targets are fixed for Prime Minister of Pakistan Programme for "**Plant for Pakistan Day**" to be held in the last week of July, 2020 in the Punjab Province: -

- (a) Mass Plantation Ceremonies will be held at all Civil Divisions with the following targets: -

<b>Sr. No.</b>	<b>NAME OF CIVIL DIVISION</b>	<b>NO. OF PLANTS TO BE PLANTED FOR MASS PLANTATION</b>
1.	Lahore	2500
2.	Gujranwala	2500
3.	Faisalabad	2500
4.	Rawalpindi	2500
5.	Sargodha	2500
6.	Sahiwal	2500
7.	Multan	2500
8.	D.G. Khan	2500
9.	Bahawalpur	2500
	<b>Total</b>	<b>22500</b>

- (b) Likewise, on the same day tree plantations ceremonies will be held in all 27 Districts of Punjab with the total target of 27000 plants (1000 at each site).
- (c) A total of 244000 plants from the 244 distribution points / nurseries of Punjab Forest Department will be distributed free of cost on Plant for Pakistan Day (1000 from each distribution point).
- (d) A total of 100000 plants will be planted in irrigated plantations in Punjab. The plantation of 5000 No's of plants would be carried out through out the Punjab in irrigated plantations including; Changa Manga, Pipli Pahar (Okara), Shorkot (Jhang), Daphar (Mandi Bahaudin), Kamalia, Bhagat (Toba Tek Singh), Chichawatni, Dalwaryam (Pakpattan), Pirowal, Abbasia, Qasimwala (RY Khan), Machu (Layyah), Inayat (Layyah), Dhaman (Rajanpur), Lal

Sohanra Bahawalpur, Bahawalpur Plantation, Fateh Major (Bhakkar), Bhakkar Plantation, Kundian (Mianwali), Mittha Tiwana (Khushab),

- (e) A total of 25000 plants will be distributed to other Government Departments i.e. Educational Institutions, Health Institutions and other Government Departments. (As per demand received).
- (f) In total 418500 plants will be planted and distributed free of cost in Punjab on Plant for Pakistan day followed by Plantation week. Tabulated form is as under: -

<b>SR. NO.</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>NO. OF PLANTS</b>
1.	Mass Plantation in Civil Divisions Headquarters (2500 in each Civil Division)	22500
2.	Mass Plantation in Districts (1000 in each District)	27000
3.	Free Distribution from 244 distribution / sale points (1000 from each point)	244000
4.	Plantation in Govt. Forests (Irrigated Plantations)	100000
5.	Planting in other Government Departments	25000
	<b>Total</b>	<b>418500</b>

(g) **NEED OF THE URBAN FORESTRY**

- The increasing trend of inland migration from rural to urban areas is causing demographic changes in population settlements.
- This trend of population migration is the main cause of depletion of natural green resources as the precious agriculture land and forest areas are being converted into residential areas to meet the demand for urbanization.
- The urbanization activities have adversely affected the green cover in urban areas besides creating imbalance in the environment. Resultantly problems including global warming,

ozone depletion and pollution especially air and water are now become burning issues.

- SMOG in winter and high temperature in summer due to loss of tree cover is the major problem of all metropolitan cities in Pakistan.

### **METHODOLOGY TO BE ADOPTED FOR URBAN FORESTRY CAMPAIGN DURING MONSOON 2020**

- Urban Forestry campaign would be launched in-collaboration with PHA, Lahore.
- 30000 Nos. of healthy and sizeable indigenous earthen potted plants would be distributed in all towns of Lahore.
- Upto 4 Trees per CNIC would be provided.
- Wide publicity through electronic and print media would be carried out.
- General public, NGO's and other Govt. Departments would be involved in tree plantation activities.

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**PROPOSED TARGETS FOR MONSOON TREE  
PLANTATION CAMPAIGN 2020**

<b>Sr. No.</b>	<b>Name of Sector</b>	<b>Target (In Million)</b>
1	Government Forest	5.50
2	Other Govt. Department	1.25
3	Defence Department	2.25
4	Private Lands	28.00
<b>Total</b>		<b>37.00</b>

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