

18th Amendment and its Impact on Water Governance at the Federal and Provincial Levels

This lecture will attempt to identify elements of water related laws in Pakistani legislation. After introducing the federal nature of the Pakistani Constitutional system and the scope and impact of the devolution envisaged under the 18th Amendment, the lecture will discuss the role of water in the Constitution, and will focus on Federal and Provincial laws relating to water. The discussion will be in the backdrop of extended powers and jurisdictions conferred onto the provinces after the 18th Amendment.