

بِسْمِ اللَّهِ الرَّحْمَنِ الرَّحِيمِ

In the name of Allah, the Most Compassionate, the Most Merciful



LEGAL SYSTEM OF PAKISTAN

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COURSE OUTLINES

- ❖ Historical Background of the Legal System
- ❖ Parliament
- ❖ Provincial Assemblies
- ❖ Executive
- ❖ Prime Minister
- ❖ Chief Minister
- ❖ Governor



❖ **Judiciary**

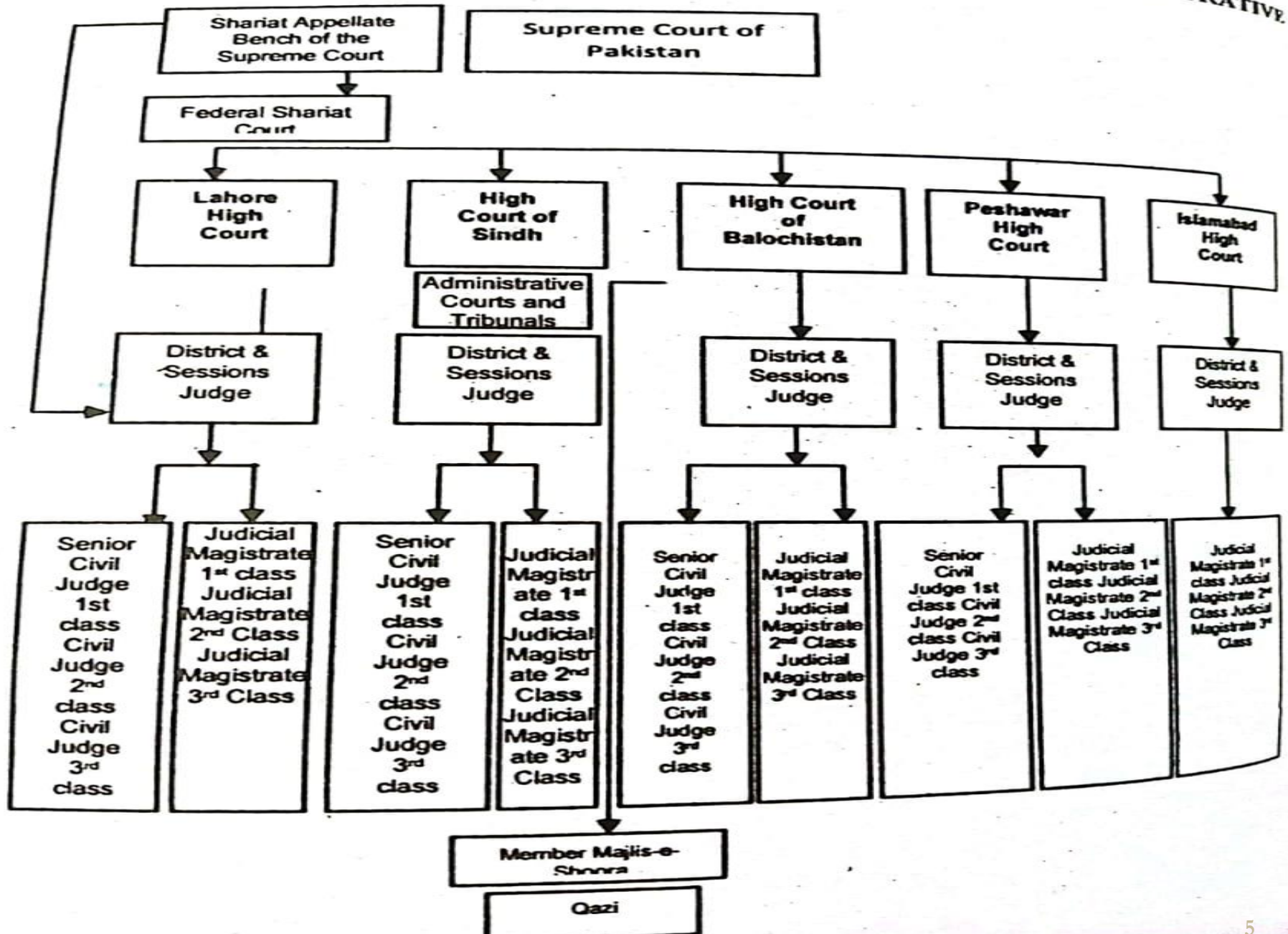
❖ **Civil and Criminal Justice Systems**

❖ Alternative Dispute Resolution

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**HISTORICAL
STRUCTURE****BACKGROUND**

AND

ADMINISTRATIVE





JUDICIARY

- ❖ Structure
- ❖ Appointment
- ❖ Jurisdiction

COURTS IN PAKISTAN

- ❖ **Supreme Court of Pakistan**
- ❖ **Federal Shariat Court of Pakistan**
- ❖ **High Court of Pakistan**
- ❖ **District and Session Judge**
- ❖ **Civil Judge and Judicial Magistrate**

SUPREME COURT OF PAKISTAN

- ❖ Apex of the Judicial system of Pakistan.
- ❖ Chief Justice of Pakistan and as many other judges
- ❖ 17th Judges in SC including Chief Justice of Pakistan

APPOINTMENT OF JUDGES

❖ The Chief Justice of Supreme Court is appointed by the President and the other judges are appointed by the President on the recommendation of Judicial Commission of Pakistan.

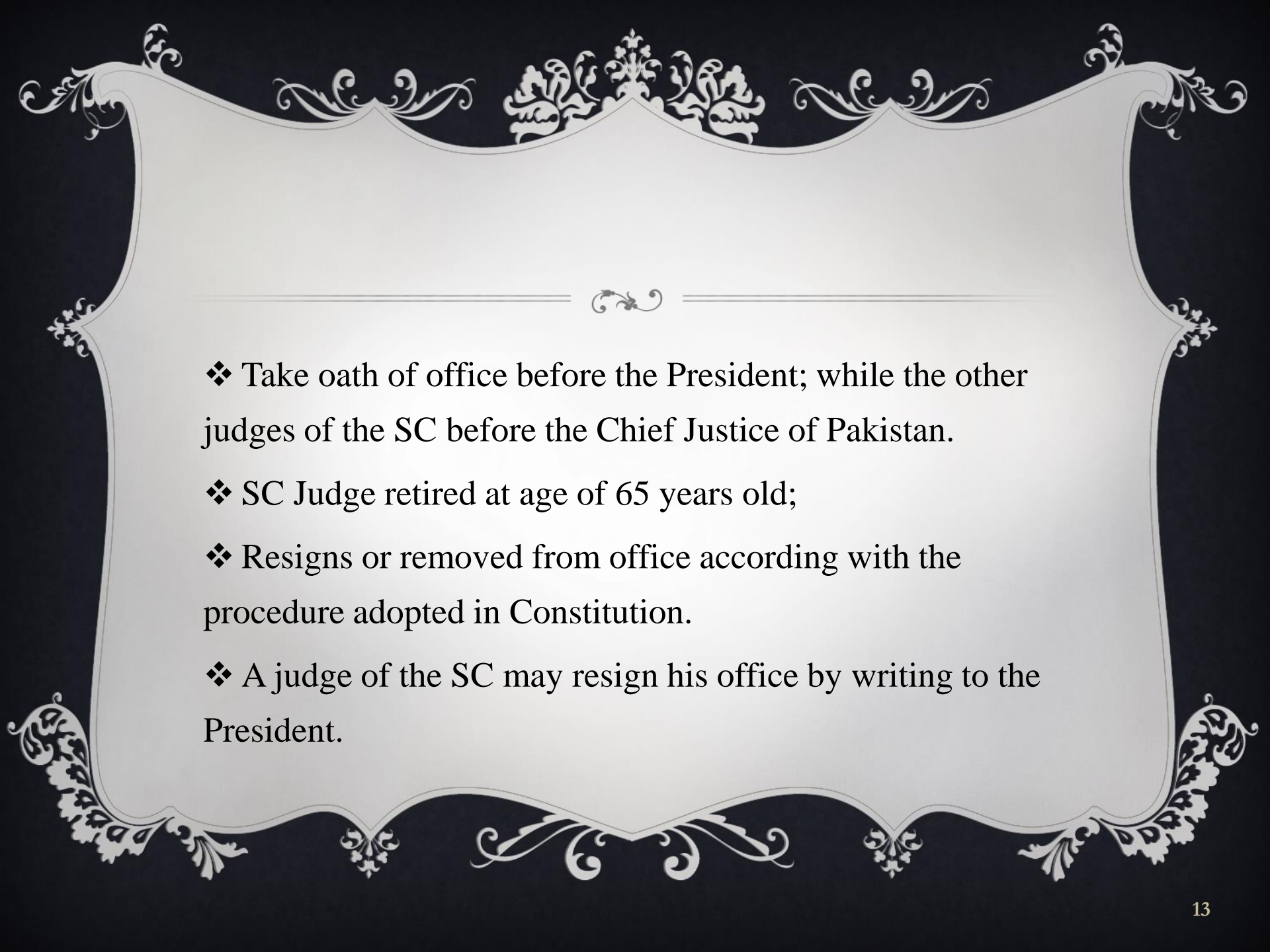


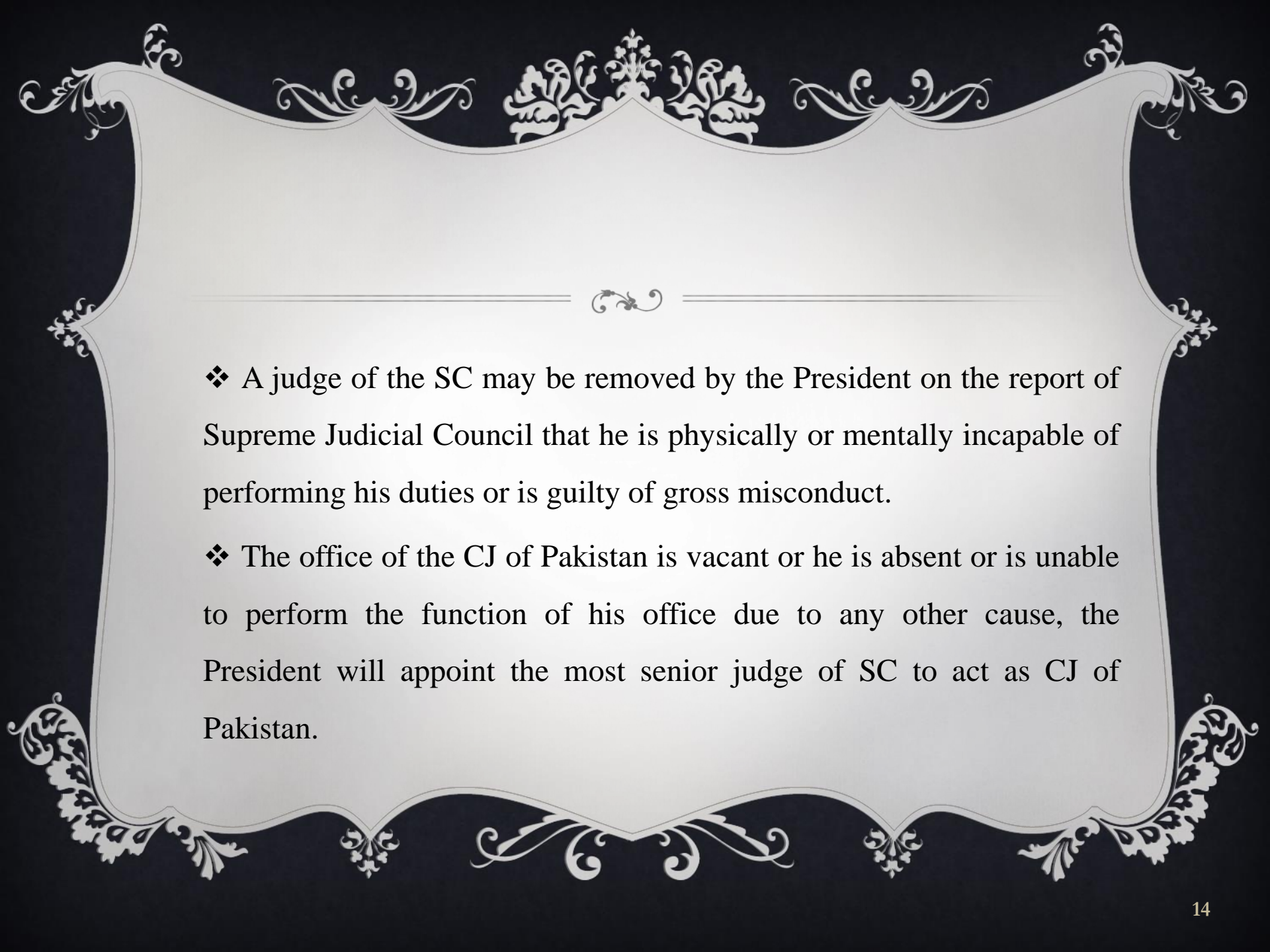
ARTICLE 175-A APPOINTMENT OF JUDGES OF SUPREME COURT

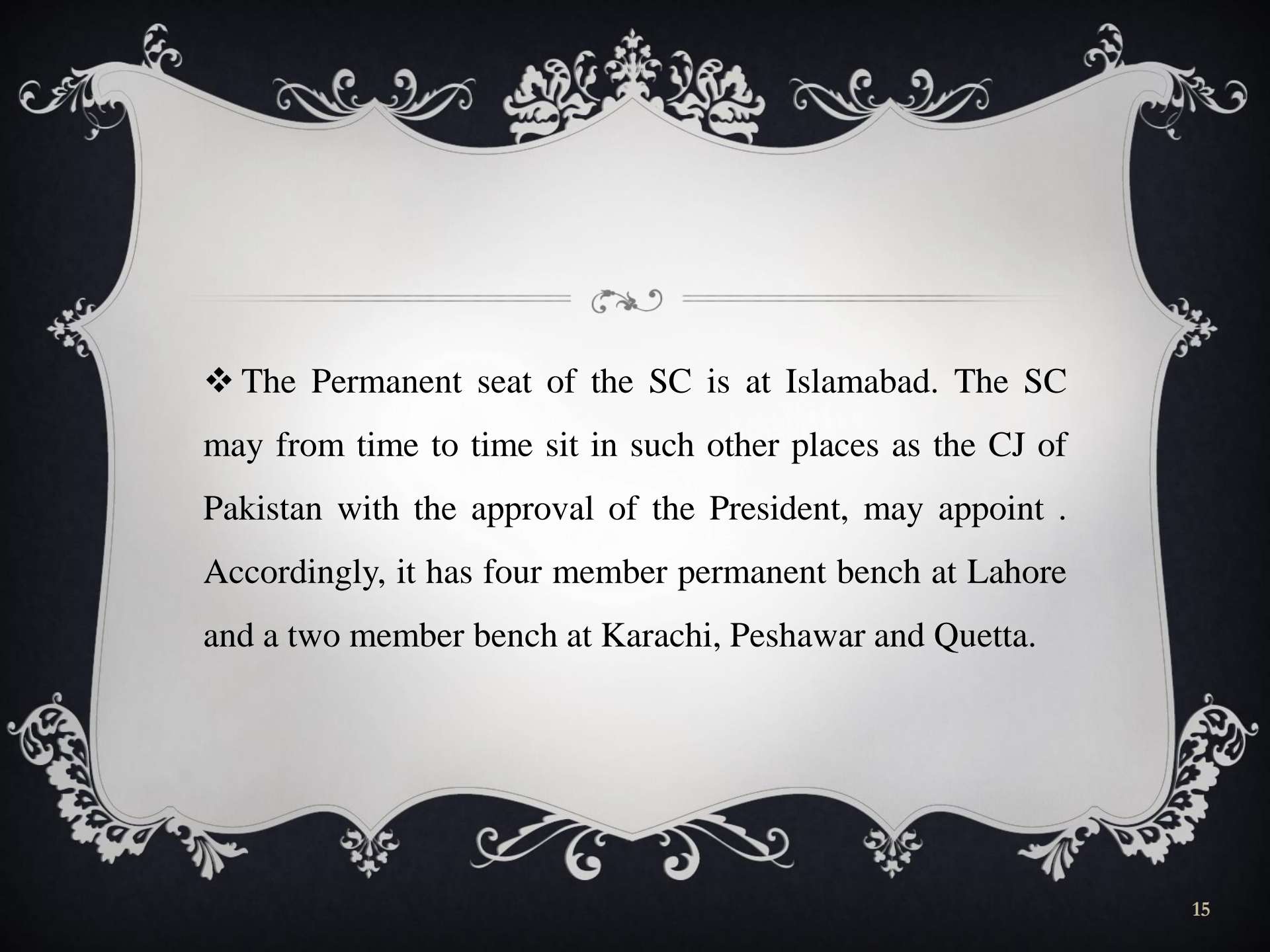
1.	Chief Justice of Pakistan	Chairman
2.	Four most senior Judges of SC	Members
3.	Former Chief Justice or a Former judge of the SC of Pakistan to be nominated by Chief Justice of Pakistan in consultation with the four member of Judges; for 02 Years	Member
4.	Federal Minister for Law and Justice	Member
5.	Attorney General for Pakistan	Member
6.	A senior Advocate of the Supreme Court of Pakistan Nominated by the Pakistan Bar Council (PBC) for a term of 02 Years	Member

QUALIFICATION

- ❖ A person is appointed as a Judge of the Supreme Court, if he is a citizen of Pakistan;
- ❖ At least 05 years a Judge of a High Court (HC)
or
- ❖ At least 15 years as advocate of High Court.

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- ❖ Take oath of office before the President; while the other judges of the SC before the Chief Justice of Pakistan.
 - ❖ SC Judge retired at age of 65 years old;
 - ❖ Resigns or removed from office according with the procedure adopted in Constitution.
 - ❖ A judge of the SC may resign his office by writing to the President.

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- ❖ A judge of the SC may be removed by the President on the report of Supreme Judicial Council that he is physically or mentally incapable of performing his duties or is guilty of gross misconduct.
- ❖ The office of the CJ of Pakistan is vacant or he is absent or is unable to perform the function of his office due to any other cause, the President will appoint the most senior judge of SC to act as CJ of Pakistan.



❖ The Permanent seat of the SC is at Islamabad. The SC may from time to time sit in such other places as the CJ of Pakistan with the approval of the President, may appoint . Accordingly, it has four member permanent bench at Lahore and a two member bench at Karachi, Peshawar and Quetta.

Thank you!



**ANY
QUESTIONS ?**

