

Prosecution is an important component of criminal justice system. **DG, FJA**

Prosecutors must be objective, fair for the fair administration of justice: **Fakhar Hayat**

Islamabad: The role of prosecutors assumes special significance in our criminal justice system. Since they are officers of the court, they must carry out their functions fairly, impartially and objectively.

Mr. Fakhar Hayat, Director General, expressed these views during the inaugural ceremony of a one-week training course on “Role of Prosecutors in Quick Disposal of Criminal Cases” for Prosecutors from all over Pakistan including National Accountability Bureau (NAB) and Pakistan Air Force (PAF) Officers at the Federal Judicial Academy, Islamabad on Monday.

Enlightening the participants about the criminal justice system he said, “The criminal justice system has four important components in Pakistan, namely, the Investigating Agency (Police), the Judiciary, the Prosecution Wing and the Prison and Correctional Services. Prosecution is indeed very important component, therefore, prosecutors seek to ensure that the criminal justice system operates as expeditiously as possible. Court decision is intimately bound up with the prosecution section’s overall function because it is one of the means of ensuring the application of the law and helping to make the system more effective and efficient. Keeping this fact in view, the Academy has arranged this capacity building one week training for you in which the relevant Officers of the Pakistan Air Force are also participating, among others.”

He also educated the audience about the mandate of the Academy in the wake of the emergence of the provincial judicial academies.

Thirty prosecutors are attending this one week training course.