

The Outcome of US Occupation of Afghanistan from Afghans' Perspective

The main question is that why ultimately the so-called war on terror in Afghanistan has resulted in peace negotiation between the US and Taliban?



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The people of Afghanistan can feel for years the sufferings beyond all bearing imposed on them during the occupation of their country after the 9/11 terror attacks. They can quantify the magnitude of escalation of terror groups for the last two decades under the presence of foreign forces and their dealings with extremist Islamic groups of Taliban, Haqqani and ISIS. As a result, thousands were killed, maimed and fled the country. The same terrible conspiracy is going on for an unknown period. An estimated of three people have become drug addicted which is disastrous in the short and long term. Poverty and starvation, unemployment, discord and destitute, abduction and corruption in the overall government and non-government organisations are far beyond imagination. Poverty and starvation killings of thousands of civilian populations, drug addiction, and insecurity have enhanced significantly.

When the terror group of Taliban was toppled down from power, they were soon replaced by a bond of Mafia in the name of election and democracy. The western nations and Pakistani made the mafia in a similar fashion to the one in India in 18th century. The Mafia are organised crime syndicate whose primary activities are protection racketeering, arbitrating disputes between criminals, brokering and enforcing illegal agreements and transactions inside and outside the government hierarchy. Mafias often engage in secondary activities such as organising suicide attacks, explosions, loan sharking, drug-trafficking, prostitution, fraud and dealing with the most notorious criminal gangs for being in power. It has been masterminded according to eyewitness and undeniable evidence in Kabul palace.

Billions of dollars from the American taxpayers were poured in cash to establish the Mafia bond in Afghanistan. Exactly in the same way, the Rajas in India were promoted and strengthened by the English East India Company. Formally that Company formed for the exploitation of trade with East and Southeast Asia and India. The Company involved in politics and acted as an agent of British imperialism in India from the early 18th century to the mid-19th century.

Similarly, at present, the terror groups are acting as agents of multinational cooperation in the Middle East as a whole and in Afghanistan in particular. Currently Taliban and ISIS as a by-product of the terror groups of Al-Qaeda organisation are being used as regional terror groups. They are acting for the purpose which they have initially been created, financed and directed for realisation of short and medium term strategic objectives of Pakistan, Britain, USA and Saudi Arabia. They are neither concerned in their double dealing with Taliban nor in siding with criminals who have committed crime against humanity in the past forty years. Because of which many people in Afghanistan fell victims and annihilated one way or another.

The overwhelming majority of the people of Afghanistan have been witness of chaos, agitation and helplessness inside and outside their homeland since the Bonn conference 2001. Zalmay Khalilzad, the especial envoy of the White House in the affairs of Afghanistan, since the start of his mission until the so called peace negotiation with the Taliban has been providing misleading information and advice to the White House in relation to the installation of Karzai and Ashraf Ghani in power. His advice is based on his tribal affiliation in favour of Ghilzai Pashtun only, ignoring the multiethnic nation of Afghanistan. That is the main reason of the on-going turbulence in the caldron of Afghanistan. It is time to assess the blunder committed by various sides including foreigners to find out the real cause of the current mess and ongoing crises in Afghanistan under occupation of foreign troops. The outcome of the American military presence in Afghanistan could be seen in three millions drug addicts, suicidal explosions, bombings, conspiracy, exclusion of patriotic forces and sidelining experienced and skilled people denying their access to participate in nation building activities, and various prejudice and discrimination dominantly practised in the current government. This is especially the case with those who are against the sold out lackeys of Pakistan and its agents.

The Americans generous financial aids in cash was channelled by Ashraf Ghani, who was acting as a chief coordinator of all foreign aids. The money has been distributed, according to the unbiased Afghan and foreign political analysts, to terror groups, being generated in the incubators of ISI in Pakistan such as Taliban, Hizbe Islamic of Gulbuddin Hekmatyar, named as the butcher of Kabul, who bombarded the Kabul city during the conflict among various factions of Mujahidin. Consequently, 100 thousand people were only killed, maimed and mentally damaged in Kabul city in the early 90s. At present, Hekmatyar is enjoying a luxurious life from the US aid given to the illegitimate regime of Kabul.

The corrupt regime of Ghani manipulates to be involved in peace negotiation with Taliban to stay himself in power; since it is observed that Ashraf Ghani is being sidelined from the peace process with the Taliban. He continuously endeavours to create artificial crises to disturb the peace process with Taliban, abusing the illegitimate power that he is currently holding.

He cunningly blames Hamid Karzai for all the mismanagement, while he has been working as a shadow president with enormous financial power in the Karzai government. He is also accused of being a staunch supporter of terror groups such as Haqqani criminal gang, being responsible for numerous fatal attacks and bomb explosions death and unrest in Kabul. Ashraf Ghani just to stick in power is trying to keep the situation inflamed through creating crises here and there and everywhere.

Many analysts believe continuation of unrest has been primarily for justification of foreign forces to stay longer in Afghanistan for implementation of their long-term goals. Whatever the motivation may be, according to political analysts, the people of Afghanistan have been paying a heavy price for the conspiracies engineered behind closed doors.

The Americans paid billion dollars to Mr Ghani. He has been using the money, under the pretext of peace and reconciliation, to embrace the most notorious criminals like Hekmatyar and his associates for the sake of strengthening his gang, based on tribal affiliation. As a result, the American taxpayers are being used to provoke the hatred of the people of Afghanistan against the United States of America.

Therefore, if not deliberately instructed by Americans, Ashraf Ghani is one of the major causes of American failure and defamation in Afghanistan, providing wrong information to the people of Afghanistan and to foreign allies. We, the people of Afghanistan, in a single voice call upon the US Administration to reconsider assisting the team of Ashraf Ghani and Karzai and to protect the people of Afghanistan, especially those who are vulnerable innocent civilians from the upsurge of suicidal terror attacks masterminded in Pakistan and implemented by its sold- out agents in the National Terror Government in Kabul. The people of Afghanistan need more than ever before to set aside their discord and disunity instilled and propagated by the notorious establishment of the Pakistani military intelligence agency as well as the corrupt circle of mafias inside the Kabul palace. Pakistan has been actively engaged, prior to the then USSR troop presence in Afghanistan in destruction of our country.

Pakistan has a strategy to annihilate the people of Afghanistan to plunder all its natural resources. The only possible way to save Afghanistan from this on-going calamity could be people's unity. That will pave the ground to clean up the country from the agents of Pakistan. In this process of ongoing unrest many sides in the affairs of this country are involved.

Zalmai Khalilzad a retired Afghan American who is desperately trying to portray himself as an important person, however, now the people of Afghanistan recognise him as a person who has tendency to his own clan people. The whole current mess-up and crises in Afghanistan are considered as a direct outcome of his incompetency which our people are paying for it in various shapes and forms.

Based on reports from authentic sources the so-called War on Terror in Afghanistan and in the region was a comprehensive project designed for achievement of various short and long term strategic objectives. We can look at the outcome of this project from financial and human loss perspectives it is not possible in short article to illustrate the true picture of this project. We have to rely on the reports published by Brown University on the cost of War Project. The US Government claims that it has spent \$2 Trillion on this project since 9/11 in Afghanistan as part of its wider antiterrorist project in the Middle East. However, after 18 years we can observe that Taliban are regaining power steadily. According to a report by Jessica Corbett (13th November 2019 – Common Dreams) the total costs of this War Project, which has so far resulted in murdering 3.1 million people, excluding around 15,500 US soldiers and personnel, count for \$6.4 Trillion dollars in total. In other words, the total death during the post-2001 US wars in Afghanistan, Iraq, Syria, Pakistan and Yemen has reached over 3.1 million.

Also according to a report by Michael R. Gordon and Jessica Donati (27th December 2019 – The Wall Street Journal) “major U.S. and international contractors involved in Afghanistan reconstruction projects allegedly paid the Taliban for protection, providing the insurgency with money that was used to attack and kill U.S. troops, according to a lawsuit filed in federal court on Friday.” Undoubtedly, in this conspiracy the puppet regime in Afghanistan has been actively involved. Based on eye-witness reports from captured Afghan soldiers’ times and again it has been confirmed that the top Afghan military personnel are also engaged in this plot which is considered as a crime by the US Federal Anti-Terrorism Act. Mathew S Schwarts stated 28th December 2009 (n p r): “it's illegal under the federal Anti-Terrorism Act to provide material support to the Taliban. The U.S. has warned defense contractors that protection payments are against the law”.

Considering the outcome of this US War Project and the scale of human loss it can be concluded that this project represents war crimes, crimes against humanity, genocide, and ethnic cleansing. The main question is that why ultimately the so-called war on terror in Afghanistan has resulted in peace negotiation between the US and Taliban? This is the question that the US taxpayers and the families of those US personnel who lost their lives in this War Project can put to their Federal Government.

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