

# **A Glance Over Peace Negotiation With Taliban: New Phase of the Same Game**

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The people of Afghanistan got puzzled over the way the so-called peace agreement was signed by two puppet tribal Pashtuns, Mullah Abdul Ghani Brother the Deputy Head of the Taliban and Zalmay Khalilzad, the Head of the U.S. Occupation Authorities Delegation. However, such an agreement must have been signed by the U.S. Foreign Secretary and the Head of the Pakistani Government which is the major supporter for Taliban.

The continuation of discussions about a permanent peace in Afghanistan sounds like just a game which has been carried out since the start of its occupation for almost two decades. Therefore, the old fashioned term known as the “Great Game” in Afghanistan, cannot be any longer covered behind the thick dark clouds of ambiguity. According to well-informed political analysts today, even a layman realise that USA has been playing a double standard policy for achieving its strategic planning and interest in installing and supporting a mercenary regime at the cost of gradual annihilation of the people of Afghanistan. Negotiations with the terror groups of Taliban and installation of an illegitimate regime for the second round in the name of election and democracy exposes the true policy of USA to the people of Afghanistan, denying them in determining their own destiny. This policy will not be tolerated any longer and will ultimately end up in a nationwide uprising against the occupation forces.

The puppet regime of the U.S. in Kabul installing Ashraf Ghani as the illegitimate President through rigging and fraud cannot be imposed by occupying force on the people of Afghanistan. It cannot represent even 5% of the total population of Afghanistan. Farsighted political analysts times and again unfolded accurately and spot on the map the ongoing American game in the four last decades as an outcome of the current situation in Afghanistan. Their perspectives raised in their pedantic

analysis will not be easily the focus of everyone's attention. However, their views reflect the true picture of the orchestrated crises and unabated violence.

The so-called peace negotiation of American "Occupation Authorities" with the Taliban, the criminal terror mercenaries and proxies of Pakistan, USA, Saudi Arabia and Britain is nothing, but the new phase of American game machinated to prolong their presence and occupation in the name of peace agreement with Taliban aired with hollow propaganda.

In this game, ambiguous vocabularies and terminologies with multiple interpretations are being used such as:

The so-called "Agreement for Bringing Peace to Afghanistan between the Islamic Emirate of Afghanistan which is not recognised (yet) by the United States of America signed on February 29, 2020 in Doha, Qatar mentions the following:

*A.*

- 1) They will reduce the number of U.S. forces in Afghanistan to 8600 in 135 days and proportionally bring reduction in the number of its allies and coalition forces.*

*As stated by President Trump in his last trip to Bagram U.S. military base in Kabul, the reduction in the number of forces to 8600 well-equipped by advanced military technology and extensive espionage network will be sufficient to control the whole national troops and its puppet regime. The U.S. administration will never be concerned how many people in Afghanistan are being killed, maimed and become physically and mentally disabled every day.*

- 2) The United States, its allies and the Coalition forces will withdraw all their forces from five military bases.*

*The names of the five U.S. military bases in Afghanistan have not been specified for some reasons.*

*B.*

- 1) The United States, its allies, and the Coalition will complete withdrawal of all remaining forces from Afghanistan within the remaining nine and half (9.5) months.*

2) *The United States, its allies, and the Coalition will withdraw all their forces from remaining bases.”*

Which other particular remaining bases are considered in this item? It sounds a bit vague. It seems that after the complete withdrawal of the occupying forces there will not be any U.S. military basis in Afghanistan. This agreement paves the way to the full control of this country under the leadership of the Taliban. Moreover, this agreement reveals that the U.S. Occupation Authorities are smoothing the path for Taliban to rule Afghanistan after U.S., its allies and coalition military complete withdrawal. This policy indicates that the U.S. government will surrender the complete rule of Afghanistan to the Taliban. The people of Afghanistan are now thinking why they have been given false impression of nation-building, democracy, rehabilitation of their war-torn country, with the presence of well-equipped occupying combat forces of the U.S., its allies and coalition. After long suffering, great loss and devastation of their country the destination of the people of Afghanistan has been put back to the disposal of terrorists Taliban.

The main question that every citizen of Afghanistan is asking is that “why our destiny has been put in the hands of the Taliban by the U.S. Occupation Authorities after two decades of devastation, sufferings and human losses?”

C. *“The United States is committed to start immediately to work with all relevant sides on a plan to expeditiously release combat and political prisoners as a confidence building measure with the coordination and approval of all relevant sides. Up to (5000) prisoners of Taliban and 1000 of other sides will be released by March 10, 2020 the first day of intra-Afghan negotiations. The released prisoners will be committed not to pose a threat to the security of the United States and its allies.”*

Which relevant sides? The relevant sides should be the people of Afghanistan who have been the victim in the terrorist and suicidal operation of Taliban. The losses of occupation forces are insignificant in comparison with the Afghan army and civilians.

This agreement also prevails that the U.S. Occupation Authorities are only concerned about their own benefits and long term interests in Afghanistan and its surrounding

regions, without mentioning and expressing concern about the future of Afghanistan and its people.

*D. “With the start of the intra-Afghan negotiations, the United States will initiate an administrative review of current U.S. sanctions and the rewards list against Taliban as a goal of removing these sanctions by August 27, 2020 corresponding to Saunbula 6, 1399 HS.”*

The intra-Afghan representatives are not known. Will they (intra-Afghan representatives) be composed of the representatives of the current illegitimate and puppet regime in Kabul, or the other major opposition groups and the true representatives of the people of Afghanistan as well?

Availing this unclear point has provided the opportunity for the Ghani sides to misinterpret and manipulate this term in order to exclude their opponents from the process of negotiation with the Taliban. This unclear sentence in this item of the so-called peace agreement has provided the opportunity for Ashraf Ghani to abuse the situation in his own interest which will undeniably lead to a new phase of devastating conflict in Afghanistan.

*E. “With the start of intra-Afghan negotiations, the United States will start diplomatic engagement with other members of the United Nations Security Council and Afghanistan to remove Taliban from the sanctions list with the aim of achieving this objective by May 29, 2020.”*

Which objective? What side does intra-Afghanistan mean: the Taliban, the representatives of the people of Afghanistan, the opposition groups, or the illegitimate current regime in Kabul backed by the occupying forces?

What does Afghanistan mean: the true representatives of the people of Afghanistan who are absent in these so-called peace negotiations; the opposition groups; the illegitimate regime led by Ashraf Ghani; or the representatives of these three sides?

Currently, Afghanistan does not have a legitimate independent government to represent its territorial integrity, people, national sovereignty and interests. That is why

the term Afghanistan in this item of the so-called peace agreement is subject to interpretation and manipulation by the present puppet regime of Washington in Kabul. The agreement between USA and Taliban in its item number 4 mentions:

*“The Islamic Emirate of Afghanistan which is not recognised by the United States and is known as the Taliban is committed to deal with those seeking asylum or residence in Afghanistan according to international migration law and the commitments of this agreement, so that such persons do not pose a threat to the security of the United States and its allies.”*

This item is implied distinctly recognition of Taliban as a legitimate government. Seeking asylum indicates that the Taliban are recognised as a sovereign state: Islamic Emirate of Afghanistan. It is the obligation of a sovereign state recognised by the United Nations, to implement the International Migration Law, but not the obligation of a terrorist organisation such as the Taliban calling themselves the Islamic Emirate of Afghanistan. However, in this agreement it is times and again repeated that the United States does not recognise The Islamic Emirate of Afghanistan. Contrarily to this claim the agreement states that “The Islamic Emirate of Afghanistan which is not recognised by the United States and is known as the Taliban is committed to deal with those seeking asylum or residence in Afghanistan according to international migration law and the commitments of this agreement, so that such persons do not pose a threat to the security of the United States and its allies”. It seems that behind the scene the United States has already recognised the Taliban as the legitimate future government of Afghanistan.

In item five it mentions: The Islamic Emirate of Afghanistan which is not recognised by the United States as a state and is known as the Taliban will not provide visa, passports or travel permits, or other legal documents to those who pose a threat to the security of the United States and its allies to enter Afghanistan.

In this item indirectly Taliban has been recognised as a sovereign state of the Islamic Emirate of Afghanistan. Otherwise, how can a group known as Taliban can issue visa, passport etc. This item clearly stands as evidence that the U.S. Occupation Authorities are imposing Taliban as a legitimate government of Afghanistan and paving the way

for their return to power which undermines the national sovereignty of the people of Afghanistan.

In part three of the peace agreement we read:

*1. "The United States will request the recognition and endorsement of the United Nations Security Council (UNSC) for this agreement."*

The legitimacy of the Taliban will be recognised by the UNSC officially, they can claim to send subsequently their representatives to the UN and can claim the right to appoint their ambassadors abroad. It is absolutely preposterous that the United States of America tries to legitimise the Taliban as the rightful government of Afghanistan through the United Nations Security Council.

**Article 51 of the UN Charter states:**

*"Nothing in the present Charter shall impair the inherent right of individual or collective self-defence if an armed attack occurs against a Member of the United Nations, until the Security Council has taken measures necessary to maintain international peace and security. Measures taken by Members in the exercise of this right of self-defence shall be immediately reported to the Security Council and shall not in any way affect the authority and responsibility of the Security Council under the present Charter to take at any time such action as it deems necessary in order to maintain or restore international peace and security."*

If Afghanistan is considered as a legitimate member of the United Nations, then why the United States of America interferes in its internal affairs and tries to impose Taliban on Afghanistan while the UNSC approved the right for the U.S. military to occupy Afghanistan under Article 51 of the UN Charter after 9/11 attacks?

Also it is essential to state that the UN has repeatedly reported that Taliban have committed war crimes, crimes against humanity, harboured international terrorist organisations, war crimes, genocides, ethnic cleansing against Hazara, Uzbek and Tajik ethnic groups. Based on the reports of the Amnesty International Organisation, Taliban committed serious crimes against Afghan women by stoning them to death in public places, destroying infrastructures including public buildings, electric poles, schools, banks, hospitals and places of worships and so on. The Taliban have killed

Afghan children, women and elderly people through their suicide bombers, attacking, kidnapping and beheading innocent civilians. How can the United States of America, its allies, coalition, and the UNSC dare to pave the way for recognition of these terrorists as so-called pioneer of peace and the legitimate government of Afghanistan, while the entire nation of Afghanistan is suspicious of the outcome of this so-called peace agreement?

The peace agreement further states:

2. *“The United States and the Islamic Emirate of Afghanistan which is not recognised by the United States as a state and is known as the Taliban seek positive relations with each other and expect that the relations between the United States and the new post-settlement Afghan Islamic State government as committed by the intra-Afghan dialogue and negotiation, and will not intervene in its internal affairs.”*

Based on this item an interim government will be founded in which only one ethnic group will dominantly have presence and influence. That will not be acceptable by the majority citizens of Afghanistan and inevitably initiate internal conflict as a new phase of war in the country. Therefore, this agreement will not guarantee peace and security. The so-called peace agreement and negotiations led by the United States have taken place between intra-tribal rivals with the same ethnicity and linguistic affiliation. This strategic policy has been engineered based on the recommendation of Pakistan and ISI in an attempt to exclude the majority of population of Afghanistan who have been defending their country against all terror groups.

Similarly, there are many contradictory points in the so-called peace agreement between Taliban and the USA as compared to the announcement the Kabul regime made on 29<sup>th</sup> February 2020 in the presence of the U.S. Defence Secretary and NATO representative in Dari language. The terms used by the USA in the so-called peace agreement with Taliban and the terms used in Dari version by the Washington puppet regime in Kabul announced are totally inconsistent and contradictory. In the so-called peace agreement between the U.S. and Taliban, the name of the current regime in Kabul has not been mentioned. As an example, it needs to be pointed out that in part three, item C it states: *“Up to five thousand (5000) prisoners of the Islamic Emirate of Afghanistan which is not recognised by the United States and is known as*

*the Taliban and up to one thousand (1000) prisoners of the other side will be released by March 10, 2020 the first day of intra-Afghan negotiations”!*

In this item, it is unclear what does the other side represent?

That is why today Ashraf Ghani announced that he is not obliged to release the five thousand Taliban terrorist prisoners.

Taliban do not recognise the Kabul government and consider it as a puppet of USA. They will not negotiate with Ghani until the fulfilment of the agreement and its relevant commitments by the United States of America.

Does the Taliban agree and show preparedness to reduce the magnitude of violence and agree to the terms and condition mentioned in Kabul regime announcement?

Obviously never!

Therefore, simply it can be concluded that the war will continue in Afghanistan. The ISIS and all other terrorist groups will be actively appearing and get engaged in fighting in a new phase and fashion.

As some Afghan political analysts are pointing out, USA deliberately create hotbeds here and there to carry on the crises and to monitor the war. That is the way being used for justification of establishing a permanent military base and continuation for occupation. It demonstrates a policy of gradual but systematic attrition to wipe out every signs of resistance and to hinder the unity and solidarity of free loving people of Afghanistan. Fanning the old policy of “divide and rule” through spreading discord and enmity among the people of Afghanistan as well as engineering conspiracy to eliminate our national and patriotic personalities. All being played out as part of the game.

What does American active involvement mean in the recent presidential election to install the corrupt regime of Ashraf Ghani, like his predecessor Hamid Karzai? Why

did the U.S. and its allies spend millions of dollars in the so-called presidential election in Afghanistan, while millions of our people are living in poverty and starvation?

Who has been a staunch supporter of Taliban based on lingo-ethnic tendency: the corrupt and illegitimate regimes of Karzai and Ghani?

What is the interest of USA in the fraudulent election in Afghanistan by spending millions of dollars from the pocket of American tax payers?

Why a broad based government has not been established yet with the participation of national personalities from various layers of society?

The above and other sensitive questions need to be touched upon and to be responded properly.

Undoubtedly, in an orchestrated conspiracy people like Khalilzad, Karzai, Ghani and the heads of Taliban terrorists are all involved with the same agenda. These people with a common tribal affiliation are all united behind the scene, striving for continuation of their tribal leadership as in the past in Afghanistan. Reliable evidence and their attitude, demonstrate that most of them are alleged active proxies of Freemasonry lodges with multiples roles which most people Afghanistan are well aware of their activities.

What would be a reasonable and appropriate action to be taken by the people of Afghanistan at this critical juncture, considering the long term conspiracy masterminded by the occupied forces?

I believe it is the duty of all freedom-loving and independent national figures and all ethnic leaders and political elites in Afghanistan to get united against the ruling of the new generation of terrorist tribal leaders who are knowingly and unknowingly engaged in further devastation of our country and eradication of our national identity with the direct political financial and military assistance of the occupation forces particularly for the last two decades.

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