

**‘Govt agreed to devaluing rupee to Rs150 a dollar’**

SUKKUR: Senior PPP leader Syed Khursheed Shah has said the PTI government is bent upon creating miseries for the people in different ways and remains indifferent to their plight.

Talking to the media at the Sukkur Press Club on Thursday, Khursheed Shah said the Imran Khan-led government has given a commitment to the IMF to devalue the currency to the level of Rs150 to a dollar. He said this will unleash an aggravated economic crisis with far-reaching consequences for the people and the country. The rate of gold has also gone up, stocks are plunging and the economy is in a downward spiral, he said while adding it is all due to the incompetency of the finance minister and his team. Khursheed said the PTI government has no concern with the tsunami of price hike and unemployment. He said what kind of government or political leadership is the PTI that keeps the nation on the edge by telling them that the misery will continue for another two years.

Khursheed Shah said the entire opposition, including Asif Ali Zardari, Bilawal Bhutto and Shahbaz Sharif, are prepared to talk with government over the economic issues and it is high time the PTI leadership takes the parliament into confidence to address the systemic economic issues and find a way out.

On India, the government is split in two camps; one says the Modi will win election and the other says the Indian prime minister will attack Pakistan. Questioning the wisdom of the FM for making a statement of impending war, he said such unwise remarks hurt economy and scare away investment.

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