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The Prime Minister's National Innovation Awards ceremony took place today at the Prime Minister's Office, with the honorable presence of Prime Minister Muhammad Shehbaz Sharif. This grand event served as a momentous platform to recognize and reward the exceptional talents of our nation's youth.

Prime Minister Muhammad Shehbaz Sharif says the future of Pakistan is safe in the hands of talented youth by excelling in different sectors through their innovative ideas.

He was addressing the Prime Minister's National Innovation Awards ceremony held under the aegis of Prime Minister's Youth Programme in Islamabad on Monday.

The Prime Minister said the entire nation is proud of its talented youth who are showing their innovative skills in different sectors including Bio-fuel, automobile, traffic lights and Information Technology.

He said currently Pakistan is passing through difficult economic challenges, but with the help of Almighty Allah and hard work of the youth, we will be able to come out of these challenges.

He expressed the resolve that the government while utilizing the potential and talent of the youth will change the destiny of Pakistan.

The Prime Minister said also emphasized on a minimum common agenda, including foreign and economic policies, to steer the country out of existing challenges. He said we have also to agree on a national agenda to put Pakistan on path of development and prosperity.

On the occasion, the Prime Minister distributed awards and a cash reward of one million rupees each among top ten of the 250 high-achievers in various sectors.

Earlier, addressing the ceremony, Special Assistant to Prime Minister on Youth Affairs, Shaza Fatima Khawaja said the government has disbursed 30 billion rupees under Prime Minister's Business Loan Scheme among the talented youth during the past five months.

She said the Prime Minister's Youth Programme was launched in 2013 under which thousands of youth are being benefitted. She said the government has distributed free of cost laptops to one million deserving and talented youth across the country.

Shaza Fatima Khawaja said the IT industry can put Pakistan on path of development. She said youth are our real asset and investment on them is the real investment for bright future of the country.