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GOVT COMMITTED TO ERADICATE POVERTY: MARVI

HUNZA: Minister of State and Chairperson Benazir Income Support Program (BISP), MNA Marvi Memon has said that government is taking all possible steps to eradicate poverty and unemployment from the country.

During her visit to district Hunza on Friday, she renewed her resolve to empower women financially through BISP and urged swift procedure of issuing the debit cards to the beneficiaries.



She said that the BISP program is not limited for any area and party but people across the country can get benefit from it.

Chairperson directed the BISP officials to make the provision of debit cards easy, fair and transparent, besides requesting the PML-N local leadership to help needy women for the issuance of National Identity Cards so that they could be benefitted through the program.

She said that Prime Minister Nawaz Sharif has directed special initiatives for development of Gilgit-Baltistan adding that he (Prime Minister) will announce a package for the area during his visit. She said that Prime Minister visit to Gilgit Baltistan will open new vistas of prosperity in the region.

Chairperson said that steps are being taken to make the BISP programme more oriented and transparent.

She further said that a transparent procedure will be adopted in the distribution of BISP cards and strict action will be taken in case of any complaint.