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DEMOCRACY

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BACKGROUND (PREVIOUS CHAPTER)

- Some stories related with Democracy
- Difference – Democratic and Non-Democratic
- This Chapter – what is Democracy? And its features.
- After that we can distinguish – Democratic and Non-Democratic Country
- Democracy – is the most prevalent form of Government and expanding more countries.
- What are the reasons behind this?

MAJOR ASPECTS

- Where did the word democracy originate?
- What is Democracy? –Meaning and Definition.
- Features of Democracy
- Merits and Demerits of Democracy
- Difference between Democratic and Non-Democratic form government.
- Democracy – Direct & Indirect Democracy

CASE STUDIES ABOUT DIFFERENT NATIONS.

- Myanmar - Army rule
- Chile - Pinochet
- Nepal & Saudi-Monarchy
- Pakistan - Military (Parvez Musharraf)
- Poland & Iraq - USSR & USA (external)
- China - Communist party (One Party)
- Mexico - PRI (Insti – Revo-party)
- Zimbabwe - Mugabe (president)

FROM WHERE THE WORD DEMOCRACY IS DERIVED

- The word democracy is derived from the Greek word
 - Demos - People
 - Kratos - Power of rule

DIRECT DEMOCRACY

- It is a political setup, where the people themselves makes the laws and parliament directly in the functioning of the govt.
- Decisions are taken on the base of the majority of opinion.
- It is suitable for the geographically small countries with less population.
- Eg : Ancient Greek / Rome and India
- Modern period - Switzerland

IN DIRECT DEMOCRACY

- In the modern world most of the countries are following the in direct democracy.
- It is system, in which the representatives are elected by the people, and they act on behalf of the people.
- They are so sensitive to cater the needs and opinion of the people.
- Eg; India / France / USA