

# HIS5B08 HISTORY OF MEDIEVAL INDIA

MODULE-1

TOPIC- DELHI SULTANATE SULTANATE ADMINISTRATION

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- ▶ **First Muslim Invasion**

Mohammad Bin Qasim's Invasion (712 AD)

- ▶ **First Turk Invasion-**

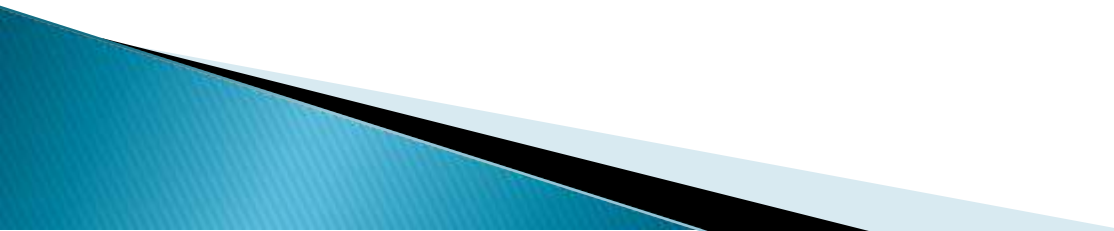
- ▶ **Mahmud Ghaznavi's Invasion 998-1030 AD**

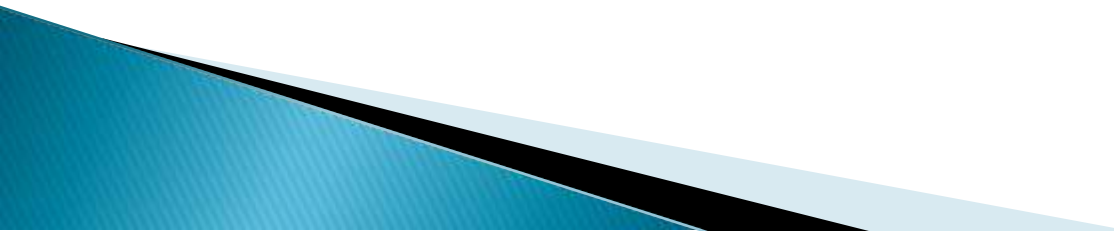
He led about 17 expeditions to India to enrich himself by taking away the wealth from India.

In 1025 he attacked and raided the most celebrated Hindu temple of Somnath.

- ▶ **Second Turk Invasion-Mohammad Ghori's Invasion (1175-1206 AD) :**

- ▶ Mohammad Ghori invaded India and laid the foundation of the Muslim domination in India.

- ▶ **Reasons for the Success of Turks in India :**
    - *Rajputs* lacked unity and organization; divided by rivalries
    - There was no central government
    - Kingdoms were small and scattered
    - Turks were better organized and took advantage of the lack of mutual cooperation among the Rajputs.
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- ▶ The Slave dynasty (1206-1290)
  - ▶ The Khijli Dynasty (1290-1320)
  - ▶ The Tughlaq Dynasty (1320-1414)
  - ▶ The Sayyid Dynasty (1414-1451)
  - ▶ The Lodhi Dynasty (1451-1526)
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*Suntanate*

*Iquta*

*Shiqq*

*Paragana*

*Panchayat*

## Important Central Departments

Department	Function
<i>Diwan-i-Risalat</i> (Foreign Minister)	Department of appeals
<i>Diwan-i-Ariz</i>	Military department
<i>Diwan-i-Bandagan</i>	Department of slaves
<i>Diwan-i-Qaza-i-Mamalik</i>	Department of justice
<i>Diwan-i-Isthiaq</i>	Department of pensions
<i>Diwan-i-Mustakhraj</i>	Department of arrears
<i>Diwan-i-Khairat</i>	Department of charity
<i>Diwan-i-Kohi</i>	Department of agriculture
<i>Diwan-i-Insha</i>	Department of correspondence

## Important Central Officials

Wazir	The Chief Minister of the State-in Charge of revenue and finances
Ariz-i-Mamlik	Head of Military department
Qazi	Legal Officer (dispensed civil law based on Muslim law)
Wakil-i-dar	Controller of the royal house hold.
Barid-i-mumalik	Head of the state news agency
Amir-i-majlis	Officer-in-charge of royal feasts, conference and festivals.
Majlis-i-am	Council of friends and officers consulted on important affairs of the state.
Dahir-i-mumalik	Head of the royal correspondence.
Sadr-us-sudur	Dealt with the religious matters and endowments.
Sadr-i-jahan	Officers-in-charge of religious and charitable endowment.
Amir-i-dad	Public prosecutors
Naib wazir	Deputy Minister
Mushrif-i-mumalik	Accountant general
Amir-i-hazib	Officer-in-charge of the royal court
Kazi-i-mumalik	Chief Justice
Kazi-ul-kazat	Head of the Central Judicial department

Amil-	collected land revenue and other taxes
Hazamdars-	treasurer
Qazi-	Civil officials
Shiqdar	Criminal official
Kotwal	Police head under Shiqdar
Faujdar	Military official in charge of fort
Amin	Measure land
Qanungo	Maintained previous records of the produce and assessment.