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NOMINEES FROM RAWALPINDI WOMEN CCI

----- APPELLANTS

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DECISION # 51 (081 – 229)

PASSED BY THE ELECTION COMMISSION OF FPCCI (FPCCI ELECTIONS 2024-2025)

Consequent upon Appellants written representation / appeal to the Election Commission of FPCCI, received on 17th November 2023 in FPCCI Head Office Karachi from Ms. Musarrat Jabeen and Ms. Noreen Tariq, nominees of Rawalpindi Women CCI, against the decision of the Secretary General of FPCCI, as follows:

Decision of the Secretary General:

“After going through the said arguments and the documents referred/ submitted, the finding are as follows;

Prior to take any decision by the undersigned, a document containing self-explanatory objections raised by Ms. Riffat Shaheen, shared to the Secretary General of RWP WCCI on 10th November 2023, with the request to provide para-wise comments with documentary evidences to the undersigned, alongwith the following documents, by Monday, 13th November 2023, positively, failing which FPCCI will decide the case ex-parte. However the Secretary General failed to provide the same.

- Copy of last Election Results of RWCCI, showing Office Bearers & Executive Committee.
- List of Registered Members of RWCCI for the year 2021-22.
- Letter of Appointment of the Secretary General of RWCCI.
- Resolution of the Executive Committee of RWCCI, nominated EC & GB Members on FPCCI for FPCCI Elections 2024-25.
- Copy of minutes of the Executive Committee alongwith the attendance register, for the resolution passed for EC & GB of FPCCI.
- Copies of the membership certificates of the nominees.
- Copy of license alongwith application for renewal to the Office of the DGTO.

In view of objections, raised by Ms. Riffat Shaheen, President of RWP Women CCI, supported by various documents, the following deficiencies were found during scrutiny in the nomination papers.

- The nominations received from RWP WCCI i.e. Ms. Musarrat Jabeen EC&GB from Corporate Class and Ms. Noreen Tariq GB from Association Class, received on 30th October 2023.
- The nomination papers signed by Mr. Junaid Yousuf, Secretary General of the Chamber and Ms. Saboohi Hussain as Acting President RWP WCCI.

- The nomination papers received are not on letter heads of Rawalpindi WCCI.
- The signatures on the nomination papers are scanned and are not in original.

Ms. Riffat Shaheen President of RWP WCCI, claimed the objections in her Objection petition on the nomination papers as well as the functionality of the Chamber, as follows:

- The license of Rwp WCCI has expired since 2021 and the license is not granted renewal by the DGTO due to non-fulfillment of statutory requirements.
- Ms. Riffat Shaheen is the present elected President of Rwp WCCI, which the name is reflecting in FPCCI records.
- The RWP WCCI has become non-functional and become non-entity for last two years.

In view of objection raised by President Rawalpindi Women CCI, FPCCI is unable to determine the exact genuinities of the documents received from the Rawalpindi Women CCI, hence, the nominations received from Rawalpindi Women CCI cannot be accepted at this point of time.”

Hearing Proceedings:


The Secretary General of the said Woman chamber has submitted an appeals hereby it is alleged that their nomination has been validly submitted on behalf of Chamber, whereas President Ms. Riffat Shaheen earlier submitted the objection before the SG FPCCI and alleged that her Chamber is defunct as its license expired in 2021, and also that she has no knowledge of the nomination sent by her chamber.


Whereas in the appeal instituted to the EC FPCCI, the said chamber has submitted Executive Committee’s decision along with the documents showing that their Chamber application is pending before the DGTO for renewal. The nominees have also been sent with the resolution of the Executive Committee.

Decision of the Election Commission of FPCCI:

As the said relevant supporting documents have been received, therefore the appeal is accepted and the nominees of the Chamber are added to the Provisional List.

This order is passed on Thursday, 23rd November 2023.


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 Member of the Election Commission
 Election Commission
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