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### DECISION # 70 & 71 (106 & 106-A - 274)

# 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 18<sup>th</sup> November 2023 from Mr. Imtiaz Ahmed and Mr. Sikandar Ali, nominees of Sargodha Chamber of Small Industry, and another Appeal from Mr. Asif Iqbal Sheikh and Mr. Amjad Mehmood, nominees of Sargodha Chamber of Small Industry, against the decision of the Secretary General of FPCCI, as follows:

# Decision of the Secretary General:

"The learned Council for the Complaint insisted that they have a valid nomination which is duly signed by the Secretary General and the President of the said Chamber. The said Nomination also says that the nomination has been filed on behalf of the Executive Committee decision. The said nominations is on the letter head of the subject Trade Body.

Whereas the learned Council who is appearing on behalf of the Respondents has submitted two different nominees who are duly endorsed by Senior Vice President and 12 Executive Committee members. Also the affidavit of the said executive committee members are provided / submitted. The said nominations are on computer printed letter head.

During the hearing the President of the subject Chamber attended the hearing through Zoom and he was instructed to provide the minutes of the meeting of the Executive Committee duly signed by the Executive Committee. On which he agreed to provide the same. However, the said documents were not provided in time as required

As this is matter require more evidence therefore this matter cannot be decided at this forum. Therefore, both the sets of nominations are excluded from the Voters lists. Hence the objectors and the defendants may approach to the next forum."

### Hearing Proceedings:

Two sets of nomination have been received from the said chamber. One set of documents has been sent by the President and the Secretary General of the said Chamber along minutes of meeting duly signed by Seven (7) Executive Committee members of the said Chamber.

Whereas, the second set of nominations have been sent from SVP with signatures of 12 members of the Executive Committee.

In support of the documents submitted by the SVP endorsed by 12 members of Executive Committee, an affidavit confirming the nominations has been submitted. The nominations sent with signatures of majority of the Executive Committee members, duly supported by affidavit, seems to be valid and in accordance with law. Therefore the same is considered to be genuine and is accepted.

# **Decision of the Election Commission of FPCCI:**

This appeal of Mr. Asif Iqbal Sheikh and Mr. Amjad Mahmood is accepted and their names are included in the provisional list.

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

ARSHAD KHURSHID
Member of the Election Commission

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