

# FROM THE OFFICE OF THE ELECTION COMMISSION – FPCCI

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## DECISION # 75 (112 – 282)

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

Consequent upon Appellant's written representation / appeal to the Election Commission of FPCCI, received on 16<sup>th</sup> November 2023 in FPCCI Head Office Karachi from Mr. Tariq Rahim Baig, Secretary General of Hunza Chamber of Small Traders & Small Industry, against the decision of the Secretary General of FPCCI, as follows:

#### Decision of the Secretary General:

"On behalf of the Secretary General of Hunza Chamber of Small Traders & Small Industry, Mr. Durvesh Sharif, Executive Committee Member of the Chamber represents the Hunza CSTSI, and expressed his views to accept the nominations in view of the Small Chamber as well as limited resources. However, the Chamber has paid the outstanding dues to FPCCI. He accepted that the Chamber has paid the dues late after the due date. But he expressed his concerns on behalf of the Chamber that they paid annual subscription for the year 2023 in time. However the Hunza CSTSI has not received the circular(s) for the year 2022. Hence they paid the arrears with the request to accept the nominations.

FPCCI in view of the records available and with reference to the nomination papers of Hunza Chamber of Small Traders & Small Industry vide No. Nil dated Nil received in FPCCI Head Office Karachi on 30<sup>th</sup> October 2023, and in response to FPCCI letter No. FPCCI.EL2023-24/2023/11890 dated 31<sup>st</sup> October 2023 as well as various reminders / circulars, the Hunza CSTSI has failed to provide any evidence of due payment of outstanding arrears within the due date. Hence, FPCCI has received the outstanding subscription arrears on 8<sup>th</sup> November 2023 along with the letter under reference of Hunza CSTSI, which is after the date of the nominations.

Therefore, we regret to inform that FPCCI is unable to entertain the nominations of Hunza CSTSI as per Rule 11(5)(a) of TOR 2013 and Article 42(ii) of M&AoA of FPCCI."

#### Hearing Proceedings:


An appeal was preferred by the said Chamber before this forum whereby they have appealed that their name be included in the voter list as they have paid their fees. Whereas the SG FPCCI has refused to include the name of the said nominee's on behalf of the said chamber as the fees has not been submitted within the cutoff date.

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

In view of the appeal submitted by the appellant, as they have paid all outstanding dues of 2023, the Election Commission of FPCCI is pleased to allow the nominees to participate in FPCCI Elections, and both the nominees are included in the provisional list of voters.

This order is passed on Thursday, 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2023.

  
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Member of the Election Commission

  
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