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----- RESPONDENTS

HEARING # 23 (048 – 160)

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

Please refer to the Appeal dated 18th November 2023 received on 18th November 2023 in FPCCI Head Office Karachi from Mr. Kamran Riaz, representing Pakistan Chemical & Dyes Merchants Association to the Election Commission of FPCCI, against the decision of the Secretary General of FPCCI.

The Election Commission of FPCCI is pleased to grant the appellant(s) and the respondent(s) a hearing opportunity in person or through their authorized representative (with letter of authorization from the Appellant(s) / Respondent(s)) before the Election Commission of FPCCI alongwith all original / relevant documents, as per following schedule:

Day & Date: Monday, 20th November 2023
Time: Between 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.
Venue: Basement 2, FPCCI Head Office Karachi

FPCCI has arranged special Zoom link facility for the outstation Appellant(s) / Respondent(s). Those who are unable to attend physically may avail the hearing via Zoom Link, by the following link:

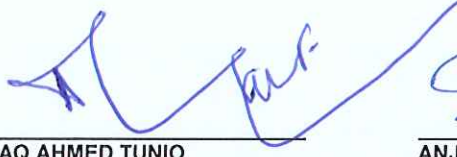
Zoom ID: 764 276 3799
Password: fpcci1214
Link: <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/7642763799>

Punctuality of time is requested. Also you are requested to be precise and brief.

In case of non- appearance, the case shall be decided ex-parte.



ARSHAD KHURSHID
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Election Commission,
Federation of Pakistan
Chamber of Commerce and Industries,
Karachi.

APPEAL UNDER RULE 18(6) OF THE TRADE ORGANIZATION RULES, 2013 AGAINST ORDER DATED 15.11.2023 PASSED IN COMPLAINT UNDER RULE 18(4) OF THE AFORESAID RULES BY SECRETARY GENERAL FEDERATION OF PAKISTAN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRIES, KARACHI

Respectfully Sheweth,

That the undersigned has filed the instant representation, being aggrieved of the order dated 15.11.2023 **“Impugned Order”** passed by the Office of the Secretary General of Federation of Pakistan Chamber of Commerce and Industry **“Chair”** consequent to the objection petitions filed under Rule 18(4) of the Trade Organization Rules, 2013 and heard on 13.11.2023 and 14.11.2023. The undersigned raised objections against the nominations of **Mr. Moazzam Ali Ghurki** and **Mr. Muhammad Idrees**, nominated by **Pakistan China Joint Chamber of Commerce**.

That on the basis of observations the Chair rendered the decision as follow:

That the undersigned being aggrieved by the Impugned Order has challenged the same on the grounds as follows:

“In view of the explanation on the status of Joint Chambers by the Secretary General of FPCCI, as well as the documents provided by Pak China Joint CCI, the nominations received from the Chamber are found to be valid. Accordingly the objections are declined.”

1. That the Impugned Order suffers from misreading and nonreading of the facts and record which were also submitted by the counsel for the undersigned during the course of proceedings.

2. That the Chair failed to appreciate the primary grievance of the Appellant that Respondent was not able to demonstrate how he fits into the Respondent has no legitimate business concern which can connect the Respondent with any sort of trade with China. Moreover, the Respondents are manipulating the electoral process under the grab of Pak China Chamber, which is a Chamber having a wide scope. The Respondent was not able to demonstrate as to how the Respondent qualifies for the Pak China membership in accordance with Rules and Act and consequently eligible to participate in the electoral process of the FPCCI.

PRAYER:

In the light of aforesaid facts and circumstances it is therefore respectfully prayed that the nominations sent by Pakistan China Joint Chamber may please be deleted from the Provisional Voter List 2024-2025 as the nominees were not able to provide relevant documents that the Respondent has any legitimate business concern with China and moreover, fulfills the requisites for their respective Association.

Dated:
18th November, 2023


Appellant
Kamran Riaz