

# FROM THE OFFICE OF THE ELECTION COMMISSION – FPCCI

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FPCCI.Election.2024-25/2023-12262  
18<sup>th</sup> November 2023

## URGENT & IMPORTANT

Through E-mail, Website

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----- APPELLANTS / RESPONDENTS

## **VERSUS**

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## HEARING # 68 (117 – 290)

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

Please refer to the Appeal dated 16<sup>th</sup> November 2023, received through Courier on 18<sup>th</sup> November 2023 in FPCCI Head Office Karachi from Ms. Humera Bukhari and Ms. Nasira Yawar, Nominee of Sahiwal WCCI and another appeal dated 17<sup>th</sup> November 2023, received through email on 18<sup>th</sup> November 2023, 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, 20<sup>th</sup> November 2023**  
Time: **Between 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.**  
Venue: **Basement 2, FPCCI Head Office Karachi**

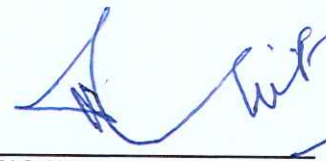
FPCCI has arranged special Zoom link facility for the outstation Appellant(s) / Respondent(s). Those who are unable to attend physically may avail the hearing via Zoom Link, by the following link:


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.

  
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**ARSHAD KHURSHID**  
Member of the Election Commission

  
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**ASHFAQ AHMED TUNIO**  
Member of the Election Commission

  
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**ANJUM RASHEED BAWA**  
Member of the Election Commission

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Secretary General FPCCI



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## SAHIWAL WOMEN Chamber of Commerce & Industry



خواتین ایوان صنعت و تجارت ساہیوال ڈوشن پنجاب پاکستان

Ref. No: FPCCI/#1123-appeal

Date: 16<sup>th</sup> November-2023

Members Election Commission FPCCI 2024-2025 & The Secretary General,  
The Federation of Pakistan Chambers of Commerce & Industry,  
FPCCI Head Office, Federation House, Main Clifton, Karachi, PAKISTAN.

Subject: APPEAL TO ELECTION COMMISSION OF FPCCI  
DECISION PASSED BY THE SECRETARY GENERAL FPCCI.

The undersigned appeals to the Election Commission of FPCCI against the decision made by the Secretary General of FPCCI. Appeal is based on the following facts:

1. The DGTO, in its letter No 6(19)/23-TO dated 10 October 2023, rejected the application of our opponents' group, citing the following grounds:
  - a) The undersigned, Humaira Bukhari, is the President of Sahiwal Women CCI (SWCCI), fulfilling the criteria for membership in SWCCI.
  - b) There is no designation of chief executive in the Trade Organization Act (TOA) and Trade Organization Rules (TOR).
  - c) The complaint was dismissed, and the matter was declared disposed of accordingly.
2. Their nominations were received on official letterhead of chamber and were according to the names of Secretary General and President as mentioned in FPCCI records.
3. The Secretary General of FPCCI, in his letter FPCCI.EL 2023-24/2023 dated 31-10-23, accepted Sahiwal Women CCI (SWCCI) nominations and rejected the false nominations of its opponents.
4. The greatest illegality of second set of nomination papers submitted by **SELF-STYLED Chamber's President Nabeela Farukh and EC members** are appointing representatives to FPCCI for voting right, this voting right and privilege only available to the registered trade organization whose licence is operative and having complete record of all compliances to FPCCI and DGTO.

It is astonishing that the FPCCI's Secretary General later regretted his inability to decide the case in our favor(SWCCI), indicating a bias in favor of our opponents. This is a great injustice, prompting us to appeal to the Election Commission.

In light of the above justified explanation, the Election Commission is requested to reconsider Sahiwal Women Chamber of Commerce and Industry (SWCCI) nominations and include them in the final list of voters.

Ms. Humaira Bukhari, nominee on EC & GB of FPCCI from Associate Class.  
Ms. Nasira Yawar, nominee on GB of FPCCI from Corporate Class.

Yours Sincerely,

**HUMAIRA BUKHARI.**  
President, SWCCI.  
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**Enclosures:**

1. DGTO letter No 6(19)/23-TO dated 10<sup>th</sup> October 2023.
2. FPCCI letter FPCCI.EL 2023-24/2023 dated 31<sup>st</sup> October 2023.
3. FPCCI letter FPCCI.TBs/SWCCI.Sahiwal/2021 dated 15<sup>th</sup> September 2021.
4. Copy of Clearance of Humaira Bukhari from FIR.
5. Copies of Self-Styled Chamber's President Nabeela Farukh and EC members.
6. Copy of SWCCI Secretary General Mr.Sohaib Dawood.(CNIC)
7. Copy of SWCCI Executive Committee meeting held on 24<sup>th</sup> October 2023.
8. TCS Receiving Documents through TCS by FPCCI Karachi on Monday 30<sup>th</sup> October 2023 at 16:35 hours.

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D. No. 191/2023 (C)

Islamabad, the 10<sup>th</sup> October, 2023

ORDER IN ORIGINAL NO. 22/2023

Passed by Umar Dad Afridi, Regulator of Trade Organizations

Ms. Sadia Asif

Versus

Sahifaal Women Chamber of Commerce and Industry

Present in the hearing

1. Ms. Sadia Asif

Appellant/ Complainant

1. Mahil, Ghulam Sabir, Advocate (on behalf of Respondent)
2. Ms. Humaira Bukhari, President SNCCI
3. Mr. Salman Darwood, Secretary General

Respondents

Date of Hearing: 05-10-2023

Place of Hearing: OFFICE OF REGULATOR OF TRADE ORGANIZATIONS  
DIRECTORATE GENERAL OF TRADE ORGANIZATIONS,  
STATE LIFE BUILDING NO. 7, 2ND FLOOR, BLUE AREA,  
ISLAMABAD.

Date of issuance of Order: 10-10-2023



UMAR DAD AFRIDI  
Regulator of Trade Organizations



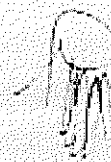
By this order the undersigned intends to dispose of complaints filed by Ms. Sadia Aidi against Sahiwal Women Chamber of Commerce and Industry (SWCCI) the case was fixed for hearing on 05-10-2023, which was attended by relevant parties.

2. The complainant has stated that Ms. Humaira Bukhari President does not fulfill the criteria of membership of SWCCI as per provisions of Trade Organizations Act, 2013 and Trade Organizations Rules, 2013. She submitted the copy of the CNIC of Ms. Humaira Bukhari and stated that the temporary address on the CNIC is incorrect. She also submitted copy of NTN of Ms. Humaira Bukhari in which address of Sahiwal is shown and stated that it is also inaccurate. Further she has stated that the office of the Chamber is non-existent which is violation of the Trade Organizations Act, 2013 and Trade Organizations Rules, 2013. She prayed to cancel the membership of the Respondent. The complainant claims to be the Chief Executive of the Chamber.

3. The counsel for the Respondent stated that Ms. Humaira Bukhari is the founder President of SWCCI and fulfills eligibility of membership with SWCCI as per the provisions of Trade Organizations Act, 2013 and Trade Organizations Rules, 2013. That the complainant is not a member of the SWCCI and has no locus standi to file complaint against the Chamber. That there is no designation of Chief Executive in the TOA, 2013, TORs, 2013 and Memorandum and Articles of Association, therefore the complainant claiming herself as Chief Executive is illegal and against the law.

#### FINDINGS:

- i. The membership criteria is laid down in the Rule 3(2) and Rule 11 of Trade Organizations Rules, 2013. Ms. Humaira Bukhari is founder President and as per record she fulfills the criteria of the membership.
- ii. There is no designation of Chief Executive in the TOA, 2013 and TORs, 2013.
- iii. The complaints are liable to be dismissed.



UMAR DAD AFRIDI  
Registrar of Trade Organizations  
Department of Commercial Trade Organizations

**ORDER:**

Arguments heard, record perused and relevant provisions of law examined in light of the above, the following orders are passed:

- i) Ms. Humaira Bukhari is founder President and as per record she has fulfilled the criteria of the membership of SWCCI.
- ii) There is no designation of Chief Executive in the TOA, 2013 and TORs, 2013.
- iii) The complaints are hereby dismissed.
- iv) The matter stands disposed of accordingly.



(Umar Dad Afridi)  
Regulator (IO)

Announced Dated:-10-10-2023



**UMAR DAD AFRIDI**  
Regulator of Trade Organizations  
Directorate General of Trade Organization  
Ministry of Commerce, Islamabad