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ORDER IN ORIGINAL NO 84/2023

Passed by Mr. Umar Dad Afridi, Regulator of Trade Organizations

Malik Muhammad Khalid nominee of Lahore Chamber of Commerce and Industry

Versus

Election Commission of Federation of Pakistan Chamber of Commerce and Industry
(FPCCI)

Present in the hearing.

1. Mr. Ali Nawaz, Advocate on behalf of
Appellant

.....Appellant/Complainant

1. Ms. Mahreen Razzak (on behalf of
Secretary General FPCCI)

.....Respondents

2. Mr. Arshad Khurshid
(Member Election Commission of FPCCI)

3. Mr. Anjum Rasheed Bawa
(Member Election Commission of FPCCI)

4. Mr. Ghulam Sabir, Advocate (on behalf of
Respondents)

5. Malik Sohail

Date of Hearing: 01-12-2023

Place of Hearing: OFFICE OF REGULATOR OF TRADE ORGANIZATIONS,
DIRECTORATE GENERAL OF TRADE ORGANIZATIONS,

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

STATE LIFE BUILDING NO.7, 2ND FLOOR, BLUE AREA,
ISLAMABAD.

Date of issuance of Order: 06-12-2023

By this order the undersigned intends to dispose of an appeal filed by Malik Muhammad Khalid nominee of Lahore Chamber of Commerce and Industry against decision of Election Commission of Federation of Pakistan Chambers of Commerce and Industry (FPCCI) regarding inclusion of nominees of Mandi Bahaudin Chamber of Commerce and Industry (MBCCI). The case was fixed for hearing on 01-12-2023 which was attended by both sides.

2. The background of the case is that the Election Commission FPCCI vide decision No. 72 dated 23-11-2023, has included the nominees, Mr. Aun Raza and Mr. Muhammad Haider Raza Naqvi, Mandi Bahauddin CCI in the voters list.

3. The counsel of appellant has stated that both the nominees Mr. Muhammad Aun Raza M/s Pure Milk Dairy Farm and Mr. Muhammad Haider Raza Naqvi M/s Hamza Dairy Farm are not eligible to be members of MBCCI in respect of Rule 3(2)(b) ToRs 2013 and the corporate nominee also does not fulfill criteria under Rule 2(1)(g) of ToRs 2013.

4. The counsel of the respondents has submitted that both the nominees are bonafide members of MBCCI and fulfill the criteria of membership in respect of Rule 3(2)(b) of ToRs 2013 and Mr Aun Raza M/s Pure Milk Dairy Farm also fulfills the criteria of Rule 2(1)(g) of ToRs 2013 as a corporate member of the Chamber.

FINDINGS:-

i. The documents submitted by the respondents clearly show that both the nominee fulfill the membership criteria under Rule 3(2)(b) of ToRs 2013. Furthermore, the tax return submitted on behalf of Muhammad Aun Raza M/s Pure Milk Dairy Farm shows that he is eligible to be a corporate member under Rule 2(1)(g) of ToRs 2013. Therefore, the instant appeal is liable to dismissed.

ORDERS:-

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

- i) The instant appeal is dismissed and the decision of election commission is hereby upheld.
- ii) The matter stands disposed of accordingly.



6/12/2023

(Umar Dad Afridi)
Regulator (TO)

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Announced Dated: 05-12-2023.