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### **VISIT OF SINDH MINISTER FOR TRANSPORT**



Mr.Sharjeel Inam Memon, Sindh Minister for Transport & Mass Transit and Information Department, visited SITE Association of Industry on 3rd June 2025 and met members of the Association and representatives of print & electronic media. He was accompanied by high officials of his office. Speaking at this occasion, the Minister;

- Vowed to arrange meeting of SITE members with CM Sindh on the issues of industries
- Announced to open 2nd phase of Malir Expressway up to Quaidabad in two weeks
- O Announced to connect Orange and Green Line bus services with SITE industrial area to facilitate industrial workers
- Stated that Health Sector is the priority of Sindh government
- Mentioned that approx. 21 lac homes were destroyed in the last flood in Sindh out of which, approx. 8.5 lac homes have been re-built which is a world record.
- Informed that vehicles registered in Lasbella have to be registered in Karachi
- Informed that govt. impounded 1500 vehicles on the grounds of fitness.
- Admitted that Northern Bypass is the only solution to Karachi heavy traffic.
- Announced that we are also allowing heavy traffic on Lyari Expressway (LEW)
- Termed loadshedding by K-Electric as "Collective Punishment" to the people of Karachi and against the constitution of Pakistan.
- Invited businessmen to invest in Dhabeji Industrial Zone.
- Acknowledged Karachi's contribution in the Sindh revenue.



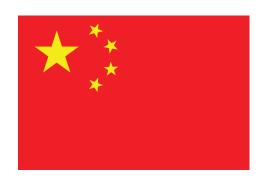
M/s.Zubair Motiwala, Jawed Bilwani, Muhammad Tariq Yousuf, Younus Bashir, Ahmed Azeem Alvi, Khalid Riaz, Majyd Aziz, Abdul Hadi, Abdul Rasheed and EC members were present in the meeting.



### **MEETING WITH CONSUL GENERAL OF CHINA**







A delegation of SITE Association of Industry was invited for a meeting with Consul General of China H.E Yang Yundong at the Consulate General of China in Karachi on 8th May 2025. The delegation was led by President SITE Association Mr.Ahmed Azeem Alvi, along with SVP Mr.Khalid Raiz, VP Mr. Muhammad Riaz Dhehdi & Chairman International Relations & Diplomatic Affairs Sub-Committee Mr. Junaid-ur-Rehman. Vice Consul Mr.Hu Shuhua was also present in the meeting.

During the meeting issues of mutual interest in increasing business opportunities, possibility of Joint Ventures and exchange of industry and trade related information was also discussed. SITE President appreciated the efforts of the Consulate and extended invitation to the Consul General to visit SITE Association of Industry at mutual convenient date. As a token of appreciation, SITE Association's Shield, Bouquet & Newsletter was presented to the Consul General.





### **VISIT OF CHAIRMAN, NATIONAL TARIFF COMMISSION**

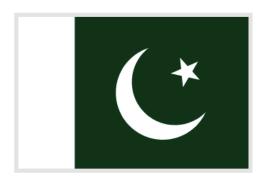


Mr.Naeem Anwar, Chairman National Tariff Commission, visited SITE Association of Industry on 26th April 2025. He was accompanied by Member of the Commission Muhammad Iqbal Tabish. Matters related to protection of domestic industry as well as consumer protection through determination of tariffs, levy of anti-dumping duties, levy of countervailing duties and safeguard measures were discussed in the meeting. Imposition of high tariff by USA on China and other countries and GSP+ status for Pakistan was also discussed.

President KCCI & Former President SAI Jawed Bilwani, President Ahmed Azeem Alvi, VP Muhammad Riaz Dhedhi, Former Presidents Abdul Rasheed & Riazuddin, Former SVP Abdul Kadir Bilwani, Former VP Muhammad Hussain Moosani and EC Members Ehtesham Rais, Aman Naseem, Muhammad Tahir Goreja and Haris Shakoor were also present on the occasion.



### **MEETING WITH CONSUL OF ITALY**







On 7th May 2025, President Ahmed Azeem Alvi along with Chairman of International Relations Committee Junaid-ur-Rehman, called on the Consul of Italy H.E. Fabrizio Bielli, to discuss matters of mutual interest and bilateral trade between the two friendly countries of Italy & Pakistan. Matters discussed at the meeting included:

- Enhancing possible cooperation on issues of trade,
- Sharing of trade related information,
- O Sharing of information regarding sector-wise exhibitions being held in Italy,
- Visit of sector-specific trade delegations,
- B2B business development,
- Improving interaction with sector-specific business delegations visiting from Italy
- Information on trade and industry related issues

Mr.Ahmed Azeem Alvi appreciated the efforts of the Consulate in promotion bilateral trade and also extended the kind invitation to H.E. to visit SITE Association of Industry on a date & time convenient.

### **VISIT OF DG, SINDH FOOD AUTHORITY**



DG Sindh Food Authority Visits SITE Association for Session with Food Sector Representatives -Karachi

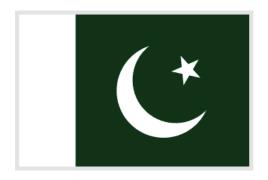


The Director General of Sindh Food Authority Asif Jan Siddiqi visited the Association on 27th May 2025 and had interactive meeting with food sector member industries of the Association. He was accompanied by high officials of his department.

He has assured the industrialists to look into the matter of overlapping functions of PSQCA and SFA and informed that work on digitalization and ease of doing business is already in progress and has advised industries to read the law and SOP of Sindh Food Authority so that they are not harassed by any officer. He also hinted at legal action against those found mixing hazardous chemicals in food products. The DG SFA agreed to hold an awareness session for food handlers in the meeting room of SITE Association of Industry after Eid holidays.

M/s. Jawed Bilwani, Ahmed Azeem Alvi, Khalid Riaz, Suleman Chawla, Abdul Rasheed Muhammad Kamran Arbi, Azeem Motiwala, Muhammad Tahir Goreja and Tariq Rehman Fazlee were also present in the meeting along with representatives of many food related industries of SITE area.

### MEETING WITH CONSUL GENERAL OF OMAN







A delegation of SITE Association of Industry comprising President Mr.Ahmed Azeem Alvi, SVP Mr.Khalid Riaz, VP Mr.Muhammad Riaz Dhedhi and Mr.Junaid-ur-Rehman, Chairman of International Relations & Diplomatic Affairs Sub-Committee, was invited for a meeting with the Consul General of Oman H.E. Eng. Sami Abdullah Al Khanjari, at the Consulate General of Sultanate of Oman in Karachi on 14/5/2025.

During the meeting, matters of mutual interest regarding trade and investment were discussed including creating business opportunities, possibility of Joint Ventures and exchange of industry and trade related information. The delegation members shared awareness regarding the initiatives and working Scope of SITE Association of Industry and the diversity of industry sectors operating therein.



The Consul General shared important insight on green energy projects, investment in SEZ in Oman, facilitation for gaining information for investment through Oman's Investment office as well as Oman Consulate in Karachi and maintaining connectivity for trade & investment related queries to promote B2B interaction between the business community of the two countries.

President SITE Association of Industry appreciated the efforts of the Consulate and extended invitation to H.E. Consul General of Oman to visit SITE Association of Industry. As a token of appreciation, a Shield of SITE Association of Industry, Voice of Industry and a flower bouquet were presented to the H.E. Consul General.



### **VISIT OF MD STEVTA**





The Managing Director of Sindh Technical Education & Vocational Training Authority (STEVTA) Tariq Manzoor visited SITE Association of Industry on 25th June 2025 along with high officials of his department to discuss matters related to promotion of technical education and collaboration between STEVTA and the Association.

It was decided to arrange visit of GCT as soon as possible. The MD informed that STEVTA is also going to digitize the data of students, internees etc. and a job portal on STEVTA website is also being made. The MD asked SAI to inform about demand-driven courses to which, it was decided that the matter shall be discussed in the next meeting of labour sub-committee. The meeting concluded on a positive note of enhancing coordination between the two organizations.

SVP Khalid Riaz, VP Muhammad Riaz Dhedhi, Former President Muhammad Kamran Arbi, Former VP Muhammad Farhan Ashrafi, Chairman Labour Committee Muhammad Tahir Goreja and EC Member Ahmed Zulfiqar Chaudhry were present in the meeting.

### **WATER COMMITTEE'S ACTIVITIES**



On 22nd April 2025, a meeting of Water Committee (constituted in the meeting of textile processing industries held on 16/4/25 at SAI office) was held under the Chairmanship of Saleem Parekh. President Ahmed Azeem Alvi, VP Muhammad Riaz Dhedhi, APTPMA Regional Chairman Anwer Aziz, Muhammad Kamran Arbi, Muhammad Altaf Shekhani and Muhammad Kamran Lakhany attended the meeting.

The matter of supply of recycled water from M/s. Pak Oasis plant to SITE area industries came under detailed discussion and it was unanimously decided to meet Mayor Karachi and Consultant E.Y. Ford Rhodes as soon as possible and also the KWSC and all concerned departments to collect maximum information before taking final decision in the matter. It was general consensus that industry needs consistent supply of water which is possible through this project, though recycled water cannot be used in pharmaceuticals and food sector industries. The rate of recycled water will be as per KWSC tariff. The Committee also discussed execution of the project on PPP mode like flyovers project and Green Funds financing by the SBP and EDP funding for the project.



As decided, the Committee had a meeting with EY PAKISTAN representatives namely Huzaifa Mazahir & Mujtaba Shaheen on Saturday, 3rd May 2025 at SAI, at which, matters related to recycled water project were discussed.

The Committee had another meeting on 6th May 2025 with Mr.Bashir Lakhany, Director, M/s.TECNO CONSULTANT, on water issues of SITE area and exploring ways to resolve them.

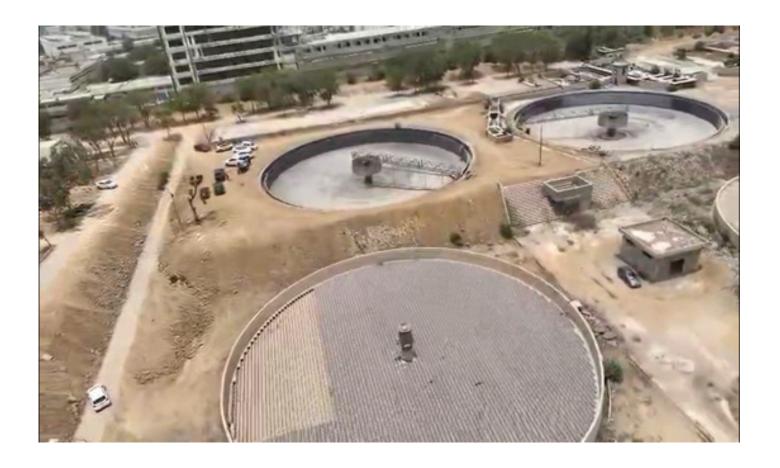
Note: The work on TP1 project under Pak Oasis is near completion but only for primary and secondary Treatment. Work on tertiary treatment has not even been awarded. Tertiary Treatment is required for recycled water.

### VISIT TO TP-3 AND TP-1 RECYCLED WATER PLANTS

On 19th May 2025, members of Water Committee namely Saleem Parekh, Ahmed Azeem Alvi, Anwar Aziz, Muhammad Altaf Shekhani, Kamran Lakhany and Ahmed Zulfiqar Chaudhry, visited the site of TP-3. The members also attended meeting with the worthy Chairman, KW&SC and MD/ CEO, KW&SC, PD S-III along with Contractor and Consultants. After visit, members decided to send recycled water samples of TP-3 for lab testing, which has been done and reports are available with the Secretariat.







# SEMINAR ON KARACHI WATER CRISIS & ITS SOLUTIONS (WATER COMMITTEE)

The Pakistan Engineers Forum organized a seminar on 31st May 2025 at local hotel. The theme of the Seminar was Karachi Water Crisis & Its Solutions.

Experts, researchers and stakeholders raised serious concerns over Karachi's worsening water crisis at the Seminar and called for need for tapping rainwater and fixing leakages.

Prof Dr Syed Imran Ahmed of the NED University dispelled the misconception about water scarcity, emphasising that Karachi could have more than enough water if rainwater and other available resources were properly managed.

Muhammad Bashir Lakhani, Project Consultant for the K-IV initiative, shed light on the city's alarming water shortfall during the seminar. He said, "We have the capacity to receive up to 680 MGD daily, but our outdated infrastructure simply can't handle it. We face issues with transmission capacity, malfunctioning pumping stations, and critical flaws in the operational system.

Members of Water Committee (SAI & APTPMA) namely Ahmed Azeem Alvi, Anwer Aziz, Muhammad Kamran Arbi, Muhammad Altaf Shekhani and Ahmed Zulfiqar Chaudhry attended the Seminar.



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### REVIEW MEETING REGARDING GARBAGE MANAGEMENT

Commissioner Karachi Division convened a meeting regarding garbage management in industrial zones of Karachi on 16th April 2025 which was attended by President Ahmed Azeem Alvi. It was decided in the meeting that strict action shall be taken against those found dumping waste in industrial areas.

### **VISIT OF OFFICIALS FROM K-ELECTRIC**

Mr. Shaikh Humayun Saghir, Head of Distribution Operations, K-Electric, visited SITE Association of Industry on 17th April 2025 along with high officials of his department to discuss members complaints including new connection, fluctuations and shutdowns.

From SAI, Ahmed Azeem Alvi (President), Muhammad Riaz Dhedhi (VP), Muhammad Kamran Arbi (Immediate Past President),
Abdul Hadi (Former President) and Saleem Nagaria (Former SVP) were present in the meeting.

### 24TH MEETING OF NATIONAL COORDINATION BODY OF IUCN

IUCN Pakistan, Karachi Program Office, invited President SITE Association of Industry to the 24th meeting of National Coordination Body of IUCN held on 18th April 2025 at local hotel. The subject of the meeting was to discuss untreated sewage polluting coastal ecosystems. From SITE Association of Industry, Vice President Mr.Mohammad Riaz Dhedi attended this meeting.

### OGRA HEARING IN THE MATTER OF SSGC

The Oil & Gas Regulatory Authority (OGRA) organized a public hearing on 21st April 2025 in the matter of Petition for the Determination of Estimated Revenue Requirements for the Financial Year 2025–26 filed by the Sui Southern Gas Company. The hearing was held at SSGC Head office, attended by Mr.Zubair Motiwala, Patron-in-Chief, on behalf of the Association.

Adressing on this occasion, Zubair Motiwala said that Increase in gas prices will put extra pressure on domestic consumers, with gas bills likely to rise significantly in the coming months. Small businesses that rely on gas for operations are also expected to face financial strain, with some possibly forced to scale back or shut down. Additionally, the industrial sector—particularly energy-intensive industries—may see rising production costs, potentially leading to slower growth and job cuts.



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### RECEPTION BY BANGLADESH DEPUTY HIGH COMMISSION

Bangladesh Deputy High Commission, Karachi, invited members of SITE Association of Industry to attend a Reception on 21st April 2025 at local hotel to celebrate the 54th Independence and National Day of the People's Republic of Bangladesh. From SAI, Patron-in-Chief Zubair Motiwala, President Ahmed Azeem Alvi, VP Muhammad Riaz Dhedhi and Chairman of International Relations Committee Junaid-ur-Rehman attended the Reception.

### **COMPLAINT FILED BY SAI WITH FTO ON SALES TAX RELATED ISSUES**

The 3rd hearing of SITE Association of Industry's complaint filed to FTO regarding issues in Sales Tax System of FBR was held on Friday, 25th April 2025 in the office of FTO, Karachi. For the third consecutive time, no one from the FBR turned up to attend the hearing. However, the attendance of Secretary-General SITE Association of Industry, Mr. Muhammad Faheem, was recorded.

### REVIEW MEETING REGARDING GARBAGE (SOLID WASTE) MANAGEMENT

Commissioner, Karachi Division, convened a meeting on 25th April 2025 in the office of SITE Limited to review the progress of lifting of solid waste and debris from SITE area Karachi. President Mr.Ahmed Azeem Alvi attended this meeting as representative of the Association.

The Commissioner has issued orders to immediately register FIRs against all such factories who fail to maintain clean environment in front of their factories. However, on the request of President, SITE Association of Industry, four (4) days' time has been given to industries and the deadline to clean factory outside area has now been fixed as TUESDAY, 29 APRIL 2025, failing which, FIRs shall be registered against factory owners from 30th April 2025 onward.

### FICS-2025 COMPETITION BY NUST

The National University of Science and Technology (NUST), NAST Islamabad invited President SITE Association of Industry as Chief Guest (judge) at the Karachi Pitching Session of the Finding Innovative & Creative Solutions (FICS), held at PNEC, NUST Karachi Campus, on 28th April 2025. President Ahmad Azim Alvi and Vice President Mohammad Riaz Dhedi attended the session.

Finding Innovation and Creative Solutions is Pakistan's first and only international entrepreneurial competition aimed at empowering students to develop innovative solutions for real-world challenges. The Karachi session featured around 100 student teams from various universities across Karachi showcasing their innovative projects before a panel of expert judges as they compete for a place in the grand finale to be held at the NUST Islamabad.



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### **MEETING ON CONSTRUCTION OF ROADS IN SITE AREA**

A coordination meeting for the construction of roads in SITE area under new PSDP scheme was held on 28th April 2025 at SAI office at which, representatives of SITE Limited and K-Electric were invited. Shifting of utilities, particularly, power cables from the proposed roads was discussed at length. M/s. Saleem Parekh, Ahmed Azeem Alvi, Muhammad Riaz Dhedhi, Saleem Nagaria, Abdul Hadi and Muhammad Kamran Arbi were present in the meeting.

### **MEETING ON REMOVAL OF SOLID WASTE**

In continuation of meeting held with Commissioner, Karachi Division, the Deputy Commissioner, District Keamari, convened an important meeting on 29th April 2025 in his office regarding removal of debris and construction material from sub-division SITE, Karachi. The DC Keamari has started action against factories including registration of FIRs on not maintaining clean environment in front of factories.

### VISIT OF OFFICIALS FROM K-ELECTRIC

General Manager, Key Accounts Department, K-Electric, Mirza Atif Baig, along with relevant officials of his department, visited SAI on 2nd May 2025 and had meeting with members of the Association on power quality related issues. Office bearers, Executive Committee members and high officials from K-Electric were present in the meeting.

### **MEETING WITH SSGC ON GRID LEVY**

On 3rd May 2025, MD, SSGC, called a meeting of industrial area representatives on the matter of grid levy on CPPs. According to new Notification, it will be charged @ 791/- w.e.f. February-2025. Meeting was attended by consumers and representatives of Associations representing all industries. In a joint statement they decided and sent a note to the Ministry that as matter of levy is a court matter, industry will abide by the court orders. From SAI, Chief Coordinator Saleem Parekh attended the meeting.

### NFEH'S CLEAN & GREEN KARACHI MOVEMENT

National Forum for Environmental & Health (NFEH) invited President SAI to MoU Signing with SSWMB & Collaborative Action event 'Clean & Green Karachi Movement' on 30th June 2025 at National Incubation Centre, Karachi. Abdul Rehman Fudda attended the program where discussion took place on climate action, waste management and sustainable development.



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# URGENT PRESS CONFERENCE AT KCCI TO CONDEMN INDIAN AGGRESSION & EXPRESS SOLIDARITY WITH ARMED FORCES OF PAKISTAN

The Karachi Chamber of Commerce & Industry (KCCI) invited members of the Association to attend an urgent press conference at the Chamber on 7th May 2025 to strongly condemn the unprovoked Indian attack on civilians in Pakistan and to express unwavering solidarity with the brave Armed Forces of Pakistan. The Joint Press Conference was addressed by the Leadership of KCCI along with prominent business leaders and representatives of Industrial Town Associations to highlight the national resolve in the face of the Indian hostility.

President Ahmed Azeem Alvi, SVP Khalid Riaz, Former President Riazuddin, former SVP Abdul Kadir Bilwani and EC Member

Muhammad Tahir Goreja were present in the Press Conference.

### **MEETING OF OVERSEE COMMITTEE FOR PSDP SCHEMES**

A meeting of Oversee Committee for PSDP Scheme in SITE Area (PSDP-220) was held in the office of SITE Limited on 12th May 2025. The meeting was convened to discuss regarding progress, status and other related issues of PSDP scheme titled "Rehabilitation/Construction of Roads in Industrial Estate SITE Karachi (PSDP-220). Members of the Committee from SAI namely Saleem Parekh (Chief Coordinator), Ahmed Azeem Alvi (President) and Saleem Nagaria (Former SVP) attended the meeting.

### **JOINT PRESS CONFERENCE IN SUPPORT OF ARMED FORCES OF PAKISTAN**

Korangi Association of Trade & Industry (KATI) invited office bearers of all town associations to attend a joint press conference on 13th May 2025 to demonstrate solidarity with the armed forces of Pakistan and to commend them for their unwavering defense of the nation in the face of aggression. President Ahmed Azeem Alvi, SVP Khalid Riaz and VP Muhammad Riaz Dhedhi attended the joint Press Conference on behalf of SAI.

### MEETING WITH FIRE-AFFECTED INDUSTRIES REPRESENTATIVES

The representatives of fire-affected member industries were invited to the Association on 13th May 2025. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss firefighting related matters and to listen to their views about the Fire Station service being provided by the Association.

They were given detailed briefing on the emergency services being provided by the Association. Members were urged to pay their SSSS dues on regular basis to continue Fire Station service. Members expressed satisfaction over the services being provided and assured their cooperation as requested. SVP Khalid Riaz chaired the meeting. VP Muhammad Riaz Dhedhi and EC member Azeem Motiwala were also present on this occasion.



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### **MEETING WITH OFFICIALS FROM SMBBIT**

Officials from Shaheed Mohtarma Benazir Bhutto Institute of Trauma (SMBBIT) Karachi namely Dr.Abid Abbas Shaikh and Mr.Asad Sajjad Khan visited SITE Association of Industry for an introductory meeting with office bearers & members on 14th May 2025.

President Ahmed Azeem Alvi, SVP Khalid Riaz, VP Muhammad Riaz Dhedhi, former SVP Abdul Kadir Bilwani, former VP Muhammad Farhan Ashrafi and EC Members namely Aman Naseem and Muhammad Tahir Goreja were present in the meeting.

It has been decided that SMBBIT will provide treatment to industrial workers of SITE area on priority basis and a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) in this effect shall be signed soon. It was also decided that an small trauma Centre / dispensary shall be opened in SITE area at a suitable location to facilitate industrial workers. Dr. Abid Abbas Shaikh also invited members of SITE Association of Industry to visit the Trauma Centre which was accepted with thanks.

# THIRD MEETING OF PROVINCIAL STEERING COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS & HUMAN RIGHTS

The above meeting was convened by the Human Rights Department, Govt. of Sindh on 29th May 2025 at local hotel, chaired by Special Assistant to CM Sindh. From SAI, EC Member Mr.Junaid-ur-Rehman attended the meeting.

# MEETING TO DISCUSS PROVISION OF FUNDS FOR THE DEVELOPMENT & REHABILITATION OF INFRASTRUCTURE IN ALL INDUSTRIAL ZONES OF KARACHI

The office of the Commissioner Karachi Division convened a meeting to discuss the development & rehabilitation of infrastructure in all industrial zones of Karachi on 3rd June 2025 in his office which was attended by the President Ahmed Azeem Alvi. In this meeting, the Secretary Industries stated that PKR 5015 million (5 billion) under PSDP are underway for the rehabilitation of roads and drainage works.

### **NEW GM IBC-SITE, K-ELECTRIC, VISITS SITE ASSOCIATION**

An introductory meeting was held with new General Manager, IBC SITE, K-Electric, Ali Ejaz in the office of the Association on 12th June 2025. SITE President Ahmed Azeem Alvi congratulated the new GM and expressed the confidence that members complaints shall now be resolved speedily. SVP Khalid Riaz, former SVP Saleem Nagaria and EC Members namely Azeem Motiwala, Ahmed Zulfiqar Chaudhry, Abdul Rehman Fudda, Muhammad Tahir Goreja, Aman Naseem, Muhammad Kamran Lakhany and officials from K-Electric IBC SITE attended the meeting.



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### **MEETING WITH NEW MD SITE LTD AND DC KEAMARI**

On 17th June 2025, a lunch was hosted in honour of new MD SITE Limited Syed Ahmed Fawad and DC Keamari Raja Tarique Hussain. Other officials present included from SITE Limited namely Nabeel Ahmed, Faheemuddin Shaikh, Saifullah, Muhammad Adeel, Magbool, and Assistant Commissioner Ms.Nida Saman.

Following the lunch, a brief meeting took place at which, issues of members were disused. The Committee in particular discussed provision of funds for the development & rehabilitation of infrastructure in SITE industrial zone (as discussed earlier in the Commissioner office meeting held on 3/6/25) as well as summary of essential vehicles & equipment required by SITE Limited to carry out upkeep and maintenance of infrastructure. From SAI, Saleem Parekh, Ahmed Azeem Alvi, Khalid Riaz, Saleem Nagaria and Abdul Hadi were present in the meeting.

### **EFP WOMEN EMPOWERMENT AND GENDER EQUALITY RECOGNITION AWARDS**

The Employers Federation of Pakistan organized 5th Women Empowerment and Gender Equality Recognition Awards Distribution Ceremony on 17th June 2025 at local hotel. EFP is committed to empower women by ensuring equal access to decent work, promoting gender equality and eliminating all forms of discrimination both at home in the workplace. SVP Khalid Riaz, Abdul Kadir Bilwani, Junaid-ur-Rehman and Muhammad Tahir Goreja attended the program on behalf of SITE Association of Industry.

# MEETING OF DISTRICT IMPLEMENTATION & MONITORING COMMITTEE ON TOBACCO CONTROL

DC Keamari office convened meeting of District Implementation & Monitoring Committee on Tobacco Control on 19th June 2025 at the DC office. The meeting was attended by EC Member Mr.Abdul Rehman Fudda.

### **MEETING WITH SYED NAZAR ALI, SG EFP**

A meeting was held with Secretary General of Employers Federation of Pakistan on 24th June 2025 at SAI office. The meeting was convened to discuss issues being faced by members in compliance of SESSI, EOBI and other labour related laws, particular the arbitrary demands during audit by labour officers. The Committee also discussed misuse of power, lack of transparency, operational issues etc. M/s. Khalid Riaz, Muhammad Tahir Goreja, Abdul Kadir Bilwani and Sajid Aziz were present in the meeting.



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### **ORIENTATION ON SINDH BUSINESS ONE STOP SHOP (S-BOSS)**

Investment Department, Govt. of Sindh organized an orientation session for representatives of industrial associations on 24th June 2025 at in the Committee Room of CLICK project. Mr.Abdul Rehman Fudda represented SAI President in this meeting.

The purpose of the session was to collect feedback from industry representatives. The participants were informed that from July, 16 departments shall go live through this portal.

During the discussion S.I.T.E Association of Industry & FBATI representatives pointed out that there are some departments which need to be closed due to changed circumstances like Electric Inspector which is just a formality. Similarly, there are some old laws & regulation that need to be reviewed to achieve the goal of ease of doing Business. On that, it is replied that CLICK team requested the association representatives to furnish proper proposal with some facts & figures so the issue can be taken up with relevant Authority.

#### **DRIVING LICENSE CAMP**

A driving License camp was organized at SITE Association of Industry on 26th June 2025 to facilitate members of the Association in getting LEARNING LICENSE (MOTORCYCLE / CAR). Large number of members availed this facility where approx.

150 learning licenses were issued.

# MEETING ON DRAFT LABOUR CODE HELD ON 27 JUNE 2025 AT SINDH ASSEMBLY SECRETARIAT

The Sindh Minister for Labour & Human Resource Department, chaired a meeting on draft Labour Code on 27th June 2025 at the Sindh Assembly Secretariat. The meeting was convened to review the progress of draft Labour Code. Chairman of Labour Sub-Committee Muhammad Tahir Goreja, Muhammad Kamran Lakhany, Ahmed Zulfiqar Chaudhry and Junaid-ur-Rehman attended the meeting. Mr.Tahir Goreja expressed views on draft Labour Laws and also drew attention of the Minister towards pathetic state of healthcare facilities at Kulsumbai Valika Social Security Hospital in SITE, Karachi. After detailed discussion, the following decisions were taken.

- The DG Labour Sindh will share the latest version of the Draft Labour code.
- A follow up briefing session will be organized by the DG Labour





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### (Benefits of Membership)

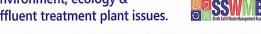
### Dear Sir/ Madam,

### We request you to kindly get your New membership or renewed to avail following facilities.

SITE Self Security Systems (SSSS) & SITE Crime Monitoring Cell (SCMC) are working day and night to improve law and order situation in the area by providing guards service to collect/deposit cash, placements of rangers & police guards, rangers and police patrolling, construction of pickets and security walls, installation of surveillance cameras.

Register your complaints against CRIME or any other issues at SITE CRIME MONITORING CELL (SCMC).

- Employee data verification
- Fire brigade service
- Ambulance Service
- Anti Encroachment drive Monitoring
- Nala cleaning Monitoring
- Road carpet Monitoring
- GST, Excise & direct taxes issues
- Helping in the matters of Water, infrastructure and Energy (Fuel, Power & Gas)
- Helping in EOBI, SESSI & labour matters
- Environment, ecology & Effluent treatment plant issues.























It is pertinent to mention here that membership of SITE Association of Industry is mandatory for all the tenants of SITE limited which requires the proof of membership of the Association whenever they approach SITE limited for any purpose.

Please cooperate and join hands to strengthen your own Association. Sincerely,

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