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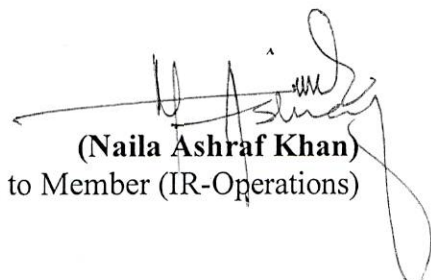
Subject: **Exporter Facilitation Committees**

In order to facilitate exports, to remove difficulties faced by the exporters, to provide an effective mechanism for amicable resolution of disputes, and to ensure that exporters are not subjected to harassment by tax officials, the following committees with the stated TORs are hereby constituted by the Board:

- (a) The Committee shall serve as a facilitation, mediation, and dispute resolution forum between exporters and the FBR to promote voluntary compliance, reduce unnecessary litigation, and ensure fair and transparent tax administration.
- (b) The committees shall look into the problems and issues caused by procedural and day-to-day official business arising from field operations, detrimental to exporters, and shall point them out and have them reviewed by the committee to be resolved amicably in monthly review meetings.
- (c) In cases where facts warrant audit or any other coercive action against the exporter, the general facts of the case shall be put before the concerned committee. The committee, after due deliberations, shall decide the case by majority (quorum of at least three voting members). However, in the of event is a tie, the Chairman of the committee shall overrule and decide the case by a short order, which shall be reviewed by the Board from time to time.
- (d) For the purposes of this circular, exporter shall mean a person who exports 80% or more of its turnover in a tax year.

Sr.#	Region	Committee Members	Nature of Cases
1.	Central Committee Members	Mr. Zubair Bilal, Member (IR-Operations), FBR (Chairman of the Committee). Mr. Zubair Motiwala, ex-Chairman TDAP Mr. Musadaq Zulqarnain TI, Chairman M/s Interloop Ltd. Mr. Muhammad Javed Balwani, ex-President Karachi Chambers of Commerce Relevant Chief Commissioner-IR holding jurisdiction over the case. Mr. Arshad Nawaz Cheena, Chief (Revenue Operations), FBR <i>President FPCCI – Ex-officio non-voting member</i>	Persons with export of more than PKR ten billion
2.	Karachi Committee Members	Mr. Ahmed Kamal, Chief Commissioner-IR, CTO-II Karachi (Chairman of the Committee). Mr. Faisal Ghareeb, CEO Ghareeb Sons Private Limited Mr. Muhammad Yaqoob Ahmed, Chairman Artistic Milliners Mr. Naveed Ahmed, Chairman Indus Dyeing and Manufacturing Company Limited and Chairman	Exporters falling in the jurisdiction of LTO Karachi, CTO I Karachi, CTO II Karachi, RTO I Karachi, RTO II Karachi, RTO Sukkur, RTO Hyderabad, and RTO Quetta.

		APTMA (Sindh and Balochistan)	
		Mr. Sheikh Zahid Masood, Chief Commissioner-IR, CTO I, Karachi	
		Mr. Abdul Hafeez, Commissioner-IR, LTO Karachi	
		<i>President Karachi Chambers of Commerce – Ex-officio non-voting member</i>	
3.	Lahore Committee Members	Mr. Yasir Ali, Chief Commissioner, LTO Lahore (Chairman of the Committee). Mr. Shahzad Saleem, CEO Nishat Chunian Mr. Azam Malik, CEO Leathertex Gloving Mr. Amir Abdullah, Diamond Sapphire Mr. Munir Sadiq, Chief Commissioner-IR, CTO Lahore Mr. Jibran Masroor, Commissioner-IR, LTO Lahore <i>President Lahore Chambers of Commerce – Ex-officio non-voting member</i>	Exporters falling in the jurisdiction of LTO Lahore, CTO Lahore, RTO I Lahore, RTO II Lahore, and RTO Sahiwal
4.	Faisalabad Committee Members	Dr. Shah Khan, Chief Commissioner-IR, RTO Faisalabad (Chairman of the Committee). Mr. Farrukh Ahmed, Director Kalash Private Limited Mr. Khurram Mukhtar, Patron in Chief PTEA & Director, M/s M. Baksh Ellahi & Sons, Faisalabad Mr. Sohail Pasha, CEO Riaz Enterprises, Faisalabad Mr. Sarmad Qureshi, Chief Commissioner-IR, RTO Multan Mr. Bahadar Ali, Commissioner-IR, LTO Multan <i>President Faisalabad Chambers of Commerce – Ex-officio non-voting member</i> <i>President Multan Chambers of Commerce – Ex-officio non-voting member</i>	Exporters falling in the jurisdiction of LTO Multan, RTO Faisalabad, RTO Sargodha, and RTO Bahawalpur
5.	Sialkot Committee Members	Mr. Khalid Jamil, Chief Commissioner-IR, RTO Gujranwala (Chairman of the Committee). Mr. Ehtisham Mazhar, President Sialkot Chambers of Commerce and Industry Mr. Ajaz Khokhar, Ashraf Industries Mr. Khawar Anwar Khwaja, CEO Anwar Khwaja Industries (AKI) Ms. Amna Faiz Bhatti, Chief Commissioner-IR, RTO I, Lahore Dr. Qurrat-ul-ain, Commissioner-IR RTO Sialkot <i>President Sialkot Chambers of Commerce – Ex-officio non-voting member</i> <i>President Gujranwala Chambers of Commerce – Ex-officio non-voting member</i>	Exporters falling in the jurisdiction of RTO Sialkot and RTO Gujranwala.


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S.A. to Member (IR-Operations)

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1. SA to Chairman, FBR.
2. Chief Commissioners-IR, LTOs Karachi, Multan & Lahore/ MTO Karachi/ CTOs Karachi & Lahore / RTOs Lahore, Faisalabad, Sialkot, Multan and RTO-I & II Karachi.
3. All members of the Committee.
4. Webmaster, FBR for placement on FBR's website.