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**THE UNITED INSURANCE COMPANY OF PAKISTAN LIMITED**  
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### PAYMENT OF INTERIM CASH DIVIDEND (D-08)

We are pleased to inform our valued shareholders that the amount of interim cash dividend at the rate of 10% (Rs. 1.00 per share) has been electronically credited on May 25, 2023 into respective valid International Bank Account Numbers (IBAN) of the entitled shareholders. In case of unavailability of valid IBAN, the Company has withheld dividend in accordance with the Companies (Distribution of Dividends) Regulations, 2017. Shareholders who have not received their dividends may contact the Company's Share Registrar M/s. F.D. Registrar Services (Pvt.) Limited, 1705, Saima Trade Tower, Block-A, I. I. Chundrigar Road, Karachi. Phone Nos. 35478192 & 32271906.

Karachi  
May 26, 2023

**Athar A. Khan**  
Company Secretary



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### ELECTION OF DIRECTORS

Notice under Section 159(4) of the Companies Act, 2017

Members are hereby notified that pursuant to the provisions of Section 159(4) of the Companies Act, 2017, the following persons have filed with Habib Rice Products Ltd. (the "Company") notices of their intention and requisite documents to offer themselves for election as Directors of the Company at the Extra Ordinary General Meeting of the Company scheduled to be held on 05 June, 2023 at 11:00 am at The Institute of Chartered Accountants of Pakistan (ICAP) Auditorium Hall, D-31/8, Chartered Accountants Avenue, Clifton, Karachi.

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| 1. Mr. Gaffar A. Habib     | 5. Ms. Fatemah G. Habib  |
| 2. Mr. Owais G. Habib      | 6. Dr. Salma Habib       |
| 3. Dr. Howard J. Synenberg | 7. Mr. Asad R. Premjee   |
| 4. Mr. Tufail Y. Habib     | 8. Mr. Adil Ahmed Chapra |

Since the number of persons who have offered themselves to be elected are not more than the number of Directors fixed by the Board under Section 159(1) of the Companies Act, 2017, therefore the above listed candidates shall be deemed to have been elected at the forthcoming Extra Ordinary General Meeting.

Detailed profiles of the above candidates are available at the Company's website accessible at: [www.hrpl-financialstatement.com](http://www.hrpl-financialstatement.com)

By Order of the Board  
**Ali Asghar Rajani**  
Company Secretary

Karachi:  
May 26, 2023

through geofencing. The practice of identifying all active mobile phone numbers in an area.

#### Jahangir Hayat

On the evening of May 17, two men in police uniforms and six in plainclothes arrived at Hayat's home in Lahore, according to Lahore Press Club President Azam Chaudhry and Hayat, chief reporter for the privately owned newspaper, both of whom spoke with CPJ by phone. The men did not present a warrant but claimed the journalist was wanted for serious criminal offences, including murder and kidnapping. They then punched his face, breaking his front teeth, and hit his hand with an iron rod, Hayat told CPJ, adding that the men also shoved his 13-year-old son, leading him to hit his head on a motorcycle, and pushed his wife in the chest. Hayat, who reported about the protest on his political affairs YouTube channel BoldNews42, which has more than 5,000 subscribers, told CPJ that the men took him inside his home after the journalist appeared faint, and he then managed to escape and take refuge in the Lahore Press Club.

On May 18, while Hayat and his family remained at the press club, authorities raided the journalist's home searching for him and broke down its iron doors, he said. Hayat and his family returned home on May 21 after Chaudhry contacted multiple senior Lahore police officials, one of whom informed him that authorities would open an inquiry into the attack, the two journalists told CPJ.

#### Sarfraz Ahmed Khan

Between May 21 and 23, police made about 10 visits to the Lahore home of Khan, deputy bureau chief of the privately owned broadcaster GNN. They searched the premises and police officials repeatedly called Khan to tell him an arrest warrant had been issued for him under the Anti-Terrorism Act, according to news reports and the journalist, who spoke to CPJ by phone. Officers also searched the nearby home of Khan's friend on May 21, claiming the journalist was hiding there.

A police document reviewed by CPJ showed that the journalist was present at the May 9 protest and was identified using facial recognition software. The document also listed personal details, including his address, and was leaked online, leading the journalist to fear for his safety, he told CPJ. —CPJ

FPCCI is welcomed the opening and operationalization of UAE's biggest visa centre in Asia in their Karachi Consulate; and termed it a milestone in fostering the People-to-People (P2P) and Business-to-Business (B2B) relations between the two brotherly countries.

Suleman Chawla maintained that this singular step will go a long way to encourage Pakistani businessmen, entrepreneurs, investors, exporters, tourists and students to opt for various states of UAE as their preferred destination for business and tourism.

Suleman Chawla, SVP FPCCI, added that Pakistan, as per the latest census, is a country of 249.56 million; and, Karachi is its business, industrial, shipping, commercial and financial hub and FPCCI appreciates Bakheet Ateeq AlRemeithi, Consul General of UAE in Karachi, for his visionary, proactive and facilitative role for the business community of Pakistan in general and Karachi in particular.

which is jeopardizing PSO's efforts in maintaining an uninterrupted supply of petroleum products in the country.

Keeping in view the critical situation, PSO has requested

disrupted supplies which is unable to pay in an aggregated amount of R

## ECs asked to thru CCTV

### RECORDER REPORT

**KARACHI:** The State Bank of Pakistan (SBP) has advised the exchange companies to ensure continuous 24/7 recording at their premises, even if no movement takes place at their outlets and must maintain CCTV recordings for the specified period.

As per SBP's previous directives, Exchange Companies (ECs) and Exchange Companies of 'B' Category (ECs-B) are required to ensure functioning of CCTV at all times (ie, 24 hours a day and 7 days a week) and preservation of video recording for a minimum period of six months or until inspection of the company by the SBP, whichever is earlier.

In this regard, the SBP has observed ECs/ECs-B in relation to the above-mentioned related to the period.

Besides, it is noticed that the companies are using their cameras that do not record CCTV recordings for a specified period.

According to the SBP, such practice contradicts the instructions regarding recording of CCTV recordings and provides the unscrupulous to use such cameras to avoid capturing the outlets. In view of the above, the SBP has advised ECs/ECs-B

## OGDCL, PRL sign MoU on collaborative growth in energy

**ISLAMABAD:** The Oil and Gas Development Company Limited (OGDCL) recently established a strategic partnership with the Pakistan Refinery Limited (PRL) to identify and pursue potential cooperation opportunities and foster mutual growth in the energy industry of Pakistan.

Both companies have entered into a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) to establish a strategic cooperation relationship in the energy industry. The MoU sets the framework for future collaboration and cooperation between the two companies.

Under the MoU, OGDCL and PRL will engage in good faith negotiations to identify potential areas of cooperation and collaboration. One of the key aspects of this strategic cooperation includes OGDCL's equity investment in PRL as a strategic investor, with adequate board representation,



**ISLAMABAD:** An MoU signed between OGDCL and PRL in collaboration at OGDCL head office, here on

aimed at the upgradation and growth of the refinery.

Both companies will work together to execute necessary agreements, including confidentiality agreements for data exchange, to identify suitable investment opportunities.

The parties will also facilitate and support each other in realizing the objectives outlined in the MOU, with a commitment to defining a specific Scope of Work/TOR for any joint investment opportunity prior to entering into a definitive agreement.

The MOU is effective from the date of signing

and will be mutually beneficial to both parties. Each party bears its own costs in the negotiation and preparation of the MoU.

While the MoU is legally binding, it does not create any legal obligations, commitments or legal avenues for future cooperation and collaboration.

The MoU is subject to commercial and legal review by both parties' legal advisors.

