

NATIONAL NEWS

Jul-Feb SRRB collection shows
24pc growth YoY

KARACHI: The Sindh Revenue Board (SRB) has achieved a remarkable 41 per cent revenue growth in February 2026, followed by an unprecedented growth of Rs 9.3 billion in arrears.

The performance was reviewed by Sindh Chief Minister Syed Murad Ali Shah, who outlined a strategic roadmap for the authority to strengthen the province's fiscal stability.

During a high-level meeting at CM House Thursday, the Chief Minister directed the SRB to intensify efforts to broaden the tax base, take decisive action against tax evasion, and accelerate digital reforms. He emphasised that these measures are critical to consolidating recent revenue gains and enhancing institutional transparency.

The SRB's total collection for February 2026 stood at Rs 54.86 billion, a significant increase from the Rs 34.664 billion collected in the corresponding month of 2025. Cumulative revenue for the current fiscal year, however, has significantly improved

collectively contributed Rs 155.6 billion to the provincial exchequer.

Exceptional growth was noted in several emerging sectors. The Fertiliser and Asset Management sector recorded an astounding 162 per cent growth, generating Rs 5.76 billion and entering the list of top contributors for the first time. Other high-growth areas included goods transportation (50 per cent), software and IT consultancy (49 per cent), and technical and engineering consultancy (44 per cent).

Regional offices also demonstrated strong results, with the Hyderabad Commissionerate collecting Rs 20.9 billion (58 per cent growth) and the Sukkur and Larkana Commissionerates contributing Rs 46.2 billion (41 per cent growth). The Chairman attributed this success to improved monitoring, taxpayer facilitation, and enhanced digital utilisation.

Digitalisation measures have significantly improved

Energy challenges
Sindh decides
to step up
austerity drive

RECOVERER REPORT

KARACHI: The Sindh government has decided to further tighten austerity measures to address potential energy challenges. In this regard, an important meeting of the energy committee was held under the chairmanship of Sindh Minister for Power, Water and Irrigation, Memon Mushtaq Hussain Shah.

The meeting discussed in detail issues related to the efficient use of energy, reduction in government expenditure, and better management of resources without affecting the delivery of public services. The committee decided that the fuel provided to government vehicles will be capped by 50 per cent, while 60 per cent of government vehicles will be grounded immediately. However, operational vehicles, including ambulances, fire brigade vehicles and other essential vehicles will be exempt from this decision.

The meeting also decided that fuel allocations for government departments as well as local government vehicles will be reduced by 50 per cent as per current emergency use of fuel. The Secretary, General Administration (GA), has been given the authority to ground government vehicles and has been directed to submit a daily report to the committee. A formal programme will also be prepared to collect the members and other details of the vehicles to be grounded.

The committee clarified that if any department violates these instructions, the concerned vehicle may be taken directly to the government garage for grounding. The committee, comprising the Secretary GA and the Secretary Finance, has also been tasked to ensure the prompt and complete grounding of the vehicles to be grounded.

The meeting also reviewed the procedure for investigating and recovering vehicles allowed for government use. Committee members directed that the details of all proper vehicles be obtained and the vehicles be recovered as well as possible. A report submitted to the committee.

Country can transition
to clean, largely
fossil-free power system
by 2040: LUMS

RECOVERER REPORT

LAHORE: A new technical study released by the LUMS Energy Institute (LEI) concludes that Pakistan can transition to a clean and largely fossil-free electricity system by 2040 while maintaining affordability, reliability, and long-term energy security.

Titled "The Net Zero Transition: A Pathway to Clean and Sustainable Electricity by 2040", the report is based on detailed power system modelling, demand projections, generation optimisation, and transmission analysis. It is one of the most comprehensive system studies undertaken on Pakistan's electricity sector.

The study shows that share of fossil fuel generation, which currently accounts for nearly half of electricity generation, can be effectively reduced to below 10 per cent by 2040 through renewable energy expansion, energy storage systems, and grid modernisation. The transition pathway is projected to avoid approximately 78 million tons of carbon emissions, positioning the power sector as a central driver of Pakistan's climate objectives.

One of the study's most significant findings highlights how rapid growth in distributed solar generation is reshaping electricity demand profile. Daytime reliance on solar electricity is expected to fall sharply, with minimum system demand projected to decline to nearly 3,000MW. This structural shift will require advanced grid flexibility, optimised storage capacity, and demand-side management to maintain operational stability of the grid.

A 15-year roadmap out-

lined in the study provides a structured generation and transmission capacity expansion plan comprising approximately 8,500MW of solar, 14,000MW of wind, and 7,000MW of battery energy storage, supported by grid reinforcement investments with a total estimated cost of US\$5.5 billion (present value: US\$1.9 billion). The modelling confirms that this transition pathway is technically viable and aligned with maintaining system reliability under high renewable penetration scenarios.

Importantly, the study shows that integrating indigenous renewable energy resources could substantially reduce dependence on imported fossil fuels, thereby enhancing long-term price stability and limiting exposure to global energy market volatility.

The report further highlights emerging investment opportunities in renewable generation, battery storage systems, and grid modernisation. As the power system evolves toward higher flexibility requirements, structured market mechanisms for stability services may become increasingly important, creating additional avenues for capital deployment beyond traditional energy generation assets.

Speaking at the launch, Ms Shabista Perveen Malik, Member of the National Assembly and Convener of the Parliamentary Task Force on Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), appreciated the technical study undertaken by the LUMS Energy Institute and highlighted the importance of evidence-based policymaking in advancing Pakistan's sustainable development agenda. She stated, "Pakistan's transition toward clean and sustain-

able energy is closely linked with our national commitments under the Sustainable Development Goals. Analytical studies such as this help policymakers plan strategic, sustainable, and long-term planning with our energy security and decarbonisation goals."

Dr Musadik Malik emphasized, Pakistan possesses abundant natural endowments, from hydropower and solar potential to vast wind corridors, yet the real pathway to a sustainable future lies in channeling these resources through sound policy and human ingenuity. Reports such as the one presented by the Energy Institute at the Lahore University of Management Sciences provide precisely the kind of evidence-based roadmap needed to guide Pakistan's energy transition toward a sustainable, affordable, and ultimately net-zero energy system."

Dr Faris Ahmad Chaudhry, Senior Advisor at the LUMS Energy Institute and Chairman BOD, National Grid Company, underscored the importance of stability services becoming increasingly important, creating additional avenues for capital deployment beyond traditional energy generation assets.

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