



PAKISTAN STOCK EXCHANGE LIMITED

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Ref. No. PSX/ _____

Date: August 1, 2023

THE DIRECTOR

Corporate Supervision Department
Company Law Division
Securities & Exchange Commission of Pakistan
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THE GENERAL MANAGER

Listing Department
Pakistan Stock Exchange Limited
Stock Exchange Building,
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Dear Concerns,

SUBJECT: DISCLOSURE OF PRICE-SENSITIVE INFORMATION

In compliance with Section 96 of the Securities Act, 2015 and Clause 5.6.1(a) of the Rule Book of Pakistan Stock Exchange Limited (PSX or the Exchange), we hereby convey the following information:

In continuation to PSX's earlier announcements dated June 17, 2022, July 22, 2022 and October 31, 2022, on the subject of PSX's further equity investment in its associated company, Central Depository Company of Pakistan Limited (CDC), we would like to inform you that PSX will not be proceeding to acquire CDC's shares from IGI Investments (Private) Limited and Allied Bank Limited since the Securities and Exchange Commission of Pakistan (SECP or the Commission) has not acceded its approval to such investments. The Commission's approval was required as per the terms of the Central Depository (Licensing and Operations) Regulations, 2016.

Yours truly,

DR. FAKHARA RIZWAN

Company Secretary

Copies to: **Director - Enforcement Department**
Securities Market Division
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Director/HoD – PRDD
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