

GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN
MINISTRY OF ECONOMIC AFFAIRS
{FTC SECTION}

Subject: Minutes of the Meeting of Foreign Training Committee (FTC) held on 25th August, 2023.

A meeting of the Foreign Training Committee (FTC) was held on 25th August, 2023 at 1000 hours. Meeting was chaired by the Secretary, EAD. List of participants is placed at (Annex-I).

2. Keeping in view the eligibility criteria and suitability for the course, the following nominees have been approved by the FTC, subject to the conditions that the nominee is a regular employee and has successfully completed his probation period with no inquiries pending against him/her: -

Sr.#	Title of Training/Course/Seminar	Decisions
1.	Japanese Government MEXT Scholarship under Young Leader's Program (YLP) for Year 2023 at School of Local Governance and School of Government" to be held from October 2024 to September 2025 in Japan.	<u>FTC Recommended the Following Nomination: -</u> <i>(Panel for Principal Candidates)</i> <i>(School of Local Governance)</i> 1. Mr. Muhammad Zubair Khan, Deputy Secretary (UN), Ministry of Economic Affairs, Govt. of Pakistan, Islamabad (Principal) <i>(School of Local Governance)</i> {Subject to IB Clearance and Confirmation that the officer is not on probation and submission of requisite documents, completion of all codal formalities & rules/procedures} 2. Mr. Muhammad Kashif, Assistant Chief, Planning & Development Board, Govt. of the Punjab, Lahore (Principal) {Subject to IB Clearance and Confirmation that the officer is not on probation and submission of requisite documents, completion of all codal formalities & rules/procedures}

3. Mr. Abdul Malik, Chief of Section, Planning & Development Department, Govt. of Balochistan, Quetta **(Principal)** {Subject to IB Clearance and Confirmation that the officer is not on probation and submission of requisite documents, completion of all codal formalities & rules/procedures}

(School of Government)

4. Syeda Saleha Abrar, Deputy Director, Cabinet Division, Govt. of Pakistan, Islamabad **(Principal)** {Subject to IB Clearance and Confirmation that the officer is not on probation and submission of requisite documents, completion of all codal formalities & rules/procedures}

5. Ms. Rana Firdous, Deputy Commissioner, Federal Board of Revenue (FBR), Islamabad **(Principal)** {Subject to IB Clearance and Confirmation that the officer is not on probation and submission of requisite documents, completion of all codal formalities & rules/procedures}

6. Mr. Muhammad Adeel Akbar, Section Officer, Establishment Division, Govt. of Pakistan, Islamabad **(Principal)** {Subject to IB Clearance and Confirmation that the officer is not on probation and submission of requisite documents, completion of all codal formalities & rules/procedures}

7. Mr. Usman Ali, Section Officer, Ministry of Federal Education & Professional Training, Govt. of Pakistan, Islamabad **(Principal)** {Subject to IB Clearance and Confirmation that the officer is not on probation and submission of requisite documents, completion of all codal formalities & rules/procedures}

2.	“Perinatal and Neonatal Health Care” to be held from 17th October, 2023 to 06th November, 2023 in Japan.	<u>FTC Recommended the Following Nomination: -</u> 1. Ms. Nagham Nawaz Awan, Medical Officer, Pakistan Institute of Medical Sciences (PIMS), Islamabad (Principal) {Subject to confirmation that the officer is not on probation and submission of requisite documents, completion of all codal formalities & rules/procedures} 2. Ms. Tahira Sattar, Head Nurse, Pakistan Institute of Medical Sciences (PIMS), Islamabad (Principal) {Subject to confirmation that the officer is not on probation and submission of requisite documents, completion of all codal formalities & rules/procedures}
3.	“Human Resource Development Administration -Through the Promotion of Technical and Vocational Education and Training” to be held from 06th November, 2023 to 09th November, 2023 (Online) and 13th November, 2023 to 01st December, 2023 in Japan.	<u>FTC Recommended the Following Nomination: -</u> 1. Engr. Abid Iqbal, Director (Admin & HR), Technical Education and Vocational Training Authority (TEVTA), Govt. of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Peshawar (Principal) {Subject to confirmation that the officer is not on probation and submission of requisite documents, completion of all codal formalities & rules/procedures} 2. Ms. Asifa Maqbool, Director General, Ministry of Federal Education & Professional Training, Govt. of Pakistan, Islamabad (Alternate) {Subject to confirmation that the officer is not on probation and submission of requisite documents, completion of all codal formalities & rules/procedures}

4.	“Proceeding Ability of Policy Making for Sustainable Forest Management” to be held from 01st November, 2023 to 28th November, 2023 in Japan.	<u>FTC Recommended the Following Nomination: -</u> 1. Mr. Maqbool Ahmed, Deputy Director Soil Conservation Forest Department Balochistan, Quetta (Principal) {Subject to confirmation that the officer is not on probation and submission of requisite documents, completion of all codal formalities & rules/procedures}
5.	Multilateral Seminar on “Livelihood Investment Poverty Reduction Capability Building” to be held from 06th – 26th September, 2023 in China.	<u>FTC Recommended the Following Nomination: -</u> 1. Dr. Syed Ifikhar Altaf, Planning Officer, Planning & Development Department, Govt. of AJ&K, Muzaffarabad (Principal-I) {Subject to confirmation that the officer is not on probation and submission of requisite documents, completion of all codal formalities & rules/procedures} 2. Mr. Musa Raza, Assistant Chief (Coord.), Planning & Development Department, Govt. of the Punjab, Lahore (Principal-II) {Subject to confirmation that the officer is not on probation and submission of requisite documents, completion of all codal formalities & rules/procedures} 3. Mr. Mohammad Abdullah, Executive Officer, Cantonment Board Murree Hill, Military Land & Cantonment, Rawalpindi (Principal-III) {Subject to confirmation that the officer is not on probation and submission of requisite documents, completion of all codal formalities & rules/procedures}

		4. Mr. Muhammad Saleem Ilyas. Assistant Chief (RP-I), Planning & Development Board, Govt. of the Punjab, Lahore (Principal-IV) {Subject to confirmation that the officer is not on probation and submission of requisite documents, completion of all codal formalities & rules/procedures}
6.	Advanced Seminar on "Modern Crop Production and Food Security for Developing Countries" to be held from 06 th – 26 th September, 2023 in China.	<u>FTC Recommended to Re-circulate</u>
7.	Seminar on Industrial Digital Transformation for Belt and Road Countries" to be held from 07 th – 20 th September, 2023 in China.	<u>FTC Recommended the Following Nomination: -</u> 1. Mr. Sagheer Syed Mian, Divisional Engineer (NOC), National Telecom Corporation (NTC), HQs, Islamabad (Principal-II) {Subject to confirmation that the officer is not on probation and submission of requisite documents, completion of all codal formalities & rules/procedures} 2. Mr. Yousaf Zia, Deputy Chief, National Transport Research Centre, Islamabad (Principal-III) {Subject to confirmation that the officer is not on probation and submission of requisite documents, completion of all codal formalities & rules/procedures} 3. Dr. Matiullah Khan, Secretary, Industries, Commerce and Technical Education Department, Govt. of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Peshawar (Principal-IV) {Subject to confirmation that the officer is not on probation and submission of requisite documents, completion of all codal formalities & rules/procedures}

8.	Seminar for "Young Media Professions of Developing Countries" to be held from 13 th - 26 th September, 2023 in China.	<u>FTC Recommended the Following Nomination: -</u> 1. Ms. Hasfa Dar, Information Officer, Press Information Department, Ministry of Information & Broadcasting, Islamabad (Principal-I) {Subject to confirmation that the officer is not on probation and submission of requisite documents, completion of all codal formalities & rules/procedures} 2. Mr. Hafeezullah, Public Relations Officer, Gwadar Development Authority, Gwadar (Principal-II) {Subject to confirmation that the officer is not on probation and submission of requisite documents, completion of all codal formalities & rules/procedures} 3. Mr. Zameer Abbas, Secretary, Information Department, Gilgit-Baltistan, Gilgit (Principal-II) {Subject to confirmation that the officer is not on probation and submission of requisite documents, completion of all codal formalities & rules/procedures} 4. Ms. Um-E-Farwa, Programme Producer, Pakistan Broadcasting Corporation, Islamabad (Principal-IV) {Subject to confirmation that the officer is not on probation and submission of requisite documents, completion of all codal formalities & rules/procedures}
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| | | <p>5. Mr. Muhammad Sohail Khan, Information Officer, Information Department, Azad Government of the State of Jammu & Kashmir (AJ&K), Muzaffarabad (Alternate-I) {Subject to confirmation that the officer is not on probation and submission of requisite documents, completion of all codal formalities & rules/procedures}</p> <p>6. Mr. Sana Saif, Assistant Director, External Publicity Wing, Ministry of Information & Broadcasting, Islamabad (Alternate-II) {Subject to confirmation that the officer is not on probation and submission of requisite documents, completion of all codal formalities & rules/procedures}</p> <p>7. Syed Saad Ali, Deputy Director, Directorate of Press Information, Department, Govt. of Sindh, Karachi (Alternate-III) {Subject to confirmation that the officer is not on probation and submission of requisite documents, completion of all codal formalities & rules/procedures}</p> <p>8. Mr. Zia Ul Amin, Reporter, Associated Press of Pakistan, Islamabad (Alternate-IV) {Subject to confirmation that the officer is not on probation and submission of requisite documents, completion of all codal formalities & rules/procedures}</p> |
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9.	Seminar on "Implementation of UN Convention to Combat Desertification and Sandstorm Prevention" to be held from 07 th – 27 th September, 2023 in China.	<u>FTC Recommended the Following Nomination:-</u> 1. Mr. Nazir Ahmed Kurd, Conservator of Forests, Rakhshan Division, Forests and Wildlife Department, Govt. of Balochistan, Quetta (Principal-I) <i>{Subject to confirmation that the officer is not on probation and submission of requisite documents, completion of all codal formalities & rules/procedures}</i> 2. Mr. Yar Muhammad, Deputy Conservator of Forests, Forests and Wildlife Department, Govt. of Balochistan, Quetta (Principal-II) <i>{Subject to confirmation that the officer is not on probation and submission of requisite documents, completion of all codal formalities & rules/procedures}</i> 3. Mr. Masroor Jamal, Chief Conservator Soil Conservation, Forests and Wildlife Department, Govt. of Balochistan, Quetta (Principal-III) <i>{Subject to confirmation that the officer is not on probation and submission of requisite documents, completion of all codal formalities & rules/procedures}</i> 4. Mr. Irtaza Qureshi, Deputy Conservator of Forest, Azad Jammu & Kashmir (AJ&K) Forest Department, Azad Government of the State of Jammu & Kashmir, Muzaffarabad (Principal-IV) <i>{Subject to confirmation that the officer is not on probation and submission of requisite documents, completion of all codal formalities & rules/procedures}</i> <u>Note:- FTC transferred the nominees as principal-III&IV from Agenda Item No. 04 to Agenda Item No. 09 due to relevancy.</u>
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		5. Mr. Talat Abbas, Sub-Divisional, Forests Officer, Forest and Wildlife Department, Govt of the Punjab, Lahore (Alternate) {Subject to confirmation that the officer is not on probation and submission of requisite documents, completion of all codal formalities & rules/procedures}
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1. PS to Secretary, EAD.
2. PS to Additional Secretary-II, EAD.
3. APS to Joint Secretary (Training-II), Establishment Division.
4. APS to Joint Secretary (UN), EAD.
5. Section Officer (Japan-II), EAD.
6. Section Officer (China-II), EAD.
7. **Assistant Programmer (Computer Section) to up-load the Minutes of the meeting on EAD's Official Website.**
EAD's U.O.No.1 (1) FTC/Minutes/2023, dated 04-09-2023.

Annex-I

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List of Participants

S. No.	Name & Designation	Ministry/Division/Department
1.	Dr. Kazim Niaz Secretary (In-chair)	Ministry of Economic Affairs
2.	Mr. Muhammad Humair Karim Additional Secretary-II	Ministry of Economic Affairs
3.	Ms. Anita Turab Joint Secretary (UN)	Ministry of Economic Affairs
4.	Ms. Nasira Batool Joint Secretary (China)	Ministry of Economic Affairs
5.	Mr. Mian Dad Rahoojo Joint Secretary (Training)	Establishment Division
6.	Mr. Saeed Ashraf Siddiqi Joint Secretary (Japan)	Ministry of Economic Affairs
7.	Mr. Ali Asad Section Officer (UN-III)/Secretary (FTC)	Ministry of Economic Affairs

SECRETARY
Foreign Training Committee (FTC)