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Potential of the Private Sector’

**Chairs’ and Speakers’
Profiles**

Session II: Improving Pakistan's Competitiveness through Dynamism of the Private Sector – Chair/Speakers' Profiles

Jehangir Khan Tareen (Chair)

Mr. Tareen is Federal Minister for Industries, Production and Special Initiatives. He began his political career in 2002 when he was elected as a member of the National Assembly of Pakistan. He has worked as Advisor to the Chief Minister, Punjab on Agriculture and New Initiatives, a Lecturer in University of Punjab and a Banker (Grindlays Bank Lahore). He developed and now manages a 2,500-acre mango and cotton farm in Lodhran with the most modern farming methods. Mr Tareen holds an MBA from the University of North Carolina.

Michael Enright (Keynote Speaker)

Dr Michael Enright is a leading expert on competitiveness, regional economic development, and international business strategy. Dr. Enright joined the University of Hong Kong as Sun Hung Kai Professor of Business Administration, after serving six years as a professor at the Harvard Business School. Professor Enright received his M.B.A. (with distinction), and his Ph.D. from Harvard University. He presently directs the Asia-Pacific Competitiveness Program at the Hong Kong Institute of Economics and Business Strategy and was a Co-Founder of The Competitiveness Institute, a global professional body with over 400 members in more than 40 countries.

Tariq Saigol (Panelist)

Mr. Tariq Sayeed Saigol is Chairman of Kohinoor Maple Leaf Group, which has interests in textiles, energy and cement manufacturing. He has been Chairman of the All Pakistan Textile Mills Association and President of Lahore Chamber of Commerce and Industry, and is currently Chairman, All Pakistan Cement Manufacturers Association. He is also the author of 'Textile Vision 2005', which was adopted by the Government in the year 2000.

Saqib Sherazi (Panelist)

Mr. Saqib Sherazi is the CEO Atlas Honda Ltd. He has worked extensively in Pakistan as well as abroad. He is the Director of Harvard Business School Alumni Association and a member of: Privatization Commission of Pakistan and board of trustees and board of governors, Lahore University of Management Sciences (LUMS). He received his BSc in economics from Wharton School of Finance and MBA from Harvard Business School.

Tariq Rangoonwala (Panelist)

Mr. Tariq Rangoonwala is the Chairman of the Rangoonwala Group of Companies in Pakistan. He is the Chairman of the International Chamber of Commerce - Pakistan (its National Committee in Pakistan) and a member of the ICC's Executive Board in Paris as well as a member of the Business Advisory Council of UNESCAP, the Investment Advisory Committee of UNCTAD. He is currently also the Chairman of the Duke of Edinburgh's International Award Trust Pakistan as well as a member of its Regional Board.

Rashid Farouqi (Panelist)

Dr. Rashid Farouqi is the Senior Policy Advisor, Ministry of Food and Agriculture and also President of the Soil Science Society of Pakistan. His research accomplishments have brought him many coveted honors and awards, including East West Center (Hawaii, USA) Distinguished Alumni Award, PARC Scientist of the Year Award and IRIS Best Article Award. He is also an Editorial

Member of prestigious international journals i.e. European Journal of Agronomy and Communications in Soil Science and Plant Analysis.

Session III: Unleashing Potential of the SME Sector with a Focus on Productivity Improvement – Chair/Speakers' Profiles

Altaf Saleem (Chair)

Mr. Altaf Saleem is Chairman of the Earthquake Rehabilitation & Reconstruction Authority (ERRA) and also the Chairman NAVTEC. He has been granted the status of Federal Minister for both the positions. He is also Chairman of Pakistan Industrial Credit and Investment Corporation and Sui Gas Pipelines Ltd. He is the Founder-Governor of the National Management Foundation and a trustee of LUMS. He founded a trust which runs a teachers training institute in rural Punjab and is actively involved in Red Crescent. Mr. Altaf is also the president of the World Wide Fund for Nature-Pakistan.

Awais Mazhar Hussain (Panelist)

Mr. Awais Mazhar Hussain is the CEO of a vertically integrated knitwear and woven apparel manufacturer /exporter. He is also Chairman of the Board of Directors of Garment City Lahore. He has undertaken the Program for Management Development at the Graduate School of Business Administration, Harvard University and holds a Master's degree in Economics from Punjab University, Lahore.

Shahab Khawaja (Panelist)

Mr. Shahab Khawaja is currently the Chairman of SMEDA, having been in public service for 31 years and served in various capacities. Some of his recent assignments include: Additional Secretary M/o Population Welfare, Secretary Livestock Department, Secretary Agriculture Department and Commissioner Afghan refugees for the Government of Punjab and Joint Secretary Economic Affairs Division.

Taufiq Hussein (Panelist)

Mr. Taufiq A. Hussein is Deputy Governor of the State Bank of Pakistan, and until recently was the Senior Director & Country Manager (Pakistan) of American Express Bank Limited and Director, First International Investment Bank, Pakistan. Mr. Hussein held honorary positions as President, American Business Council of Pakistan; Member, Board of Governors, Lahore University of Management Sciences; and Member, Banking Sub-Committee, Overseas Chamber of Commerce and Industry, Karachi.

Warren Weinstein (Panelist)

Dr Warren Weinstein is the Chief of Party, Pakistan Institute for Strategic Development and Competitiveness. He has a broad background in development in transitional and emerging economies, which includes supervision of field projects, supervision of development programs and grants. Dr Weinstein has extensive experience of, among others: participatory and community based development, competitiveness, SMEs and micro-enterprise development and finance, business development, agribusiness, tourism, infrastructure development (water, communications, etc.), privatization, governance, enabling environment, and training/capacity building. He received his Masters in International Relations and PhD in International Law & Economics from Columbia University, New York.

Session IV: MDGs and Human Development – Chair/Speakers’ Profiles

Javed Ashraf (Chair)

Lt-Gen (Rtd) Javed Ashraf is the Federal Minister for Education. His previous postings include: Federal Secretary for Science and Technology, Federal Secretary & Chairman Pakistan Railways; Federal Minister for Communication and Railways; Chairman Senate Standing Committee for Defence Production and Aviation; and Director General of Military Intelligence. He has been awarded Hilal-I-Imtiaz and Sitara-I-Basalat (twice).

Nasim Ashraf (Keynote Speaker)

Dr. Nasim Ashraf is the Minister of State and Chairman for National Commission for Human Development. He served as the team leader for the President’s Task Force on Human Development. Dr. Ashraf has been a community activist and a member of the Association of Pakistani Physicians of North America. He designed and implemented a highly successful model of primary health care to reduce disease and lower death rates in developing countries.

Jan Vande Moortele (Panelist)

Mr. Jan Vande Moortele is the UNDP Resident Representative and UN Resident Coordinator in Pakistan. Until mid-2005, he was Director of UNDP’s poverty practice in New York. Holding a degree in Development Economics, his work has mostly focused on equity and effectiveness of social and economic policy, public finance and labour markets. Mr Vande Moortele has held positions with UNICEF and ILO.

Pervez Tahir (Panelist)

Dr. Pervez Tahir is the senior most officer of the Economists Group and the Chief Economist/Member Planning & Development Division. Dr. Tahir has served in various capacities in the Ministry of Finance, Planning and Development Division and Economic Affairs Division. Dr. Pervez holds a Ph.D in Economics from Cambridge University, and an M.A in Economics from the University of Colorado at Boulder, USA. He has also been a lecturer in Economics at Government College, Lahore and visiting faculty at the Quaid- e -Azam University, Islamabad.

Shahnaz Wazir Ali (Panelist)

Ms. Shahnaz Wazir Ali has had a long and distinguished career in public service, primarily in the education sector. She spent 18 years in teaching and administrative positions in the private sector before serving as the Senior Education Specialist at the World Bank. One of her many achievements then was the development of The National Education Assessment system for measuring learning achievements in Pakistan. She has served twice on the Federal Cabinet -- as Minister of State for Education and as Special Assistant to the prime minister on social sectors.

Session V: Environmental Sustainability – Chair/Speakers’ Profiles

Tahir Iqbal (Chair)

Major (Retd) Tahir Iqbal has served in the Pakistan Army for 24 years. From 2002 to 2004 he was the Minister of State (Incharge) for the Ministry of Environment, Local Government and Rural Development. In 2004, he was elevated as the Federal Minister for Environment. Major (retd) Iqbal has played an instrumental role in introducing new concepts such as catalytic converters for

emission reductions and other interventions related to reduction in air and water pollution. He has also represented Pakistan at various international forums on the environment. He currently holds the portfolio of Federal Minister for Kashmir Affairs and Northern Areas (KANA).

Syed Babar Ali (Keynote Speaker)

Syed Babar Ali is one of Pakistan's leading businessmen, an educationist and an active environmentalist. As an entrepreneur and industrialist, Syed Babar Ali set up Packages Limited – Nestle Pakistan Limited. He is Chairman of Sanofi-Aventis Pakistan Limited, Bayer CropScience Pakistan Limited, Siemens Pakistan Engineering Company Limited, Coca-Cola Beverages Pakistan Limited and Director of Unilever Pakistan Limited and Mitchell's Fruit Farms Limited. As an educationist, he envisioned and established Lahore University of Management Sciences (LUMS). He is Vice-President Emeritus, World Wide Fund for Nature International, Switzerland and also Pro-Chancellor, Lahore University of Management Sciences and CAO Reference Group, The World Bank, Washington.

Tariq J. Banuri (Panelist)

Dr. Tariq Banuri is the Director of the Asia Centre of the Stockholm Environment Institute. He has extensive experience in Pakistan of policy development, research work and organizing/leading multi-stakeholder participation. He was a leading member of a multi-stakeholder initiative to introduce pollution taxes in Pakistan. He has served on national as well as international policy development bodies and research networks, including the board of governors of Pakistan's central bank, Pakistan's Environmental Protection Council, the Steering Committee on Higher Education established by the President of Pakistan, and the Inter-governmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC), in which he was a convening Lead Author.

Parvez Hasan (Panelist)

Dr Parvez Hassan is a dynamic environmentalist. Currently he is an advocate, Supreme Court and High Courts of Pakistan and also Chairman of: National Environmental Quality Standards Implementation Committee of the Federal Ministry of Environment, and member of the Working Group for the Five Year Plan 2005-10, the Working Group on Trade and Environment, and the National Committee on Environment, Conservation & Earth Sciences of the Federal Ministry of Science and Technology.

Asif Shuja (Panelist)

Mr. Asif Shuja is serving as Director General in the Ministry of Environment and is also head of the Pakistan Environmental Agency which is responsible for enforcement of environmental laws and policies in the country. Mr. Shuja is an engineer by training and obtained his Masters from Steven's Institute of Technology, USA. He has extensive experience of working in the manufacturing industry in Pakistan and abroad.

Session V(a): Social Protection – Chair/Speakers' Profiles

Zubaida Jalal (Chair)

Ms Zubaida Jalal is the Minister for Women's Development, Social Welfare and Special Education. Prior to this she served as Minister for Education in the Federal Cabinet. Ms. Jalal has extensive experience in the field of education: she established a Girls' Primary School in her native Mand, District Mekran, on a self-help basis. The school's good performance led to it being handed over to

the Government of Balochistan. Ms Jalal has also worked as a volunteer with the Family Planning Association of Pakistan. She has traveled widely abroad to study primary education systems in other countries. She was an official delegate with the Pakistan Working Committee for the Fourth World Women's Conference.

Kalanidhi Subbarao (Keynote Speaker)

Kalanidhi Subbarao was until recently a lead economist in the Africa Region of the World Bank, responsible for social protection, poverty and vulnerability. He is currently a consultant on safety nets and social protection for Africa and South Asia Regions of the Bank. Prior to joining the Bank, he taught and conducted research at institutions in Delhi and Berkeley. He has published extensively on the subject of social protection. His recently completed work and current research interests include ageing and poverty in Africa, risk and vulnerability assessments, social protection of vulnerable children, safety net policy and program framework in post-disaster situations, and food aid and food security policies in South Asia and Africa. He has extensive operational experience in the design and implementation of safety nets in countries of Asia, Africa and Central Asia.

A. R. Kemal (Panelist)

Dr A. R. Kemal is the former Director of the Pakistan Institute of Development Economics (PIDE). He holds a PhD in economics from Manchester University, UK. He has held numerous posts in academia and government including: Joint Economic Advisor, Chief Economist of the Planning Commission, Editor of the Pakistan Development Review. He is currently working with the United Nations.

Faisal Bari (Panelist)

Dr Bari is Director of the Mehbub-ul-Haq Development Centre and Associate Professor of Economics at LUMS. A former Rhodes Scholar, Dr Bari received his PhD in economics from McGill University. His fields of research interest are Industrial Organization, Game Theory and Economic Development.

Session VI: Infrastructure – Energy, Water, National Trade Corridor Chair/Speakers' Profiles

Liaqat Ali Jatoi (Chair)

Mr. Liaqat Ali Jatoi is the Federal Minister for Water & Power. His political career started when he was elected as Member of the National Assembly of Pakistan from District Dadu Sindh. He has held numerous senior positions, including: Provincial Minister for Finance, Excise and Taxation, Government of Sindh; Member Provincial Assembly Sindh; Chief Minister of the Province of Sindh; and Federal Minister for Industries and Production.

Asad Shah

Dr. Asad Shah, Member Infrastructure, Planning Commission, has a doctorate in civil engineering from the University of Manitoba, Canada. He has over four decades of experience in broad-based development activities, mainly in infrastructure development. His positions with the Government include Chief in the Planning Commission, and posts in the Planning and Development Department, Government of Punjab. He has also worked extensively for the Asian Development Bank, with over 10 years in management positions such as Director General. Dr Shah has been a

key contributor to the Medium Term Development Framework (2005-2010) and the ongoing work on the long-term strategic framework, Vision 2030.

Ashfaq Mahmood

Mr. Ashfaq Mahmood is currently the Secretary Ministry of Water and Power, but has served in several posts for the federal government of Pakistan. He played a major role in developing policies that brought private sector investment to the power sector, and placed Pakistan at the forefront of the worldwide trend towards privatization. He has also acted as the Government's principal counterpart for USAID's \$105 million Energy Planning and Development Project and led many delegations for negotiations of loans with multilateral and bilateral donors.

Ahmad Waqar

Mr. Ahmad Waqar is the Secretary, Petroleum and Natural Resources. He has held several senior level positions in the Federal Government and has extensive experience in privatization. He has also been the Deputy Auditor General and Member, Capital Development Authority. He holds an MBA from University of Bridgeport in USA.

Session VI(a): Devolution: Progress, Future Priorities and Challenges – Chair/Speakers' Profiles

Daniyal Aziz (Chair)

Mr. Daniyal Aziz is an MNA and Chairman of the National Reconstruction Bureau, Pakistan, and ex-officio chairman of the board of directors for the Devolution Trust for Community Empowerment. He holds BA and MA degrees from Boston University, USA. He has been a consultant to the Government of Pakistan and to various international programs focusing on local government and development. Mr Aziz was elected to the National Assembly in 2002, for the second time.

Dr. Ali Cheema (Panelist)

Dr Cheema is Associate Professor and Head of the Economics Department, School of Arts and Sciences, Lahore University of Management Sciences. Dr. Cheema joined LUMS in 1999 after completing his PhD in Economics from the University of Cambridge, England. Dr. Cheema's current research interests include; institutional and development economics, rent seeking theory, small firm growth, productivity analysis and industrial economics.

Yusuf Ayub (Panelist)

Yusuf Ayub is the District Nazim of Haripur: he was elected to the post in 2005 after defeating the incumbent Raja Amer Zaman. Yusuf Ayub is a grandson of Field Marshal Ayub Khan. He has served as Minister for Local Government in NWFP.

Ashraf Wasti (Panelist)

Ashraf Wasti holds a position as private, non-statutory member of the Sindh Provincial Finance Commission. Mr Wasti has an academic background, working with the Applied Economic Research Centre of Karachi University.

Yusuf Khan (Panelist)

Mr Yusuf Khan is Chief Executive Officer of the Devolution Trust for Community Empowerment (DTCE). The DTCE was established as a non-governmental organization by the Government of Pakistan through the National Reconstruction Bureau (NRB), to proactively promote the community

participation elements of the Local Government Ordinance 2001. Mr Khan, a DMG officer, obtained a Master's in Development Studies from Cambridge. He has worked with IUCN and was later Director General of the Community Infrastructure Project in NWFP.

Session VII: Second-Generation Reform – Chair/Speakers' Profiles

Salman Shah (Chair)

Dr. Salman Shah is Adviser to the Prime Minister of Pakistan for Finance, Revenue, Economic Affairs and Statistics. He has been a key player in Pakistan's economic reform program, launched by the Government since 1999. He has been a Member of the Commission on Transformation of the Economy and a former chairman of the Privatization Commission. He has served on the Board of Governors of State Bank of Pakistan, PIA, Foundation University and the Bank of Punjab. Dr Shah holds a Ph.D. in Finance from Kelley School of Business Administration, Indiana University.

Omar Ayub (Keynote Speaker)

Mr Omar Ayub Khan is a Member of the National Assembly and is currently serving as the Minister of State for Finance. He is also a member of the Young Parliamentarians Forum (YPPF), Pakistan. His professional experience includes serving as Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of software and business companies. Mr Ayub holds BBA and MBA degrees from George Washington University, U.S.A.

Razi-Ur-Rehman Khan (Panelist)

Mr Razi-ur-Rahman Khan is the Chairman of the Securities and Exchange Commission of Pakistan (SECP) and has extensive experience in the field of finance, banking corporate sector, mutual fund, brokerage investment and private equity investment. A chartered accountant by profession, he has worked in Pakistan, in both private and public sectors.

Ishrat Husain (Panelist)

Dr. Ishrat Hussain is former governor of the State Bank of Pakistan. He actively participated in the conceptualization, formulation and implementation of a successful Economic Reform Programme for the country that has led to macroeconomic stabilization and resumption of economic growth. Dr. Ishrat is also responsible for the Financial Sector Reforms that strengthened the country's financial institutions, markets and infrastructure. He has had extensive working experience in Pakistan as well as abroad. He received his Ph D. in Economics from Boston University.

Session VIII: Improving Aid Effectiveness through Implementation of the Paris Declaration – Chair/Speakers' Profiles

Hina Rabbani Khar (Chair)

Ms. Hina Rabbani Khar is the Minister of State for Economic Affairs. She holds a BSc in Economics from LUMS and an MSc in Administration, from the University of Massachusetts.

Kazuo Kodama (Panelist)

Mr. Kodama is the Deputy Director General of the Economic Cooperation Bureau, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Japan. He has had a long illustrious career in the foreign service of Japan. His previous positions include the Minister in Embassy of Japan in the United States and India. He

holds degrees in Law from Tokyo University and a B.A.(Honours) in Politics, Philosophy and Economics from St.Edmond Hall College, University of Oxford.

Soe Lin (Panelist)

Mr. Soe Lin is the Advisor in the Harmonization Unit, World Bank: before this he served as Advisor in the Comprehensive Development Secretariat of the World Bank. He has worked as research economist, economist, senior economist, advisor, manager, and senior executive positions in various organizations, including CIDA, and as an Advisor in the Office of the Canadian Executive Director in the World Bank.

Peter Fedon (Panelist)

Dr Peter Fedon is the Country Director, Pakistan, of the Asian Development Bank. Before ADB, he worked for the External Relations Department of the European Commission in Brussels on countries in the Near and Middle East region. He brings with him a wealth of experience based on more than 20 years of development work in senior technical and managerial positions covering countries in Latin America, Africa, and Asia. Dr Fedon holds a Ph.D. in economics from the University of Berlin and a Master's Degree in Social Science, specializing in social policies and development planning.

Charlotte Seymour Smith (Panelist)

Ms. Seymour-Smith is the Director Asia in the UK Department for International Development (DFID). Previously, she has worked as head of DFID India and held several other positions in the department. She has a doctorate in Social Anthropology and a Masters in Latin American Studies.

Haoliang Xu (Panelist)

Mr. Xu is the UNDP Country Director in Pakistan, Chair of the UN Poverty Reduction Group and Co-Chair of the Donor Poverty Reduction Group. Previously, he was the UNDP Country Manager in Timor-Leste. He has also served in other Asian regions. He has a Masters Degree in International Affairs from Columbia University New York and also holds a Masters in Management from Stevens Institute of Technology.

Jonathan Addleton (Panelist)

Mr Jonathan Addleton is currently Mission Director USAID. Prior to this he was a U.S. Foreign Service officer working with the U.S. Agency for International Development. He has held posts throughout the countries of the Middle East. He has also worked with the World Bank and the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace.