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Associations of Trade & Industry

**Subjects: COMPLIANCE OF RULE 25 OF TRADE ORGANIZATIONS RULES 2013**

Enclosing herewith the directives of the Directorate General of Trade Organizations' Islamabad vide self-explanatory letter F.No. 7(01)/2013-TO dated 25<sup>th</sup> April 2022, on the subject, for necessary information and compliance.

Sincerely yours,

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Secretary General

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**Subject: COMPLIANCE OF RULE 25 OF TRADE ORGANIZATIONS RULES, 2013**

It is informed that Rule 25 of Trade Organizations Rules, 2013 makes it mandatory for all TOs to maintain a website of the TO, the relevant rule is reproduced below for ease of reference:-

- “25. Website.** – *Every trade organization shall within one year from the date of grant of licence create and maintain a website at all times which shall include all relevant information, such as-*
- (a) *up to date list of office-bearers with contact details, executive committee's members, management and members of the general body;*
  - (b) *memorandum and articles of association as well as bye-laws, if any;*
  - (c) *plan of activities and statement of vision;*
  - (d) *schedule of executive committee's meetings and minutes of such meetings; and*
  - (e) *schedule of elections, voters' list and election's results during election period.”*

2. With reference to the above, it is noted that many TOs are non-compliant with above provisions of the law, therefore, FPCCI is requested to circulate this letter among all registered TOs for compliance by 15<sup>th</sup> May, 2022. It may be noted that any TO found non-compliant with the above may incur adverse action under the relevant provisions of Trade Organizations Act, 2013 and Trade Organizations Rules, 2013.

3. This issues with the approval of Regulator (TO).

**(Moin Ahmed)**  
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