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SECP fines 37 defaulting companies

ISLAMABAD, January 4: As part of its enforcement and regulatory function, the Enforcement Department of the Securities and Exchange Commission of Pakistan passed 37 orders, fining defaulting companies besides issuance of 29 show-cause notices in December.

The department imposed penalty of Rs4.425 million on listed and unlisted companies in December for non-compliance with various provisions of the 1984 Companies Ordinance, and Rs2.2 million for non-compliance with various provisions of the 2002 Listed Companies (Substantial Acquisition of Voting Shares and Takeovers) Ordinance. The department also resolved 40 investors' complaints during the month.

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