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SECP registered 23 companies having foreign investment in February

ISLAMABAD, March 14: The Securities and Exchange Commission of Pakistan registered

23 companies having foreign investment in February. In addition, one foreign company was

also registered during the month.

Out of the 23 companies, 6 have investment by foreign nationals from China, 5 from the

U.S., 2 from South Korea and the remaining one each from Turkey, Sweden, Malaysia, the

U.K., Denmark, Romania, the U.A.E., Afghanistan, Iran and Canada. Seven companies were

registered in Islamabad, 3 in Lahore, 11 in Karachi, one each in Peshawar and Multan.

The sector-wise breakdown shows that 4 companies belong to trading sector, 3 each to

services and I.T., 2 each to transport, textile, mining, corporate agricultural farming and 1

each to power generation, construction, chemicals, pharmaceuticals and printing.

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