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ISLAMABAD: The Securities and Exchange Commission of Pakistan registered 206

companies in September. As of September 30, the total corporate portfolio stood at 56,774

companies.

Major share in new incorporation is of private companies totaling to 183 companies. Other

companies include 16 single member companies, 2 public unlisted companies, 4 foreign

companies and one trade organization.

The highest number of the companies, i.e., 31 are from the trading sector. It is followed by

services sector with 23 companies, construction with 16 companies and I.T. with 11

companies. Other sectors with significant new incorporations are communications with 10

companies, followed by transport, and hajj and umrah services with 9 companies each, and

textile sector with 8 companies.

The highest new incorporations, i.e., 71 companies, took place at the Karachi Company

Registration Office (CRO) followed by Lahore and Islamabad registering 62 and 53

companies respectively. The CROs of Peshawar, Multan, Faisalabad and Quetta registered 7,

6, 5 and 2 companies respectively.

The authorized capital and paid-up capital of 206 companies, is Rs168.53 million and Rs

54.37 million respectively. In September, 31 companies increased their authorized capital

with the aggregate authorized capital increment of Rs7.5 billion and 66 companies raised

their paid-up capital with the total paid-up capital increment to the tune of Rs2.82 billion.

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