



FEDERAL B. AREA ASSOCIATION OF TRADE & INDUSTRY

(Registered under Section 3 of the Trade Organizations Act, 2013)

Affiliated with the Karachi Chamber of Commerce & Industry

Approved Election Schedule of Federal B. Area Association of Trade & Industry 2024-2026 Under Trade Organization Act 2013 & Trade Organization Rules 2013

The Election Schedule of the trade organization approved by the Executive Committee in the meeting held on Saturday 10th July 2024

S.#	Description	Proposed Dates 2024-26
01	Announcement of Election Schedule and Appointment of Election Commission as per Rule 14 & 16 of TO Rules 2013	Friday, July 12, 2024
02	Within three days of the announcement of the election schedule member-firms desiring to change their representative shall intimate changes regarding name of representative to the Secretary General along with necessary proof of eligibility.	Monday, July 15, 2024
03	The Secretary General of trade organization shall display, within seven days of the announcement of election schedule, the provisional list of all members eligible to vote along with their national tax number, sales-tax-registration number, if applicable, the name and national identity card number of their representative. The list shall be displayed at- (a) notice board of the head office and regional offices of the trade organization; and (b) website of the trade organization.	Monday, July 22, 2024
04	The members who have any objection to the entries in the list of voters shall send their objections in writing to the Secretary General within seven days of the issuance of the voters list.	Monday, July 29, 2024
05	The Secretary General shall, within five days from receipt of objections under sub-rule (4), intimate action on the objections or changes, if any.	Friday, August 02, 2024
06	Any person aggrieved by decision of the Secretary General may, within three days of receipt of the decision, make a representation to the Election Commission which shall decide the representation within three days .	Monday, August 05, 2024
07	Any person, aggrieved by the decision of the Election Commission or in case the Election Commission fails to decide the representation within the period provided in sub-rule (6), may, within three days of decision by the Election Commission or, as the case may be, on expiry of limitation of the Election Commission under sub-rule (6), make an appeal to the Regulator who shall decide the appeal within ten days and his decision in this regard shall be final.	Thursday, August 15, 2024
08	Within two days of the decision of the Regulator the final voters list shall be- (a) displayed at notice board of the office of the trade organization; (b) displayed at website of the trade organization; and (c) submitted to the Regulator:	Saturday, August 17, 2024
N o A P P e a l	Provided that if no appeal has been filed to the Regulator the final list of voters shall be displayed within fifteen days of the decision of the Election Commission under sub-rule (6) .	Wednesday, August 21, 2024
09	Within four days of display of the final list of voters, any person, who is eligible to contest Elections for the vacant post, shall send his nomination, duly proposed and seconded by a duly registered voter and signed by the candidate, to the Secretary General.	Saturday, August 24, 2024

S.#	Description	Proposed Dates 2024-26
10	Within twenty-four hours of receipt of nomination papers, a copy of the final list of voters shall be provided to each contesting candidate.	Monday, August 26, 2024
11	The nomination papers shall be scrutinized by the Election Commission and list of candidates shall be displayed within twenty-four hours of the last date of receipt of nomination papers.	Wednesday, August 28, 2024
12	The objections, if any, to nomination of the candidates may be filed to the Election Commission within twenty-four hours of issuance of the list of candidates, which shall be decided by the Election Commission within two days.	Thursday, August 29, 2024
13	Within two days of decision of the Election Commission or in case the commission fails to decide within the stipulated time provided in sub-rule (12), any candidate, aggrieved by the decision of the Election Commission or, as the case may be, on expiry of limitation of the Election Commission under sub-rule (12), may file an appeal to the Regulator, who shall decide it within seven days and his decision in this regard shall be final.	Saturday, August 31, 2024
14	Within two days of the decision of the Regulator the Election Commission shall issue final list of the candidates: Provided that if no appeal has been made to the Regulator, final list of the candidates shall be issued within eleven days of the decision of the Election Commission under sub-rule (12).	Monday, September 02, 2024
A	Last Date for withdrawal of nomination.	Tuesday, September 03, 2024
15	Within five days of display of final list of the candidates / Withdrawal, the polling for election of members of Executive Committee shall be held. (TIME 09:00 A.M to 05:00 P.M.)	Saturday, September 07, 2024
16	Within two days of the polling as provided in sub-rule (15), any person elected as member of Executive Committee, shall send, to the Election Commission for election as an office bearer, his nomination duly proposed and seconded by an elected Executive Committee's member and signed by the candidate.	Monday, September 09, 2024
17	The nomination papers shall be scrutinized by the Election Commission and list of candidates shall be displayed within twenty-four hours of the last date of receipt of nomination papers.	Wednesday, September 11, 2024
A	Last Date for withdrawal of nomination.	Thursday, September 12, 2024
18	Within two days of display of final list of the candidates, the polling for election of office bearers shall be held for President, Senior Vice Prersident & Vice President	Saturday, September 14, 2024
19	The final result of the election of members of Executive Committee and office-bearers shall be officially announced at annual general meeting of the trade organization called for this purpose within fifteen days of the date of polling under sub-rule (18) but not later than 30th day of September of the year. The final election results announced in the annual general meeting shall be- (a) displayed at notice board of the head office and regional offices of the trade organization within two days; (b) displayed at website of the trade organization within two days ; and (c) Submitted to the Regulator within seven days.	Saturday, September 28, 2024

Thanks & Regards

Secretary General