

NO.F.2(19) NGO/EAD/2020  
GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN  
ECONOMIC AFFAIRS DIVISION

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Islamabad, August 5, 2022

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: - EXEMPTION OF LOCAL NGOs FROM SIGNING OF MOU WITH ECONOMIC AFFAIRS DIVISION IN EFFORTS TO SUPPORT FLOOD AFFECTEES IN PAKISTAN

The undersigned is directed to refer to the subject cited above and to state that the Government of Pakistan is pleased to exempt all local NGOs receiving Foreign Contributions, that have filed applications for processing with EAD, from signing of MoU with EAD to utilize foreign economic assistance to conduct and continue flood relief, rehabilitation and reconstruction activities in the flood affected provinces across Pakistan, for a period not exceeding six (06) months, with immediate effect 05<sup>th</sup> August, 2022 till February 4<sup>th</sup>, 2023.

2. This exemption will be applicable only to those NGOs who have applied to Economic Affairs Division till August 5, 2022, having valid acknowledgment/Facilitation letter for that project but their decisions are still pending with EAD.

3. This is issued with the approval of the Minister for Economic Affairs, Government of Pakistan.

**NOTE:**

The above exemption will be subject to the following conditions:

- It shall not be applicable to regretted projects/blacklisted NGOs.
- Exemption shall be withdrawn if an NGO is found involved in illegal activities which includes but is not limited to money laundering, works against the national security interests of Pakistan or assisting/ abetting any illegal, nationally or internationally banned organizations.

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Deputy Secretary (INGOs/NGOs)  
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1. The Secretary, Ministry of Interior, Government of Pakistan, Islamabad.
2. The Secretary, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Government of Pakistan, Islamabad.
3. The Secretary, Ministry of Finance, Government of Pakistan, Islamabad.
4. The Secretary, Ministry of Defence, Government of Pakistan, Rawalpindi.
5. The Chief Secretary, Government of Balochistan, Quetta.
6. The Chief Secretary, Government of Gilgit/Baltistan.
7. The Chief Secretary, Government of Khyber Pakhtoonkhwa, Peshawar.
8. The Chief Secretary, Government of Punjab, Lahore.
9. The Chief Secretary, Government of Sindh, Karachi.
10. The Chief Secretary, Government of Azad Jammu & Kashmir, Muzafarabad.
11. The Chairman, Federal Board of Revenue, Islamabad.
12. The Director General, Inter Services Intelligence, Islamabad.
13. The Director General Intelligence Bureau, Islamabad.
14. The Governor, State Bank of Pakistan, Karachi.
15. Chairman Security Exchange Commission of Pakistan, Islamabad.