## GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN MINISTRY OF COMMERCE

(TEXTILE WING)
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Subject:

## MEETING WITH IKEA MANAGEMENT

I am directed to refer to the subject cited above and state that IKEA is considering to find new locations for manufacturing and sourcing products and Asian region is becoming more and more important for IKEA subject to prevailing economical situation across the globe.

- 2. Although IKEA maintains a buying house in Pakistan and sourcing textile products from Pakistan, but efforts are being made to encourage them to relocate their manufacturing to Pakistan. As per preliminary discussions, IKEA may consider Pakistani companies of good repute having experience in retail sectors for franchise and JVs with quality manufacturers of products of IKEA's interest.
- 3. In view of the foregoing, it is requested to provide a list of well-renowned textile manufacturers / exporters complying international standards on compliances, corporate social responsibility and human rights along-with their corporate profiles to this office latest by Wednesday, February 10, 2021.

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- i. The Chairman, All Pakistan Bedsheets & Upholstery Manufacturers Association (APBUMA), Multan.
- ii. The Chairman, Towel Manufacturer Association (TMA), Karachi
- iii. The Chairman, Pakistan Textile Exporters Association (PTEA), Faisalabad.
- iv. The Chairman, Pakistan Readymade Garments Manufacturer & Exporters Association (PRGMEA), Karachi.
- v. The Chairman, Pakistan Hosiery Manufacturers & Exporters Association (PHMA), Karachi.
- vi. The Chairman, All Pakistan Textile Mills Association (APTMA), Islamabad
- vii. The CEO, Pakistan Textile Council (PTC), Islamabad

