



# Pakistan Engineering Council

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## Engineering Accreditation Department

Ataturk Avenue (East),  
G-5/2, Islamabad

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April 10, 2025

### The Vice Chancellors/ Rectors/ Heads of all HEIs Offering Engineering Programs (Sindh Region)

**Subject:** Guidelines to Integrate the Subject "Introduction to Cooperative Housing Society" in Undergraduate Scheme as per Directives of Sindh HEC by following the Orders of Honorable Sindh High Court

**Respected Sir/ Madam,**

Reference to requests of HEIs for PEC guidance and instructions on Sindh HEC letter No. DD (Misc)/SHEC/1-1/2024, dated 08-11-2024 on the subject matter (copy enclosed).

2. The subject matter was placed in PEC Engineering Accreditation Board (EAB) in its 117<sup>th</sup> meeting held on March 20, 2025 and the decision taken by the Board is reproduced below:

*"After Deliberation, the EAB decided that the HEIs in the geographical location of Sindh are allowed to adopt the subject of 'Introduction to cooperative Housing Society' as a non-credit course in undergraduate engineering program, in the light of Honorable Sindh High Court Order in C.P No. 1526 of 2026 & C.P No. D-3503 of 2023."*

3. The decision is being forwarded for information and compliance, please.

**Engr. Osaf Mahmood Malik**  
Additional Registrar/  
Section Head (Curriculum & Dev.)

Encl: As above

Copy to:

- i. The Convener, PEC Engineering Accreditation Board (EAB)
- ii. The Director Academics, HEC, Islamabad
- iii. The Director Admissions, Mehran UET, Jamshoro
- iv. The Deputy Director (Quality Assurance), Sindh HEC Karachi



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No. DD(Misc)/SHEC/1-1/2024

Dated: 08-11-2024  
**COURT MATTER  
MOST IMPORTANT**

To,

The Registrar,  
Public / Private Sector Universities  
in Sindh Province.

Subject: **MA NO. 69 OF 2022 FILED BY M/S MEERUT CHS LTD, CP NO. 1526 OF 2024  
AND 3503 OF 2023 FILED BY M/S HANSA COOPERATIVE HOUSING  
SOCIETY LTD.**

I am directed to refer to the letters issued by this office from time to time along with reminders from 01-01-2024, and letter No. SO(U)U&B/Misc/22-428/2023/3380 dated 29<sup>th</sup> December, 2023 on the subject captioned above, and state that Honourable High Court of Sindh has issued directives on the matter of introduction of "Cooperative Housing Societies" as a subject into the academic offerings of public and private sector universities in Sindh. In this regard, copy of the decision in the cases mentioned herein above is attached herewith for your kind perusal.

It is, therefore, advised to kindly go through the contents of the said decision carefully. Additionally, a meeting has been scheduled on the matter on 14<sup>th</sup> November, 2024 at 3:00 pm at Sindh HEC office to discuss the matter of importance. You are, therefore, requested to kindly ensure your presence in the meeting for meaningful discussion and subsequent decision, so that a comprehensive report may be submitted in the honourable High Court of Sindh, accordingly.

As this is a court matter, it is further requested that top-priority may be accorded to it, and attend the subject meeting on the date, time and venue mentioned above, please.

Enclosed: As above.

*Kishan* 8/11/24  
(INDER KISHAN)  
Deputy Director (Quality Assurance)

A copy is forwarded to:

- 1) Registrar, the High Court of Sindh, @ Karachi.
- 2) Registrar, Cooperative Housing Societies, Karachi.
- 3) PS to the Chairperson, Sindh Higher Education Commission, Karachi.
- 4) PS to the Secretary, Sindh Higher Education Commission, Karachi
- 5) Office File.

**ORDER SHEET**  
**THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH AT KARACHI**

CP.No.D-1526 of 2024  
& CP.No.D-3503 of 2023

**Date:** Order with signature(s) of the Judge(s)

**01<sup>st</sup> October 2024**

M/s. Khalil Ahmed Siddiqui, Zubair Ahmed and Zulfiqar Ali,  
advocates for petitioner.

Mr. Shaharyar Mehar AAG

Mr. Naseeb Haider, Assistant Registrar Sindh Cooperative  
Housing Society.

Mr. Hasnain Shah, Assistant Registrar, Cooperative Department.

Mr. Muhammad Shahzad associate of Mr. Muhammad Haseeb  
Jamali, advocate for Intervener / Higher Education Commission.

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Pursuant to the order dated 10.09.2024 and the judgment passed in  
M.A. No. 69 of 2022 dated 14<sup>th</sup> November 2023, an interim report has been  
submitted on behalf of Chief Secretary Sindh, annexed with a notification  
of a task force/committee, which is taken on record.

Secretary Cooperative Societies has placed on record report  
containing minutes of the meetings of the committee formed by the Chief  
Secretary. With regard to different actions as per task, amendments in the  
relevant laws and revival of cooperative bank, the matter is pending with  
the department and the same is to be submitted with the Worthy Chief  
Minister through Finance Department, Government of Sindh.

Besides, Sindh Higher Education Commission has submitted report  
which reflects that after due deliberations, directions have been issued to  
all public and private Universities to integrate subject of Cooperative  
Societies into their academic offerings. It appears that Jinnah University  
for Women, Karachi, Sindh Madressatul Islam University, Karachi, The  
Shaikh Ayaz University, Shikarpur, University of Sindh Jamshoro, Begum  
Nusrat Bhutto Women University, Sukkur, Government College (GC)  
University, Hyderabad, Sindh, Shaheed Zulfiqar Ali Bhutto Institute of

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Signature of Mr. L. Chairman Sindh  
Higher Education Commission & Intervener

Science & Technology (SZABIST), Sukkur IBA University, Sukkur, Emaan Institute of Management & Sciences Karachi, University of Karachi, Habib University Karachi, Iqra University, Karachi, University of Art and Culture, Jamshoro, Mohammad Ali Jinnah University, Karachi, Benazir Bhutto Shaheed University, Lyari, Karachi, DHA Suffa University, Karachi, Sindh Institute of Management and Technology, Karachi, Shah Abdul Latif University, Khairpur Mirs have given undertakings that directions will be complied with. However with regard to remaining universities, Higher Education Commission has issued reminder notices. At this juncture, associate.. of Mr. Haseeb Jamali, advocate for Intervener/Higher Education Commission seeks time for compliance.

Accordingly, Sindh Higher Education Commission shall ensure that aforesaid subject is taught by the universities from upcoming academic year as well as committee shall also submit further report on the next date of hearing. Office shall ensure that duplicate set of these reports shall be placed in CP.No.D-2604 of 2024 as a part and proceedings which is also same subject matter.

To come up on 04<sup>th</sup> December 2024.

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