

## SUMMARY FOR CHIEF MINISTER SINDH

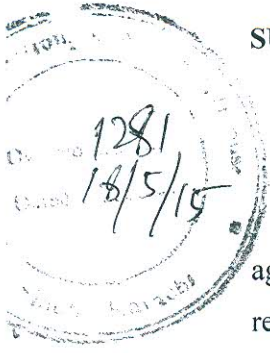
**SUBJECT: APPROVAL FOR PROJECT DEVELOPMENT FACILITY (PDF) FUNDING TO HIRE CONSULTANTS FOR LARKANA FRUIT & VEGETABLE MANDI PROJECT UNDER PUBLIC PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP.**

Wholesale market is the most important link in the supply chain of any agricultural produce. Hitherto, poor logistics and infrastructure facilities in Larkana with respect to wholesaling of fruits & vegetables have seriously restricted development of this extremely high potential area. The existing wholesale market of Larkana is incapable of supporting the large trade volumes taking place as the current physical structure has serious flaws in its design, size and location.

2. The Deputy Commissioner, Larkana Division has reported that due to the existence of Fruit & Vegetable Mandi in the mid city, huge solid waste and waste water spilling in the city limits is causing great difficulties in the provision of effective municipal services to the general public. Moreover, due to presence of mandi, heavy vehicular traffic is also plying in the city which is adversely affecting the quality of life of the people of this largely populated city (copy at F/A)..

3. In the above circumstances, Agriculture, Supply & Prices Department, Government of Sindh is desirous of shifting the existing fruit & vegetable mandi to a new location. It has conceived a project under Public Private Partnership (PPP) mode, to establish a new Fruit & Vegetable Mandi out of Larkana city limits near newly constructed circular road. The Department also intends to ensure that the new facility is developed on international standards to overcome the existing pitfalls with the provision of cold storage facilities to enhance shelf life of fruits and vegetables being the perishable items.

4. The Agriculture, Supply & Prices Department proposes to hire consultants to conduct feasibility study, master plan and provide transaction advisory services pursuant to PPP Act, 2010. In this regard the Project Development Facility (PDF) fund maintained by Finance Department, Government of Sindh, exclusively for PPP projects to hire external consultants may be utilized for the same.



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a) PDF funding to hire consultants for the Larkana Fruit & Vegetable Mandi Project under PPP mode

b) To conduct the feasibility study, master plan, etc. through District Administration Larkana.

6. Chief Minister Sindh may kindly approve the proposal contained in para 5(a) OR 5(b) above.

(SHAHID GULZAR SHAIKH)  
SECRETARY TO GOVT. OF SINDH

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8. The PDF funding request is inline with the Public Private Partnership (PPP) Act 2010 to hire consultants to undertake feasibility study & transaction advisory for Larkana Fruit & Vegetable Mandi project under PPP mode. The consultant would be hired through competitive bidding process pursuant to Sindh public procurement rules. An amount of PKR 30 million approximately, may be earmarked from PDF fund for hiring of consultant. Hence, keeping in view urgency of the matter and to proceed further, the para-5 (a) is endorsed for approval of Honorable Chief Minister Sindh.

(MOHAMMAD SOHAIL RAJPUT)

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10. CHIEF SECRETARY, SINDH

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