



Industrial, regional cooperation to be promoted under CPEC framework

Federal Minister for Planning, Development and Reform, Makhdum Khusro Bakhtyar has said that China Pakistan Economic Corridor (CPEC) project is now entering into the second phase wherein cooperation in the industrial sector will further strengthen the bilateral partnership between the two countries.

Addressing a CPEC Forum on “Regional Cooperation and Industrial development through B2B Cooperation”, the Minister said the partnership between Pakistan and China is decades old and CPEC is an important project of Belt & Road Initiative (BRI).

Bakhtiar said that the incumbent government under the leadership of Prime Minister Imran Khan is introducing reforms in various sectors, adding that China will provide \$1 billion for socio-economic development projects in Pakistan.

Pakistani minister also underlined the need to increase tax-to-GDP ratio for achieving sustained economic development, highlighting that the government was taking various measures to enhance exports.

Khusro Bakhtyar detailed that the consolidation of the second phase of China Pakistan, Free Trade agreement will increase Pakistan's exports by tapping the potential in agriculture, textile, food, minerals, engineering and other sectors.

Deputy Chairman Senate Saleem Mandvi wala, Chinese ambassador Yao Jing, Project Director CPEC Hassan Daud and representatives from different private sectors and senior government officials also attended the seminar.

Gwadar City master plan to be finalized soon

Khusro Bakhtyar has underscored that Gwadar will be transformed into a developed and smart port city of international standards with effective urban strategies, confirming that Gwadar City master plan would be finalized soon.

Chairing the steering committee meeting on Gwadar smart port city master plan, the minister appreciated the work done by Fourth Harbor Design Institute (FHDI) and expressed optimism that the master plan will be submitted to the cabinet for final approval.

"Gwadar port has the potential to improve socio-economic lives of people of the city and Baluchistan at large which will connect the region's land and maritime route thereby benefiting the entire region," Bakhtyar said.

Chief Minister Baluchistan Jam Kamal, Commander Southern Command Gen. Asim Saleem Bajwa, Secretary Planning Zafar Hasan, DG FWO Maj. Gen. Inam Haider Malik, Deputy Chief of Mission at Chinese Embassy Mr. Zhao Li Jian, members Planning Commission, Project Director CPEC Hassan Daud, officials from departments concerned and senior officials of the ministry were present in the meeting.

Govt committed to successful implementation of Gwadar city master plan

Chief Minister Balochistan, Mr. Jam Kamal Khan has vowed that provincial government is committed to successful implementation of Gwadar city master plan.

The chief minister made the remarks during committee meeting on Gwadar Smart Port City Master Plan last month.

CPEC to become economic engine of AJK

Azad Jammu & Kashmir President, Sardar Masood Khan stressed the need for comprehensive planning to turn the territory into the economic engine of Pakistan through China-Pakistan Economic Corridor (CPEC) initiative.

Speaking as chief guest at a one-day conference on “special economic zone – future prospects and potential”, the president said that one of four mega CPEC projects have been completed in Azad Kashmir while initial planning for two more projects has been worked out.

He also urged universities, academia and media to counter a negative campaign against the CPEC initiative besides highlighting its socio-economic benefits.

Pakistan welcomes British investment in CPEC

Pakistan's Foreign Minister, Shah Mahmood Qureshi recently said that the government would welcome British investment in China-Pakistan Economic Corridor (CPEC) project as matters pertaining to the corridor had been discussed in his meeting with British counterpart.

The foreign minister highlighted that CPEC was a flagship project of the Belt and Road project which is a sprawling concept of trade and connectivity, adding that the Chinese projects are public oriented.

Qureshi explained that the think tanks of both China and Pakistan are working jointly for the success of the CPEC, adding that the government is fully committed to the completion of all China Pakistan Economic Corridor projects and initiatives on time.

Special CPEC cell being established at PM House

Prime Minister Imran Khan recently announced setting up a special cell at the Prime Minister House for China Pakistan Economic Corridor which would ensure seamless coordination between businesses of public and private sectors.

In a meeting with 12th NPC Foreign Affairs Committee Vice Chair Zhao Baige, Prime Minister Imran Khan said that Pakistan accorded great importance to China Pakistan Economic Corridor (CPEC) projects.

The prime minister said it was a matter of great satisfaction to note that all-weather and time-tested Pak-China friendship was transforming into a robust economic partnership.

Pakistan wants to learn from the Chinese experience and expertise in different sectors, the prime minister highlighted.

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PRICE	1,350,000/-	2,200,000/-	4,000,000/-	4,000,000/-	8,900,000/-
(20%) DOWN PAYMENT	270,000	440,000	800,000	800,000	1,780,000

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Abdul Saboor Shaikh
Chief Executive

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