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To: **Mr. Mahmood Nara**
Chairman
Pakistan Knitwear & Sweater Exporters Association (PAKSEA)

CC: **NUTECH Industry Facilitators**

Subject: **NUTECH Delegation Visit To Karachi**

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Greetings from NUTECH!

1. It is intimated that a joint NUTECH and IST team including Brig Dr. Atif Ali (Retd) , Brig Dr. Syed Adnan Qasim (Retd) and Mr. Hasham Zafar along with NUTECH industrial facilitators, will be visiting Karachi Industry from 20-23 April 2026. The purpose of the visit is to brief industrialists about the formation of a **Joint Industrial Research Consortium (JIRC)** between NUTECH and IST. The consortium aims to facilitate the industrial sector by providing solutions through research as per following framework: -

- a. Proposed framework for conversion of technical issues/ challenges/ up gradations/ import substitutions/ value additions etc into active research including various stages such as feasibility, proof of concept, prototyping, final solution/product stage etc.
- b. Role of industry during the research and commercialization of research outcome/ solutions/products.
- c. Creation of strong Interface/bridge between industry and researchers
- d. Monitoring mechanism of ongoing research.
- e. Training / Skill development of HR and professional development courses for industrial managers.

2. The interaction/meeting time with each Setup/Estate/Association will be around 80 minutes and will comprise of a brief presentation on proposed framework (20 mins) by NUTECH, followed by discussions / suggestions. In view of above, a suitable time slot with maximum participation from all stake holders of your respective setups be shared at the earliest with Manager NUTECH point of contact office Karachi, **Mr Shameer Kausar** (Cell +92 3312400263, Email : Shameerkausar@nutech.edu.pk). Your cooperation in this regard will be highly appreciated

With Profound Regards.

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