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BUSINESS RECORDER

[Super Tax to be recovered in instalments: FBR announces major relief for corporate sector](#)

ISLAMABAD: Chairman Federal Board of Revenue (FBR), Rashid Mahmood Langrial on Wednesday announced major relief for the corporate sector, stating that the FBR is prepared to recover Super Tax from business community in installments on a case to case basis.

[Govt to review tax rates for highest salary slab](#)

ISLAMABAD: Finance Minister Muhammad Aurangzeb Wednesday said the government will review the tax rates on the highest salary slab or top income earners in the next federal budget exercise.

[FBR chief offers to name influential figures obstructing tax drive](#)

ISLAMABAD: In a bold move, Federal Board of Revenue (FBR) Chairman Rashid Mahmood Langrial on Wednesday offered to name influential individuals blocking the bureau's crackdown on tax evasion and fraud, surprising members of the Senate Standing Committee on Finance.

[PHMA slams announcement of four consecutive holidays](#)

FAISALABAD: "The sudden and unplanned announcement of four consecutive holidays by the Punjab government has severely undermined its stated agenda of economic revival and shaken the confidence of the business community, including foreign investors, traders, and exporters, while seriously disrupting the industrial supply chain."

DAWN NEWSPAPER

[Govt ready to collect Rs217bn super tax arrears in instalments](#)

- FBR ready to consider super tax recoveries on a case-to-case basis, Senate panel told
- Aurangzeb says IMF mission due by month end, external financing needs fully covered.
- Reveals discussions underway with UAE; currency notes being changed

[Power consumers to pay 42 paise more in Apr-Jun](#)

ISLAMABAD: The electricity consumers across the country are estimated to pay around 42 paise per unit additional charges for April to June mostly on account of capacity charges paid to power producers during the second quarter (October-December) of FY26.

[Returns on T-bills raised up to 39bps](#)

KARACHI: In the first auction after a surprise status quo in the monetary policy, the cut-off yields on the treasury bills were increased on Wednesday by up to 39 basis points, bringing the returns close to the State Bank's policy rate of 10.50 per cent.

KWSC launches app to book water tankers, lodge complaints

KARACHI: The Karachi Water and Sewerage Corporation (KWSC) on Wednesday introduced KWSC Unified App aimed at modernising the city's water and sewerage services through a single, integrated mobile platform.

THE NEWS INTERNATIONAL

FPCCI's Pakistan-EU business forum invites membership for 2026

KARACHI: The Pakistan-EU Business Forum at the Federation of Pakistan Chambers of Commerce and Industry (FPCCI) has invited applications for new membership and renewal of existing membership for 2026, with the last date for submission set as February 16, 2026.

SM Tanveer hails launch of first transparency index

LAHORE: Former President of the FPCCI SM Tanveer has congratulated FPCCI President Atif Ikram on the launch of Pakistan's first home-grown survey, the Index of Transparency and Accountability in Pakistan (ITAP), developed in collaboration with Ipsos.

K-Electric CEO Moonis Alvi resigns

KARACHI: K-Electric Chief Executive Officer (CEO) Syed Moonis Abdullah Alvi has resigned from his position, sources confirmed on Wednesday. According to insiders, Alvi had been under significant mental stress for several months following harassment allegations lodged by a former K-Electric employee.

T-bill yields rise

KARACHI: The government raised Rs784 billion (realised value) from the auction of market Treasury bills on Wednesday, with yields increasing across all tenors, returning to double digits. The one-month T-bill cut-off yield rose 30 basis points (bps) to 10.1977 per cent,

Rupee marginally up

KARACHI: The rupee edged higher against the dollar in the interbank market on Wednesday. The rupee closed at 279.72 per dollar, up 0.01 per cent from its close at 279.75 in the previous session.

Gold extends rally, up Rs14,800 per tola

KARACHI: Gold prices continued their upward momentum in the local market on Wednesday, rising by Rs14,800 per tola, in line with fresh gains in the international bullion market. According to the All Pakistan Sarafa Gems and Jewellers Association (APSGJA), the price of 24-carat gold increased to Rs529,162 per tola.

TRIBUNE NEWSPAPER

EU, US tariff changes trigger export emergency call

KARACHI: Exporters of the value-added textile sector have demanded the declaration of an export emergency and the convening of an urgent consultative meeting, citing growing threats to Pakistani value-added apparel and textile exports in the European Union and United States markets.

NEPRA to abandon solar net metering

ISLAMABAD: The National Electric Power Regulatory Authority (Neptra) is set to move ahead with the plan of switching from net metering to net billing, which can spark a backlash from consumers.