

## File No: 2(488)/AGR/EXM/CCP/2020 COMPETITION COMMISSION OF PAKISTAN **GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN**

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#### RENEWED EXEMPTION CERTIFICATE

In pursuance of the powers conferred by Section 5 read with Section 9 of the Competition Act, 2010 (the Act), the Competition Commission of Pakistan (the Commission) hereby grants exemption from the application of Section 4 of the Act, details whereof are given here below:-

### **DETAILS OF THE AGREEMENT(S)**

M/s. HASCOL TERMINALS LIMITED (hereinafter referred to as 'Company') (i) **Business Address:** 

The forum, 1st Floor, Suite 102, G-20, Khayaban-e-Jami, Block -09, Clifton, Karachi.

M/s. VTTI UAE B.V., (hereinafter referred to as 'VTTI') Business Address: K.P. van der Mandelelaan 130, 3062 MB Rotterdam, the Netherlands.

M/s. HASCOL PETROLEUM LIMITED (hereinafter referred to as 'Hascol') (iii) Business Address: Suite 105-106, 1st Floor, The Forum Khayaban e Jami, Clifton, Karachi.

M/s. FOSSIL ENERGY (PVT.) LIMITED (hereinafter referred to as 'Fossil') (iv) Business Address: P & O Plaza, Ground Floor, I.I Chundrigar Road, Karachi.

M/s. ST LOGISTICS (PVT.) LIMITED (hereinafter referred to as 'STL')

**Business Address:** Suite 103, 1st Floor, Progressive Plaza, 5-CL-Civil Lines, Beaumont Road, Karachi.

Type of agreement(s): Share Subscription Agreement (SSA) & Joint Venture Agreement (JVA)

Date entered into: May 22, 2017 & January 03, 2017

Validity Period: For indefinite Period, unless terminated by the parties according to terms and conditions

contained in the agreements

#### **DETAILS OF THE EXEMPTION**

Exemption granted until: 31-01-2023

Condition(s):

- 1. By virtue of exemption granted hereunder the Applicant shall not engaged directly or indirectly in any abusive practice(s) and/or conduct(s), prohibited under Section 3 & 4 of the Competition Act, 2010;
- 2. The Applicant shall intimate to the Commission in case of any amendment(s) made to the JVA & SSA;
- 3. The grant of Exemption is only limited to construction of hydrocarbon storage and distribution terminal in Pakistan at PQA as defined under the Interpretation clause -1 ('Project') of the JVA January 3rd 2017;
- This exemption is effective only for the territory of Pakistan;
- The Commission reserves the right to impose any condition(s) at the time of considering extension, if any; and
- Breach of a condition shall have the effect of cancellation of the exemption.





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Without prejudice to the generality of Section 6 of the Act, the grantee of the exemption shall inform the Commission forthwith and seek clearance for continuation of the exemption if there is any change, *inter alia*, in: (i) the terms of the agreement; (ii) the market share of the parties to the agreement; or (iii) the circumstances in the market in which the parties are operating.

Granted on this the 29 day of January 2021 at Islamabad.



Syed Umair Javed
Registrar
Competition Commission of Pakistan
Government of Pakistan
Islamabad

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