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Essential food commodities

CCP drafts number of viable proposals on price control mechanism

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ISLAMABAD: The Competition Commission of Pakistan (CCP) has drafted a number of viable proposals on the price control mechanism for essential food commodities in the country and relevant ministries and departments have endorsed proposals of the commission.

In this regard, the CCP on the direction of the Minister for Finance Senator Ishaq Dar, given during the last National Price Monitoring Committee (NPMC), conducted a meeting here on Thursday to finalise its recommendations on the price control mechanism for essential food commodities.

The meeting was chaired by Ikram ul Haque Qureshi, Member (Cartels & Trade Abuses, and Legal) of CCP.

Proposals put forward by CCP include: devising and implementing a uniform pricing formula by all provinces at wholesale level; mapping of commodities' supply in the country; establishment of agricultural supermarkets for farmers on public private partnership model; establishing a monitoring commission to decide on timely import and export permissions related to food commodities; fixing supporting price of declining crops, and maintaining a security buffer stock to counter supply shortages.

During the meeting, views and opinions of all the relevant federal and provincial government departments were taken into account. Those who attended the meeting include senior officials of the Ministry of Commerce, Ministry of Planning and Development, Ministry of Inter-provincial Coordination, Federal

Board of Revenue, Pakistan Bureau of Statistics, Utilities Stores Corporation, Food and Industries Departments of Punjab, Balochistan, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa and Sindh, and Islamabad Capital Territory Administration.

Ikram ul Haque Qureshi, Member (Cartels & Trade Abuses, and Legal) of CCP, briefed the participants about the need for strengthening the existing price control mechanisms in order to ensure supply of essential food commodities at competitive prices to the consumers. The participants greatly appreciated the recommendations given by CCP and offered their support in implementing the same to benefit the consumers.

A presentation on CCP's short and long term proposals was given by Shaista Bano, Director General (Cartels & Trade Abuses), CCP. The commission's proposals included establishment of agricultural supermarkets for farmers on public private partnership model and establishing a monitoring commission to decide on timely import and export permissions related to food commodities.

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CCP meeting discusses price control mechanism

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A CCP media statement said the meeting was convened on the direction of Minister for Finance Ishaq Dar to finalise recommendations on the price control mechanism for essential food commodities.

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CCP Member Cartels and Trade Abuses and Legal, Ikram ul Haque Qureshi briefed about the need for strengthening the existing price control mechanisms to ensure supply of essential food commodities at competitive prices to consumers.

The meeting proposed for devising and implementing a uniform pricing formula by all provinces at wholesale level and mapping of commodities supply in the country.

It also suggested setting up of agricultural supermarkets for farmers on public-private partnership model and establishing a monitoring commission to decide on timely import and export permissions related to food commodities.

The meeting recommended fixing of support price of declining crops and maintaining a security buffer stock to counter supply shortages.

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CCP for monitoring commission to control prices

Mehtab Haider

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CCP for strengthening price control mechanisms



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پرائس کنٹرول میکنزم پر سفارشات کیلئے اجلاس

مساجد کی پیشین گوئی زرعی سپر مارکیٹ کا تصویب کرایا

غذائی ٹریڈ کمیشن، رسدی نقشے، تمام صوبوں میں یکساں ہول سیل پرائس فارمولے، امدادی قیمت اور بفر اسٹاک کی بھی سفارشات

وفاقی و صوبائی محکموں نے بھی آراء دیں، تجاویز پر غور کر کے حتمی سفارشات پرائس مانیٹرنگ کمیٹی کو پیش کرینگے، سی سی پی

کرنے پر زور دیا تاکہ صارفین کو کھانے پینے کی ایشیا کی بہتر قیمتوں پر فراہمی یقینی بنائی جاسکے۔ ڈائریکٹر جنرل کارٹل اینڈ ٹریڈ ایب یوزر سی پی شانتہ بانو نے کمیشن کی سفارشات پر پریزنٹیشن دی، ان سفارشات کے اہم نکات میں تمام صوبائی حکومتوں کی جانب سے ہول سیل مارکیٹ میں یکساں قیمتوں کا فارمولا، ضروری غذائی ایشیا کی رسد کا نقشہ بنانا، کسانوں کیلئے پبلک پرائیویٹ پارٹنرشپ کے تحت زرعی سپر مارکیٹ کا قیام، ضروری غذائی ایشیا کی بروقت درآمد اور برآمد کی اجازت سے متعلق فیصلوں کیلئے مانیٹرنگ کمیٹی کا قیام، زوال پزیر فصلوں کی امدادی قیمت کے تعین اور قلت سے بچنے کیلئے سیکورٹی بفر اسٹاک کا انتظام شامل ہیں، مسابقتی کمیشن اپنی سفارشات کو شرکاء کی تجاویز کی روشنی میں حتمی شکل دے کر نیشنل پرائس مانیٹرنگ کمیٹی کے اجلاس میں پیش کرے گا۔

پر عمل کرتے ہوئے بلا یا گیا، اجلاس میں وزارت تجارت، وزارت پلاننگ و ڈیولپمنٹ، صوبائی رابطے کی وزارت، ایف بی آر، پاکستان بیورو شماریات، یوٹیلیٹی اسٹورز کارپوریشن، تمام صوبائی فوڈ اینڈ انڈسٹری ڈپارٹمنٹس اور اسلام آباد کی انتظامیہ کے اعلیٰ حکام نے شرکت کی، مسابقتی کمیشن کے ممبر کارٹل اینڈ ٹریڈ ایب یوزر ولنگل اکرام الحق قریشی نے اجلاس کو بریف کرتے ہوئے موجودہ پرائس کنٹرول کے طریقہ کار کو مضبوط

اسلام آباد (نمائندہ ایکسپریس) مسابقتی کمیشن آف پاکستان (سی سی پی) نے غذائی ایشیا کی قیمتوں کو کنٹرول کرنے کے طریقہ کار کو حتمی شکل دینے کیلئے گزشتہ روز اعلیٰ سطح کے اجلاس کا انعقاد کیا جس میں تمام وفاقی اور صوبائی محکموں کی آراء اور تجاویز پر غور کیا گیا۔ جمعرات کو جاری کردہ اعلامیے کے مطابق مذکورہ اجلاس وفاقی وزیر خزانہ اسحاق ڈار کی جانب سے حالیہ نیشنل پرائس مانیٹرنگ کمیٹی کے اجلاس میں دی گئی ہدایت

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غذائی اشیاء کی قیمتوں کے بارے میں مسابقتی کمیشن میں اجلاس

دالوں میں وزارت تجارت، وزارت پلاننگ اور ڈیولپمنٹ مصوبائی راجیل کی وزارت، فیڈرل بورڈ آف ریونیو، ادارہ شماریات، یونیٹیلی اسٹورز کارپوریشن، تمام صوبائی فوڈ اینڈ اینڈسٹری ڈیپارٹمنٹس اور اسلام آباد کی انتظامیہ کے اعلیٰ حکام نے شرکت کی۔ مسابقتی کمیشن آف پاکستان کے ممبر کارٹل اینڈ ٹریڈ اینڈ زوار ریلنگل اکرام الحق قریشی نے اجلاس کو بریف کرتے ہوئے موجودہ پرائس کنٹرول کے طریقہ کار کو مضبوط کرنے پر زور دیا، تاکہ صارفین کو اشیاء خوردہ کی بہتر قیمتوں پر فراہمی یقینی بنائی جاسکے۔

اسلام آباد (کامرس ڈیسک) مسابقتی کمیشن آف پاکستان کے زیر اہتمام آج ایک اعلیٰ سطح کا اجلاس منعقد ہوا جس میں ضروری غذائی اشیاء کی قیمتوں کو کنٹرول کرنے کے طریقہ کار پر کمیشن کی جانب سے پیش کردہ سفارشات پر بحث کر کے حتمی شکل دی گئی۔ یہ اجلاس وفاقی وزیر خزانہ اسحاق ڈار کی جانب سے پیشمل پرائس مانیٹرنگ کمیٹی کے گزشتہ اجلاس میں دی گئی ہدایت کے مطابق منعقد کیا گیا۔ اجلاس میں وفاقی اور صوبائی حکومتوں کے متعلقہ محکموں سے اس سلسلے میں ان کی رائے حاصل کی گئی۔ اجلاس میں شرکت کرنے