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**“CCP Approves Acquisition of Shareholding in Singaporean Company with presence in Pakistani Shipping Industry”**

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### RECORDER REPORT

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By Our Staff Reporter

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## CCP approves merger in deep-sea container sector

**By our correspondent**

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According to CCP', PIL Pte. has an indirect subsidiary in Pakistan called Pacific

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- Both companies have significant presence in Pakistani Shipping Industry

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GHULAM ABBAS

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## CCP Allows Singapore Shipping Industry Giant to Merge With Subsidiary in Pakistan

By ProPK Staff | Published Jan 2, 2024 | 6:51 pm



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<https://propakistani.pk/2024/01/02/ccp-allows-singapore-shipping-industry-giant-to-merge-with-subsidiary-in-pakistan/>



## *CCP Approves Acquisition of Shareholding in Singaporean Company with presence in Pakistani Shipping Industry*

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<https://www.bolnews.com/business/2024/01/ccp-approves-acquisition-of-shareholding-in-singaporean-company-with-presence-in-pakistani-shipping-industry/>

## CCP Approves Deep-Sea Shipping Merger, Signalling Foreign Interest in Pakistan's Cargo Industry



By: **Rizwan Shah** Published: January 2, 2024 at 8:45 pm EST

The Competition Commission of Pakistan (CCP) has greenlit a merger in the deep-sea container liner shipping services sector between Singapore-registered companies M/S PIL Holdings Pte. Ltd and M/S PIL Pte. Ltd. This merger implies a burgeoning interest from foreign companies in Pakistan's cargo and shipment industry.

### Merger Details

The merger involves PIL Holdings acquiring a small stake in PIL Pte. Ltd. The latter maintains an indirect subsidiary in Pakistan, Pacific Delta Shipping (PDSPL), which functions as the appointed local agent for PIL Pte. Ltd Group. PDSPL is responsible for managing shipments and cargo within Pakistan.

### Company Profiles

PIL Holdings primarily engages in investment holdings, while PIL Pte. Ltd operates an international carrier, maintaining a significant presence in various global regions. It is notably active on the shipping route from Far East Asia to Pakistan, incorporating numerous countries en route.

### CCP's Approval

Following a phase 1 review, the CCP concluded that the merger would not result in PIL Holdings asserting dominance in the relevant market. This finding led to the authorization of the merger, which, in turn, is expected to enhance efficiency and competitiveness in the deep-sea shipping sector.

<https://bnnbreaking.com/world/pakistan/ccp-approves-deep-sea-shipping-merger-signalling-foreign-interest-in-pakistans-cargo-industry/>



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## CCP Approves Acquisition of Shareholding in Singaporean Company

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<https://www.telecoalert.com/2024/01/03/ccp-approves-acquisition-of-shareholding-in-singaporean-company/>

## سی سی پی: سنگاپور کی کمپنی میں شنیر ہولڈنگ کے حصول کی منظوری

مرجر پاکستان کے کارگو اور شپمنٹ سیکٹر میں غیر ملکی اداروں کی دلچسپی کو ظاہر کرتا ہے

اسلام آباد (نامہ نگار خصوصی) کمپنیشن لمیشن آف پاکستان (سی سی پی) نے گہرے سمندر میں کنٹینرز لائسنس ہینگ سروسز مارکیٹ میں دو کمپنیوں کے مرجر) انضمام (کی منظوری دیدی۔ اس مرجر کی منظوری سے پی آئی ایل ہولڈنگ پی ٹی ای لمیٹڈ نے پی آئی ایل، پی ٹی ای لمیٹڈ میں محدود شنیر ہولڈنگ حاصل کر لی ہے یہ دونوں کمپنیز سنگاپور میں رجسٹرڈ ہیں۔ پی آئی ایل، (باقی صفحہ 6 بقیہ نمبر 48)

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پی ٹی ای کی پاکستان میں ایک ان ڈائریکٹ ماتحت کمپنی پوسٹل ڈیلٹا ہینگ کے نام سے کام کر رہی ہے۔ پوسٹل ڈیلٹا ہینگ پاکستان میں نامزد مقامی ایجنٹ کے طور پر کام کرتا ہے اور پی آئی ایل، پی ٹی ای کے لئے ترسیل اور کارگو کے انتظام میں مدد کرتا ہے۔ یہ مرجر پاکستان کے کارگو اور شپمنٹ سیکٹر میں غیر ملکی اداروں کی دلچسپی کو ظاہر کرتا ہے۔

## سی سی پی نے سنگا پور کی کمپنی میں شیئر ہولڈنگ

### کے حصول کی منظوری دے دی

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## سی سی پی شپنگ انڈسٹری میں مصروف عمل، دو کمپنیوں کا انضمام

کمپنیشن کمشن نے سنگاپور کی کمپنی میں شیر ہولڈنگ کے حصول کی منظوری دے دی

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سی ای پی نے ہیپنگ انڈسٹری میں  
مصرف عمل سنگاپور کی کمپنی  
میں شیئر ہولڈنگ کے حصول کی منظوری

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پی آئی ایل، پی ٹی ای لمیٹڈ میں محدود شیئر ہولڈنگ حاصل کر لی ہے۔ یہ دونوں کمپنیز سنگاپور میں رجسٹرڈ ہیں۔ پی آئی ایل، پی ٹی ای کی پاکستان میں ایک ان ڈائریکٹ ماتحت مہنی پیسیفک ڈیلٹا ہیپنگ کے نام سے کام کر رہی ہے۔ پیسیفک ڈیلٹا ہیپنگ پاکستان میں تاحزو مقامی ایجنٹ کے طور پر کام کرتا ہے اور پی آئی ایل، پی ٹی ای کے لئے ترسیل اور کارگو کے انتظام میں مدد کرتا ہے۔ یہ مرجر پاکستان کے کارگو اور شیمنٹ سیکٹر میں غیر ملکی اداروں کی دلچسپی کو ظاہر کرتا ہے۔