

NKATI concerned over gas supply

KARACHI: North Karachi Association of Trade and Industry (NKATI) on Friday urged the government to suspend gas supply to the CNG sector for two months to save export industries from disaster.

NKATI Patron in Chief Captain A Moiz Khan and President and SVP Naseem Akhtar in a joint statement said industries help increase exports whereas the CNG sector was not an economically viable initiative.

"Due to non-availability of gas, 80 percent production activities of industries have been stalled in North Karachi industrial area. As a result of which hundreds of people would be unemployed and export orders may also be cancelled," they pointed out.