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**Ease of Doing Business Index, FPCCI chief felicitates PM for improving Pakistan's ranking**

KARACHI: Federation of Pakistan Chambers of Commerce and Industry (FPCCI) president Engr Daroo Khan Achakzai felicitated the Prime Minister Imran Khan and his team for improving Pakistan's ranking from 136 to 108 in Ease of Doing Business 2020 report issued by World Bank.

FPCCI president said improvement in ranking will improve the business environment and overall economy become visible because of the reforms introduced by the government which will focus on the mandate of ensuring well being of masses and providing quality education and health to all segment of society.

Daroo Khan said the report indicated that the World Bank and other institutions have started recognition of Pakistan's Business reforms. He said the improving of Pakistan in Ease of Doing Business will definitely pave the way in encouraging the international investors to make substantial investment in Pakistan as most of the international investors make decisions of investment on the basis of this report.

He said the present government has achieved another milestone of their manifesto i.e. to bring Pakistan into top investment destinations. He hoped that the continuous reforms of the government will bring Pakistan into top 80 countries next year.

Daroo Khan added that Pakistan's ranking had improved in six indicators i.e. starting a business, dealing with construction permits, getting electricity, registering property, paying taxes and trading across borders which made Pakistan in top ten business reformer countries. This will also facilitate the other countries to investment in CPEC related projects which will connect South Asia with Central Asia and Europe.