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BUSINESS RECORDER

[Super tax is additional tax on income: FCC](#)

ISLAMABAD: In a significant ruling with far-reaching implications for Pakistan's tax regime, the Federal Constitutional Court has categorically held that super tax is an additional tax on income drawing its legislative sanction from Entry 47 of Part I of the Federal Legislative List of the Constitution.

[LNG supplies arrive, load-shedding ends: Leghari](#)

ISLAMABAD: Federal Minister for Power Division, Awais Ahmed Khan Leghari on Friday announced that scheduled electricity load management across the country has been brought to an end following the arrival of liquefied natural gas (LNG) supplies.

[MENAP region: ME conflict may create 'significant' economic slowdown: IMF](#)

ISLAMABAD: Dr Mahir Binici, Resident Representative of International Monetary Fund (IMF) in Pakistan, has said that the ongoing Middle East conflict is likely to create a significant economic slowdown and heightened risks across the Middle East, North Africa, Afghanistan and Pakistan (MENAP) region.

DAWN NEWSPAPER

[Minister pledges end to power outages after LNG arrival](#)

- Says outages peaked at seven hours in mid-April after shipments stopped
- Expresses confidence in summer transmission capacity

ISLAMABAD: Power Minister Awais Leghari on Friday announced the end of a month-long period of loadshedding, following the arrival of a liquefied natural gas (LNG) shipment in Pakistan a day earlier.

THE NEWS INTERNATIONAL

[Inflation hits 20-month high at 10.9pc](#)

ISLAMABAD: Pakistan's inflation surged to a 20-month high in April, hitting 10.9 percent against only 0.28 percent recorded a year earlier, as supply disruptions linked to Strait of Hormuz tensions sent fuel, transport and energy costs sharply higher, government data showed Friday.

[Pakistan handles first full multi-cargo vessel](#)

KARACHI: Pakistan has handled its first fully transshipment cargo vessel carrying general cargo, break bulk and vehicles, in a development maritime authorities say could expand the country's role in regional trade.

Chinese envoy vows expanded cooperation under CPEC phase-II

LAHORE: Chinese Consul General in Lahore, Mr Sun Yan, has praised Pakistan's diplomatic outreach in a volatile region and underscored the growing scope of Pakistan-China cooperation during a visit to the Jang Group offices, where he accompanied by his team interacted with senior editors and journalists from Jang, The News and Geo TV.

FPCCI, ICCD to host global agri-food investment conference on May 14

KARACHI: The FPCCI, in collaboration with the Islamic Chamber of Commerce and Development (ICCD), is set to jointly organise the 'AgriFood: Global Investment and Partnership Conference & Expo' on May 14, 2026.

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Exporters decry high costs, policy neglect

KARACHI: Exporters in the value-added apparel and textile sector have expressed serious concern over record-high production costs and a lack of confidence in government policies. Pakistan Apparel Forum Chairman Javed Bilwani told The Express Tribune that an undeclared "war-like" situation exists between the export industry and the government, weakening the national economy.

President witnesses signing of JVA, MoUs

SANYA: President Asif Ali Zardari on Friday witnessed the signing of one Joint Venture Agreement and two memorandums of understanding between Pakistani and Chinese organisations, covering construction machinery, animal health and medical technology.

Pakistan, S Korea agree to speedily finalise CEPA

ISLAMABAD: Federal Minister for Commerce Jam Kamal Khan held a virtual meeting with South Korean Trade Minister Yeo Han-koo to strengthen trade ties, advance negotiations on the Comprehensive Economic Partnership Agreement (CEPA), and enhance investment cooperation.

Inflation spikes to two-year high of 10.9%

ISLAMABAD: Inflation rose to a near two-year high of 10.9% in April, driven by global supply shocks and the government's decision to fully pass on higher fuel costs to consumers, in addition to raising petroleum levy, sending energy, transport and food prices soaring.

Fuel, power tariffs drive SPI up 14.52%

KARACHI: Owing to the Israel-US war on Iran, the Sensitive Price Indicator (SPI) increased by 14.52% on a year-on-year basis, reflecting a sharp inflationary hike across essential commodities, according to data released by the Pakistan Bureau of Statistics (PBS) on Friday.

Human capital ranking falls

KARACHI: Pakistan is a country where investing in human capital development is often viewed as an extravagance. Additionally, a troubling culture has developed in which people receive charity rather than a living wage.

ایکسپریس نیوز

وزارت خزانہ کے تخمینے غلط ثابت، مہنگائی 21 ماہ کی بلند ترین سطح پر پہنچ گئی

گڈز ٹرانسپورٹ کے کرائے 5 فیصد بڑھانے کا اعلان

حکومت نے پیٹرول اور ہائی اسپیڈ کے بعد لائٹ ڈیزل بھی مہنگا کر دیا، مٹی کا تیل سستا

امریکا-ایران جنگ کے باعث مہنگائی میں اضافہ سمیت سنگین خطرات کا سامنا کرنا ہوگا، آئی ایم ایف

پاکستان جنوبی کوریا مشترکہ تجارتی کمیٹی کے قیام اور سرمایہ کاری بڑھانے پر اتفاق

کراچی میں گرم ترین دن، محسوس کیا جانیوالا درجہ حرارت 50 ڈگری تک جانے کا امکان