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SUMMARY (PRAL) ON MERCHANDISE TRADE STATISICS March, 2024

Exports Imports Balance of Trade

> (Rupees in Million) (U.S. Dollars in Million)

Table-1: Monthly Trend (MoM)

| Series | March, 2024 (P) | | Februa | ary, 2024 (R) | % Change in March, 2024 over February, 2024 | |
|------------------|------------------|---------------------------|-----------|---------------------------|---|----------|
| | Rs. | \$ (4.6-P- 270.064475) | Rs. | \$ (4.6-P- 270 494679) | D. | <u>^</u> |
| | | (1 \$=Rs.278.964175) | | (1 \$=Rs.279.181670) | Rs. | \$ |
| Exports | 712,627 | 2,555 | 721,112 | 2,583 | -1.18 | -1.08 |
| Imports | 1,318,326 | 4,726 | 1,207,609 | 4,326 | 9.17 | 9.25 |
| Balance of Trade | | | | | | |
| (Trade Deficit) | -605,699 | -2,171 | -486,497 | -1,743 | 24.50 | 24.56 |

Table-2: Yearly Trend (YoY)

| Series | March, 2024 (P) | | Marcl | n, 2023 (F) | % Change in March, 2024 over March, 2023 | |
|------------------|------------------|----------------------|-----------|----------------------|--|-------|
| | Rs. | \$ | Rs. | \$ | | |
| | | (1 \$=Rs.278.964175) | | (1 \$=Rs.280.202479) | Rs. | \$ |
| Exports | 712,627 | 2,555 | 663,128 | 2,366 | 7.46 | 7.99 |
| Imports | 1,318,326 | 4,726 | 1,052,285 | 3,755 | 25.28 | 25.86 |
| Balance of Trade | | | | | | |
| (Trade Deficit) | -605,699 | -2,171 | -389,157 | -1,389 | 55.64 | 56.30 |

Table-3: Cumulative Trend

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|---------------------------|---------------|---------|---------------|---------|--------------------------------|--------|--|--|
| | | | | | % Change in | | | |
| Series | July - March, | | July - March, | | July - March, 2023 - 2024 over | | | |
| | 2023-2024 | | 20 | 22-2023 | July - March, 2022 - 2023 | | | |
| | Rs. | \$ | Rs. | \$ | Rs. | \$ | | |
| Exports | 6,515,142 | 22,914 | 4,948,510 | 21,036 | 31.66 | 8.93 | | |
| Imports | 11,355,149 | 39,944 | 10,194,382 | 43,724 | 11.39 | -8.65 | | |
| Balance of Trade | | | | | | | | |
| (Trade Deficit) | -4,840,007 | -17,030 | -5,245,872 | -22,688 | -7.74 | -24.94 | | |

NOTE:-

- 1- Data from DRS, FBR Islamabad for the month of March, 2024 is still awaited.
- 2- Current month Rupee Value has been converted into US Dollar on weighted average customer exchange rate (Selling) published by S.B.P.
- 3 Whereas Banks' Floating average exchange rates provided by S.B.P for the months of February, 2024 & March, 2023 have been used.
- 4- Due to roundings effects some totals and percentages may not tally.

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