



**INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON
HALAL FOOD & AGRICULTURE**
“CAPITALIZING ON THE FAST GROWING GLOBAL HALAL FOOD MARKET”
13 March 2009 - Conference Hall, Karachi Expo Centre, Pakistan

CONFERENCE PROGRAM

INAUGURAL SESSION	
Conference Sponsor: Saudi Pak Industrial & Agricultural Investment Company (Pvt.) Ltd.	
Chief Guest: Mr. Iftikhar Allawala, Director, State Bank of Pakistan	
10:00 – 10:30	Registration
10:30	Arrival of the Chief Guest
10:30 – 10:35	Recitation from the Holy Quran
10:35 – 10:40	Ribbon Cutting Ceremony
10:40 – 10:50	Welcome Address by Ozair A. Hanafi , Chief Executive Officer, Ecommerce Gateway Pakistan
10:50 – 11:00	Address by the Chief Guest
11:00 – 11:05	Plaque Distribution
HI TEA	

TECHNICAL SESSION - I		
Chair: Mrs. Attiya Nawazish Ali, Assistant Secretary General Coordination, ICCI		
Co-Chair: Mr. Anjum Nisar, President, Karachi Chamber of Commerce Industries (KCCI)		
11:15 – 11:30	Introduction to Takaful	Capt. Jamil Akhtar Khan , CEO, Takaful Pakistan (Pvt.) Ltd.
11:30 – 11:45	Understanding Halal & Halal Standards	Mr. M. Saeed Bhombal , Managing Director, Bhombal & Company (Pvt.) Ltd.
11:45 – 12:00	Success Story – Mitchells	Muhammad Yasin Shahid Marketing Manager, Mitchells
12:00 – 12:15	Q & A Session	
12:15 – 12:30	Speech by Mr. Anjum Nisar, President, KCCI	
12:30 – 12:45	Session Summation	
12:45 – 12:50	Plaque Distribution	
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TECHNICAL SESSION - II		
Chair: Ms. Shafqat Sultana, EVP / GM Sindh & Balochistan, First Women Bank		
14:45 – 15:00	New Horizons in Agriculture - Genomic Approaches for Better Agri-Productivity	Prof. Dr. Shahana Urooj , Dean Faculty of Sciences, University of Karachi
15:00 – 15:15	Franchising in New Era	Mr. Umar Qasim Managing Director, Lal Qila
15:15 – 15:30	Q & A Session	
15:30 – 15:40	Address by the Chief Guest	
15:40 – 15:50	Plaque Distribution	
15:50 – 16:00	Closing Remarks	

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