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Participation of ORIC in Dialogue on RCCI SDGs

Rawalpindi Chamber of Commerce & Industry (RCCI) in collaboration with United Nations Country Team (UNCT) organized Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) Dialogue on 31st August, 2023 with the aim to engage and empower Pakistani local leaders in meaningful discussions on the Sustainable Development Goals, fostering a collective effort towards achieving a more sustainable and equitable future. The event was attended by Commissioner Liaquat Ali Chatha, RCCI President Saqib Rafiq, Senior Vice President Hamza Saroosh, Vice President Faisal Shahzad, former President Zahid Latif Khan, and members of the Chamber and people from civil society and others. A team from CUST led by Mr. Jahanzeb Sarwar Malik, Manager (I&C) ORIC also actively participated in the event.

Speaking on a session on promoting sustainable development, the commissioner said that global dialogue helps facilitate the exchange of ideas and experiences among stakeholders and RCCI is playing its role for the goals of sustainable development. These include support in policy making, capacity building and networking. “Pakistan is a developing country which is currently facing many challenges. Among these challenges are eradication of poverty, equal rights, elimination of diseases and equal opportunities of public education for which every person must strive according to his potential”.



On this occasion, the United Nations Coordinator in Pakistan, Julien Harness while speaking on the Sustainable Development Goals 2030, said that the number of global goals is 17, which aims to help bring peace and prosperity to the people of the world. It also aims to develop strategies that improve health and education, reduce inequality and promote economic growth.