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Forty member Polish businessmen delegation which was lead by Mr. Andrzej Arendarski, President Polish Chamber of Commerce came back very happy after participation in the Expo Pakistan 2013. President Arendarski held meetings, interalia, with Minister of State for Commerce, Mr. Khurram Dastgir Khan and Chairman Board of Investment, Mr. Muhammad Zubair.

- Arendarski offered full support for Pakistan Economic Forum which we are 2. planning to hold in Poland in May 2014. He also signed an MoU setting up Joint Business Council between Polish Chamber of Commerce and FPCCI. Separately, President of Krakow Chamber of Commerce and Industry signed an MoU with Karachi Chamber of Commerce and Industry for Cooperation between KCCI and Krakow Chamber of Commerce.
- The President Cegielski S.A., Mr. Jaraslow Lazurko who is heading one of the 3. biggest power generation equipment companies in Poland also came back happy from Pakistan. Initially, he was reluctant to go to Pakistan because of the general security concerns. However, due to Mission's concerted efforts, he proceeded to Pakistan along with the Polish delegation and held very useful business meetings. We have similar feedback from two other businessmen who are also members of the Polish Parliament. The other Polish businessmen as well held useful B 2 B meetings in Karachi and Lahore.
- The Mission will continue to have close and constant contacts with the businessmen who visited Pakistan for the Expo in order to follow up on these meetings and promote trade and investment cooperation between the two countries.

Ambassador