



ACT – 2024-2025 Year End Summary

1st July 2025

Dear ACT Members,

Hope you all are well. Since the membership for last year has now expired and renewals are being collected, we are sharing this annual summary for your interest. Please note that we are unable to share private details of members that have benefited from ACT support to retain their privacy so the summary consists of general information.

1. Legal & Arbitration: Multiple issues resolved between trade partners that consisted of:

A: ACT registration renewal was processed through FIA, Police, CTD, Rangers and re-registered as an annual process required by law.

B: Abdullah Munchi & Co formulated the final ACT standard contract draft after active members gave their valued input via ACT Whatsapp working group.

C: ACT BOT meet twice in the year. Once via video link and once in person, to review ACT performance and the way forward.

D: Members individual project contracts reviewed and legal advice given on clauses to implement better working conditions.

E: Contract defaults resolved through arbitration between trade partners.

F: Pending payments recovered for members who requested for intervention in writing.

G: Project contracts reviewed and legal advice given to members.

H: Multiple members visa applications ACT support letters written to verify they are working, well known actors to various consulates.

2: Health: Multiple members availed health cover benefit, which ranged from:

A: Hospitalization covered for multiple viral disease cases such as Covid & Dengue.

B: Two Open heart surgeries covered.

C: One member's ongoing stem cell treatment for cancer covered.

D: Multiple Minor OP Surgeries covered.

E: Multiple major tests such as MRI, CT Scan, Mammogram, etc covered.



3. Welfare:

A: Several kind hearted ACT members donated generously to support their struggling community members. We would like to thank them for their community service.

B: Donated funds were used to provide health insurance coverage for members that needed medical attention but couldn't afford annual fee due to lack of income currently.

4. Benefit Partner Program:

Multiple service providers across Pakistan were engaged in our Benefit Partner program so that ACT members could avail various discounts while using these facilities. The list of providers is on our website.

5. **Annual Audit:** Crowe & Co Lahore closed ACT annual books to conclude legal formalities.
6. **Finance:** ACT HBL account was closed officially and BAH account was opened to follow due process required during renewal of ACT registration with the government of Pakistan.
7. **Digital Services:** Our digital team has worked hard to manage our ACT website where we upload all updates as well as run our ACT members directory service for talent casting. They have also been highlighting members on our official social pages to support them in their efforts for the industry.

Your current serving ACT Board (BOT) is:

Atiqa Odho-Chairperson

Humayun Saeed-Vice Chairman

Sajeer Khalifa-Secretary General

Sania Saeed-Joint Secretary

Angeline Malik-Finance Secretary

Maria Wasti-Protocol Officer

Mahira Khan-Information Secretary

Sajjid Shah-Office Secretary / Welfare Committee Head



The Way Forward:

1. An AGM shall be announced soon for all members to meet and discuss current concerns that ACT should take up as its onward agenda. Main meeting shall be held in Karachi and out of city members would be requested to gather together in their city for a video link to participate.
2. An annual general election shall be announced for a new serving committee to be sworn in to serve for 2025-2026. The election process shall be shared soon and nominations will be opened for submission. This will be a quick and easy process done electronically so that members all across Pakistan may participate fairly.

Hope you all have a wonderful year ahead and it has been a pleasure serving you.

Regards

Atiqa Odho

Chairperson-ACT