



Leading Efficiency through Automation Prowess





Digitalization Journey

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The digitization journey at SECP commenced in the year **2000** with the implementation of **Corporate Registration and Compliance System** (CRCS).

In the year **2008**, a significant milestone was achieved with the launch of the **eServices project**. This initiative enables the online submission and acceptance of various processes such as name availability, company incorporation and e-filing of statutory returns.

The count of *automated business processes increased from 35 in 2008 to over 120 in 2023.*



eServices Business processes





SECP Digital Transformation Journey



2000-2007

Corporate Registration & Compliance System (CRCS)

2008 -2023

Business Process Automation –eServices Digital Payments, ERP, SDMS Jamapunji Portal etc.



LEAP - Need for transformation

Absence of system based guidance

Lack of end to end digitization

Absence of dashboards

Manual Approval & Disposal Mechanism

Absence of auto alerts

Operational inefficiency



Outdated Architecture

Absence of built-in validations

Non Compatibility with different systems

Challenges of Data Integration & Accuracy

Absence of effective monitoring

No auto filled features



LEAP Benefits

USER EXPERIENCE

- Multiple submission modes
- User centric design
- end-to-end digitized system
- Content Personalization
- 360-degree view of a company
- Reduced turnaround time



ANALYTICS & MONITORING

- Dashboards
- Business Intelligence
- Enhanced data visualization
- Business data analytics
- Process monitoring
- Alerts







LEAP Journey – Four Distinct Phases

Phase 2a – Mortgage/Charges, foreign companies, CEES, winding Phase 1a - LLP Registry up, Regulatory approvals etc, Already launched on June 22, 2023

Phase 1b - Company Formation & Selective Post Incorporation Processes Phase 2b – Adjudication, Supervision, Litigation and other enforcement processes



*The corporate registry part of LEAP i.e. eZfile consists of three phases i.e. Phase 1a, Phase-1b & Phase-2a.

Phase 1a – LLP Registry

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LLP Name Reservation and Incorporation

- Filing of Consent to Act as Partner / Designated Partner
- Notice of Induction and Cessation of Partners and Designated Partners
- Change of Registered Office
- Change in LLP Agreement
- UBO declaration





Phase 1b – Company Formation & Selective Post Incorporation Processes

- Name Reservation and Company Incorporation
- Change of name of a Company
- Change in Registered office address
- Change of Address For books of accounts
- Annual filing of company
- Submission of Quarterly accounts
- Submission of annual accounts u/s 223 by listed companies
- Induction, Cessation and change in particulars of directors and officers, including the chief executive, secretary, chief financial officer, auditors & legal adviser
- Special Resolution
- Increase in Authorized Capital
- Cancellation, Consolidation, or Division / Sub-division of shares
- Allotment of shares
- Change in shareholding / Voting rights / membership, of more than 25%
- User Management
- Manual Challan Generation including payment process
- Apply for digital certified true copy





Phase 2a

Mortgage Charges

- Foreign companies
- Company Easy Exit
- Winding up
- Regulatory approvals, Licensing
- Mergers and amalgamations









Distinguished features of eZfile





Help me decide tool

eZfile contains **help me decide tool**, this tool is designed to help first time users in figuring out the type of company they want to register.

Guiding material, built-in checks and pop-up messages

eZfile contains **guiding material**, **built-in checks** and **pop-up messages** that guides users and companies about the filing method and helps to understand the requirement of law while filing statutory returns

Communication Features

eZfile involves **communication features**, allowing users and companies to receive updates, notifications and announcements pertaining to filing / registration matters.

Type of Entities Covered

- Limited Liability Partnerships
- Private Companies
- Public Companies
- Trade Organizations
- Companies formed u/s. 42 and 45 of the Companies Act, 2017



Features of eZfile



Increased Security Measures

Rest easy knowing that your data is in safe hands. Our enhanced security measures protect your information, ensuring confidentiality and integrity throughout your interactions with the portal.

Digital Document Submission

Embrace a paperless future with our online document submission feature.

User-Friendly Interface

Our redesigned interface prioritizes user experience. With an intuitive design, navigating the portal becomes a breeze, making it easy for you to find and manage the information you need.



Real-Time Updates

Stay informed with real-time updates on your corporate records. The portal ensures that you have the latest and most accurate information at your fingertips, empowering you with timely insights.

Streamlined Processes

eZfile simplifies and streamlines previously intricate processes. Say goodbye to paperwork and hello to a more efficient and user-friendly experience.

Faster Processing

Experience unprecedented speed in interactions with the corporate registry. The new system ensures quicker processing times, reducing the time it takes to complete various transactions.

Enhanced Accessibility

eZfile is designed to be accessible 24/7, from anywhere in the world allowing to manage your corporate affairs at your convenience, breaking free from the constraints of traditional office hours.





How to Access *eZfile* User Registration Process Log on to SECP Website www.Leap.secp.gov.pk

User Registration Process



Securities and Exchange Commission of Pakistan

+ SIGN UP



Register your Company / Limited Liability Partnership

Experience the future of Company/LLP registration with seamless, efficient, and secure platform.



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Before applying for Incorporation or Post Incorporation processes, users must register themselves with SECP by signing up on the eZfile Portal. For registration, user opens the SECP eZfile portal and home page displays the login and sign up options.



User Registration Process



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Existing eservices user can login to eZfile with their existing eservices login credentials and new users can register themselves by clicking on the sign-up button.



User Registration Process







New users can register themselves in eZfile by following the below method;

a. After clicking sign up button, user will be asked to select if user is a Pakistani citizen or a foreign national.







Sign Up-Pakistani Citizen

a. User selects Pakistani Citizen and clicks Proceed. System will ask Pakistani Citizen with the question "Do you have a CNIC or a NICOP?" Pakistani citizen will select CNIC or NICOP, as the case may be.







b. System displays the Sign-Up-CNIC / NICOP Verification form where user is required to enter their personal details as per CNIC/ NICOP, as shown in the image





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c. After entering the details, click on the next button. If you have entered correct details of your CNIC/NICOP, your CNIC/NICOP will be verified from NADRA and system displays the field to enter mobile number. User will enter the mobile number that is registered with the verified CNIC/NICOP.





d. Applicant provides a mobile number, the mobile number will be verified through PMD. After successful verification from PMD for Pakistani Mobile Number, system sends 4 digit OTP to the Applicant's mobile. The OTP remains valid for 2 minutes. If the user enters an incorrect OTP 3 times in a row, the system temporarily blocks the user from further signup attempts for 30 minutes as a security measure. The user can resume sign up with that CNIC / NICOP after a lapse of 30 minutes.







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e. After mobile number and OTP verification, user will enter valid email address. The verified statuses of both CNIC / NICOP and Mobile number are shown on top.





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f. System sends the OTP on the email. This OTP remains valid for 5 minutes, after which the Resend Code button becomes enabled. Applicant will enter verification code received on the email address.





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g. After entering verification code, system displays the screen to create and confirm password. The password selected should be as per the prescribed criteria. When these requirements are met, a green checkmark will be placed against each of these. The Done button at the bottom of the page remains disabled until all these requirements are met, not allowing the user to proceed further without a strong password.



h. Once the password has been created, system will send successful user creation alert and PIN to the applicant on provided email. User will now be able to login to eZfile.













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a. User selects Foreign National and clicks Proceed



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b. System displays Sign-Up-Foreign National form where user needs to enter the personal details.





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c. After entering personal details and upon clicking next button, user will receive OTP on the provided email. This OTP remains valid for 5 minutes, after which the Resend Code button becomes enabled. User will enter the OTP and clicks on verify button.





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e. Once the password has been created system will generate an Email to applicant regarding PIN generation. User will now able to login to eZfile.





Login to *eZfile*

User Registration Process – After Login



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After login, user will land on to eZfile homepage, which gives a 360 degree view of processes associated with the user profile.





Help me Decide Tool




The *help me decide tool* is designed to help first time users in figuring out which type of company they should register. Since certain processes for the company (part of next phase) and processes for Foreign Companies will not be available on LEAP in Phase 1-b, the Help Me Decide tool is also accompanied by a façade layer to direct the incoming Applicant to either LEAP or e-Services portals.



Help me Decide Tool





You will land on eZfile main page

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Help me Decide Tool



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If you are new to LEAP Sign up

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Clicking on the Help Me Decide Tool will lead the user to the tool's welcome screen



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How to register a LLP/Company in few steps

The simplest way for anyone to incorporate LLP/Company, Compliance Filing, and manage all your business needs.





Once the Applicant reaches a particular Company Type based on the responses given, the Applicant can navigate to the relevant portal (LEAP or e-Services) to sign up or login. The Applicant can also choose to navigate to previous questions and explore other questions and Company Types in the Help Me Decide tools by clicking on the Back button.











Step by step procedure for Name reservation and LLP/Company Incorporation in *eZfile*.





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Step-3

Create user account by clicking sign up if you are a new user or login to LEAP using your CNIC/passport number and password, if you are already registered.



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Step-4

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Upon successful login, you will be able to see your LEAP dashboard

Click "Reserve a LLP/company name" click start a LLP/company, if you have already reserved a name



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New Name Reservation > Select LLP/Company Type

Limited Liability Partnership	Single Member Company	Private Company	Public Company
Two or more persons associated for carrying on a lawful business with a view to profit may form an LLP by subscribing their names to incorporation documents.	One person may form a single member company by complying with the requirements in respect of registration of a private company and such other requirement as may be specified.	Two or more persons so associated may form a private limited company by complying with the requirements in respect of registration of a private company and such other requirement as may be specified.	Three or more persons associated for any lawful purpose may, by subscribing their names to a memorandum of association and complying with the requirements of this Act in respect of registration, form a public company.
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Section 42	Trade Organization	Companies Act 2017	Foreign Company
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Step-6

Select the type of company that you want to incorporate.









Then select any one from the drop box 1. company limited by shares or 2. unlimited company having share capital and click to proceed.

Please note limited by share means liability of member is limited whereas in unlimited company liability of member is unlimited.





Private Company (PVT)		Private Company (PVT) > Propose Company Names	← Back
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Enter your propose company name, one name is mandatory. Optionally, you can provide two more name and attach documentary evidence and meaning and significance of propose name of company. Click on the "Propose" button and click proceed.





Business Objects	How to Propose an LLP Name?
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(i) You can add up to three Additional Object Clauses	Liability Regulations, 2018
	2. prohibited/restricted words under Section
Additional Object Clauses	(Incorporation) Regulations, 2017
Line of Business	You have the option to provide the Meaning and
×	Significance of your proposed LLP Name.



Select business objects and principal line of business, principal line of business should commensurate with the name of company. You can amend the principal line of business, if required. After selecting principal line of business, click proceed.





Step-10 Now, fill the application by providing following information: Please click the tabs and fill-in the required information. Please note that Memorandum and Articles of association are auto generated.

- ✓ Proposed names
- Applicant information
- ✓ Business objects
- ✓ Company Information
- ✓ Detail of stakeholders
- ✓ Article of Association
- ✓ Memorandum of Association
- ✓ Certified true copy
- ✓ Third Party Information
- ✓ Declaration
- ✓ Review and apply PIN

You can move to next tab by clicking next button or by direct clicking the requisite tab. Make sure that all tabs are checked out





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>	Review and Apply PIN		



Review of the entire application, and make sure that correct information has been entered. You can amend the application if required. Apply the user(s) pin of all proposed directors/subscribers and submit the application.



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	Name Reservation	200	
	Registration Fee for New Incorporation	10000	
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Make the requisite payment by selecting the desired mode of payment.

Your application shall be processed after receipt of fee payment and certificate of incorporation shall be issued electronically.





Post Incorporation filing procedure in *eZfile*



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Introduction to Companies Regulations, 2024

Regulations

The Companies Regulations, 2024

- Companies (Incorporation) Regulations, 2017
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- Companies (Further Issue of Shares) Regulations, 2020
- Companies (Easy Exit) Regulations, 2014
- Companies (General Provision and Forms) Regulations, 2018
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- Intermediaries (Registration) Regulations, 2017
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Salient Features of Companies Regulations, 2024

01

All important definitions have been included at a single place for ease of reference

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Existing Applications and Annexures have also been reduced from 13 to 6 applications only.

05

Regulation and Form numbers of UBO related forms have been changed in the regulations.

07

In the regulations, regulation clauses have also been reduced from 175 to 148.



The number of existing forms i.e. 75 as previously specified in different regulations have been reduced to 28 only (Form-1 to 27 & Form-A).

For convenience of end users, various forms pertaining to same subject i.e. Forms-10/11/16/17, Forms-13/14, Forms-6/7, Forms-15/29, Forms-31/32 etc. have been merged as a single Form.

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Contents of different forms have been made part of the text of the regulations where the Act does not require different formats of Forms to be specified



Annual return of company









Member Company









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Return containing particulars of substantial shareholder/officers for companies' global register of beneficial ownership



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Form 31

Form 11

Return containing particulars of substantial shareholder/officers and Companies, for companies' global register of beneficial ownership

Return containing particulars of companies for companies' global register of beneficial ownership









	Existing Form No.	New Form No. in Companies	After launch of Phase-1b, Mode of Fili (eZfile / eServices / Manual)		ise-1b, Mode of Filing vices / Manual)
Sr. No.		Regulations, 2024		Under LEAP	eServices
1	Form-A (Annual return of company having share capital)	Form A (Annual return of a company)	A Combined Form has been developed for existing Form- A, Form-B & Form-D.	eZfile	Nil
2	Form B (Annual return of company not having share capital)	Abolished	Merged into Form-A	Nil	Nil
3	Form-D (Annual return of inactive company	Abolished	Merged into Form-A	Nil	Nil
4	Form-C (Annual return of companies in case there is no change of particulars since last annual return filed with the registrar)	Form 24 (Annual return of companies in case there is no change of particulars since last Annual Return filed with the Registrar)	Form Number has been changed.	eZfile	Nil
5	Form 1 with Appendix (Receipt of subscription money)	Abolished	Form 1 regarding receipt of subscription money has been abolsihed after amendments in Companies Act.	Nil	Nil

Sr. No.	Existing Form No.	New Form No. in Companies Regulations, 2024	Remarks	Mode of Filing (eZfile / eServices / Manual)		
				Under LEAP	Under eServices	
6	Form 2 (Application for conversion of status of company)	Abolished	Abolished	Relevant Forms to be filed for conversion of status i.e. Form-26, Form-3, Form-9 as applicable shall be filed under eZfile.	Nil	
7	Form 2A (Filing of altered memorandum and articles of association after approval of the commission for conversion of status of a Company) of a Company)	Abolished	Abolished	Altered Memorandum & articles of Association shall be filed as an attachment to Form-26 under eZfile.	Nil	
8	Form-3 with Appendix (Return of allotment of shares)	Form 3 (Return of allotment of shares & Change of more than twenty- five percent in shareholding or membership or voting rights)	Existing Form 3 and Form 3A have been merged.	eZfile	Nil	
9	Form-3 A (Change of more than twenty-five percent in shareholding or membership or voting rights)	Abolished	Merged into Form 3	Nil	Nil	



Sr. No.	Existing Form No.	New Form No. in Companies Regulations, 2024	Remarks	Mode of Filing (eZfile / eServices / Manual)	
				Under LEAP	Under eServices
10	Form 4 (Intimation about Principal line of business or change therein)	Form 4 (Intimation about Principal line of business or change therein)	No change	Manual	Nil
11	Form-5 (Petition for alteration in Memorandum of Association)	Abolished	Abolished	Nil	Nil
12	Form-6 (Notice of consolidation, division or sub-division of shares, specifying the shares so consolidated, divided or sub-divided or the cancellation of shares)	Abolished	Merged in Form 7	Nil	Nil
13	Form-7 (Notice of alteration in share capital)	Form 7 (Notice of alteration in share capital)	A combined Form has been developed for existing Form-6 & Form-7.	eZfile	Nil
14	Form-8 (Application for Change of Name of a company)	Abolished	The company may file an application with relevant information contained therein.	eZfile	Nil

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Sr. No.	Existing Form No.	New Form No. in Companies Regulations, 2024	Remarks	Mode of Filing (eZfile / eServices / Manual)	
				Under LEAP	Under eServices
15	Form-9 (Notice of the court's order disallowing / confirming the variations of the rights of holders of/ special class of shares)	Abolished	No more required as the company will forward a copy of the order of the High Count to the registrar pursuant to Section 59(4) of the Companies Act.	Nil	Nil
16	Form-10 (Particulars of mortgage, charge, pledge, etc.)	Form 10 (Particulars of registration/modification/s atisfaction of mortgage, charge, pledge, etc.)/ Mortgage or charge subject to which property has been acquired	A combined Form has been developed for existing Form 10, Form 11, Form 16 & Form 17.	Nil	eServices (Form-10 shall be filed as per existing format till launch of next phase by using the same interface of LEAP)
17	Form-11 (Particulars of mortgage or charge subject to which property has been acquired)	Abolished	Merged into Form 10	Nil	eServices (Form-11 shall be filed as per existing format till launch of next phase by using the same interface of LEAP)
18	Form-12 (Register of mortgages, charges, pledge etc., to be maintained by a company)	Abolished	Converted as Register R-5	Nil	-



Sr. No.	Existing Form No.	New Form No. in Companies Regulations, 2024	Remarks	Mode of Filing (eZfile / eServices / Manual)	
				Under LEAP	Under eServices
19	Form-13 (Registration of entire series of debentures/ redeemable capital)	Form 13 Registration of entire series of debentures or redeemable capital / Particular of an issue of redeemable capital/debenture in a series when more than one issue in the series is made.	A combined Form has been developed for existing Form 13 & Form 14.	Nil	eServices (Form-13 shall be filed as per existing format till launch of next phase by using the same interface of LEAP)
20	Form-14 (Particulars of an issue of redeemable capital / debentures in a series when more than one issue in the series is made)	Abolished	Merged in Form 13	Nil	eServices (Form-14 shall be filed as per existing format till launch of next phase by using the same interface of LEAP)
21	Form-15 (Notice of appointment or change of nominee or change in his particulars (for single member company only)	Abolished	Merged in Form 9	eZfile	Nil
22	Form-16(Particularsofmodificationofmortgage,charge,pledge, etc.)	Abolished	Merged in Form 10	Nil	eServices (Form-16 shall be filed as per existing format till launch of next phase by using the same interface of LEAP)



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	Existing Form No	New Form No. in	Remarks	Mode of Filing (eZfile / eServices / Manual)	
Sr. No.		Regulations, 2024		Under LEAP	Under eServices
23	Form-17 (Memorandum of complete satisfaction of mortgage, charge, pledge, etc.)	Abolished	Merged in Form 10	Nil	eServices (Form-17 shall be filed as per existing format till launch of next phase by using the same interface of LEAP)
24	Form-18 (Notice of appointment/ cessation of receiver or manager to be given by the person who obtained an order for appointment of / appointed a receiver or manager)	Abolished	Abolished. It was just filing of notice of appointment of receiver or manager with the registrar. The company shall furnish the said information manually with concerned CRO.	Nil	Nil
25	Form-19 (Notice to be given by receiver /manager on ceasing to act as such)	Abolished	Abolished. It was just filing of notice to be given by receiver /manager on ceasing to act as such. The company shall furnish the said information manually with concerned CRO.	Nil	Nil
26	Form-20 (Receiver or manager's abstract of receipts and payments)	Abolished	Abolished as it was filing of receiver's abstract of Receipt and Payment account with registrar. The company shall furnish the said information manually with concerned CRO.	Nil	Nil



Sr. No.	Existing Form No.	New Form No. in Companies	Remarks	Mode of Filing (eZfile / eServices / Manual)	
51. NO.		Regulations, 2024		Under LEAP	Under eServices
27	Form-21 (Notice of situation of registered office address or any change therein)	Form 21 (Notice of situation of registered office address or any change therein / Notice of address where books of accounts are maintained)	A combined form has been developed for existing Form 21 and Form 33.	eZfile	Nil
28	Form-22 (Declaration regarding compliance with the conditions of section 19 of the Companies Act, 2017 before commencing business in case of a company issuing prospectus)	Form 22 (Declaration by a public company before commencing business)	A combined form has been developed for existing Form 22 & form 23 merged	Manual	Manual
29	Form-23 (Declaration before commencing business in case of a company filing statement in lieu of prospectus)	Abolished	Merged into Form 22	Nil	Nil
30	Form-24 (Notice of rectification of register of members/ directors)	Abolished	The form has been abolished. However, it has become part of the regulation and to be filed with necessary information as provided in Regulation-50. The company shall furnish the said information	Nil	Nil



Sr. No.	Existing Form No.	New Form No. in Companies	Remarks	Mode of Filing (eZfile / eServices / Manual)	
	0	Regulations, 2024		Under LEAP	Under eServices
31	Form-25 (Statutory Report)	Form 25 (Statutory Report)	Same Form	Manual	Manual
32	Form-26 (Special Resolution)	Form 26 (Special Resolution)	Same Form	eZfile	Nil
33	Form-27 (Declaration to be submitted to the court by provisional manager/official liquidator)	Abolished	To be filed as prescribed under the Court Rules. The company shall furnish the said information manually with concerned CRO.	Nil	Nil
34	Form-28 (Consent to act as director / chief executive)	Abolished	It has become an Appendix to Form 9.	Nil	Nil
35	Form-29 (Particulars of directors and officers, including the chief executive, secretary, chief financial officer, auditors and legal adviser or of any change therein)	Form 9 (Particulars of directors and officers, including the chief executive, secretary, chief financial officer, auditors, legal adviser or nominee of Single Member Company)	A combined Form has been developed for existing Form 15 and Form 29.	eZfile	Nil



	Evicting Form No.	New Form No. in	Remarks	Mode of Filing (eZfile / eServices / Manual)	
Sr. No.	LAISting Form No.	Regulations, 2024		Under LEAP	Under eServices
36	Form-30 (Notification of particulars of beneficial ownership to the company)	Abolished	It has become part of the regulation. The officers/shareholders are required to submit necessary information as provided under regulation 63 to the company.	Nil	Nil
37	Form-31 (Return containing particulars of substantial shareholder/officers for companies' global register of beneficial ownership)	Form 11 (Return containing particulars of substantial shareholder/officers and Companies, for companies' global register of beneficial ownership)	A combined form has been developed for existing Form 31 & 32.	eZfile	Nil
38	Form-32 (Return containing particulars of companies for companies' global register of beneficial ownership)	Abolished	Merged in to Form 11	Nil	Nil
39	Form-33 (Notice of address where books of accounts are maintained)	Abolished	Merged into Form-21	Nil	Nil



Sr. No.	Existing Form No.	New Form No. in Companies Regulations, 2024	Remarks	Mode of Filing (eZfile / eServices / Manual)	
				Under LEAP	Under eServices
40	Form-34 (Pattern of Shareholding)	Form 20 (Pattern of Shareholding)	Form Number has been changed	Manual	Manual
41	Form-35 (Filing of copy of scheme of amalgamation)	Form-8 (Filing of copy of scheme of amalgamation)	Form Number has been changed	Manual	Manual
42	Form-36 (Notice of Dissenting Shareholders)	Abolished	It has become part of the regulation-59. The company shall furnish the said information manually with concerned CRO.	Nil	Nil
43	Form-37 (Information to be furnished in relation to any offer of a scheme or contract involving the transfer of shares or any class of shares in the transferor company to the transferee company)	Form 23 (Information to be furnished in relation to any offer of a scheme or contract involving the transfer of shares or any class of shares in the transferor company to the transferee company)	Form Number has been changed	Manual	Manual



	Existing Form No.	New Form No. in Companies Regulations, 2024	Remarks	Mode of Filing (eZfile / eServices / Manual)	
Sr. No.				Under LEAP	Under eServices
44	Form-38 (Application for obtaining status of inactive company)	Abolished	Converted as an application App-2	Manual	Manual
45	Form-39 (Application for conversion of status from inactive to active company)	Abolished	Converted as an application App-2	Manual	Manual
46	Form-40 (Public notice to holders of securities of bearer nature issued by a company)	Form 14 (Public notice to holders of securities of bearer nature issued by a company)	Form number changed. No change in the particulars of the existing Form 40.	Nil	Nil
47	Form-41 (Register containing particulars of holders of securities of bearer nature and particulars of such securities surrendered or cancelled)	Form 15 (Register containing particulars of holders of securities of bearer nature and particulars of such securities surrendered or cancelled)	Form number changed, No change in the particulars of the existing Form 41.	Nil	Nil



		New Form No. in	Remarks	Mode of Filing (eZfile / eServices / Manual)	
Sr. No.	Existing Form No.	Regulations, 2024		Under LEAP	Under eServices
48	Form-42 (Notice to members for providing particulars of ultimate beneficial owners)	Form 16 (Notice to members for providing particulars of ultimate beneficial owners)	Form number changed, No change in the particulars of the existing Form 42.	Nil	Nil
49	Form-43 (Declaration by member about ultimate beneficial owners)	Form 17 (Declaration by member about ultimate beneficial owners)	Form number changed, No change in the particulars of the existing Form 43.	Nil	Nil
50	Form-44 (Declaration by member about change of ultimate beneficial owners or particulars thereof.)	Form 18 (Declaration by member about change of ultimate beneficial owners or particulars thereof.)	Form number changed, No change in the particulars of the existing Form 44.	Nil	Nil
51	Form-45 (Declaration of compliance with the provisions of section 123A of the Companies Act, 2017)	Form 19 (Declaration of compliance with the provisions of section 123A of the Companies Act, 2017)	Form number changed, No change in the particulars of the existing Form 45	eZfile	Nil



	Existing Form No	New Form No. in	Remarks	Mode of Filing (eZfile / eServices / Manual)	
Sr. No.		Regulations, 2024		Under LEAP	Under eServices
52	Inc. Form-I (Application for reservation of name)	App-1 (Application for reservation of Name for new incorporation or change of name)	Converted as Application App- 1.	eZfile	Nil
53	Inc. Form-II (Application for company incorporation)	Form 1 (Application for company in corporation)	Form Number has been changed	eZfile	Nil
54	Fnc. Form-I (Application for reservation of name)	App-1 (Application for reservation of Name for new incorporation or change of name)	Converted as Application App- 1.	Nil	eServices (Fnc. Form-I shall be filed as per existing format till launch of next phase)
55	Fnc. Form-II (Registration of documents of a foreign company)	Form 2 (Registration of documents of a foreign company)	Form Number has been changed	Nil	eServices (Fnc. Form-II shall be filed as per existing format till launch of next phase)
56	Fnc. Form-III (Registration of alterations in documents Or details of foreign company)	Form 5 (Registration of alterations in documents or details of foreign company)	Form Number has been changed	Nil	eServices (Fnc. Form-III shall be filed as per existing format till launch of next phase)

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Sr. No.	Existing Form No.	New Form No. in Companies Regulations, 2024	Remarks	Mode of Filing (eZfile / eServices / Manual)	
				Under LEAP	Under eServices
57	Fnc. Form -IV (Application for change of name)	Abolished	Abolished	Nil	eServices (Fnc. Form-IV shall be filed as per existing format till launch of next phase)
58	Fnc. Form-V (Filing of accounts and related information)	Abolished	Abolished	Nil	eServices (Fnc. Form-V shall be filed as per existing format till launch of next phase)
59	Fnc. Form-VI (Notice by a foreign company on ceasing to have any Place of business in Pakistan)	Form 6 (Notice by a foreign company on ceasing to have any place of business in Pakistan)	Form number has been changed	Nil	eServices (Fnc. Form-VI shall be filed as per existing format till launch of next phase)



Companies (Further Issue of Shares) Regulations, 2020

	Existing Form Sr. No. No.	New Form No. in Companies Regulations, 2024	Remarks	Mode (eZfile / eSer	of Filing vices / Manual)
Sr. No.				Under LEAP	Under Services
60	Schedule I to the Companies (Further Issue of Shares) Regulations, 2020	Form 12 (Circular to be sent to the Members along-with the Offer letter)	New Form developed	Manual	-

Unlisted companies (Buy-Back of shares) Regulations, 2023

	Existing Form Sr. No. No.	New Form No. in Companies Regulations, 2024	Remarks	Mode of Filing (eZfile / eServices / Manual)	
Sr. No.				Under LEAP	Under eServices
61	No Form	Form 27 (Final return for buy-back of shares of unlisted companies)	New Form developed	Manual	-





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