

PRESS RELEASE

RDA issues notices to owners of five illegal housing schemes in Rwp

RAWALPINDI, August 11, 2018: Rawalpindi Development Authority (RDA) directed owners of five illegal housing schemes i.e. Safari Green Farm Housing Scheme, Adyala Road, Mahmood Town, Dhamyal road, T&T (extension), Defence road, Kohsar (extension), Taxila road and Al-Miraj Garden, Chakri road, Rawalpindi to stop illegal advertisements and developments.

Jamshaid Aftab, Director Metropolitan Planning and Traffic Engineering (MP&TE), RDA declared illegal / unauthorized advertisements by above mentioned five illegal housing schemes. RDA under section Punjab Private Housing schemes and Land Subdivision Rules 2010 issued notices to owners of five illegal housing schemes namely Mr. Malik Mahboob, owner of Safari Green Farm Housing Scheme, Adyala Road, Mr. Col (R) Khalid Mahmood Khan, owner of Mahmood Town, Dhamyal road, Mr. Syed Abdul Wajid / Mr. Brig (R) Jawad owners of T&T (extension), Defence road, Mr. Malik Fakhruddin, owner of Kohsar (extension), Taxila road and Mr. Raja Hasan Deen, owner of Al-Miraj Garden, Chakri road, Rawalpindi. The notice warned that if the development work and advertisement was not stopped immediately, RDA would seal the site offices of the illegal housing schemes in Rawalpindi. RDA advises general public in their own interest that they should not make any investment in any illegal / unauthorized Housing Scheme which status declared illegal by RDA. Otherwise, they themselves are responsible for their losses.

Director (MP&TE), RDA also requested Islamabad Electric Supply Company (IESCO), Sui Northern Gas Pipelines Ltd (SNGPL) and PTCL, not to extend services to these illegal housing schemes as its status is un-approved / illegal.

RDA spokesman Hafiz Muhammad Irfan said the Director General (DG) RDA, Rana Akbar Hayat has directed the MP&TE Directorate to take strict action against illegal / unauthorized commercial and residential construction activities, booking offices and encroachments without any fear or favour.