<u>Aisam ul Haq/ Jean-Julien Rojer storm into ATP Barcelona World Tennis Championship</u> <u>Doubles Final</u>

The Pakistan Tennis Federation is pleased to inform that Aisam ul Haq Qureshi and his Doubles partner Jean-Julien Rojer from Netherlands advanced into the ATP Barcelona World Tennis Championship Doubles Final by beating the pair of Nicolas Jarry from Chile and Guido Pella from Argentina 7-6 (5), 3-6, 10-7 in the semifinal.

Earlier in the Quarterfinals, the Pakistani-Dutch pair defeated the top seeded pair of Lukasz Kubot from Poland and Marcelo Melo from Brazil 7-5, 3-6, 10-5;

In the Round of 16, the pair had beaten their Spanish counterparts Jaume Munar and Tommy Robredo 7-5, 6-3;

The Pakistan Tennis Federation President Salim Saif Ullah Khan expressed his pleasure and hoped that Aisam will continue his winning run to bag the title.

It is a matter of honor and pride for the nation that Aisam has made it to the final of such a prestigious event. Aisam has represented Pakistan on the International level for two decades and displayed quality and composure, and his passion for the game makes him one of the best in Tennis.

Results are as follows:

Semifinal:

Aisam ul Haq Qureshi (Pak)/ Jean-Julien Rojer (Neths) beat Nicolas Jarry (Chile)/ Guido Pella (Arg): 7-6 (5), 3-6, 10-7;

Quarterfinal:

Aisam ul Haq Qureshi (Pak)/ Jean-Julien Rojer (Neths) beat Lukasz Kubot (Pol)/ Marcelo Melo (Bra): 7-5, 3-6, 10-5;

Round of 16:

Aisam ul Haq Qureshi (Pak)/ Jean-Julien Rojer (Neths) beat Jaume Munar (Spa)/ Tommy Robredo (Spa): 7-5, 6-3;