## ORDER SHEET IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH, CIRCUIT COURT, HYDERABAD

C.P. No.D-297 of 2023

DATE

## ORDER WITH SIGNATURE OF JUDGE(S)

## 05.04.2023

Mr. Deen Muhammad advocate holding brief for counsel for the petitioners along with petitioners.

Mr. Muhammad Ismail Bhutto, Addl. A.G Sindh.

Mr. Siraj Ahmed Bijarani APG along with Inspector Javed Akhtar on behalf of DIGP Hyderabad and ASI Zamir Ali Khand of PS A-Section Dadu.

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Petitioner No.1 is present submits that she has contracted marriage with petitioner No.2 out of her own freewill and choice and she has not been abducted. However, learned counsel for complainant who is mother of the alleged abductee has submitted a photocopy of registration certificate issued by NADRA disclosing that she is 14 years of age. In response to a query she has stated that she is student of 9th class. Investigating Officer has recorded statement of petitioner No.1 she submits that she has not been abducted and has contracted marriage out of her own freewill. The IO may delete section 365-B, 496-A PPC and in case during investigation she is found underage shall act in accordance with law. However, the complainant would be at liberty to seek her remedy before the proper forum in accordance with law. Petitioners and their counsel are satisfied and seek disposal of the petition in the above terms.

Accordingly, this petition is disposed of along with pending application in the terms as stated above. Police official present is directed to provide protection to the petitioners in accordance with law.

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