ORDER SHEET IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH AT KARACHI

Spl. Federal Excise Reference Application 229 of 2012

DATE

ORDER WITH SIGNATURE OF JUDGE

- 1. For orders on CMA 1593/2012
- 2. For hearing of main case

16.09.2025

Mr. Taseer, advocate holds brief for Mr. Muhammad Bilal Bhatti, advocate for the applicant.

M/s Ajmal and Asif Ali, advocates for the respondent.

This reference application is pending since 2012. The matter has remained pending and diary demonstrates the persistent absence of learned counsel. Today office note demonstrates that even notice has not been issued as process fee has not been paid by the learned counsel. Irrespective of the applicant/ Commissioner Inland Revenue is unrepresented and merely a brief is held for applicant's counsel and adjournment has been sought. It appears that the applicant is not interested in pursuing this matter; therefore, in view of judgment of the Supreme Court in the case of Commissioner of Inland Revenue Lahore vs. Rafeh Limited (PLD 2020 SC 518), this reference application is dismissed in non-prosecution along with pending application(s).

Judge

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