

## ORDER SHEET

IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH, KARACHI

C.P. No.D-6216 of 2024

(Syed Muhammad Rehan & Co v Province of Sinnh & others)

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Date	Order with signature of Judge
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1. For orders on CMA No. 22416 of 2025.
2. For orders on CMA 24190 of 2025

Date of hearing and order:- 21.01.2026

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This petition came up along with C.P. No. D-3939 of 2025, when the following order was passed:-

“11. *In these circumstances, the continued functioning of the existing Managing Committee, after expiry of its tenure and amidst serious disputes regarding quorum and resignations, cannot be sustained in law. Respondent No.2, being the statutory regulator, is duty-bound under Section 13(2) of the Act to ensure that elections are conducted expeditiously and in a transparent manner, just after complying with the previous court orders within one month. Any delay on account of collateral issues, including bifurcation proceedings, cannot justify the indefinite postponement of elections.*

12. *Accordingly, the case squarely warrants judicial intervention to protect the statutory and democratic rights of the members of the Society. Therefore, this court deems it proper to direct Respondent No.2 to immediately initiate and complete the process of free, fair, and transparent elections of the Managing Committee, strictly in accordance with law and the bye-laws, within a specified timeframe as discussed in the preceding paragraph, and the existing committee is refrained from taking any policy or financial decisions beyond routine administration until a duly elected body assumes charge. Liberty, as already observed earlier, shall remain available to the parties to avail appropriate remedies in respect of any grievances arising from bifurcation or allied issues, strictly in accordance with law.*

13. *This petition, along with all pending application(s), stand disposed of in the above terms.”*

In view of the above order these CMA applications are disposed of.

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