ORDER SHEET IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH, KARACHI C.P No.D-1380 of 2015

Date Order with signature of Judge

<u>Present</u> Mr. Justice Muhammad Ali Mazhar. Mr. Justice Adnan-ul-Karim Memon.

Mst. Munawara Khatoon & another..... Petitioners

VERSUS

Province of Sindh & others Respondents

Date of hearing 21.12.2016

Petitioner No.2 is present along with her counsel Mr. Hussain Bux Baloch, Advocate.

Mr. Abdul Jalil Zubedi, A.A.G.

D.S.P. Musadiq Amjad on behalf of I.G., Sindh.

Muhammad Ali Mazhar, J: The petitioner No.1 is the widow and petitioner No.2 is the daughter of late Syed Aziz-ul-Hasnain who was performing his duties as Head Constable. On 04.03.1958 in the incident of fire in Bohri Bazar, deceased saved lives of 11 children and many women and in the line of duty, he fell down from 4th floor of the building and sustained injuries. He expired on 20.09.1982. He was also awarded "Quaid-e-Azam" medal due to his gallantry effort made to save the lives of various people. The grievance of the petitioners is that no service benefits were paid to the legal heirs of the petitioners nor any pension amount was calculated or paid despite various approaches and requests. Nor anything was paid to the deceased in his lifetime.

2. Notices were issued to the Respondents as well as A.A.G. Today, A.I.G.P., Legal is called absent but his representative D.S.P. Musadiq Amjad is present and requests for time to file comments. Since matter is very old and since 1982 no amount has been paid to the legal heirs of the deceased, therefore, without wasting any further time, we direct the Respondents to work out the total dues of the deceased Syed Aziz-ul-Hasnain and ensure the payment within sixty (60) days. If the concerned department needs any help of the legal heirs they will communicate the same in writing to Mst. Syeda Kaneez Hasnain Kazmi (petitioner No.2) on her fresh address i.e. Flat No.201, 2nd Floor, Wali Heights, near Hussaini Bloor Bank, Soldier Bazar, Karachi. After preparing the case for payment of pension and other benefits, the Accountant General, Sindh shall immediately issue the cheque and this entire exercise shall be completed within sixty (60) days failing which proceedings shall be initiated contempt against the Respondents including Accountant General, Sindh office. Copy of this order be transmitted to the learned A.A.G for onward transmission. Petition is disposed of in above terms.

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