

ORDER SHEET
IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH, KARACHI
C.P. No.D-2993 of 2016

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- 1.For hearing of CMA No.9761/2017
- 2.For hearing of main case.

13.08.2018

Mr. Ghulam Shabbir Shah, Addl. A.G.

None present for the petitioner. It appears from the record that the petitioner submitted nomination form for reserve seat in the category of youth. On 11.05.2016 at the time of scrutiny, his nomination form was rejected by the Returning Officer due to overage. The definition of youth is provided in clause (xcx) of Section 3 of Sindh Local Government Act, 2013 which means a person below the age of 25 years at the time of filing nomination papers. The petitioner against the rejection of nomination filed the appeal which was dismissed on 16.05.2016 on the ground that the appeal was filed after the schedule date hence the appeal was not entertained and dismissed being time barred.

We have examined the grounds of petition but the petitioner has not alleged in any ground that his form was wrongly rejected due to overage. According to him, he submitted the form on 22.01.2016 but at that time the elections were postponed. In our understandings it is not a valid ground to challenge the rejection of nomination form rejected being overage. Petition is dismissed.

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