

ORDER SHEET
HIGH COURT OF SINDH AT KARACHI
C.P.No.D-8075 of 2018

DATE ORDER WITH SIGNATURE(S) OF JUDGE(S)

Before:-
Mr.Justice Muhammad Ali Mazhar
Mr.Justice Agha Faisal

Hasnain.....Petitioner

Versus

Federation of Pakistan
& others.....Respondents

For hearing of Main case.

31-01-2019

Syed Aamir Ali Shah, Advocate for the Petitioner
Petitioner is also present.
Mr.Ishrat Alvi, Assistant Attorney General.
Ms.Samina Iqbal, Advocate for NADRA

Muhammad Ali Mazhar, J: The case of the petitioner is that his name is Hasnain son of Wilayat Hussain. He has also attached copies of his CNIC, Secondary School Certificate Examination, 2008, Marks Sheet of Board of Intermediate Education Karachi and passport. He further submits that he applied to NADRA for the change of his name from Hasnain to Muhammad Umer Qadri and in this regard affidavit was also filed and advertisements were also published in Daily 'Aman' and Daily 'Khabrain'. After complying with all requisite formalities NADRA had changed his name from Hasnain to Muhammad Umer Qadri, but after some time he faced various difficulties as in his all academic testimonials, his

name is mentioned as Hasnain son of Wilayat Hussain. He is also facing difficulty in getting higher education, therefore, he again approached NADRA for reverting his original name in the NADRA record.

2. Learned counsel for NADRA submits that hectic exercise was carried out and after due compliance of requisite formalities the name of the petitioner was changed, but in his academic documents his name is same as Hasnain. It is a matter of record that the name of the petitioner was Hasnain but it was changed on his own request, therefore, we dispose of this petition with the directions the petitioner to approach the Operation Branch, NADRA at Muhammad Ali Society, Karachi and produce all original relevant documents. After verifying the antecedents of the petitioner and due satisfaction if everything is found in order the original name of the petitioner i.e. Hasnain may be restored in the record of NADRA. The petition is disposed of accordingly.

Judge

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