ORDER SHEET HIGH COURT OF SINDH, KARACHI

C.P. No.D-6447 of 2018

Date Order with signature of Judge

<u>Present</u> Mr. Justice Muhammad Ali Mazhar. Mr. Justice Agha Faisal.

Karachi Chamber of Commerce	
& Industry	Petitioner
Versus	
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Federation of Pakistan & others......Respondents

Date of hearing 23.10.2018

Mr. Khalid Javed advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. M. Zahid Khan, Assistant Attorney General.

Muhammad Ali Mazhar, J: On 13.09.2018 it was directed that the election of the petitioner may be conducted in accordance with the relevant Rules and Regulations and the provisions contained in the Memorandum & Articles of Association. It was further clarified that the committee constituted by DGTO shall only monitor the election and will not interfere in the election process, however, in order to election, ensure free and fair Nazir was appointed commissioner to oversee the entire election process subject to the payment of fee. Pursuant to that order, Nazir has submitted a compliance report on 24.09.2018 which is reproduced as under:-

"With profound respect I have the honor to submit that complying with the above captioned order notices were issued to the parties concerned for 15-09-2018. On such date the undersigned accompanied with staff members reached at the Karachi Chamber of Commerce & Industry and met with the Secretary Chamber of Commerce Karachi namely Syed Mazahir Hussain Rizvi. Furthermore, joint secretary, Ministry of Commerce namely Mr. Usman Qureshi was also present during such election.

2. The Election for the 15 seats of member Managing committee of Karachi Chamber of Commerce & Industry duly conducted between the Businessmen Group (BMG) and Patriot as well as accordance with the relevant rules in and Regulations and the provisions of Memorandum & articles of Association. The entire elections were monitored by the respective election commissioner committee namely Iftikhar Ahmed Shaikh, Muhammad Ali & Majeed Memon duly constituted by Director General Trade Organizations (DGTO). Furthermore, the undersigned oversee the entire election process with the assistance of parties, Election commissioners, Ministry of Commerce representative as well.

3. The Election process was started at 10:00 hours and end at 07:00 hours, thereafter counting process was started and result was announced by the Election commissioner, the copy of result of the election of the Managing Committee, Karachi Chamber of Commerce & Industry was provided to the undersigned, the same is enclosed and marked "A"

Report is submitted for kind perusal and orders."

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that Nazir's fee has already been paid and the elections have been carried out transparently. The results have already been announced in Annual General Meeting without any issue, therefore, he does not want to proceed further. The learned Assistant Attorney General submits that he has examined the Nazir's report and earlier order passed by this court and he has no objection if the matter is disposed of. Order accordingly.

JUDGE

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