

Order Sheet
IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH AT KARACHI
Constitutional Petition No. D – 4326 of 2020

Date	Order with signature of the Judge
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1. For hearing of CMA No.18207/2020 (Stay) :
2. For hearing of main case :

05.10.2020 :

Mr. Rehman Dino, advocate for the petitioner.
Mr. Ali Safdar Debar, Assistant A.G. along with Zameer Hussain Abbasi,
Secretary Sindh Local Government Board.

NADEEM AKHTAR, J. – Petitioner, who is working in the Local Government Department of Government of Sindh, has alleged that he is being victimized and harassed by the respondents as he has been transferred and posted at different posts very frequently during the entire period of his service, and particularly from March 2020, details whereof have been disclosed by him in the petition. According to him, the above conduct of the respondents shows the malafides and discrimination on their part.

Upon notice, the Secretary Sindh Local Government Board is present in person along with his statement / comments dated 05.10.2020. He submits that there were serious charges of corruption and illegal appointments against the petitioner and due to this reason he was transferred frequently from one U.C. to the other. He further submits that an inquiry was initiated in July 2020 against the petitioner in relation to the allegations of corruption and illegal appointments, which inquiry has not yet been concluded. He has placed on record a copy of order dated 30.09.2020 issued by the competent authority, whereby the petitioner has been placed under suspension in view of the above charges. He points out that despite repeated notices, petitioner is avoiding to participate in the inquiry proceedings.

From the above facts and documents placed on record by the Secretary Sindh Local Government Board, it appears that the present petition has been filed by the petitioner to frustrate the inquiry proceedings initiated against him and also to pre-empt the action that may be taken against him pursuant to such inquiry. In any event, no adverse order has so far been passed against him. It may be observed that in case of any adverse order, he will be at liberty to avail his remedy before the competent forum in accordance with law. With this observation, the petition and listed application are dismissed with no order as to costs.

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