ORDER SHEET IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH, KARACHI C.P No.D-200 of 2021

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Order with signature of Judge

Fresh Case

- 1. For orders on Misc. No.1162/21.
- 2. For orders on Misc. No.741/21.
- 3. For orders on Misc. No.742/21.
- 4. For hearing of main case.

Dated: 14.01.2021

Syed Shoa-un-Nabi, advocate for the petitioners.

- 1. Granted.
- 2. Granted subject to all just exceptions.
- It is contended inter alia that petitioners were employees of Synthetic Fiber Development and Application Centre (SFDAC) which was a public sector company registered under Companies Ordinance, 1984. Learned counsel emphasized that in the year 2017 under the policy decision of the Government of Pakistan the aforesaid company was liquidated and its all assets and liabilities were shifted to National Textile University, including the services of the petitioners and other employees with effect from 01.07.2017; and, they were treated as fresh employees vide minutes of the meeting held on 29.12.2017 under the same terms and conditions as set forth for the employees of Federal Government. Per learned counsel, the Federal Government had increased salaries on Adhoc basis in the budgetary book for the year 2009-10 to 2016-17, however, the petitioners were deprived of such increase in their salaries; that despite several representations made by them to the competent authority for grant of Adhoc relief allowance announced during the intervening period but their all efforts went in vain, compelling them to approach this Court. He prays for directions to the respondents to redress their grievances allowing them to increase their salaries according to Adhoc relief announced by Federal Government from time to time. In support of his contention, he relied upon various office memorandums (page 129 to 175) issued by the Federal Government from time to time on the subject issue.

To appreciate the aforesaid factum of the case, let notice be issued to the respondents as well as to learned DAG for **21.01.2021**. In the meanwhile, no coercive action shall be taken against the petitioners so far as their service issue is concerned.

JUDGE