ORDER SHEET

IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH, KARACHI

C. P. No.D-5983 of 2019

Date	Order with signature of Judge

Present
Mr. Justice Muhammad Ali Mazhar
Mr. Justice Amjad Ali Sahito

Dr. Khawer Riaz Ahmed...…….....Petitioner

Versus

The Federation of Pakistan & others……..……Respondents

09.02.2021

Syed Hassan Jafri, Advocate a/w the Petitioner.
Mr. Zeeshan Abdullah, Advocate for Respondents No.3&4/PMC.
Barrister Hussain Bohra, Assistant Attorney General.
Mr. Sheheryar Mehar, A.A.G. Sindh.

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Muhammad Ali Mazhar, J: At the very outset the learned counsel for Pakistan Medical Commission (PMC) pointed out page 25 of the memo of petition which is an application submitted by the petitioner for retention of his name on the Register of Medical/Dental Practitioners. This application was submitted on 04.12.2018 to the PMC (former PMDC) but the application is still pending. Mr. Zeeshan Abdullah, learned counsel for the PMC proposed that some directions may be issued to PMC to decide the pending application of the petitioner within a certain period of time. This proposal is accepted by the counsel for the petitioner, however, he submits that the age of the petitioner is 77 years, therefore, some directions may be issued to decide the application of the petitioner at an early date. The petition is disposed of with the directions to respondent No.4/PMC to decide the pending application of the petitioner within three weeks positively without any further delay as no justification has been placed on record as to why the application moved in 2018 is still pending without any order on it. Pending application is also disposed of.

A copy of this order may be transmitted to the learned counsel for the PMC to ensure compliance.

Judge

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