

**ORDER SHEET**  
**IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH, KARACHI**  
**C.P.No.D-1348 of 2021**

Date

Order with signature of Judge

**Present**

**Mr. Justice Muhammad Ali Mazhar**

**Mr. Justice Amjad Ali Sahito**

Hasham Bin Tahir.....Petitioner

V E R S U S

PEMRA & another.....Respondents

**24.02.2021**

Petitioner present in person.

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**Muhammad Ali Mazhar, J:** Basically the petitioner in person has moved this petition for some directions against the Pakistan Electronic Media Regulatory Authority (PEMRA) to restrain different T.V. channels from using some offending remarks against the lawyers' community/fraternity. He particularly pointed out that the use of words "wukla gardi" is indecent and also disparaging the reputation of the lawyers. No specific T.V. channel is party to this petition except the PEMRA and the respondent No.2 has been wrongly arrayed which is Pakistan Broadcasting Corporation but the learned counsel submits that he wanted to make party to Pakistan Broadcasters Association which is in fact an association of private T.V. channels. We specifically asked the learned counsel whether any application was moved to the Council of Complaints (COC) constituted under the PEMRA Ordinance, he submitted that no such complaint has been filed, however, he agrees to first file a complaint to the Council of Complaints in accordance with the PEMRA Ordinance and PEMRA Rules for redressal of his grievance. Petition is disposed of accordingly.

Judge

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