

**ORDER SHEET**  
**IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH AT KARACHI**  
**CP D 3393 of 2018**

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Order with signature of Judge

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Present: **Muhammad Ali Mazhar and Agha Faisal, JJ.**

**Khairunisa Saliha**

vs.

**Federation of Pakistan and another**

- 1. For orders on Misc. No.15367 of 2018*
- 2. For hearing of main case*

**19.09.2019**

**Mr. Zakir Leghari, Advocate for the petitioner.**  
**Mr. Mohiuddin, Assistant Attorney General.**  
**Ms. Samina Iqbal, Advocate for the NADRA.**

**Muhammad Ali Mazhar J.-** The petitioner has approached this Court for directions against the respondents to issue Certificate of Naturalization under the Naturalization Act, 1926. Today, counsel for the NADRA has submitted a statement in which it is stated that the petitioner's husband has applied for Certificate of Naturalization and further that the period of Pakistan Origin Card (POC) has already been extended and delivered to the husband of the petitioner at home. Learned counsel for NADRA submits that so far as the Certificate of Naturalization is concerned it has to be applied by the petitioner to the Ministry of Interior, Government of Pakistan. Learned counsel for the petitioner pointed out page 73 of the case file which is Form-A, application for Certificate of Naturalization under the Naturalization Act, 1926. He further argued that the application has already been moved to the respondent No.1 which has not been decided so far. Learned Assistant Attorney General submits that some directions may be issued to the respondent No.1 to decide the application of the

petitioner according to law, which proposal seems to be reasonable. The petition is disposed of accordingly. Copy of this order may be transmitted to the learned Assistant Attorney General for compliance. The Secretary, Ministry of Interior, Government of Pakistan shall decide the application within a period of one month.

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