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ORDER SHEET
IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH AT KARACHI
S.M.A. No. 155 of 2020

Date

Order with signature of Judge

For hearing of main petition.

23.09.2020

Syed Imran Hussain, advocate for petitioner.

Through the instant petition, petitioner Fiona Sukhia has prayed for the grant of Succession Certificate and Letter of Administration in respect of moveable and immoveable properties/assets, details whereof are mentioned in the Schedule of Properties attached with the memo of petition, available at page 21, which were left by her deceased father, namely, Rumi Sustam s/o. Rustam Sukhia, who allegedly died on 09.01.2019 at Karachi, leaving behind (1) Fiona Sukhia (daughter) and (2) Hoshang Rumi Sukhia as his legal heirs. Original Death Certificate of deceased as well as photostat copies of Family Registration Certificate, issued by the NADRA, title documents of the immovable property, bank statement and registration documents of vehicle are also filed at page 17, 19 and 31 to 55.

Legal heir No. 2 has filed his Affidavits of No-Objection for the grant of Succession Certificate and Letter of Administration in favour of the petitioner.

Two witnesses, namely, Muhammad Tahir Khan s/o. Laiq Mir Khan and Tulsi s/o. Parshutam have also filed their respective affidavits and affirmed that there is no other legal heir of the deceased except mentioned above. Their affidavits are also available on record.

Notice of this petition was published in Daily "Jang" Karachi dated 18.03.2020; however, none has filed any objection to the grant of Succession Certificate and Letter of Administration to petitioner, as per the report submitted by the Deputy Registrar (OS) on 03.09.2020.

On 16th September, 2020 petitioner and legal heir No.1 as well as one of the witnesses, namely, Muhammad Tahir Khan made their appearance, while another witness, namely, Tulsi has appeared today. All have affirmed the contents of memo of petition as well as their respective affidavits and also verified their signatures made thereon.

Since all the legal formalities/requirements have been fulfilled, there is no impediment in grant of Succession Certificate and Letter of Administration to petitioner, therefore, the petition is allowed. The office is directed to issue Succession Certificate and Letter of Administration in respect of movable and immovable properties/assets shown in the Schedule of Properties, as per rules.

JUDGE

Athar Zai