

IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH BENCH AT SUKKUR

C. P. No. D – 499 of 2021

Shahid Hussain and another.....Petitioners

Versus

Province of Sindh and others.....Respondents

Before:

Mr. Justice Muhammad Junaid Ghaffar

Mr. Justice Zulfiqar Ali Sangi

Date of Hearing: **09-12-2021**

Date of Decision: **09-12-2021**

None present on behalf of the Petitioners.
Mr. Shahriyar I. Awan, Assistant A.G-Sindh.

ORDER

Muhammad Junaid Ghaffar, J. – Through this Petition, the Petitioners have sought the following prayer:

“(a) That this Honorable Court may be pleased to issue write in favor of petitioners declaring thereby the acts of Respondent No.1 to 3 of stopping the recruitment process of Driver Police Constables in the Police Department Sukkur Range and issuing appointment orders to the similarly placed candidates of Karachi Range and Hyderabad Range as discriminatory, illegal, ab initio, null and void and having no legal sanctity and violation of article 4, 9, & 25 of the Constitution of Islamic Republic of Pakistan of 1973.

(b). To direct the Respondent No.1 to 3 to give equal treatment to the petitioners as given to the candidate of Karachi Range and Hyderabad Range.

(c) To Direct the Respondents to complete recruitment process of Driver Police Constable in the Police Department on the basis of merit list of as per successful candidates issued by Respondent No.4 and issue appointment orders to the successful candidates/petitioners”.

2. Notice was ordered and comments have been filed by the Respondents, wherein it is stated that initially the recruitment process was stopped due to a ban imposed by the Election Commission of Pakistan vide Notification dated 11.04.2018. It has been further stated that the process which was earlier initiated was also against the directions of the Government, whereby while making recruitment in the Police Department, it was directed that in future appointments, third party testing service are

mandatory; whereas in the process under dispute, no such third party testing service was done and therefore said recruitment process has been cancelled and new process was initiated.

3. Hence, it appears that the petitioners have no case; whereas they are at liberty to appear in any future test, if otherwise, eligible. Accordingly, this Petition being misconceived is hereby dismissed.

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