ORDER SHEET IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH, AT KARACHI C.P No.D-2209 of 2021

DATE ORDER WITH SIGNATURE OF JUDGE

Priority.

1. For orders on office objection No.18.

2. For hearing of Misc No.9471/2021.

3. For hearing of main case.

07.04.2021

Mr. Asim Iqbal advocate for the petitioner. Mr. Ali Safdar Depar, AAG. Dr. Azam Khan, Registrar, Jinnah Sindh Medical University.

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1) To be complied with within seven (07) days.

2&3) Learned AAG has filed comments on behalf of respondent No.1, which are taken on record, copy of the same given to the counsel for the petitioner for perusal. Registrar, Jinnah Sindh Medical University present in person seeks time to engage counsel. Time is granted.

We have been informed by learned counsel for the petitioner that by misinterpreting the order of this Court passed on 30.03.2021, the interview has been postponed, whereas, it was categorically directed by this Court vide order dated 30.03.2021 as under:-

"In the meantime, the Committee may conduct the interview of the shortlisted candidates, but would not make a final list in respect of the selected candidate or candidates as the case may be."

According to learned counsel for the petitioner this Court has never directed that the interview be postponed rather the Committee was directed to conduct the interview of the shortlisted candidates but would not make a final list in respect of the selected candidate or candidates as the case may be, but by misinterpreting the order, the respondent No.3 has postponed the interview, which was against the spirit of the order dated 30.03.2021 passed by this Court. He has placed on record copy of the whatsapp message in this support. When confronted with this position, learned AAG states that he is not aware about the instant whatsapp message and will look into the matter and enquire about the same. Time is granted. We, however, reiterate that vide order dated 30.03.2021, this Bench did not direct the Committee to postpone the interviews but simply directed to conduct the interview of the shortlisted candidates with further directions not to make a final list in respect of the selected candidate or candidates, as the case may be.

Adjourned to 06.05.2021. Since a short point is involved in the instant matter, the matter would be heard and decided at Katcha Peshi stage.

JUDGE

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