ORDER SHEET IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH, KARACHI CP No.D-2892 of 2022

Date		Order with signature of Judge
1.	1. For hearing of CMA No.12745/2022 (stay)	

2. For hearing of Main Case

17/05/2022:

Mr. Danial Muzaffar, Advocate for the Petitioner.

Mr. Kafeel Ahmed Abbasi, D.A.G.

Mr. Imran Ahmed Metlo, Advocate for the Respondent No.2

Ms. Masooda Siraj, Advocate for the Respondent.

Mr. Sarfaraz Khan, Advocate for the Respondent.

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Per the learned counsel, the Application under Section 25-A of the Customs Act, 1969 against the impugned Ruling is pending before the Director General Valuation and he states that the petitioner is willing to secure the differential amount of duties and taxes with the Nazir of this Court.

In the circumstances, by way of an interim arrangement since the consignment is incurring storage charges at the port, let the undisputed deposited quantum of duties and taxes be with Collectorate/Department and the disputed amount of the duties and taxes be secured before the Nazir of this Court, by way of pay order(s) bank guarantee, in respect of the consignment(s) stipulated supra, for which accurate calculation sheet be furnished by the Department forthwith to the petitioner / Nazir of this Court. The Nazir of this Court shall issue the appropriate certificate(s) upon receipt of the Payorder/Bank Guarantee and if the amount is secured by way of pay order(s), the Nazir of this Court shall invest the same in some Government profit bearing securities, as per the Rules.

Upon deposit of the undisputed quantum of dues and taxes with the Collectorate/Department and presentation of the certificate(s) issued by the Nazir of this Court, the concerned Collectorate/Department shall release the consignment(s) forthwith.

The fate of amount secured supra shall be subject to the outcome of the application pending before the Director Valuation.

This petition, along with pending application(s) is disposed of in terms herein.

JUDGE