

ORDER SHEET  
IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH, KARACHI  
C.P. No.D-7703 of 2022

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Date	Order with signature of Judge
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For hearing of main case

20.12.2022

Mr. Aqil Ahmed, Advocate for the petitioner.  
Mr. G. M. Bhutto, Assistant Attorney General.  
Mr.Zafar Hussain, Advocate for the Respondent /  
Department.

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It appears that the petitioner has already filed revision application under section 25-A of the Customs Act, 1969 against the impugned Ruling which is pending adjudication and the learned counsel states that the Petitioner seeks provisional release of the goods in terms of order after securing the differential amount of duties and taxes with the Nazir of this Court.

Mr. G.M. Bhutto, Assistant Attorney General present in Court has waived notice on behalf of the respondents. In the circumstances, by way of an interim arrangement since the consignment is incurring storage charges at the Port, let the undisputed quantum of duties and taxes be deposited with the 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, the Nazir of this Court shall issue the appropriate certificate(s). If the amount is secured by way of pay order(s), the Nazir of this Court shall invest the amount in profit bearing instruments, as per the Rules.

Upon deposit of the undisputed quantum of duties 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 Revision Application. This petition alongwith pending applications is disposed of in the terms herein.

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