

**ORDER SHEET
IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH AT KARACHI
C.P No. D- 6995 of 2021**

Date	Order with signature of Judge
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Priority.

- 1) For hearing of CMA No. 30463/21.
- 2) For hearing of main case.

03.03.2023.

Mr. Ali Almani, Advocate along with Mr. Furqan Mushtaq, Advocate for Petitioner.

Dr. Shahnawaz Memon, Advocate along with Khan Muhammad, Deputy Commissioner, (Inland Revenue & Nisar Ahmed Burki, Additional Commissioner (Inland Revenue).

Mr. G.M Bhutto, Assistant Attorney General along with Mr. Qazi Ayazuddin Qureshi, Assistant Attorney General along with Usman Arif Rai, D.D. Legal and Babar Bilal Coordinator (Legal) Ministry of Energy, Petroleum Division.

Pursuant to our Orders dated 20.01.2023 and 17.02.2023, today Dr. Shahnawaz Memon, Advocate has filed Vakalatnama along with Statement of Dr. Khan Muhammad (Respondent No.4), which are taken on record. The Statement reads as under:-

“In pursuance to the advise/response of the Ministry of Energy- Petroleum Division, Government of Pakistan duly endorsed and supported by learned Asstt: Attorney General of Pakistan (Mr. Qazi Ayazuddin Qureshi) in this Hon'ble Court on 17.02.2023 and 20.01.2023 that interest on Late Payment on Gas Development Surcharge is to be recovered from consumers (GENCO & PEPCO) and not the petitioner, the impugned notice dated 24.11.2021 issued to the petitioner under section 138 of the Income Tax Ordinance, 2001 is withdrawn.”

In view of above statement, since the impugned notice stands withdrawn, this Petition has become infructuous and is accordingly disposed of with pending application.

Judge

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