

public approaching the Court in public interest jurisdiction is acting *bonafide*¹. Public interest litigation should not be mere adventure or an attempt to carryout fishing expedition to settle personal scores². The court must distinguish between the **public interest litigation** and a **publicity interest litigation** or **private interest litigation** or **politics interest litigation**³.

In our considered view this petition appears to be misconceived and is an attempt to gain publicity; hence it was dismissed by means of a short order in the earlier part of the day by imposing cost(s) and these are the reasons thereof.

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¹ *Akhtar Hassan Khan v. Federation of Pakistan* (2012 SCMR 455)

² *Dr. B. Singh v. Union of India* (AIR 2004 SC 1923)

³ *Mian Shabir Asmail v. The Chief Minister of Punjab* (PLD 2017 Lahore 597)