

ORDER SHEET
THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH KARACHI

C.P. No. D-4091 of 2024

DATE	ORDER WITH SIGNATURE OF JUDGES
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1. For orders on Misc. No. 18043 of 2024.
2. For orders on Misc. No. 18044 of 2024.
3. For orders on Misc. No. 18045 of 2024.
4. For hearing of main case.

27-08-2024

Mr. Raj Ali Wahid, Advocate for the Petitioner.

1. Urgency granted.
2. Exemption granted subject to all just exceptions.

3&4. By an order dated 01.08.2024 passed under Rule 6 of the West Pakistan Waqf Properties (Administration) Rules, 1960, the Chief Administrator Auqaf, Sindh Hyderabad constituted a Religious Purposes Committee for Jamia Masjid Masoom Shah Bukhari, Kharadar, Karachi, with the Petitioner as the 'Amin' of such Committee. However, by an order of the same day i.e. 01.08.2024, the order appointing the Committee was withdrawn. The Petitioner is aggrieved of such withdrawal.

Learned counsel submits that the Petitioner is a namazi of said masjid and concerned for its effective management. However, we do not see how that makes the Petitioner a person aggrieved within the meaning of Article 199 of the Constitution. The order for constituting the Committee was withdrawn by the Chief Administrator Aufqaf on the same day while citing administrative grounds. He had the power to do so by virtue of Section 20 of the West Pakistan General Clauses Act, 1956 especially when the Petitioner has no vested right to be part of such Committee. The petition is therefore dismissed *in limine*.

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