ORDER SHEET IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH AT KARACHI

CP D 85 of 2025

Date Order with signature of Judge(s)

- 1. For hearing of CMA No.442/2025.
- 2. For hearing of main case.

20.01.2025

Mr. Muhammad Din Qazi, advocate for the petitioner.

Ms. Alizeh Bashir, Assistant Attorney General.

Barrister Syed Ahsan Ali Shah, advocate files Vakalatnama on behalf of the respondents 2 and 3, which is taken on record. Comments filed on behalf of respondents No.2 to 4, are also taken on record.

This Petition was filed by impugning the recovery proceedings initiated by the respondent Department, during the pendency of the appeal before the Commissioner (IR) (Appeals-VII), CTO, Karachi. The respective learned counsel jointly state that it may be just and proper to dispose of this petition with directions for expeditious conclusion of the appeal, while restraining the recovery of the impugned demand in the interim period.

Accordingly, this petition is disposed of by directing the Commissioner (IR) (Appeals-VII), CTO, Karachi, to decide the pending Appeal expeditiously; preferably within 60 days from the date hereof. However, the respondents shall not take any coercive action against the petitioner, in respect of the impugned demand, till the conclusion of the Appeal.

Petition stands disposed of in the above terms along with listed application(s)

Judge

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