ORDER SHEET THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH AT KARACHI

C.P No.S-697 of 2023.

Date: Order with signature(s) of the Judge(s)

Fresh Case.

- 1. For Orders on CMA No.5080/2023.
- 2. For Orders on Office Objection No.19 and reply of Counsel as at 'A'.
- 3. For Orders on CMA No.5081/2023.
- 4. For Orders on CMA No.5082/2023.
- 5. For Hearing of Main Case.

14th September, 2023.

Mr. Malik Muhammad Riaz advocate for the Petitioner.

- 1. Urgent application is granted.
- 2. Overruled.
- 3. Exemption application is granted subject to all just exceptions.
- 4-5. Petitioner is contesting guardianship petition pending before the Family Judge-VIII Karachi West. The Petitioner failed to cross-examine the witness of Respondent No.1, hence his side was closed. He moved application for reopening of side; that was allowed but he preferred application for additional issue to further prolong the matter. I examined his application alongwith issues which are pertaining to legal, hence, can be argued at the time of final arguments; therefore, there is no need for framing additional issues. Accordingly, instant petition is dismissed. Learned trial court shall decide the fate of guardianship petition within one month. In case Petitioner failed to cross-examine the witness, trial court would be competent to close the side of Petitioner again.