ORDER SHEET

IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH BENCH AT SUKKUR Constitution Petition No. D-418 of 2023

DATE OF HEARING ORDER WITH SIGNATURE OF JUDGE

- 1. For Orders on office objection.
- 2. For Orders on CMA No. 1823/2023 (Stay)
- 3. For hearing of main case.

24-10-2024.

Perusal of the statement dated 20-04-2023 filed by the respondent No.10 reflects that the petitioner be directed to approach the Electric Inspector by filing his complaint along with required documents for redressal of his grievance. The issue of the petitioner is that there was an alternate mechanism envisaged by PEPCO vide order dated 28-12-2018 (page No. 63) to resolve the grievance of general public through open *Kutchery*, where he appeared and it was settled that he has to pay the amount Rs. 60,000/- and remaining amount was to be wiped out, which did not take place and forthcoming Bills showed the earlier amounts.

Learned AAG submits that law only requires such dispute to be resolved under the Electricity law through concerned Electric Inspector and open *Kutchery* has no legal justification.

In these circumstances the petitioner is directed to approach the concerned Electric Inspector along with a detailed complaint for redressal of his grievance. Let speaking order be passed within two months. Instant petition is disposed of in above terms.

Judge

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