ORDER SHEET

IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH BENCH AT SUKKUR

Constitutional Petition No.D- 918 of 2024.

DATE OF HEARING ORDER WITH SIGNATURE OF JUDGE

For orders on office objections as flag A.
For orders on M.A No. 3618/2024.
For hearing of main case.

Mr.Justice Muhammad Saleem Jessar. Mr.Justice Adnan-ul-Karim Memon.

25.02.2025

Mr. Ghulam Murtaza Korai, advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Muhammad Aslam Jatoi, Asstt: Attorney General a/w I.O SIP Wajid Ali Darban, FIR/Cyber Crime.

ORDER.

ADNAN-UL-KARIM MEMON-J.:- A father has petitioned the court, requesting it compel the FIA Cyber Crime Sukkur to finalize its investigation (Inquiry No. 46/2023) into the online harassment of his daughter, Zoya Shaikh. Ms Zoya was targeted with a fake Facebook profile that posted edited, explicit images, causing severe distress since her marriage to her cousin. Despite filing a complaint with the FIA in 2023, and the FIA confirming the inquiry's registration, the petitioner alleges inaction. He claims the FIA has neglected its duty to identify the perpetrator, resulting in ongoing mental anguish for his family. He seeks a court order directing the FIA to complete the investigation and prosecute the responsible individual. He prayed for allowing the petition.

2. Learned DAG has submitted that The FIA investigation into the fake Facebook profile harassing Zoya Shaikh revealed the profile was linked to a mobile number registered to Muhammad Azeem. He denied involvement, claiming his number was misused. His phone was seized and sent for forensic analysis. Call Detail Records (CDRs) linked the number to Ishaque Shaikh, who also denied involvement, stating his mother's SIM was lost. His phone was also seized for forensic analysis. Other suspects were questioned and released due to insufficient evidence. Forensic analysis of both phones found no evidence of the fake profile or related content. The FIA asserts the investigation was conducted transparently, but no evidence supports the complainant's claims. The fake profile has been closed. The FIA requests the court to direct the petitioner to provide further evidence and dismiss the petition.

3. With the FIA finding no incriminating evidence against the alleged culprits, this petition is dismissed. The FIA is to close the investigation but may prosecute if new evidence arises.