Order Sheet IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH, CIRCUIT COURT, HYDERABAD

CP No. S- 942 of 2019

ORDER WITH SIGNATURE OF JUDGE

26.12.2019

DATE

For orders on office objection For hearing of MA 2593/19 For hearing of main case

Mr. Muhammad Hassan Chang, advocate for petitioner(s)

Mr. Muhammad Hanif Shaikh, advocate files vakalatnama on behalf of private respondents which is taken on record.

Mr. Shahzado Saleem Nahiyoon, D.P.G.

Mr. Allah Bachayo Soomro, Addl.A.G. along with along with ASI Muhammad Yasin for SHO PS City Hyderabad.

I have heard the parties. The petitioner is alleging harassment against the police officials at the behest of private respondents. Learned counsel for private respondents has submitted that civil as well as criminal litigation is pending between the parties and in fact it is the petitioner who is causing harassment to the respondents as is evident from the order dated 3.7.2018 passed by VIIth Additional Sessions Judge / Ex-Officio Justice of Peace, Hyderabad in Cr. Misc. Application No. 1720 of 2018 filed by petitioner against the private respondents.

Learned Deputy Prosecutor General and learned Additional Advocate General have submitted that this petition against simple harassment is not maintainable in view of the case law reported as Abdul Hameed and another v. Province of Sindh and others (PLD 2019 Sindh 168). The parties are already at loggerheads and have filed civil as well as criminal cases against each other. Nothing is on record to show that the police are acting in favour of either party to raise suspicion of harassment against the

petitioner. Accordingly, this petition has no merits and is accordingly dismissed. The parties would be at liberty to avail remedy in accordance with law, however.

JUDGE

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