

ORDER SHEET
IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH AT KARACHI
CP No.S-735 of 2021

DATE: **ORDER WITH SIGNATURE(S) OF JUDGE(S)**

HEARING OF CASE.

For hearing of main case.

17-03-2025

Mr. Safiruddin Gandapur, Advocate for the Petitioners.

Mr. Ali Safdar Depar, AAG along with SI/Javed Akhter, Special Branch,
Karachi and PI/Haji Liaquat, P.S. Boat Basin, Karachi

Through the instant Petition, Petitioner has challenged the List issued by the Police Department detailing the names of the Drug Dealer operating in the Province of Sindh, wherein, names of Petitioner Nos.1 and 2 are also included. In the said list, it has been observed that Petitioners/Adnan Gul and Bilawal Gul are Drug Peddler.

The notice of the Petition was given to the Respondents and today the SHO P.S. Boat Basin has filed the Report, mentioning, therein that almost 15 FIRs were registered against the Petitioner/Bilawal Gul for the offence punishable under Section 9C and 9B of CNS Act, 1997. There is one FIR against Petitioner/Adnan Gul registered for the offence punishable under Section 9C of CNS Act, 1997. The SHO, P.S. Boat Basin reported that Petitioners are not running the business of water supply but they are involved in Drug Dealing. It appears that number of FIRs were registered against the Petitioners until 2021. This Petition was preferred in the month of September, 2021 thereafter no case has been registered against the Petitioners. Since the Petitioner has alleged that his name has been placed in the list of Drug Dealer, which is the against fundamental rights. Surprisingly, 15 cases have been registered against the Petitioners but he has not challenged any of those in the instant *Lis*. Learned counsel for the Petitioner contends that in most of the cases the Petitioners have been acquitted by the learned trial Court. Since after filing of this Petition no case has been registered

against the Petitioners as reported by the Police. It appears that the purpose of filing of this Petition, has been served, however, it is made clear that officials Respondents should not publish such list naming any individual as Drug Dealer. It would be otherwise better to take action against them in accordance with the law. The Petitioners had prayed for directing the official Respondents to provide the list of cases registered against them which is filed today in Court, copy of the same has been supplied to learned counsel for the Petitioners. The official Respondents are directed to conduct themselves strictly in accordance with the law and not to harass the Petitioners.

In view of the above, the instant Petition stands *disposed of* in the above terms.

JUDGE

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