

ORDER SHEET
IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH AT KARACHI

CP D 1823 of 2019

DATE	ORDER WITH SIGNATURE OF JUDGE(S)
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1. For hearing of CMA No.81931/2019.
2. For hearing of main case.

21.05.2025

Mr. M. Umar Akhund, advocate for the petitioner.
Mr. Alizeh Bashir, Assistant Attorney General.

Per learned counsel, order under Rule 220A(7)(3) of the Income Tax Rules, 2002, had been assailed in this petition, since there was no provision of appeal at the said time under the prevailing law. Learned counsel states that subsequently section 131 of the Income Tax Ordinance, 2001, was amended and the forum of appeal is now available. Learned counsel states that the petitioner shall seek recourse before the statutory forum, however, requires that appeal be decided vide a speaking order after providing opportunity of hearing to the petitioner and pending aforesaid no coercive action be taken there against.

Learned counsel further states that in pursuance to the aforesaid, certain show cause notices had also been issued and the same are also subject matter in this petition. He states that the same shall be contested before the issuing authority, however, seeks that pending adjudication of the same vide a speaking order, after providing opportunity of hearing to the petitioner, no coercive action be taken against the petitioner.

Learned counsel for the petitioner seeks disposal of the petition in the above terms and no cavil is articulated in such regard by the learned DAG. Petition is disposed of in the above terms accordingly.

Judge

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