ORDER SHEET IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH, CIRCUIT COURT, HYDERABAD.

C.P. No.D-1157 of 2025

DATE ORDER WITH SIGNATURE OF JUDGE(S)

For orders on urgent application.
For orders on office objections.
For orders on exemption application.
For hearing of main case.

<u>15-07-2025</u>

Petitioner is present in person.

- 1. Urgent application is granted.
- 3. Exemption is granted subject to all just exceptions.

2&4. Through the instant petition, the petitioner has sought directions to the official respondents for effecting *Foti Khata Badal* in respect of Plot No. 5, admeasuring 5500 square feet, from Survey No. 382 situated in Deh Sari, Village Bughio, Taluka Hyderabad City.

Upon query from the petitioner as to whether he had submitted any formal application before the competent authority for redressal of his grievance, he submits that he had approached Mukhtiarkar and moved an application to the Deputy Commissioner concerned which is available at page 21 of the petition.

However, from the available record, it is evident that the petitioner has not approached the competent authority. The application available at page 21 of the petition does not reflect any receipt or acknowledgement from the office of the Deputy Commissioner.

The subject matter of the petition falls squarely within the domain of "Public Grievances Redressal Cell" established by the Government of Sindh, Revenue Department vide Notification No.DD(E&I)/HQ/BOR/2024/302, dated 21.10.2024. The said Cell operates under the respective Deputy Commissioners throughout the Sindh province and is specifically mandated to address issues of the nature raised in this petition.

In the light of the above, the petition is found to be premature and misconceived, as the petitioner possess an adequate and efficacious alternate remedy in the form of approaching the Public Grievances Redressal Cell. Consequently, the petition being devoid of merits is hereby dismissed. Nevertheless, the petitioner shall be at liberty to approach the Public Grievances

Redressal Cell for appropriate redress. If the petitioner submits a formal application, the same shall be decided in accordance with law, after affording opportunity of hearing to all concerned parties.

JUDGE

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Irfan Ali