Order Sheet

IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH AT KARACHI

Cr. Misc. Appln No.727 of 2025

Date	Order with Signature of Judge
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Fresh Case

- 1. For order on MA No.11659/2025.
- 2. For order on office objection a/w reply at Flag A.
- 3. For order on MA No.11531/2025.
- 4. For hearing of main case.

<u>22.08.2025</u>

Malik Naeem Iqbal, Advocate for the applicant. Ms. Amna Ansari, Addl. PG Sindh.

- 1. Urgency granted.
- 2. Office objection is overruled.
- 3. Exemption is granted subject to all just exceptions.
- 4. This criminal miscellaneous application has been filed by applicant Gul Zada impugning the order dated 13.08.2025 passed by learned Additional District & Sessions Judge-III Karachi Malir / Ex-Officio Justice of Peace in Cr. Petition No.2948 of 2025 filed by the applicant. Counsel submits that although the applicant had appeared in Court on 13.08.2025 but due to pressure from members of the bar numbering around 50 - 60 advocates, he had to leave the Courtroom for safety. Thereafter when the matter was called, he could not be present, and the impugned order was passed. He contends that this was the second hearing of the case whereas notices had been issued on the first date. There is no reason articulated in the impugned order as agitated by counsel and available in Ground "G" of this application. Clearly, the applicant has not been heard. Therefore, the matter is remanded to the Ex-Officio Justice of Peace to decide the case afresh in accordance with law articulating reasons and ensuring due process and hearing of the parties and in case of a hostile environment deal with the matter tactfully, and thereafter, if need be, the officer may record such event in the diary, if the circumstances require such recording.

Office to send a copy of this order to the concerned Court.

The miscellaneous application is dismissed for the above reasons.