

ORDER SHEET
THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH, CIRCUIT COURT LARKANO
C. P No. D-1018 of 2025

Date	Order with signature of Judge
1.	For order on office objection.
2.	For hearing of M.A No. 5273/2025. (Stay Application)
3.	For hearing of main case.

15-10-2025

Mr. Sahib Ali Malik, advocate for the petitioners a/w petitioners.

Mr. Liaquat Ali Shar, Additional Advocate General a/w A.S.I. Muhammad Tasleem Awan, S.I.O P.S. Shah Latif Town, Malir Karachi.

Petitioner No.1 namely Mst. Bibi Zainab, present in Court states that she being sui juris, has contracted marriage with petitioner No.2, namely Sadam Hussain, on 25.05.2025 of her own freewill, without any coercion, compulsion or inducement. She further states that upon such marriage, her family members became annoyed, whereupon her mother, Mst. Zareena (respondent No.4), lodged FIR No.1229/2025 at Police Station Shah Latif, District Malir, Karachi, under Section 365-B, P.P.C.

Learned counsel for the petitioners contends that the petitioners are facing threats to their lives and liberty at the hands of the family members of petitioner No.1 on account of their marriage, and therefore seek intervention of this Court for quashment of the aforesaid FIR and for their protection in accordance with law.

Today, the Investigating Officer of the said FIR is present and submits that he has recorded the statement of petitioner No.1, Mst. Bibi Zainab, who has categorically stated that she has contracted marriage with petitioner No.2 of her own freewill, that she has neither been abducted nor compelled into marriage, and that the FIR lodged by her mother (respondent No.4) is false. The I.O further states that after completion of investigation, the final report under Section 173, Cr.P.C shall be submitted before the concerned Magistrate. After receiving the report from I.O, the concerned Magistrate is directed to pass appropriate orders in view of the statement of petitioner No.1 recorded by the I.O.

In view of the above, the instant petition stands disposed of in the terms stated hereinabove. The official respondents are directed to ensure protection of the petitioners in accordance with law.

Judge

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