## ORDER-SHEET

IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH, CIRCUIT COURT LARKANA

Constt. Petition No. S- 326 of 2023. Date of hearing

16.01.2024.

Order with signature of Judge

For orders on office objections. 1. 2.

For hearing of main case.

Mr. Ali Raza Pathan, Advocate for petitioners.

Mr. Munawar Ali Abbasi, Asstt. A.G.

Mr. Ali Anwar Kandhro, Additional Prosecutor General a/w SIP Manzoor Ahmed Chandio of P.S Shah Latif Town, and ASI Muneer Ahmed Dahar of P.S Badeh.

Through this petition, petitioners Mst. Rehana and Saddam Hussain have sought for providing lawful protection against harassment being caused to them by the official respondents on instance of private respondents, on account of their freewill marriage.

Statements are filed on behalf of SHO P.S Badeh (respondent No.1), as well as by SIP Manzoor Ahmed Chandio of P.S Shah Latif Town, Malir Karachi, the I.O of the case; which are taken on the record; copies whereof provided to learned counsel for the petitioners.

SIP Manzoor Ahmed Chandio of P.S Shah Latif Town, Karachi, submits that on 01.11.2023 one Fazil Ahmed appeared at P.S and registered F.I.R No.1378/2023 under Sections 496-A and 34 P.P.C, against petitioner No.2 (Saddam Hussain) with regard to abduction of his wife Mst. Rehana (the petitioner No.1) and another girl, namely, Azra, who happens to be sister of Rehana. He further submits that, investigation of the case was entrusted to him and on completion of the investigation he has filed final report under Section 173 Cr.P.C., before concerned Magistrate.

The Investigation Officer further submits that, he has already recorded statement of petitioner No.1 Mst. Rehana under Section 161 Cr.P.C, who has not supported contents of the F.I.R. Per him, another alleged abductee Mst. Azra has also filed a petition before this Court vide Constt. Petition No. D- 03/2024 seeking quashment of F.I.R in question, which is fixed on 24.01.2024, and that he has also to record statement of Mst. Azra (another abductee shown in F.I.R in question). The investigation officer however undertakes to file subsequent report in case/ F.I.R in question for its disposal after recording statement of Mst. Azra. He may do so.

In view of foregoing, the instant petition stands disposed of.

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