

Order Sheet

IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH AT KARACHI

Income Tax Reference Application No.403 of 2022

Date	Order with Signature of Judge
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Fresh Case

1. For order on office objections
2. For order on CMA No.458/2022
3. For hearing of main case

27.04.2026

Mr. Irfan Mir Halepota, Advocate for the applicant

Matter is pending since 2022 without any progress. Diary demonstrates that at no stage in the last four years no efforts have been made by the applicant-department to even have the matter listed or heard. On 21.04.2026, following order was passed:

“Learned counsel is not prepared and seeks time. At his request adjourned to 27.04.2026.”

Today once again learned counsel seeks time without any cogent reason. It appears that the applicant-department is not interest in proceeding with this reference. In view of the foregoing, no case is made out to perpetuate this matter in the docket, therefore, in view of the judgment of CIR vs. Rafeh Limited reported as PLD 2020 SC 518, this reference application is dismissed for non-prosecution.

A copy of this decision may be sent under the seal of this Court and the signature of the Registrar to the learned Appellate Tribunal, as required per section 133(8) of the Income Tax Ordinance, 2001.

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