ORDER SHEET IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH AT KARACHI C.P. No.D-1853 of 2015



Date

Order with signature of Judge

- 1. For katcha peshi
- 2. For hg of Misc. No.8174/2015
- 3. For hg of Misc. No.9259/2015

15.09.2015.

Mr. Amber Lakhani, advocate for petitioners.

Mr. Dilawar Hussain, Standing Counsel

for respondents No. 1, 3 and 4.

Mr. Asadullah Lashari, State Counsel

for respondents No. 2, 5 to 8.

This petition has been filed with the following prayers:-

- I. Direct the respondents to deploy and post adequate police personnel outside the petitioners' properties to provide 24-hours security and protection to the petitioners and their residents;
- II. Restrain the respondents and/ or any persons, departments or entities acting under their authority, from directly permitting any kind of attack and /or any act intended to intimidate, terrorize, harass and/ or inflict any kind of harm on the petitioners and /or their residents;
- III. Direct the respondents No. 5, 6, 7 and 8 to apprehend and initiate criminal proceedings against all the individuals responsible for the violent attacks conducted on the petitioner No. 1's property;
- IV. Direct the respondents to take all possible steps to ensure that no further attacks nor any acts intended to intimidate, terrorize, harass and / or inflict any kind of harm on the petitioners and / or their residents take place in future.
- W. Grant such further relief as this Hon'ble Court deems appropriate.

It is contention of the petitioners that they are the owners of forty acres of land, located in Sector 42-A, Scheme No. 33, Malir Cantonment, Karachi, however, some unscrupulous persons are harassing the petitioners. The petitioners have also registered FIRs against those persons, which are proceeding before different Courts of law.

Ms. Amber Lakhani, advocate has been heard, so also the Standing Counsel and State Counsel.

A perusal of the petition reveals that the instant petition has been filed mainly on the ground that the residents of petitioners societies are being harassed by the unscrupulous persons and they seek directions from this Court that the official respondents may be directed to ensure that no harm is caused to residents of petitioners societies. We, therefore, dispose of this petition by giving specific directions to the respondents to act strictly in accordance with law and provide necessary protection under the law to them.

Petition stands disposed of along with listed applications in the above terms.

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