

ORDER SHEET
IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH AT KARACHI

ITRA 229 of 2017

DATE	ORDER WITH SIGNATURE OF JUDGE(S)
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1. For orders on office objection No.18.
2. For hearing of main case.

09.12.2025

Mr. Muhammad Aqeel Qureshi, advocate for the applicant.

Matter is pending since 2017 without any progress. Despite repeated opportunities, the applicant has not even sought notice till date. On 18.08.2017 time was sought to prepare the case. On 25.11.2021, the following order was passed:

"Dated: 25.11.2021

Mr. M. Aqeel Qureshi for applicant.

We are afraid none of the questions, as framed by the applicant, arises out of the impugned order, however, counsel for the applicant seeks time to reframe questions of law, if any arising out of impugned order, for which he would assist this Court. Let the needful be done in a week's time failing whereof appropriate orders shall be passed."

Today once again counsel is present and expresses inability to assist and / or not even complied with earlier order. In view hereof, it appears that the applicant department is not interested in present proceedings. Accordingly, in view of judgment of *CIR vs. Rafeh Limited* reported as *PLD 2020 SC 518*, the 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.

Judge

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