

ORDER SHEET
IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH, KARACHI
C. P. No. S-875 of 2022

Date

Order with signature of Judge

For hearing of main case.

11.02.2026.

Mr. Muhammad Furqan Qureshi, Advocate for Petitioners.
Mr. Kamran Ahmed Khan, AAG.

Through instant Petition, the Petitioner has impugned order dated 24.08.2022 wherein, he is specifically aggrieved of Paragraph 7 which reads as under:-

“From the evidence as well as facts discussed above, this court is inclined to hold that although it is customary practice in our society that brides are gifted with dowry articles at the time of their marriage by their families, but along with this it has also been accepted as general practice that gold ornaments are always retained by the woman in her personal possession and in absence of any evidence of its snatching away, the same were presumed to be with her. Hence, I hereby decline return of gold ornaments which do not seem to be lying at the house of appellant, to the respondent.”

Learned Counsel has contended that through the execution proceedings it transpired that the gold ornaments referred to in the above noted Paragraph were in fact in the possession of Respondent which were subsequently recovered and handed over to the Petitioner. He has further stated that he is not seeking recovery of the said gold ornaments which are already in the possession of the Petitioner however, he is pressing the instant Petition to the extent of the observations contained in Paragraph 7 above.

It is evident from the perusal of the Petitioner's submissions that since the gold ornaments have been recovered from the possession of the Respondent, the findings noted in the above paragraph are incorrect. In that respect the impugned Judgment and Decree are set aside. Petition stands disposed of accordingly.

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