

ORDER SHEET
IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH,
CIRCUIT COURT, HYDERABAD

C.P. No.D-722 of 2026

| DATE | ORDER WITH SIGNATURE OF JUDGE |
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For order on office objections.
For hearing of MA No.2967/2026.
For hearing of main case.

06.05.2026

Mr. Saeed Ahmed Mirjat advocate for petitioners along with petitioners.

M/s. Rafique Ahmed Dahri Assistant A.G. Sindh and Shawak Rathore D.P.G. Sindh along with SIP Juman Otho I.O. of PS Bhan District Jamshoro.

Ms. Neelam Meer Mehrani advocate files Vakalatnama on behalf of respondent No.5 along with Photostat copy of Intermediate Certificate of the petitioner No.1, taken on record.

The petitioners are present along with their learned counsel. Petitioner No.1 Mst. Asma submits that she being *sui juris* has contracted a lawful marriage with petitioner No.2, Zaheer Ahmed on account of her own free will and consent without any coercion or compulsion. She further submits that her father, the respondent No.5, being provoked by the un-ceremonial marriage, has lodged a false FIR No.22 of 2026 at Police Station Bhaan District Jamshoro, under Sections 365-B, 496-A, 34 PPC.

Today, the Investigating Officer appeared and submitted that he has recorded the statement of petitioner No.1 under Section 161 Cr.P.C. In her statement, she reaffirmed the previously stated facts and clearly denied the allegations contained in the FIR regarding kidnapping or wrongful confinement. She further expressed her intention to continue residing with her husband.

In view of the statement of the alleged abductee, the Investigating Officer submits that he shall submit a report under Section 173 Cr.P.C. before the learned concerned Magistrate within seven (07) days, for seeking appropriate orders in accordance with law.

At this juncture, learned counsel for respondent No.5 submits that petitioner No.1 is of minor age. She is at liberty to first agitate such

fact before the Investigating Officer and then before the learned Magistrate while passing order over report under section 173 Cr.P.C.

Accordingly, the instant petition stands **disposed of** in the above terms along with listed application.

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Abdullah Channa/PS