

ORDER SHEET
IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH KARACHI

Const. Petition No. D - 3421 of 2026

Date	Order with signature(s) of Judge(s)
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1. For orders on office objection
2. For hearing of CMA No.13591/2026
3. For hearing of main case

04.06.2026

Mr. Muhammad Inzamam Sahrif, Advocate for the petitioner.
Ms. Shazia Hanjrah, DAG.

Mr. Ameer Bukhsh Metlo, Advocate files power on behalf of respondent department, which is taken on the record. Perusal of record shows that instant petition was filed by impugning the recovery proceedings on the basis of impugned demand notices under section 137(2) of the Income Tax Ordinance, 2001 initiated by the respondent-department during the pendency of the appeal before Commissioner Inland Revenue (Appeals). Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that similar type of cases have already been disposed of with directions to the Commissioner (Appeals) to decide the pending appeal(s) of the petitioner(s) expeditiously, while restraining the recovery of the impugned demand in the interim period, to which learned counsel for the respondent department has recorded his no objection. Similarly, Ms. Shazia Hanjrah, DAG also recorded her no objection to the above proposal.

Accordingly, instant petition is disposed of by directing the Commissioner Inland Revenue (Appeals) to decide the pending appeal of the petitioner expeditiously preferably within (60) sixty days from passing of this order, however, respondent department shall not take any coercive action against the petitioner, in respect of the impugned demand, till the conclusion of the Appeal. The petition along with listed applications stands disposed of in the above terms.

JUDGE
HEAD OF CONST. BENCHES

JUDGE