ORDER SHEET

IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH KARACHI

Const. Petition No. D- 7035 of 2026

(M. Abid Khan Lodhi & another Vs. Province of Sindh & Ors.)

Date	Order with signature(s) of Judge(s)

Before:-
Mr. Justice Riazat Ali Sahar
Mr. Justice Ali Haider 'Ada'

Date of hearing & order: 26.10.2026

Mr. S. Ashar Askar Zaidi, Advocate for the Petitioners.

ORDER

Riazat Ali Sahar, J. The case of the petitioners, in brief, is that the Administrator Auqaf, Government of Sindh, Karachi, vide order dated 08.10.2025, ordered his eviction under Section 10 of the Sindh Waqf Properties Act, 2020, treating him as an unauthorized occupant. The said order was challenged before the Chief Administrator Auqaf, Government of Sindh, Hyderabad, who, vide order dated 03.12.2025, set aside the earlier order passed by the Administrator Auqaf, Hyderabad. However, despite the said order, no compliance has been made by the concerned department.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioners has also drawn the attention of this Court to Section 25 of the Sindh Waqf Properties Act, 2020, contending that no alternate remedy is available to the petitioners. He has further referred to an application dated 10.10.2026, addressed to the Chief Administrator Auqaf, Hyderabad, but submits that the grievance of the petitioners has not yet been redressed, hence the instant petition. Learned counsel further submits that, if directions are issued to the concerned authorities to decide the application of the petitioners in accordance with law, under intimation to this Court, he would not press the instant petition.

3. In view of the above statement, the petition is disposed of with directions to the concerned authorities to consider and decide the application of the petitioners, strictly in accordance with law, and communicate the decision to the petitioners.

4. Let a copy of this order be transmitted to the Secretary, Auqaf Department, Government of Sindh, Karachi, the Chief Administrator Auqaf, Government of Sindh, Hyderabad, and the Manager Auqaf, West Circle, Karachi, for information and necessary compliance.

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