Order Sheet

IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH AT KARACHI

Constitutional Petition No.D – 2593 of 2020

Date	Order with signature of the Judge

For hearing of main case :

10.11.2020 :

Mr. Faraz Faheem Siddiqui, advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Muhammad Nishat Warsi, DAG.

Mr. Atifuddin, Law Officer, State Bank of Pakistan.

Muhammad Faheem, Senior Manager, Human Resources Karachi Region, Pakistan Security Printing Corporation / respondent No.5 in person

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In paragraph 2 of the petition, the petitioner has disclosed that the deceased viz. Syed Sajid Hussain Zaidi has left behind him surviving seven legal heirs i.e. two widows, including the petitioner, one son and four daughters. In view of the admitted position that petitioner is not the only widow and there are three unmarried daughters, learned DAG and the Law Officer of the State Bank of Pakistan state that pension of the deceased cannot be released in favour of the petitioner. They further state that the other benefits viz. gratuity etc. have already been deposited by respondent No.2 with the Commissioner Workmen Compensation. Muhammad Faheem / respondent No.5, who is present in person, undertakes on behalf of respondent No.2 that all the arrears of pension of the deceased shall be deposited by respondent No.2 with the Nazir of this Court on or before **30.11.2020,** and future monthly pension shall also be deposited on regular monthly basis with the Nazir. Learned DAG and the above named Law Officer of the State Bank of Pakistan state that a Succession Certificate will be required by the legal heirs of deceased to collect their share from the Nazir. Learned counsel for the petitioner concedes to this position and states that a proper Succession Certificate will be obtained by the legal heirs for the above purpose. Regarding the benefits of the deceased lying with the Commissioner Workmen Compensation, the legal heirs may approach the said Commissioner for release of the benefits in their favour in accordance with law.

By consent, the petition stands disposed of in the above terms with no order as to costs.

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