

**ORDER SHEET
IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH AT KARACHI**

C.P. No.D-1555 of 2021

Date	Order with signature of Judge
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1. For orders on Misc. No.6535/21
2. For orders on Misc. No.6536/21
3. For orders on Misc. No.6537/21
4. For hearing of main case

Dated: 04.03.2021

Mr. Salahuddin Ahmed for petitioner.

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- 1) Granted.
- 2) Granted subject to all just exceptions.

3&4) Learned counsel submits that the transfer policy is structured in terms of notification of 05.08.2020 (Annexure 'B') and the current notifications that deal with the transfers of five officers mentioned at Sr. No.3, 10, 13, 17 and 20 in the list attached as Annexure 'C', is violative of such policy. Learned counsel submits that there are other senior officers as against those who have been transferred under the impugned notifications hence this primarily and substantially violates the policy. Learned counsel further submits that these officers are having Pay Scale of Grade 20 and below and may be transferred on rotation without discretion, whereas on account of some exigency government may alter such rotation policy but it is in respect of officers above 20 Grade. Such discretion as far as current transfers in terms of impugned notifications are concerned are not available. Hence learned counsel submits that this petition has been filed in public interest and requires indulgence of this Court. Notice to respondents as well as DAG and A.G. Sindh for 08.03.2021. Insofar as maintainability of petition is concerned as it is filed in the public interest by an advocate, it may also be taken into consideration later.

Judge

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