

ORDER SHEET  
IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH AT KARACHI  
S.M.A. No. 370 of 2019

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Date

Order with signature of Judge

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For hearing of main petition.

16.12.2019

Mr. Salim Ghulam Hussain, advocate for petitioner.

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Through the instant petition, petitioner Anas Shahid has prayed for the grant of Succession Certificate and Letter of Administration in respect of moveable and immovable properties/assets, details whereof are mentioned in the Amended Schedule of Properties filed on 8<sup>th</sup> November, 2019 attached with the memo of petition, which were left by his deceased father, namely, Shahid Yousuf s/o. Muhammad Younus, who allegedly died on 4<sup>th</sup> March, 2019 at Karachi, leaving behind (1) Musarrat Shahid (widow), (2) Hana Shahid (daughter), (3) Faraz Shahid (son), (4) Anas Shahid (son/petitioner), (5) Omair Shahid (son), (6) Waqas Shahid (son) and (7) Bilal Shahid (son) as his legal heirs. Original Death Certificate of deceased as well as photostat copies of Family Registration Certificate, issued by the NADRA, title documents of the immovable properties and bank statements are also filed at page 21 to 25 and 45 to 585.

Legal heirs No. 1, 2, 3, 5, 6 & 7 have filed their Affidavits of No-Objection for the grant of Succession Certificate and Letter of Administration in favour of the petitioner. Legal heir No. 2 has also executed General Power of Attorney duly attested by the Notary Public at Karachi in favour of legal heir No.5.

Two witnesses, namely, Arshad Mehmod s/o. Sheikh Muhammad Younus and Anwar Saeed s/o. Saeed Ahmed have also filed their respective affidavits and affirmed that there is no other legal heir of the deceased except mentioned above. Their affidavits are also available on record.

Notice of this petition was published in Daily "Jang" Karachi dated 26<sup>th</sup> September, 2019; however, none has filed any objection to the grant of Succession Certificate and Letter of Administration to petitioner, as per the report submitted by the Deputy Registrar (OS) on 17<sup>th</sup> October, 2019.

On 8<sup>th</sup> November, 2019 petitioner and legal heirs No. 1, 2, 3, 5, 6 & 7 as well as above named witnesses made their appearance and affirmed the contents of memo of petition as well as their respective affidavits and also verified their signatures made thereon.

Since all the legal formalities/requirements have been fulfilled, there is no impediment in grant of Succession Certificate and Letter of Administration to petitioner, therefore, the petition is allowed. The office is directed to issue Succession Certificate and Letter of Administration in respect of movable and immovable properties/assets shown in the Schedule of Properties, as per rules.

J U D G E

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