ORDER SHEET IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH, KARACHI Crl. Misc. Application No. 342 of 2021.

Date	Order with signature of Judge	

Direction.

For orders as to maintainability of instant Crl. Misc. Application.

16th February 2022

Applicant present in person.

Heard applicant in person.

Relevant paragraph No.4 of the impugned order is that:-

"4. I have heard the Advocate for parties and perused the available record. According to applicant, he is a Christian by birth and after his marriage with proposed accused No.1, who was previously a Muslim, she had also accepted a Christian religion and all the children, who are born from her, shall also be accepted as Christian. Further, the applicant has filed a Guardian & Wards Application before the concerned court for the custody of minors and one constitutional petition CP No.D-6482 of 2019 is pending before the Hon'ble High court of Sindh at Karachi. Hence, such kind of the family dispute relating to the custody of minors and declaring their religion cannot be agitated before the Ex-officio Justice of Peace u/s 22-A and B Cr.P.C, therefore at this juncture, the instant criminal miscellaneous application is hereby dismissed. However, parties are at liberty to approach the appropriate forum for the redressal of their grievance, if they are so advised."

Perusal of above reflects that there is no ingredient of cognizance offence. Accordingly, trial court's order is accordance with law; present Crl. Miscellaneous Application is dismissed

JUDGE