ORDER SHEET IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH AT KARACHI C.P No.D-4989 of 2020

Date Order with signature of Judge(s)

- 1. For orders on CMA No.23719 of 2020.
- 2. For orders on office objection.
- 3. For hearing of CMA No.21256 of 2020
- 4. For hearing of main case

06.11.2020

Mr. Rafi Kamboh, Advocate for the petitioners along with petitioners. Mr. Khalid Rajpar, Advocate for Respondent No.3&4. Mr. Kafeel Ahmed Abbasi, DAG.

1. Urgency granted.

2to4. As per order dated 21.10.2020 Respondent No.3 & 4 stood served; but none was in attendance; notice was repeated for 28.10.2020, when it was discharged due to strike called by SHC Bar Association. Today learned Counsel for the petitioners (who are custom agents) submit that earlier a consignment was cleared by them and on its way to destination some FIR has been lodged by the Anti-Smuggling Organization MCC, Hyderabad, and the petitioners were also being implicated; hence, have obtained pre-arrest bail. He submits that another consignment of the same consignee handed over to the petitioners was under clearance with Respondent No.3, and they through a legal notice (pg:119) have asked for its proper examination and action in accordance with law; however, the petitioners are being continuously harassed through phone calls and messages by the Respondents including their counter parts at Hyderabad, showing intention of implicating the petitioners in another case. He submits that to that effect they may be restrained in some manner. Today Ms. Masooda Siraj had made an effort to effect appearance on behalf of Deputy Director Intelligence, Hyderabad, and sought time to file Vakalatnama and comments. We had confronted her as the said person is not a party and how she has been engaged to which she couldn't respond.

Let Respondents No.3 and 4 file comments with advance copies, whereas notice be repeated upon respondent No.5 for the next date. Till then, no coercive action shall be taken against the petitioner in respect of goods declaration No.KPPI-PP-2592020 pending clearance with Respondent No.3.

To come up on **27.11.2020**.

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