

ORDER SHEET

IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH, KARACHI

Const. Petition No.D-5228 of 2018

Const. Petition No.D-5353 of 2019

Date	Order with signature of Judge
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1. For hearing of M.A. No.22898/2019.
2. For hearing of main case.

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11.08.2021.

Mr. Hamza Masood, Advocate in C.P. No.D-5223 of 2018.
M/s Amir Mansoob Qureshi and Muhammad Rehman Ghous,
Advocates in C.P. No.D-5353 of 2019.
Mr. Shahbaz Sahotra, Special Prosecutor NAB a/w I.O. Abdul
Hafeez.

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Shamsuddin Abbasi, J - Petitioners Nasir Ali Shah Bukhari and Muhammad Ali Shah Bukhari seek pre-arrest bail in Reference No.04 of 2021, pending adjudication before relevant Accountability Court {Sindh}, at Karachi, and are on ad-interim pre-arrest bail granted to them by this Court through orders dated 13.07.2018 and 20.08.2019 respectively.

2. On our specific query, learned Special Prosecutor NAB and I.O. submit that no warrant of arrest has been issued by Chairman NAB or on his behalf against petitioners. Learned counsel for petitioners submitted that petitioners have approached the learned Accountability Court and furnished their respective bonds in terms of Section 91, Cr.P.C. to regulate their future attendance in Court in view of order passed by this Court in C.P. No.D-8519 of 2017 and other connection petitions, therefore, these petitions have become infructuous. The learned Special Prosecutor NAB and investigating officer confirm this position. In view of this background of the matter,

these petitions have become infructuous and are dismissed accordingly.

2. Since the reference has already been filed and the petitioners have furnished their respective bonds before the learned trial Court in terms of Section 91, Cr.P.C. they have served their purpose. The petitioners are directed to ensure their regular attendance before the learned trial Court in terms of the bonds furnished by them and cooperate in the proceedings without taking unnecessary adjournments on any flimsy ground. We would further direct the learned Accountability Court to expedite the trial and complete it as quickly as possible by adopting all methods in procuring the attendance of prosecution witnesses. The office is directed to communicate a copy of this order to the learned trial Court for information and compliance. Office shall also place a copy of this order in the connection petition listed above.

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