

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

Constitutional Petition No. D – 4486 of 2020

Order with signature of Judge(s)

1. For order on office objections.
2. For hearing of main case

24.08.2021

Petitioner present in person.

Mr. Salman J. Mirza, advocate for respondents No.3 and 4

Mr. Ali Safdar Depar, AAG.

The case of the petitioner is that his son is having disability of speaking as well listening. He was admitted to the school relating to the Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities (DEPD), Government of Sindh, however, when he came to know that there is an autism institution, funded by the government, he approached to that institute, but they were reluctant to admit his son on the plea that their institute is having capacity of admission up to 17 years, however, due to intervention of this Court by different orders they are providing speech therapy and training. It is further contended by the counsel for respondents No.3 and 4 that around 300 kids are getting education, they have similar deficiency and autism institute is providing every care and their institutes has recruited skilled persons for that purpose.

Further learned counsel for respondents No.3 and 4 undertakes that he will submit breakup of last three years with regards to funds provided by the Government of Sindh as well details of the experts of faculty having expertise with qualification. This Court appreciate the efforts taken by the autism administration as they are providing the services free of cost, though that institutes requires more extension to cop up the issues of that category children of Karachi. The Government of Sindh shall launch campaign, enabling the parents of special children to avail the benefits of that autism centers.

Besides this, learned Advocate General Sindh to submit complete details of all institutes for rehabilitation of special children in all over Sindh. Such details shall also include the criterion of recruitment with regard to staff working in those institutions.

To come up on **14.9.2021**, when the Secretary Special Education Department shall be in attendance along with breakup of five years' budget allocated and released in favour of referred institutes. Copy of this order shall be communicated to the Finance Secretary, who shall also submit details in that regard.

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