

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

Constitutional Petition No. D –1472 of 2020

Order with signature of Judge(s)

1. For order on office objection
2. For hearing of Misc. No.6711/2020 (Stay)
3. For hearing of main case

21.09.2021

Petitioner present in person

Mr. Ali Safdar Depar, AAG

Mr. Ahmed Hussain, advocate along with Ms. Saima Anjum, advocate for respondent No.4

Statement dated 21.9.2021 along with certain annexures, filed on behalf of respondent No.4 is taken on record. This petition states malfeasance and misfeasance of the official working in Zakat Council including Provincial Chairman and District Chairman. Needless to mention that Zakat Council receives Zakat deducted from the bank accounts of individuals from the federal pool. Since Zakat is to be paid to the *Mustahiq* of Zakat in different shapes. Petitioner has appended order dated 01.6.2017 passed in Criminal Accountability Acquittal Appeal No.11/2007 with direction that audit shall be conducted through A.F. Ferguson & Co. Petitioner has also submitted record of corruption in Naushehro Feroze and other districts with regard to *Guzara* Allowance. Accordingly, judicial propriety demands that this matter shall be probed by the NAB Authority and NAB shall examine the record of last ten years up to June 2021 up to District levels and in case, there is loss of public exchequer and criminal negligence, they shall proceed in accordance with law. Chief Secretary Sindh shall ensure that all officers working on OPS / Acting Charge / allowed to work, shall be posted out within fifteen (15) days. Secretary Zakat & Ushar is directed to appear in person on the next date of hearing. This order shall be communicated to the NAB Authorities through the learned Additional Attorney General for compliance. To come up on **20.10.2021**.

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