ORDER SHEET IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH, KARACHI CP No.D-2274 of 2021

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- 1. For hearing of CMA No.9788/2021 (stay)
- 2. For hearing of Main Case

17/05/2022:

Mr. Ziaul Hassan, Advocate for the Petitioner.

Mr. Kafeel Ahmed Abbasi, D.A.G.

Ms. Masooda Siraj, Advocate for the Respondent.

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This petition has been filed on the ground that the appeal was decided in favour of the petitioner; thereafter Department filed an appeal before the Tribunal which was subsequently withdrawn. However, user I.D of the petitioner remained blocked.

Mr. Zia-ul-Hassan, Advocate has appeared before us and submitted that when all the appellate procedures have been culminated and were decided in favour of the petitioner, there was no justification with the Department to continue blocking the user I.D.

On the other hand, Ms. Masooda Siraj, states that there might be some demands against the petitioner and until and unless those demands are cleared, the user I.D of the petitioner would remain unblocked.

Matter has been heard and record has been perused. In our opinion when there is no appellate procedure pending against the petitioner, then there is no justification available with the Customs Authorities to keep the user I.D blocked. No document is produced before us by the Customs Authorities to show that any demand is outstanding against the petitioner.

We, therefore, in view of the circumstances, direct the Customs Authorities to unblock the user I.D of the petitioner within seven days' time from the date of receipt of this order.

With these directions the instant petition alongwith all the listed and pending applications stands disposed of.

JUDGE