ORDER SHEET

IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH, KARACHI

C. P. NO. D-4037 / 2021

Date

Order with signature of Judge

PRIORITY.

- 1) For hearing of Misc. No. 16670/2021.
- 2) For hearing of main case.

14.06.2022.

Mr. M. Aziz Khan, Advocate for Petitioner.

Mr. Sandeep Malani, Assistant Advocate General Sindh.

Muhammad Wakeel SIO P.S. Mubina Town.

Shoukat Ali, I.O. SIP P.S. Aziz Bhatti.

Raza Mian, DSP Legal.

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On 09.05.2022, Petitioner's Counsel had sought time to call the Petitioner for recording her statement. Today, since morning we have taken up this matter thrice and it is only after our strict directions that the I.O. of the case namely Shoukat Ali has turned up. We have confronted the learned AAG who submits that despite his best efforts and telephonic message no proper response was received by him and he is not in a position to defend the I.O. who was supposed to be in attendance since morning. The I.O. is present and while confronted, submits that he had no information regarding fixation of this case today and direction if any, for his presence. It appears that one SIP Shah Nawaz was in attendance on 09.05.2022 and undertook to produce the I.O. on the next date.

In these circumstances, concerned SSP is directed to seek explanation from SIP Shah Nawaz and the I.O. namely Shoukat Ali as to their conduct before the Court and causing delay and inconvenience by not attending the matter in hand. The concerned SSP shall further proceed in accordance with law and take action as may be available in law.

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Petitioner No. 1 is in attendance and after our directions her statement has been recorded in which she has stated that neither she has abducted nor kidnapped, whereas, she has entered into contract of marriage with Petitioner No. 2 out of her own freewill. Copy of such statement is taken on record, whereas, the I.O. is directed to file appropriate report before the concerned trial Court along with the

original statement and once the same is submitted, the concerned trial

Court shall pass appropriate orders, in accordance with law.

Petition has served its purpose and is accordingly disposed of whereas, no further arrest shall be made in the above FIR in question and no harassment be caused to the Petitioner and necessary protection be provided in accordance with law.

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