ORDER SHEETTHE HIGH COURT OF SINDH KARACHI

C.P. No.D-3370 of 2022

DATE

ORDER WITH SIGNATURE(S) OF JUDGE (S)

- 1. For hearing of CMA No.14972/2022
- 2. For hearing of main case

13.06.2022

Mr. Maaz Waheed, Advocate for the Petitioner Mr. Khursheed Javed, DAG Asad Aleem, Assistant Collector (East)

Ms. Nusrat, Advocate files power on behalf of Ms. Anila Jameel Mughar, Advocate for Respondents No.2, 3 & 4 and Mr. Akash Singh, Advocate files power on behalf of Mr. Irfan Mir Halepota, Advocate for Respondents No.5 & 6, which are taken on record. Mr. Khalid Rajper is present on behalf of Directorate of Intelligence and submits that they have no concern in respect of any detention of goods. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that there are a total of 27 items being imported by the petitioner; however, dispute has been raised by the Custom Department only in respect of one item which is available at Serial No.11 of Goods Declaration. He submits that the Petitioner had made a request to the concerned Respondent Collectorate for release of the remaining items in the consignment but such request has not been acceded. Today Mr. Asad Aleem, Assistant Collector (East) is in attendance and submits that the remaining items, if directed, can be released.

In view of the above, the Respondents' Collectorate i.e. Respondents No.2, 3 & 4 are directed to release the undisputed consignment after detaining the one item in question i.e. item available at Serial No.11. Such exercise be carried out within a maximum period of three days from today, whereas, the matter in respect of the disputed item be decided in accordance with law by the concerned Respondents.

In view of the above, the purpose of this petition has been achieved and accordingly, the same is disposed of.

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