ORDER SHEET IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH, BENCH AT SUKKUR. C.P.No. D- 914 of 2019

DATE

ORDER WITH SIGNATURE OF HON'BLE JUDGE

FRESH CASE

- 1.For orders on CMA 3508/2019.
- 2. For orders on office objection.
- 3.For orders on CMA 3509/2019.
- 4. For hearing of main case.

<u>14-06-2019</u>

Mr. Aamir Mansoor Qureshi Advocate along with petitioners Shahzad Ali and Sher Muhammad Mugheri.

Through instant petition, the petitioners seek protective bail enabling them to approach the Hon'ble Supreme Court for seeking pre-arrest bail in Reference No. 02 of 2019 pending before the NAB Court-II, at Islamabad.

At the very outset, learned Counsel for the petitioners was confronted as to how this protective bail could be granted by this Court as apparently after obtaining protective bail earlier at the Principal Seat of this Court, the petitioners approached learned Islamabad High Court, wherein ad-interim pre-arrest bail was granted on 28.03.2019 and 03.04.2019 respectively, but on 10.06.2019, petitions filed by the petitioners stood dismissed and ad-interim pre-arrest bail stood recalled. Though learned Counsel argued that there are precedents to this effect, however, he could not place any such order before this Court. Notwithstanding this argument, this Court is of the view that once ad-interim pre-arrest bail granted by the competent Court having jurisdiction stands dismissed/recalled, the petitioners, if not arrest, ought to have approached immediately the Hon'ble Supreme Court for seeking further remedy and in no circumstances could

approach this Court for seeking protective bail further enabling them to approach the Hon'ble Supreme Court. This attempt appears to be against the spirit of law and therefore this petition appears to be misconceived and is accordingly dismissed in limine along with pending applications.

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