

Order Sheet
IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH,
BENCH AT SUKKUR

Const. Petition No.D-1309 of 2013

Date of hearing	Order with signature of Judge
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Hearing of Case

- 1.For orders on CMA 10670/13
- 2.For hearing of main case

08-08-2024

Mr. Shafique Ahmed Leghari, Advocate for petitioner.
Mr. Khuda Bux Chohan, Advocate for respondents/SMC.
Mr. Ali Raza Baloch, Assistant A.G.
Mr. Ashfaq Hussain Abro, Assistant Attorney General.

It appears that subsequent to this Court's detailed orders dated 22.02.2023 as well as 28.02.2023, no substantial progress has been made with regard to provision of potable water by the Sukkur Municipal Corporation (SMC) to the residents of Sukkur as well as steps were anticipated to be taken to restrict discharge of polluted water into river Indus at various points (seemingly 09). Counsel representing SMC states that studies were made, committees were formed and certain steps were taken and he seeks time to furnish detailed comments. In the circumstances, following order is passed.

- i. Let a report be furnished as to what steps have been taken in furtherance of this Court's aforementioned orders by SMC.
- ii. Let details of budget having been allocated for making provision to potable water as well as for the treatment of sewage before it is discharged into river be filed.
- iii. Has any study been made to determine the quality and volume of such effluent being discharged into river Indus by domestic as well as industrial consumers?

- iv. This Court has further been informed that Provincial Government vide Notification dated 24.02.2023 constituted a Committee with certain TORs to implement the aforesaid orders. Let a progress report be called from Secretary or the said Committee as to what has transpired since said committee was constituted on 24.02.2023.

Adjourned to **03.09.2024 at 11:00 a.m.** Let a copy of this order be provided to learned AAG for compliance.

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