

ORDER SHEET
THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH KARACHI

C.P. No. D-5897 of 2024

DATE	ORDER WITH SIGNATURE OF JUDGES
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1. For order on Misc. No. 26165 of 2024.
2. For orders on office objection No.22.
3. For order on Misc. No. 26166 of 2024.
4. For hearing of main case.

21-11-2024

Ms. Zahrah Sehr Vayani, Advocate for the Petitioner.

1. Urgency granted.

3. Exemption granted subject to all just exceptions.

2&4. The Petitioner is aggrieved of the order dated 25.09.2024 passed by the Provincial Ombudsman Sindh under the Protection against Harassment of Women at Workplace Act, 2010. By such order, the Ombudsman dismissed the complaint as not maintainable with the observation that the allegations do not fall within the definition of 'harassment'. Against such order, the Petitioner has invoked the writ jurisdiction but without availing the remedy under section 9 of said Act, which provides for a representation to the Governor. Therefore, the petition is dismissed with the observation that she should first exhaust the prescribed remedy.

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