ORDER SHEET IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH AT KARACHI

CP No.D-1671 of 2023

Date

Order with signature of Judge

- 1. For orders on CMA No.8263/2023.
- 2. For hearing of main case.



06.04.2023

Mr. Muhammad Adeel Awan, advocate for the petitioner. Qazi Ayazuddin Qureshi, Assistant Attorney General.

Mr. Pervaiz Ahmad Memon, advocate undertakes to file Vakalatnama on behalf of the respondent No.2.

As per the learned counsel, the revision application against the impugned ruling is pending before the Director General Valuation and he states that the petitioner is willing to secure the differential amount of duty and taxes with the Nazir of this court.

In the circumstances, by way of an interim arrangement since the consignment is incurring storage charges at the port/bond, let the undisputed quantum of duty and taxes be deposited with the Collectorate / Department and the disputed amount of the duty and taxes be secured before the Nazir of this court, by way of pay order/bank guarantee, in respect of the consignment(s) stipulated supra, the Nazir shall issue the appropriate certificate(s). If the amount is secured by way of pay order the Nazir shall invest the amount in profit bearing instrument, as per the rules.

Upon deposit of the undisputed quantum of dues and taxes with the Collectorate/Department and presentation of the certificate(s) issued by the Nazir, the concerned Collectorate/Department shall release the consignment(s) forthwith.

The fate of amount secured supra shall be subject to the outcome of the Revision Application pending before the Director General Valuation. This petition, alongwith pending application(s) is disposed of in terms herein.

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