

## ORDER SHEET

## IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH AT KARACHI

C.P. No.D-2380 of 2023

Iqbal Masih Versus Province of Sindh and others

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DATE

ORDER WITH SIGNATURE OF JUDGE(S).

## Fresh Case

- 1. For order on Misc. No.11451/2023 (Urgent/App).
- 2. For order on Misc. No.11452/2023 (Exemption/App).
- 3. For order on Misc. No.11453/2023 (Stay/App).
- 4. For hearing of main case.

## Dated 18.05.2023

Petitioner Iqbal Masih present in person.

- 1) Urgency granted.
- 2-4) Petitioner present in person submits that at the time of his employment he gave an incorrect/false statement in the year 1983, that concerns with his date of birth disclosed as 08.04.1964, though his date of birth is rightly recorded in his CNIC as 15.03.1963, as alleged. Department DMC, on the strength of CNIC, which he claimed to have contained true and correct particulars, retired him from service on reaching age of superannuation. He submits that his retirement should have proceeded on the basis of his date of birth i.e 08.04.1964, even if it is false.

Petitioner has admitted guilt that he gave a false statement, as he availed employment by giving false statement of his date of birth, since time cap at the relevant time, was not in his favour when he attempted. He took advantage despite not having requisite age at the relevant time. He now seeks cherry as a topping over it. We do not consider this to be a fit case to exercise discretionary powers, on account of equity not in his favour. The petition as such in view of the above is found to be misconceived and is dismissed along with listed applications with cost of Rs.5000/- to be deposited by the petitioner in favour of High Court Clinic in a week's time.

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JUDGE

No smount has been deposited in compliance of order Dt: 10/05/23