ORDER SHEET IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH, KARACHI C. P. NO. D-2180 / 2024

Order with signature of Judge

PRIORITY.

Date

- 1) For orders on office objection No. 12.
- 2) For hearing of CMA No. 9943/2024.
- 3) For hearing of main case.

21.05.2024.

Mr. Muhammad Din Qazi, Advocate for Petitioner. Mr. Kashif Nazeer, Assistant Attorney General. Mr. Abdul Ghaffar, Advocate for Respondent.

Mr. Abdul Ghaffar has filed comments on behalf of Commissioner Inland Revenue Zone-II, M.T.O. Karachi which is taken on record.

This Petition was filed by impugning the recovery proceeding initiated by the Respondent department during the pendency of the Appeal before Commissioner Inland Revenue (Appeals-VI), M.T.O. Karachi. Learned Counsel for the Petitioner submits that similar type of cases have already been disposed of with directions to the Commissioner to decide the pending Appeal of the Petitioner, to which the Counsel for the Respondents concedes.

Accordingly, this Petition is disposed of by directing the Commissioner Inland Revenue (Appeals-VI), M.T.O. Karachi to decide the pending Appeal preferably within 60 days from passing of this order, whereas, during such period the Respondent / Department shall not take any coercive action against the Petitioner.

Petition stands disposed of in the above terms with listed application(s).

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FRESH CASE.

Date

- 1) For orders on Misc. No. 9941/2024.
- 2) For orders on office objection No. 12.
- 3) For orders on Misc. No. 9942/2024.
- 4) For orders on Misc. No. 9943/2024.
- 5) For hearing of main case.

<u>08.05.2024.</u>

M/s. Usman Alam and S. Hamza Ahmed Hashmi, Advocates for Petitioner.

- 1) Granted.
- 2) To be satisfied before the next date.
- 3) Granted subject to all just exceptions.

4 & 5) Learned Counsel for the Petitioner submits that against Order dated 29.01.2024, the Petitioner had preferred Appeal before Commissioner Inland Revenue (Appeals-VI), (MTO), Karachi, which is pending and stay was granted on 18.03.2024 till 02.04.2024 which however, extended till 06.05.2024. He submits that Petitioner has also moved an application for extension of stay which is pending and yet to be heard and decided; whereas, a Demand Notice dated 21.02.2024 has been issued, requiring the Petitioner to make payment of the impugned demand; hence, the Respondents be restrained till such time the stay application is heard and decided.

Let notice be issued to the respondents as well as DAG for **21.05.2024**. Till then Respondents shall not take coercive measures for recovery of the impugned demand covered by this Petition.

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