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ORDER SHEET
IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH, CIRCUIT COURT, LARKANA
C.P. No.D-58 of 2018.

DATE OF HEARING	ORDER WITH SIGNATURE OF HON'BLE JUDGE
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For Hearing of main case.

22.02.2018

Mr. Saeed Ahmed Laghari, advocate for the petitioners.

Mr. Shahbaz Ali Brohi, advocate for the respondents.

Mr. Abdul Hamid Bhurgari, Addl. A. G along with SIP Ali Goher Shaikh on behalf of SSP Larkana and ASI Liaquat Ali Shaikh of PS Rehmatpur.

Petitioners are present. Petitioner No.1 has stated that she has embraced Islam on her own freewill and choice and thereafter has contracted marriage with petitioner No.2. She has further submitted that she has not been coerced or forced into this marriage by petitioner No.2.

When this matter was taken up earlier a request was made by learned counsel for the respondents that she (petitioner No.1) be allowed to meet with her parents for some time and accordingly we directed petitioner No.1 to do so in the Court room. This meeting between petitioner No.1 and her parents has continued for about 15 minutes and thereafter we have again asked her as to whether she has been abducted or forced into this marriage but she has reiterated the same facts as stated by her earlier. We have been informed that an FIR bearing Crime No.06/2018 was registered under section 365-B, PPC at Police Station Rehmatpur Larkana against petitioner No.2 on allegation of abducting petitioner No.1. However, learned Addl. A. G has submitted that he has been informed that the said FIR has been recommended for disposal under 'C' class and such a summary has already been submitted before the Magistrate concerned. We, therefore, direct the learned Magistrate concerned to pass the order on said summary in

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accordance with law and in the light of statement of petitioner No.1 that she has married with petitioner No.2 out of her own freewill and choice. We while disposing of this petition direct the official respondents to provide protection to the petitioners in accordance with law.