

ORDER SHEET
IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH, KARACHI
C. P. NO. D-4974 / 2025

Date	Order with signature of Judge
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PRIORITY

- 1) For hearing of CMA No. 20796/2025.
- 2) For hearing of main case.

21.10.2025.

Mr. Rana Sakhawat Ali, Advocate for Petitioner.
Ms. Rabia Khalid, Assistant Attorney General.
M/s. Sardar Zafar Hussain & Z. M. Siddiqui,
Advocates for Respondent.

Mr. Sardar Zafar Hussain Advocate files Vakalatnama on behalf of Respondent No. 2. Same is taken on record.

It is submitted by the learned counsel for the Petitioner that an appeal is preferred by him against assessment order dated 29.09.2025¹ and the same is pending before the Collector (Appeals) at Karachi.

Since the consignment is incurring the risk of diminution and storage charges at the port, learned counsel for Petitioner prays for an order that the undisputed quantum of duties and taxes may be deposited with the Collectorate/Department and the disputed amount of the duties and taxes be secured before the Nazir of this Court, by way of pay order(s)/bank guarantee, in respect of the consignment(s) covered by this petition. Order accordingly, in as much as there is no issue to the importability of the goods.

Once the amount is secured as noted above, the Nazir shall issue the appropriate certificate(s). If the amount is secured by way of pay order(s), the Nazir shall invest the amount in profit bearing instrument, as per the Rules. The Nazir's fee is settled at Rs.10,000/-per certificate.

¹ GD No. KAPW-HC-52874-20-09-2025

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

The fate of the amount secured supra shall be subject to the outcome of the appeal pending before the Collector (Appeals) Karachi. This petition, along with pending application, is disposed of in terms herein.

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