

ORDER SHEET
IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH KARACHI

Const. Petition No. D - 5874 of 2024

Date	Order with signature(s) of Judge(s)
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D/o Matter

1. For orders on CMA No.6799/2026
2. For hearing of CMA No.7656/2025

18.03.2026

Syed Shahabal Ali, Advocate for the petitioner.

1. Per office note instant the matter is already fixed on 08.09.2026, however, learned counsel for the petitioner pleads urgency on the ground that the date fixed by the office is too long, besides the petitioner has maintained the application being CMA No.7656 of 2025 listed at serial No.2 seeking restoration of the main petition, hence by granting this application, it may be converted into application for antedate and the application listed at serial No.2 may be taken up for hearing today. Record supports his contentions. Order accordingly.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that on 10.04.2025 certain strike was observed by the Bar due to which the general public as well as the lawyers were not allowed to enter the Court rooms; therefore, he could not appear, hence the matter was taken up and dismissed in default for non-prosecution. He further submits that non-appearance of the petitioner or his counsel was neither willful nor deliberate but occurred due to the reasons stated above. The grounds raised merit due consideration. Accordingly, the present application is allowed. Consequently, the order dated 10.04.2025 is recalled, and the petition is restored to its original position as it was on 10.04.2025. Let fresh notice be issued to the respondents as well as the Additional Attorney General for Pakistan for 05.05.2026.

JUDGE
HEAD OF CONST. BENCHES

JUDGE