

ORDER SHEET
IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH AT KARACHI

Special Sales Tax Reference Application Nos. 161, 162, 163,
164 & 165 of 2012

DATE	ORDER WITH SIGNATURE OF JUDGE
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1. For hearing of CMA No. 1298/12 (Ex).
2. For hearing of main case.

27.10.2026

Ms. Masooda Siraj, advocate for the applicant.

These references are pending since 2012. On 03.09.2014, following order was passed:-

“Mrs.Masooda Siraj, advocate for the applicant
Learned counsel for the applicant requests for short adjournment to file the amended Question(s) of law, which according to learned counsel, arises from the impugned order passed by the learned appellate Tribunal. Let needful be done before the next date of hearing, positively, failing which, instant Spl.S.T.Reference application may be dismissed for non-prosecution as the same is pending since 2012 without hearing.
To come up on 30.09.2014.

On 11.11.2015, following order was passed:-

“Mr. Mansoor holding brief for Ms.Masooda Siraj, Advocate for Applicant.

Brief is being held by learned Associate of learned Counsel for Applicant. On 03.9.2014 learned Counsel for Applicant had requested for some time to file amended questions of law but perhaps the needful has not been done. Amended questions, if any, by or before the next date. To come up on 07.12.2015.”

Counsel is queried as to when the amended questions had been placed on record. She remains unable to assist and merely seeks time. It appears that the applicant is not interested in proceeding with these matters, therefore, in view of judgment of *CIR vs. Rafeh Limited* reported as *PLD 2020 SC 518*, these references are dismissed for non-prosecution.

A copy of this decision may be sent under the seal of this Court and the signature of the Registrar to the learned Appellate Tribunal, as required per section 47 subsection 5 of Sales Tax Act, 1990. Office is instructed to place copy of this order in the connected files.

Judge

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