ORDER SHEET

IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH,

CIRCUIT COURT, HYDERABAD.

C.P.No.D- 1012 of 2025

DATE	ORDER WITH SIGNATURE OF JUDGE

06.11.2026.

Mr. Hameedullah Dahri, Advocate holds brief for Mr. Abdul Ghafoor Hakro, Advocate for petitioners.

Mr. Ghulam Abbas Sangi, Assistant Attorney General for Pakistan.

Mr. Ghous Bux Kaheri, Special Prosecutor NAB.

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Learned counsel representing NAB files parawise comments on behalf of respondents No.1 to 4, taken on record. The contents of the said statement for the sake of brevity are reproduced hereunder:-

PRELIMINARY LEGAL OBJECTIONS

"1. That the petition is not maintainable according to law.

2. That the petitioner has suppressed material facts and has not approached this Hon'ble Court with clean hands.

3. That all adverse allegations leveled by the petitioner against the answering respondents are denied being false allegations frivolous.

4. That there is no extra ordinary situation warranting filing of this petition.

5. That the NAB has taken cognizance of the case in hand by authorization of Investigation against the Adnan Rasheed, DC Matiari, Mansoor Ali Abbasi, AC Saeedabad, Officers/Officials of Sindh Bank and Others on the allegation of corruption and corrupt practices by misuse of authority/ embezzlement of Govt. Funds, received from National Highway Authority (NHA) for the purpose of Land Acquisition in M-6 Project in District Matiari (hereinafter referred to as the "Subject matter" That said Further Investigation is under processes

PARA-WISE COMMENTS

1. That the contents of Para No. 1 & 2 of the petition are vehemently denied. It is submitted that answering Respondents never harassed the petitioners nor demanded any return of compensation amounts allegedly awarded to the petitioners under the Land Acquisition Act, 1894.

2. That the contents of Para No. 3 to 6 of the petition is matter of record hence needs no comments.

3. That the contents of Para No. 7 to 10 of the petition are not denied being matter of record. It is submitted that NAB has issued Call-up Notice in accordance with law under the provision of NAO, 1999, but petitioners did not comply the Call-up notices and failed to appear before any forum to record his plea and also did not provided the documents, hence not entitled for any relief as answering respondent is conducting further investigation which is under process.

4. That with regards to the contents of Para No. 11 to 19 of the petition it is submitted that Further Investigation against Adnan Rasheed, DC Matiari, Mansoor Ali Abbasi, AC Saeedabad, Officers / Officials of Sindh Bank and others on allegation of corruption and corrupt practices by misuse of authority embezzlement of Govt. Funds, received from National Highway Authority (NHA) for the purpose of Land Acquisition in M-6 Project in District Matiari is under process and appearance and provision of information is mandatory for fair conclusion of further investigation. It is further submitted that Respondent No.1 to 4 never harassed nor humiliated or violated any fundamental right of the petitioners, hence all adverse allegations leveled by the petitioner against the answering respondents are false and fabricated, and therefore petitioners are not entitled for any relief so claimed.

5. That the contents of Para No. 20 to 22 of the petition are formal, hence needs no comments.

PRAYER

In view of the above facts and circumstances of the case, it is respectfully prayed that the petitioners may be directed to join the normal / lawful procedure of further investigation, hence not entitled for any relief so claimed and petition merits dismissal in the interest of justice."

Counsel holding brief for counsel for the petitioners received the copy of comments and seeks one week time to go through the same and make submissions.

To come up on **12.11.2026**.

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