

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF PAKISTAN (APPELLATE JURISDICTION)

PRESENT:

MR. JUSTICE ANWAR ZAHEER JAMALI, HCJ

MR. JUSTICE AMIR HANI MUSLIM

MR. JUSTICE SH. AZMAT SAEED

MR. JUSTICE FAISAL ARAB

MR. JUSTICE KHILJI ARIF HUSSAIN

S.M. C. NO.16 OF 2011 ETC.

(Suo moto action regarding law and order situation in Karachi)

(Implementation)

In Attendance:

Mr. Muhammad Siddique Memon,

Chief Secretary Sindh

Mr. Nisar Ahmed Durrani, Advocate General Sindh

Mr. Shahadat Awan, Prosecutor General Sindh

Mr. Adnan Karim Memon, Addl.AG Sindh

Mr. Ghulam Hyder Jamali, I.G. Police Sindh

Mr. Mushtaq Mehar, Addl. I.G Karachi

Mr. S. Mazhar Ali Shah, AIGP Legal

Dr. Saeed A. Qureshi, Focal Person to Chief Secretary

Mr. Jamal Mustafa Syed, Addl. Chief Secretary Home

Mr. Amanullah Zardari,

Focal Person to Home Secretary

Mr. Shahid Anwar Bajwa, ASC on behalf of

Pakistan Rangers

Major Ashfaq Ahmed, Law Officer Pakistan Rangers

Date of hearing:

07.03.2016

ORDER

With reference to the issue of law and order situation in Karachi proceedings have been held. In this regard queries have been made by us and views of Chief Secretary, Government of Sindh, I.G. Police Sindh, Addl. IG Police Sindh, Prosecutor General Sindh, AIG Legal, ASC and Law Officer of Pakistan Rangers have been heard. Report in CMA No.254-K/2013 submitted by AIG Legal has also been perused so also report submitted on behalf of Pakistan Rangers. Copy of this report has been supplied to I.G. Police Sindh and Chief Secretary Sindh who would submit their response/reply by tomorrow.

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We have noted with concern that there are shortcomings at large scale in the performance of Sindh Police which are encouraging criminals who are operational in the metropolitan city of Karachi and there are certain inherent shortcomings as highlighted during the proceedings which need to be addressed on urgent basis. In order to enable Law Officer and Chief Secretary Sindh to respond the queries made today, further hearing of this case is adjourned for tomorrow.

Chief Justice

Judge

Judge

Judge

Judge 3

Karachi, 7th March, 2016