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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF PAKISTAN
(ORIGINAL JURISDICTION)

PRESENT:

MR. JUSTICE TASSADUQ HUSSAIN JILLANI, HCJ
MR. JUSTICE SH. AZMAT SAEED
MR. JUSTICE MUSHIR ALAM

**S.M.C. NOS. 1 & 2 OF 2014, CRIMINAL ORIGINAL PETITION
NO. 17-L OF 2013, H.R.C. NO. 29960-P OF 2012 AND CIVIL
APPEAL NO. 16-K OF 2014 ETCETERA**

(Suo moto actions regarding suicide bomb attack of 22.9.2013 on the Church in Peshawar and regarding threats being given to Kalash tribe and Ismailies in Chitral)

In Attendance:

Mr. Nadeem Sh, ASC (Justice Helpline)
Mr. Saleem Micheal (Justice Helpline)
Mr. Saleem Javed (Justice Helpline)
Mr. Zulfiqar Ahmed Bhutta, ASC
Mr. J. Salik
Dr. Ramesh Kumar
Mr. Rev Shahid P. Mairaj, Dean of Lahore George Williams, Arch diocese of Lahore
Mr. Mehboob Alam, Rawalpindi
Mr. Ali Sher Jakhrani, AIG Legal
Sh. Iftikhar, ASC (ETPB)
Mr. Qasim Mirjat, Addl. A.G. Sindh
Mr. Sohail Mehmood, DAG
Mr. Abdul Latif Yousafzai, AG
Mr. Farid Dogar, AAG Balochistan

Date of Hearing: 13.05.2014

ORDER

Mr. Ramesh Kumar Vankwani submits that in the last two months there have been six incidents of desecration of Hindu Temples / places of worship in the Province of Sindh but the miscreants have not been brought to justice and the cases have not been registered against the appropriate provisions of law.

2. Mr. Ali Sher Jakhrani, AIG Legal, Sindh, present in Court, confronted with the above submits that the cases have been registered qua all the incidents, to which reference has been made by Ramesh Kumar and undertakes to submit a detailed report within a week as to the actions taken and the courts where the

final reports under Section 173 Cr.P.C. have been submitted by the prosecution.

3. Mr. Saleem Micheal and Micheal Javed from Justice Helpline submit that the YMCA, a prestigious institution located in Karachi is in bad state and the property is being misused by unauthorized people. Add that the matter is sub-judice before the Sindh High Court in CP No. D-330/2005 in which the learned High Court of Sindh has appointed High Court Nazir to look after the affairs till a final decision is taken. They further submit that the undertaking given by the learned Additional Advocate General, Sindh on 20.3.2014 to give a detailed report with regard to Christ Mission School, Karachi, an old alma mater of the founder of this country Quaid-e-Azam Mohammad Ali Jinnah, has still not been submitted. Learned Additional Advocate General, Sindh, expresses his regrets and undertakes to submit the requisite report within a week.

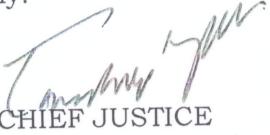
4. It has also been pointed out that the issue of Param Hasti Maharaj Smadhi at Karak in KPK was brought to the notice of this Court and the learned Advocate General, KPK, had undertaken to give a detailed report but the same has not been submitted so far. Let notice be issued to learned Advocate General, KPK, for the next date.

5. Mr. Ravrin Shahid P. Mairaj, submits that the issue of non-registration of marriages of Christians still persists. A notice shall issue to learned Advocate General, Punjab, to find out the factual position and assist the Court on the next date.

6. To be fixed by the office in the 1st week of June, 2014.

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7. Learned counsel submits that both the learned counsel in this case come from Karachi and it be transferred to Karachi Registry of this Court. Order accordingly.


CHIEF JUSTICE


JUDGE


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Islamabad, the
13th of May, 2014
Not Approved For Reporting

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