IN THE SUPREME COURT OF PAKISTAN

(Original Jurisdiction)

Constitutional Bench:

Justice Amin-ud-Din Khan, Senior Judge Justice Jamal Khan Mandokhail Justice Muhammad Ali Mazhar Justice Syed Hasan Azhar Rizvi Justice Shahid Bilal Hassan

Constitution Petition No.44 of 2022

(U/A 184(3) for implementation of this Court Judgment passed in SMC No. 17/2010)

The Jurists Foundation of Pakistan (Regtd) through

its Chairman

...Petitioner

Versus

Government of Pakistan, through Secretary Ministry of Interior Islamabad and others

...Respondents

For the Petitioner:

Mr. Riaz Haneef Rahi, ASC

Syed Rifagat Hussain Shah, AOR

For the respondents:

Ch. Aamir Rehman, Addl. AGP

Mr. Shakeel Ahmed Khan, AD (L) NDMA

On Court's Notice:

For Govt. of Punjab:

Mr. Waseem Mumtaz Malik, Addl. AG

Mr. M. Amin Baig, RO, EPA

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For Govt. of Sindh:

Mr. Sibtain Mehmood, Addl. AG Mr. Suresh Kumar, Addl. AG (via video link from Karachi)

For Govt. of KPK:

Mr. Kausar Ali Shah, Addl. AG

For Govt. of Balochistan:

Mr. M. Ayaz Khan Swati, Addl. AG

Mr. Tahir Iqbal Khattak, AAG

For ICT:

Dr. Muhammad Usman Mirza, ASC.

Date of Hearing:

30.04.2025

ORDER

We heard the learned counsel for the petitioner. Office is directed to issue notices under Order XXVII-A of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908, to the Attorney General for Pakistan, the Advocates General of all the four Provinces as well as the Islamabad Capital Territory. They shall file concise statement. Office is also directed to



check the record and fix together all the similar pending cases, pertaining to the issue in hand.

Senior Judge

Judge

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