

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF PAKISTAN

(Original Jurisdiction)

Present:

Mr. Justice Jawwad S. Khawaja

Mr. Justice Gulzar Ahmed

Mr. Justice Mushir Alam

Criminal Miscellaneous Application No.86 of 2014

(Report of Secretary, Punjab Bar Council, Lahore)

AND

Criminal Petition No.240 of 2012

(Salamat Ali Chamma Vs. The State and another)

On Court's notice:

For Punjab Bar Council:

Mr. Muhammad Bashir Paracha, ASC

Mr. Khalid Umar, Assistant Secretary/Law Officer

Amicus Curiae:

Mian Israr ul Haq, ASC

Voluntary appeared:

Mr. Mustafa Ramday, AG

Date of hearing:

20.05.2014

ORDER

Mr. Muhammad Bashir Peracha, learned ASC is present. He is heading the Committee of the Punjab Bar Council which publishes the Pakistan Law Journal. He has been authorized to represent the Punjab Bar Council in this case. In our previous order dated 21.4.2014, we had sought information from the Punjab Bar Council. Mr. Peracha states that he was informed of this requirement only yesterday. He requests for some time to get hold of and tabulate the relevant information. He also states that he will personally take an interest in this matter which has highlighted certain deficiencies/flaws in the disciplinary mechanism of the Bar Council, *inter alia*, in respect of misconduct and breach of the code of ethics prescribed for lawyers.

2. For further proceedings, re-list on 12th June, 2014.

Judge

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ISLAMABAD

20th May, 2014

M. Azhar Malik