

Form No: HCJD/C-121.

ORDER SHEET

IN THE ISLAMABAD HIGH COURT, ISLAMABAD
JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT

W.P. No. 71 of 2019

National Bank of Pakistan
Vs
Govt. of Pakistan, etc.

S. No. of order/ proceedings	Date of order/ proceedings	Order with signature of Judge and that of parties or counsel where necessary.
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01) 10-01-2019. Malik Muhammad Siddique Awan Advocate,
for the petitioner.

The petitioner Bank has invoked the jurisdiction of this Court under Article 199 of the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan, 1973 (hereinafter referred to as the "**Constitution**") challenging jurisdiction of respondent No. 2.

2. The learned Counsel was asked whether the objection regarding jurisdiction of respondent no. 2 has been raised before the latter in the pending proceedings. He has stated that written application has not been filed as yet.

3. At this stage, the instant petition is pre-mature. In order to meet the ends of

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justice, this petition is disposed of by observing that the petitioner Bank may file an application before respondent No. 2 regarding its jurisdiction to entertain and proceed in the matter which is pending pursuant to petitions filed by respondents No. 4 and 5. If such an application is filed then it is expected that respondent No. 2 will decide the question of jurisdiction before proceeding in the matter.

4. The instant petition stands disposed of in the above terms.

Tanveer Ahmed.

CHIEF JUSTICE