ORDER SHEET IN THE ISLAMABAD HIGH COURT, ISLAMABAD JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT

W.P. No.872/2020 Syed Humair Shah Gardezi **Versus**

International Islamic University Islamabad through its V.C., etc.

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18.03.2020 Mr. Jam Khursheed, advocate for the petitioner.

Through the instant writ petition, the petitioner, Syed Humair Shah Gardezi, impugns the office order dated 02.03.2020, issued by the International Islamic University (respondent No.1), whereby the office order dated 28.02.2020, was withdrawn. Vide the said office order dated 28.02.2020, major penalty of dismissal from service was imposed on Dr. Muhammad Zafar Iqbal (respondent No.4).

- 2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the withdrawal of the imposition of major penalty on respondent No.4, was unlawful; that the major penalty had been imposed on respondent No.4 after a due process i.e. issuance of a show cause notice, regular inquiry and personal hearing; that respondent No.4 had been involved in the disruption of classes and had also instituted a civil suit against respondent No.1.
- 3. I have heard the contentions of the learned counsel for the petitioner and have perused the record with his able assistance.
- 4. The petitioner was not a complainant against respondent No.4. Learned counsel for the petitioner has not been able to satisfy this court as to the petitioner's *locus standi* for filing the instant petition. A writ of *quo warranto* would not lie against respondent No.4 since he does not occupy a statutory post as Professor, Department of Media and Communications Study in respondent No.1.

- 5. Bickering between the faculty members of a university ought to be resolved by the university administration rather than by Courts exercising Constitutional jurisdiction.
- 6. In view of the above, I do not find any merit in this petition, which is accordingly <u>dismissed in limine</u>.

(MIANGUL HASSAN AURANGZEB)
JUDGE

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