ORDER SHEET IN THE ISLAMABAD HIGH COURT, ISLAMABAD

WRIT PETITION NO.231 OF 2022.

Ghazala Asjad.

VS.

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER/SUB-DIVISIONAL MAGISTRATE (CITY) AND ANOTHER.

S. No. of order/	Date of	Order with signature of Judge and that of parties or
proceedings	proceedings	counsel where necessary.
	17.03.2023.	M/s Jameed Hussain Qureshi and Nawazish Ali
		Gondal, Advocates for the Petitioner.
		Mr. M. Mansoor Abbasi, Advocate for Respondent
		No.2.
		Mr. Daood Iqbal, State Counsel.

- 1. After hearing the learned counsel for the parties Judgment in the titled petition was reserved on 25.01.2023. However, since questions regarding the constitutionality of the Executive Magistrates and amendments made from time to time in the Code of Criminal Procedure. 1898 and the Law Reforms Ordinance, 1972 have been raised, therefore, it is appropriate to issue notice to the learned Attorney General for Pakistan under Order XXVII-A, C.P.C.
- 2. The learned State Counsel is directed to come prepared to assist this Court on all matters arising from the instant petition but particularly to confirm whether notification pursuant to amendment made in sub-section (2) of Section 1 of the Code of Criminal Procedure (Amendment) Ordinance, 2001 (XXXVII of 2001) through Section 2 of the Ordinance XLV of 2001, has been issued by the Federal Government or not.
- 3. To be fixed for rehearing on 27.03.2023.

(SAMAN RAFAT IMTIAZ) JUDGE