ORDER SHEET

IN THE ISLAMABAD HIGH COURT, ISLAMABAD (JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT)

Writ petition no. 4597/2021

Mohib Akhtar versus Mst.Sakina Akhtar and others

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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21.12.2022 Mr. Aftab Ahmed, Advocate for the petitioner Sardar Najeeb ur Rehman, Advocate for the respondents

Learned counsel for the respondents urges this Court to follow 2012 CLC 24 holding that the citizens of AJK can approach the family courts in Pakistan, when 2017 YLR 84, a judgement of this Court, holds to the contrary. While I am inclined to follow the view in the latter judgement, it is only fair that learned counsel for the respondents be given a fair chance to plead his case. He is allowed to do so, subject to the undertaking, which he has extended today in Court, that his clients will not pursue the succession proceedings until the decision in this case is rendered.

2 Relist on **23.01.2023**.

(Sardar Ejaz Ishaq Khan) Judge

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