

ORDER SHEET

IN THE ISLAMABAD HIGH COURT, ISLAMABAD

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT

W.P. No.3441 of 2021

M/s. Askari Bank Limited

Vs

Assistant/Deputy Commissioner Inland Revenue 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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28.09.2021.Mr. Adnan Haider Randhawa, Advocate for the petitioner.

Through the instant petition the petitioner has challenged notice dated 13.09.2021 issued by the respondents.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner, *inter alia*, contended that the liability has been fixed by the respondents in the impugned notice without providing any opportunity of hearing to the petitioner. It was contended that though it is mentioned in the notice that if the petitioner wishes to say anything about the liability it may do so but since the liability stands determined the opportunity of hearing is just a façade. It was contended that under the facts and circumstances no liability is made out.

3. Notice to the respondents. To be heard alongwith W.P No.3212 of 2021.

C.M. No.01/2021

Notice. Meanwhile, no coercive measures shall be adopted against the petitioner for the recovery of disputed amount.

C.M. No.02/2021

The exemption sought for is allowed subject to all just and legal exceptions.

(AAMER FAROOQ)
JUDGE

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