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PRESENT:

MR. JUSTICE UMAR ATA BANDIAL

MR. JUSTICE MUNIB AKHTAR

MR. JUSTICE YAHYA AFRIDI

C.M.A. NO. 10618 OF 2018 IN CONST. P. NO. 134 OF 2012,
C.R.P. 641-642 OF 2018, SMRP 644 OF 2018, CRP NO.670
OF 2018, C.R.P. NO. 737 OF 2018, CMA 8989/18, CMA NO.
9380/2018, CMA NO. 10039/18, CMA 10489/2018.

(Against the order dated 31.8.2018 of this Court passed in Const. Petition No. 134/12 etc.)

Pakistan Bar Council through Chairman of its Legal Education Committee

Applicant(s)

VERSUS

The Federal Government through Secretary, Establishment and others

Respondent(s)

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(in CMA 10618/18)

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Date of Hearing: 13.12.2018

ORDER

CMA No. 10618 of 2018: Learned counsel appearing for the Pakistan Bar Council has been heard. It is noted that several law colleges are already offering the five years LL.B programme. It is emphasized in direction No.9 of our short order dated 31.08.2018 that the said programme must be introduced by all colleges and universities in the country with effect from September, 2018. Such institutions have the option of also offering the three years LL.B programme until Fall, 2018. However, no further admissions in the

three years LL.B programme shall take place after December 31, 2018 at any law college or institution in the country.

2. In direction No.11 of our short order, the word "Punjab" needs to be substituted with the word "Pakistan" because it is the Pakistan Bar Council which has competence in the matter of Legal Education. This C.M.A stands disposed of in the terms noted above. The remaining applications/review petitions shall be taken up for hearing after the detailed judgment is issued.

Islamabad
13.12.2018
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