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Order with signature of Judge

Priority Case:

1. For hearing of CMA No.19683/2016.

2. For hearing of Main Case.

(Notice issued)

23d May, 2018

Mr. Mohamed Vawda, Advocate for Petitioners.

Mr. Ghulam Shabbir Shah, Addl. Advocate-General Sindh alongwith Mr.Akhter Hussain Bugti Secretary Rehabilitation and Mr. Abdul Rasheed Solangi Secretary Labour.

Ms. Sheema Arif Director-General, Ms. Shamim Qazi and Muhammad Khalid Deputy Directors Social Welfare Department, Government of Sindh are also present.

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Today in compliance of the last order dated 17.05.2018 Deputy Director (PCRDP) Social Welfare Department has submitted comments. It is stated in the comments that 27 Medical Assessment Boards for registration of differently-able persons in Sindh have been established. He has also attached worksheet to show that at least 35,522 differently-able persons have been registered throughout Sindh, but no further progress have been shown as to whether these differently-able persons have been given job or not. The Authority through Notification dated 13.06.2016 under Section 3 of The Sindh Differently Able Persons (Employment, Rehabilitation and Welfare) Act. 2014 has constituted the Council for the rehabilitation of Differently Able Persons in which one Chairman and 19 members have been appointed including one Secretary of the Council. Despite this notification, even no funds have been created to implement this Act in its letter and spirit.



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Learned Addl. A.G. Sindh submits that a Cabinet meeting is scheduled to be held in two days. He will communicate the Chief Secretary Sindh to place the matter for creating some funds in terms of Section 15 of the Act.

Since some letters have been written to the private establishment to provide jobs, but it has not been materialized therefore no amount has been paid by the establishment under section 9, but in clause (b) and (c) of subsection (1) of Section 15 thereof, funds may be allocated through grant made by the Federal Government, Provincial Government or Local Bodies including donation, if any, made by the private individuals.

Ms. Sheema Arif Director-General, Ms. Shamim Qazi and Muhammad Khalid Deputy Directors Social Welfare Department, Government of Sindh will also apprise this Court regarding further progress made if any on the applications forwarded for jobs.

To come up on 25.05.2018.

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