

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF PAKISTAN
(Appellate Jurisdiction)

PRESENT:

MR. JUSTICE GULZAR AHMED, HCJ
MR. JUSTICE IJAZ UL AHSAN
MR. JUSTICE SAJJAD ALI SHAH

Human Rights Case No.62837-S of 2018

*IN THE MATTER REGARDING DEATH OF AMAL UMER DUE TO
IRRESPONSIBLE FIRING BY SINDH POLICE AND FOR WANT OF
EMERGENCY MEDICAL AID*

In Attendance:

For the Parents
of Amal Umer :

Mr. Faisal Siddiqui, ASC.

For NMC:

Mr. Mansoor Usman Awan, ASC
Dr. Umer Jhang, Administrator, NMC

For Govt. of Sindh:

Mr. Sibtain Mehmood, Addl. A. G. Sindh.
Mr. Usman Chachar, Home Secy., Sindh.
Dr. Minhaj Qidwai, CEO, SHCC.
Mr. Aijaz Ahmed, SSP/South
Investigation, Sindh.
Mr. Zulfiqar Ali Mehr, AIG, Legal
Mr. Zulfiqar Ahmed Bhutta, ASC
(for Dr. Dr. Shumail)

Date of Hearing:

11.02.2020.

ORDER

GULZAR AHMED, CJ-. The Sindh Government has offered compensation to the parents of baby Amal Umar in the sum of Rs.500,000/-. We note that though such an offer has been made by the Sindh Government but the amount so offered appears to be too paltry, which needs to be reasonably enhanced. Thus, we direct that the Province of Sindh ought to pay to the parents of the deceased baby Amal Umar an amount of Rupee One Million as compensation and such compensation amount should be paid in the manner

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that a sum of Rs.500,000/- is paid to the parents of baby Amal Umar and the remaining sum of Rs.500000/- is deposited with the Trust created by the parents of baby Amal Umar by the name of "Rah-e-Amal". The particulars of such Trust are given in HRMA No.24 of 2020, a copy of which has been supplied to the learned Assistant Advocate General, Sindh in Court.

2. As regards any further compensation to which the parents of baby Amal Umar are entitled under negligence/law of Tort, they may avail their remedy for the same in accordance with law.

3. So far as the report of the Sindh Healthcare Commission is concerned, such report is taken on record. It is however observed that the parents of baby Amal Umar are entitled to have that report used for obtaining of further reliefs through any other proceedings to which they are entitled under the law. The Sindh Police have already submitted their report in which it has been informed to the Court that the police officials who were found responsible for shooting at the baby Amal Umar have already been dismissed from service and the criminal cases against them are also pending. The parents of baby Amal Umar may join such proceedings and help the prosecution in order that the officials involved in the alleged crime are dealt with in accordance with law. We may also observe that recommendations of the Committee submitted before this

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Court through HRMA No.67 of 2019 shall be complied with by all relevant authorities.

4. Accordingly, this Human Rights case with all HRMA stands disposed of in the terms noted above.

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