

Form No:HCJD/C-121
ORDER SHEET
IN THE LAHORE HIGH COURT LAHORE
JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT

Case No. W.P. No.227807/2018

Haroon Farooq **Versus** Government of Punjab, etc

S.No.of order/ Proceeding	Date of order/ Proceeding	Order with signature of judge, and that of parties' or counsel, where necessary.
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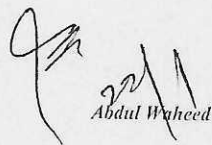
22.01.2019


Mr. Abuzar Salman Khan Niazi, Advocate for the petitioner.
Mr. Rafay Alam, Advocate/ *Amicus Curiae*.
Mr. Sibtul Husnain Advocate for DHA.
Mian Irfan Akram and Mohsin Mumtaz, Advocates for respondent No.4/WASA.
Sardar Balakh Sher Khosa, Advocate for respondent No.6.
Mr. Anis Ali Hashmi, A.A.G.
Syed Zahid Aziz, M.D, WASA.

Learned A.A.G has placed on the record Punjab Water Policy which has been duly approved by the Cabinet. However, parties shall come up with proposals as to the setting of high powered Commission for the implementation of the Punjab Water Policy and for making suggestions to this Court for the way forward on the issue of preservation of underground water. The Managing Director, WASA has also apprised this Court regarding steps taken on the orders issued by this Court as also has stated that it is imperative that this issue be dealt with seriously

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but the agencies and authorities tasked with the issue relating to water are handicapped of various aspects of the implementation of these policies. Learned counsel for DHA has also filed reply on behalf of the DHA and the learned counsel for the petitioner as well as *amicus curiae* shall go through that reply as well. Learned counsel for the petitioner shall produce copy of the order passed by the Supreme Court of Pakistan on a similar issue regarding preservation of water in respect of Karachi and which will also be considered on the next date of hearing. Adjourned to 31.01.2019.


Abdul Waheed


(SHAHID KARIM)
JUDGE

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