ORDER SHEET IN THE ISLAMABAD HIGH COURT, ISLAMABAD (JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT)

W.P. no.1315/2023

M/s National Fertilizer Marketing Limited

versus

Federation of Pakistan and others

| S. No. or order/ proceedings | f Date of order/ Proceedings | Order with signature of Judge and that of parties or counsel where necessary. |
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| 1 | 13.04.2023 | Mr. Umer Ijaz Gillani, Advocate for the petitioner |

The petitioner company is aggrieved of excess of jurisdiction by the Parliamentary Committee on Sacked Employees by it requiring the petitioner company to reinstate certain employees and to regularize others, which, per the company's stance, is neither in the interest of the company nor the right of those employees, and the directions of the Parliamentary Committee tantamount to interference in the human rights affairs of the company, which will have a deleterious effect on the company's overall performance and its Board's fiduciary duties to the Government *qua* its shareholder will stand breached. In particular, para 4 of a document dated 27.12.2022 circulated by the National Assembly Secretariat almost borders on coercive action, where the services of the MD are threatened to be terminated if the Committee's directions are not complied with. Learned counsel contends that all this amounts to an excess of jurisdiction liable to be checked and corrected by this Court in the exercise of its Constitutional jurisdiction.

2 Admit. Notice to the respondents to file their replies within two weeks from today.

3 Relist on **27.06.2023**.

4 The parties are directed to file their statements of costs of litigation before the next date of hearing.

CM no.1/2023

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

CM no.2/2023

Notice. Pending the next date of hearing, no coercive action shall be taken by the respondents or by any other agency under their administrative control against the petitioner company, its board of directors, its CEO, and its management, on account of any directions or instructions issued by the Parliamentary Committee on Sacked Employees.

> (Sardar Ejaz Ishaq Khan) Judge