

Form No: HCJD/C-121

ORDER SHEET

IN THE ISLAMABAD HIGH COURT, ISLAMABAD
(JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT)

W.P. No. 1925 of 2021

Mosharraf Ali Zaidi and others

Vs

The President of Pakistan, etc.

S. No. of order/proceedings	Date of order/proceedings	Order with signature of Judge and that of parties or counsel where necessary.
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18-01-2022.

Mr Faisal Siddiqui Advocate, for the petitioner.
Mr Khalid Javed Khan, Attorney General for Pakistan.
Mr Aamir Rehman, Additional Attorney General.
Mr Imran Farooq AAG.
Mr Shahid Hamid, Amicus Curiae.
Mr Sikandar Naeem Qazi Advocate, for respondent no. 6.
Mr Mansoor Tariq Advocate, for HEC.
Dr Agha Ghulam Haider, Dy. Director Legal M/O Federal Education.

For reasons to be recorded later the petition in hand is **allowed**. Consequently, the impugned notifications, dated 26.03.2021 and 05.04.2021, are declared to have been issued without lawful authority and contrary to amended provisions of the Higher Education Commission Ordinance, 2002. Respondent No. 6, Dr. Tariq Javed Banuri, therefore, stands restored as the Chairman of the Higher Education Commission.

(CHIEF JUSTICE)

(AAMER FAROOQ)
JUDGE