

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF PAKISTAN
(Appellate Jurisdiction)

11/8/18

PRESENT:
MR. JUSTICE UMAR ATA BANDIAL
MR. JUSTICE MUNIB AKHTAR
MR. JUSTICE YAHYA AFRIDI

C.M.A. NO. 10618 OF 2018 IN CONST. P. NO. 134 OF 2012,
C.R.P. 641-642 OF 2018, SMRP 644 OF 2018, CRP NO.670
OF 2018, C.R.P. NO. 737 OF 2018, CMA 8989/18, CMA NO.
9380/2018, CMA NO. 10039/18, CMA 10489/2018.
(Against the order dated 31.8.2018 of this Court passed in Const. Petition
No. 134/12 etc.)

Pakistan Bar Council through Chairman of its Legal Education
Committee

Applicant(s)

VERSUS

The Federal Government through Secretary, Establishment
and others

Respondent(s)

For the applicant(s)
(in CMA 10618/18)

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Date of Hearing: 13.12.2018

ORDER

CMA No. 10618 of 2018: Learned counsel appearing for
the Pakistan Bar Council has been heard. It is noted that several law
colleges are already offering the five years LL.B programme. It is
emphasized in direction No.9 of our short order dated 31.08.2018
that the said programme must be introduced by all colleges and
universities in the country with effect from September, 2018. Such
institutions have the option of also offering the three years LL.B
programme until Fall, 2018. However, no further admissions in the

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three years LL.B programme shall take place after December 31, 2018 at any law college or institution in the country.

2. In direction No.11 of our short order, the word "Punjab" needs to be substituted with the word "Pakistan" because it is the Pakistan Bar Council which has competence in the matter of Legal Education. This C.M.A stands disposed of in the terms noted above. The remaining applications/review petitions shall be taken up for hearing after the detailed judgment is issued.



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