

**ORDER SHEET**  
**IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH KARACHI**  
**Cr. Bail Application No. 2287 of 2025**

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**Present:**  
Mr. Justice Omar Sial  
Mr. Justice Miran Muhammad Shah

For hearing of bail application

**20.10.2025**

Mr. Ashraf Ali Shah Advocate for the Applicant  
Mr. Muhammad Iqbal Awan, Additional Prosecutor General

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**OMAR SIAL, J.-** Muhammad Shakil has sought post-arrest bail in crime number 247 of 2025 registered under sections 9(I) 3-B of Sindh Anti Narcotic Act, 2024 at Police Station Rizvia, Karachi. his earlier bail pleas were dismissed vide order dated 27.08.2025 by the learned Special Judge, Narcotics/Sessions Judge, Karachi-Central.

2. Muhammad Shakil was arrested on 21.06.2025 by SIP Nasir Abbas Shah while he was in possession of 545 grams of charas.

3. We have heard the learned counsel for the applicant and the learned Additional Prosecutor General. Our observations are as follows.

4. The offence with which the applicant is charged, although not bailable, falls within the non-prohibitory clause of section 497 Cr.P.C. Keeping in mind the principles enunciated in Tariq Bashir and 5 others vs The State (PLD 1985 SC 34), we do not see any exceptional or extraordinary ground to deny the applicant bail. It is also yet to be seen whether the applicant himself is a user of narcotics and, in essence, a victim of the drug trade. The State is yet to establish effective rehabilitation institutions for this

purpose. The applicant is admitted to bail subject to his furnishing surety in the sum of Rs.50,000/- and a P.R. bond in the like amount to the satisfaction of the learned trial Court.

**JUDGE**

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Amjad PS