ORDER SHEET IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH, KARACHI

Cr. Bail Appl.No.2741 of 2025

Date Order with signature of the Judge Present: Mr. Justice Muhammad Iqbal Kalhoro. Mr. Justice Syed Fiaz ul Hassan Shah. ShehzadVs. The State

02.12.2025.

Mr. Shakeel Ahmed, Advocates for applicant

Mr. Ali Haider Saleem, Addl. P.G.

ORDER

MUHAMMAD IQBAL KALHORO J: Applicant was arrested on 17.07.2025 by a police team of P.S. Jamshed Quarters headed by SIP Hakim Ali, from Jehangir Road, Dad Muhammad village Para, Al-Fatah Masjid, Karachi on suspicious condition and from him 506 grams of Ice was recovered, hence he was booked in FIR bearing Cr. No.475/2025 U/s 9(2) 5, Sindh, CNS Act, 2024 of P.S. Jamshed Quarters, Karachi.

- 2. Learned counsel in defence submits that applicant is the first offender; case has been challaned and punishment of the alleged offence is less than 10 years, hence the offence does not fall within prohibitory clause of section 497(1) Cr.P.C; investigation is complete and applicant is no more required for further investigation.
- 3. On the other hand, learned Addl. P.G. has opposed the bail but has confirmed that applicant is the first offender.
- 4. We have considered arguments of the parties and perused material available on record. Applicant is the first offender and more so investigation is complete; the offence does not fall within prohibitory clause of section 497(1) Cr.P.C. Accordingly, this application is allowed and applicant is granted bail subject to his furnishing a solvent surety in the sum of Rs.100,000/- and P.R bond in the like amount to the satisfaction of the trail court.

The observations made hereinabove are tentative in nature and would not prejudice case of either party at trial.

The Cr. Bail Application is disposed of.

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