

IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH, KARACHI
Cr. Bail Application No.2293 of 2026

Present:
Mr. Justice Muhammad Iqbal Kalhoro
Mr. Justice Muhammad Abdur Rahman

Applicant:- Tasleem Shaikh through Mr. Zaheer Hussain,
Advocate.

Respondent:- The State through Mr. Muhammad Noonari, Deputy
Prosecutor General a/w SHO S.M. Khalid
of PS Khwaja Ajmer Nagri, Karachi.

Date of hearing:- 11.08.2026

Date of decision:- 11.08.2026

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MUHAMMAD IQBAL KALHORO J: Complainant reported an incident to PS Khawaja Ajmer Nagri, Karachi on 10.04.2025 stating that when he was driving a water tanker and reached Baba Mour, Khawaja Ajmer Nagri, he was waylaid by few people who after beating him set the water tanker on fire. On such report, FIR was registered and investigation started. However, no accused was identified and found; hence, the case was disposed of under A-Class.

2. Applicant was arrested in June 2026 after more than one year in some other case u/s 153-A PPC. When after two weeks he was released on bail by jail authorities, per learned counsel, he was picked up by police of PS Khawaja Ajmer Nagri and involved in this case on basis of spy information.

3. Learned counsel for applicant has pleaded for bail on the ground that the case against the applicant requires further inquiry; no ID Parade has been held and applicant has simply been implicated on the basis of spy information.

4. On the other hand, learned DPG has opposed bail stating that applicant is involved in this case.

5. However, we find the evidence against the applicant, *prima facie* sketchy as no material except alleged spy information has been brought on record to show involvement of the applicant in the present case.

There is no ID Parade and no witness has identified him before any forum or authority that applicant was a member of the mob who had set the water tanker on fire.

6. We, therefore, accept this bail application and allow bail to the applicant subject to furnishing a solvent surety in the sum of Rs.1,00,000/- and PR Bond in the like amount to the satisfaction of the trial Court.

7. The Bail Application is disposed of accordingly. The observations herein above are tentative in nature and shall not affect the case of either party on merits before the trial Court.

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