

ORDER SHEET
IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH, KARACHI

Cr.B.A No.719 of 2015

Cr.B.A No.720 of 2015

Date Order with signature(s) of Judge(s)

For hearing of Bail Application

01.12.2015.

Mr. Muhammad Arshad, advocate for the Applicant.

Mr. Muhammad Qasim, Standing Counsel.

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The applicant is facing two separate trials in crimes No.48/2014 & 49/2014 both under Section 420/468/471 PPC. The accused has been alleged of committing fraud and forgery of amount in the sum of Rs.7,50,000/- by inducing different persons to arrange their Haj through his travel agency. Interim bail was granted in sum of Rs.8,00,000/- in each case.

Heard the learned counsel for the applicant and counsel for State.

It is contended by the learned counsel for the applicant that offence under Section 420/468/471 PPC does not fall within prohibitory clause and the punishment is only seven years imprisonment. The case is triable by Magistrate. Learned counsel for the State concedes to this legal position, however, he oppose the confirmation of bail. It is pertinent to mention here that offence took place at Mirpurkhas. Case is being tried at Mirpurkhas but somehow or the other applicant chose principal seat at Karachi for his interim bail.

In the given circumstances, bail is confirmed subject to appearance of accused before the trial Court on each and every date, if

he will be absent on even one date, trial Court will shall treat this bail as cancelled and issue warrant of arrest of the applicant/accused forthwith. Any application for condonation from appearance shall not be entertained by trial Court. Trial must be concluded within six months from the date of receiving this order.

JUDGE

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