ORDER SHEET IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH KARACHI Crl. Bail Application No. 209 of 2023

DATE

ORDER WITH SIGNATURE OF JUDGES

For hearing of bail application. 06-03-2023

Mr. Maroof Hussain Hashmi, Advocate for applicant. Mr. Faheem Ahmed Panhwar, Addl.P.G.

Omar Sial, J: Ghulam Shehzad has sought post arrest bail in crime number 15 of 2023 registered under section 324 P.P.C. at the Shahra-e-Faisal police station. Earlier, his application seeking bail was dismissed on 13.01.2023 by the learned 3rd Additional Sessions Judge, Karachi East.

2. The aforementioned F.I.R. was registered on 04.01.2023 by one Hassan who reported an incident that occurred earlier that day. Hassan reported that while he was sitting in a restaurant he saw that one person was squabbling with the manager of the restaurant. When the complainant asked the reason for the fight the applicant opened fire. No one was injured, no bullet hit anybody. The complainant and others then apprehended the applicant.

3. I have heard the learned counsel for the applicant and the learned Addl.P.G. None effected an appearance on behalf of the complainant. My observations and findings are as follows.

4. It is an admitted fact that no injury or damage was caused to anybody or anything when the applicant allegedly opened fire. Prima facie it would not have been that difficult for the applicant to shoot and injure a person if he so intended. Be that as it may, it will be at trial that the true facts of the incident will be unearthed after the learned trial court has had an opportunity to evaluate the evidence. At this preliminary stage however the case against the applicant appears to be one of further inquiry.

5. Above are the reasons for the short order dated 2-3-2023.

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For the reasons to be recorded later on, the applicant is admitted to post arrest bail subject to his furnishing a solvent surety in the sum of Rs. 200,000 and a P.R. Bond in the like amount to the satisfaction of the learned trial court.

JUDGE