ORDER SHEET IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH AT KARACHI Crl. Bail Application No. 1208 of 2023

Date Order with signature of Judge

For hearing of bail application.

04th July 2023

Mr. Abdul Khaliq Nawal, advocate for applicant/accused.

Mr. Talib Ali Memon, APG a/w SIP Muhammad Ishaq, P.S. Super Highway.

It is alleged that applicant No.1 was running a brothel and she was committing *Zina* with applicants No. 2 and 3. However, a bare reading of sections 371-A and 371-B P.P.C. postulates involvement of anyone in selling or buying for the purpose of prostitution. Mere allegations are not sufficient to establish a case against the applicants; it is yet to be determined by the trial Court whether the charge is framed accordingly and prosecution is able to prove the charge without any doubt and this case is not falling within spirit of sub section 1 of section 497 Cr.P.C. which speaks of existence of reasonable grounds to decline bail. On a tentative assessment, here in this case, reasonable grounds are not available against the applicants and their case requires further probe into their guilt. Accordingly, applicants are admitted to post arrest bail subject to furnishing their solvent surety in the sum of Rs.50,000/- (Rupees Fifty Thousand Only) each and P.R. bond in the like amount to the satisfaction of the trial Court.

JUDGE