

ORDER SHEET
IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH, KARACHI
Criminal Appeal No.474 of 2023
(Usman v. the State)

DATE: ORDER WITH SIGNATURE OF THE JUDGE

1. For hearing of case
2. For hearing of MA No.11186/2023

10.10.2023

Mr. Taha Abdus Samad, advocate for the appellant
Mr. Khadim Hussain Khuharo, Addl. PG for the State

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It is contended by learned counsel for the appellant that at trial the appellant was on bail; the aggregate sentence awarded to him being 04 years with fine is short one; therefore, it is liable to be suspended with release of the appellant on bail pending disposal of his appeal for the reason that disposal of his appeal on account of heavy pendency is likely to take time, which is not opposed by learned Addl. PG for the State. Consequently, while relying upon case of *Abdul Hameed Vs. Muhammad Abdullah and others* (1999 SCMR-2589), the sentence awarded to the appellant is suspended and he is directed to be released on bail, subject to furnishing surety in sum of Rs.50,000/- (Rupees Fifty Thousand Only) and PR bond in the like amount to the satisfaction of Nazir of this Court.

The listed application (11186/2023) is disposed of accordingly.

Adjourned to a date in office for hearing of main appeal after preparation of paper book.

JUDGE