## ORDER SHEET IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH AT KARACHI Criminal Bail Application No.1299 of 2024

(Abu Bakar Siddique v. The State)

## Date Order with signature of Judge

For hearing of bail application

## 02.09.2024

M/s. Farooq H. Abbasi and Abdul Samad Khattak, advocates for the applicants Ms. Rubina Qadir, DPG Complainant Nazakat Ali in person

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It is alleged that the applicant with the rest of the culprits robbed complainant Nazakat Ali of his wallet, wrist watch and cell phone, for which, the present case was registered.

The applicant having been refused post-arrest bail by learned VIIIth-Additional Sessions Judge, Karachi, Malir, has sought the same from this Court by way of instant bail application u/s. 497 Cr.P.C.

It is contended by learned counsel for the applicant that the applicant is innocent and has been involved in this case falsely by the police, therefore, he is entitled to be released on bail on the point of further inquiry, which is opposed by learned DPG for the State, however, complainant Nazakat Ali has recorded no objection to the release of the applicant on bail by contending that he is innocent.

Heard arguments and perused the record.

There is no recovery of robbed money from the applicant. The pistol is alleged to have been foisted upon him by the police. The case has finally been challaned. There is no likelihood of absconsion or tempering with the evidence on the part of the applicant who is said to be in custody for more than six months without effective progress in the trial of his case. In these circumstances, a case for release of the applicant on bail on the point of further inquiry is made.

Under given circumstances, the applicant is admitted to bail subject to furnishing his surety in the sum of Rs.50000/- and PR bond in the like amount to the satisfaction of the learned trial Court.

Instant bail application is disposed of accordingly.