## ORDER SHEET

## IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH AT KARACHI

Criminal Bail Application No.1300 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 applicant

Ms. Rubina Qadir, DPG

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The applicant was booked in the present for holding a pistol of 30 bores with a magazine containing two live bullets which he allegedly was having at the time of committing robbery.

On being booked in the said case he sought his release on bail by filing such application; it was dismissed by learned VIIIth Additional Sessions Judge Malir Karachi; it is in these circumstances that the applicant has sought his release on bail from this Court by filing the instant bail application under Section 497 Cr. PC.

Heard arguments and perused the record.

The applicant has already been admitted to bail by this Court in the main case relating to robbery in the early hours of the day. 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.50,000/- and PR bond in the like amount to the satisfaction of the learned trial Court.

Instant bail application is disposed of accordingly.