

ORDER SHEET  
IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH, KARACHI  
Crl. Revision Application No.278 of 2023  
(*Abdullah v. The State and another*)

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Date	Order with signature of Judge
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For orders as to maintainability of Crl. Rev. Appl. as well as MA  
No15827/2023

**30.04.2024**

Mr. Rafiq Ahmed Baloch, advocate for the applicant  
Mr. Ali Nisar Baloch, advocate for the respondent No.2  
Mr. Mumtaz Ali Shah. Asstt. PG for the State

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The applicant by way of instant Crl. Revision Application has impugned the order dated 28.11.2023 passed by learned IXth-Additional Sessions Judge Karachi South whereby he has taken cognizance of the offence against the applicant for his prosecution for allegedly defaming the private respondent.

It is contended by learned counsel for the applicant that the learned trial Court has taken cognizance of the offence on a complaint without being routed to it in terms of Section 200 Cr.PC, therefore, such cognizance being illegal is to be examined by this Court.

Learned Asstt. PG for the State and learned counsel for the private respondent by supporting the impugned order have sought for dismissal of the instant Cr. Rev. Application by contending that the applicant has a remedy to seek his premature acquittal by filing such

application before the learned trial Court on maintainability of the very complaint.

Heard arguments and perused the record.

If the applicant has a feeling that the direct complaint has been brought on record by the learned trial Court without having a recourse prescribed by law then he has the remedy to advance such grievance before the learned trial Court, which is expected to redress it in accordance with law. No further order by this Court on the instant Crl. Revision Application is called for, it is disposed of accordingly.

**J U D G E**

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