ORDER SHEET IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH, CIRCUIT COURT, LARKANA Crl. Appeal No.D-69 of 2011

DATE OF
HEARING ORDER WITH SIGNATURE OF HON'BLE JUDGE

12.12.2012.

- 1. For hearing of M. A. No.2646/2011.
- 2. For Regular Hearing.

Mr. Saleem Raza Jakhar, advocate for the appellant.

Mr. Qazi Muhammad Bux, State Counsel.

Appellant Ghulam Abbas was tried by learned Sessions Judge/Special Judge for C.N.S., Kamber-Shahdadkot and was convicted under Section 9(c) C.N.S. Act, 1997 and sentenced for seven years R.I. and to pay the fine of Rs.10000/-. In case of default to pay the fine, appellant was ordered to undergo S.I. for six months. Appeal was preferred by the appellant.

Mr. Saleem Raza Jakhar, learned advocate for the appellant, after arguing the matter at some length stated that he would not press the appeal on merits and would be satisfied if sentence of seven years is reduced to the period already undergone. Learned State Counsel submitted that appellant has remained in jail for about two years and earned remissions. He recorded no objection if sentence is reduced to the sentence already undergone.

From the perusal of the record it transpires that 1100 grams charas were recovered from the possession of the appellant, out of which 200 grams sample charas were sent to the Chemical Examiner for the report. Hence, in the above-stated circumstances, sentence of seven years is reduced to sentence already undergone. However, fine of Rs.10000/- shall be paid by the appellant. In case of default in payment of the fine, appellant shall suffer S.I. for 15 days more.

Conviction and sentence awarded to the appellant are modified to the above extent and appeal is dismissed.

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