ORDER SHEET

IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH KARACHI Cr. Transfer Application No. 58 of 2024

DATE ORDER WITH SIGNATURE OF JUDGES

For hearing of main case.

27-09-2024

Bakht Hussain, applicant in person. Ms. Robina Qadir, Additional Prosecutor General, Sindh along with S.I. Jafoor Khan PS Saeedabad.

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Omar Sial, J.: This application has been filed by Bakht Hussain seeking transfer of the case arising out of F.I.R. No. 643 of 2022 registered at Saeedabad police station from the Court of the learned 12th Additional Sessions Judge, Karachi West, to any other Court.

- 2. The applicant has appeared without his counsel. He has no sound or logical reason for his counsel's absence. When asked about his reasons for seeking a transfer, he replied that the learned Judge was harsh. He, however, could not narrate any specific incident that may have occurred in Court. He showed his reluctance to swear an affidavit stating the exact conduct of which he complained, though he did say that the learned judge said "get out" to him once. When asked why the learned judge got angry, the applicant was vague in his explanation, nor could he vocalize his own conduct that may have prompted the judge to say those words to him, if at all. He expressed his unwillingness to have any witness to the occurrence swear an affidavit. After hearing the applicant, it seems that a frivolous application to malign a learned judge and intimidate him has been filed. It also appears that on the pretext of filing this application, he may want to delay the conclusion of the trial for reasons best known to him.
- 3. The application is dismissed. To show the court's displeasure, Rs. 50,000 is imposed on the applicant. He shall pay the costs within ten days for the clinic of this Court. A copy of this order should be sent to the learned 12th Additional Sessions Judge, Karachi West. In the event costs are not paid, the file to be put up in court.