ORDER SHEET

IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH BENCH AT SUKKUR

Cr. Bail App. No. S - 796 of 2020

Date of hearing Order with signature of Judge

Fresh case

- 1. For orders on MA No.9018/2020 (U/A)
- 2. For orders on MA No.9019/2020 (Ex./A)
- 3. For hearing of bail application
- 4. For orders on MA No.9020/2020 (Suspend NBW)

31.12.2020

Mr. Shabbir Ali Bozdar, Advocate for applicant / accused.

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Applicant / accused Darshan Kumar seeks protective bail in Crime No.11/2019 registered at P.S ACE Ghotki for offences under Sections 409, 465, 467, 468, 471, 477-A, 34, PPC read with Section 5(2), Act-II of 1947.

It is, inter alia, contended that name of applicant / accused does not transpire in the FIR, however, he has been shown as absconding accused in the final report. It is further stated that applicant / accused is prepared to surrender before the trial Court, but apprehends his arrest as NBWs have been issued against him. Serious *mala fide* on part of the Anti-Corruption Establishment is alleged.

Without touching the merits of the case, protective bail is granted to the applicant / accused for a period of five (05) days subject to his furnishing solvent surety in the sum of Rs.30,000/- (Rupees thirty thousand) and P.R. bond in the like amount to the satisfaction of the Additional Registrar of this Court. In the meanwhile, operation of NBWs is suspended for a period of five (05) days. Applicant / accused is directed to surrender before the trial Court in the aforesaid period. This order shall cease to have effect after expiry of five (05) days or whenever applicant / accused surrenders before the trial Court, which one occurs earlier. It is made clear that in case, applicant / accused fails to surrender before the trial Court in the aforesaid period, his bail bond shall stand automatically forfeited.

Criminal Bail Application stands **disposed of** along with the listed applications in the above terms.