ORDER SHEET

IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH AT KARACHI

Order With Signature Of Judge

Cr. Appeal No.642 of 2024

1.For hg of case

2. For hg of MA No. 12490/2024

24.12.2024.

Date

M/s. Muhammad Daud Narejo and Kamran Ali, advocates for appellants.

Ms. Rubina Qadir, Deputy Prosecutor General, Sindh a/w injured Jan Muhammad and complainant Qadir Bux.

Appellants have been convicted in a Sessions Case No.694/2021 by Additional Sessions Judge-I, Sujawal vide impugned judgment dated 04.09.2024 for committing multiple offences under sections 337Ai, 337Fi and 337Fii to suffer different sentences, maximum seven years under the aforesaid penal provisions of PPC. Appellants are in Jail and have filed this appeal against the impugned judgment.

- 2. Today, learned counsel for the appellants have filed joint applications under sections 345(2) Cr.P.C and 345(6) Cr. P.C duly supported by affidavits of injured Jan Muhammad and complainant Qadir Bux as well as all appellants duly endorsed by Jail Authorities seeking permission to compound the offence and acquittal of the appellants. Injured Jan Muhammad and complainant Qadir Bux are present in the Court and have stated that they have forgiven the appellants in the name of Allah without seeking any compensation and that they have no objection to acquittal of the appellants. Their statements are supported by their affidavits, as stated above.
- 3. Learned Deputy Prosecutor General has also gone through the applications and record and have given no objection. Accordingly, in view of above, application under section 345(2) Cr. P.C. is allowed and the parties are permitted to compound the offence as all the offences

are compoundable. As a result, application under section 345 (6) Cr. P.C. is allowed and the appellants are acquitted of the charge on the basis of compromise. The appeal is accordingly disposed of in the above terms. Office is directed to issue release writ of the appellants with the endorsement that the appellants shall be released forthwith if they are not required in any other criminal case.

JUDGE

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