

THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH, CIRCUIT HYDERABAD

Present:

Justice Omar Siyal

Justice Muhammad Humayon Khan

Crl. Bail Application No. D-295 of 2026

[Khuda Bux v. The State]

Mr.Malik Bux Mari, Advocate holds brief for Mr.Saddam Hussain Keerio, Advocate for the applicant

Ms.Rameshan Oad, Deputy Prosecutor General

Dates of hearing : **15.10.2026**

Date of order : **15.10.2026**

ORDER

Omar Sial , J. – Khuda Bux seeks post-arrest bail in Crime No.03 of 2026, registered at Police Station Tando Muhammad Khan under sections 324, 353, 224, 225, 147, 148, 149 and 427 PPC read with sections 6/7 of the Anti-Terrorism Act, 1997.

2. A police party of P.S. Bulri Shah Karim was on patrol when it saw a person carrying a white shopping bag, who tried to run away on seeing the police. He was apprehended and searched, and the bag was found to contain 1050 sachets of Gutka Safina. While he was being arrested, 31 persons attacked the police party with stones and lathis. Nobody was hurt or injured in the altercation. The learned Deputy Prosecutor General states that the windscreen of a vehicle was damaged; however, apart from a photograph on the record, there is no evidence to establish this. The offences with which the applicant is charged are bailable, except that under section 324 PPC, and it is yet to be seen at the trial whether the ingredients of that section are attracted. As regards section 6 of the Anti-Terrorism Act, 1997, though the alleged conduct of the accused has been brought within section 7 of the Act, the ingredients of section 6 prima facie remain to be established.

3. Given the above, the case against the applicant is one of further inquiry. The applicant is admitted to bail subject to his furnishing a solvent surety in the sum of Rs.500,000/- (Rupees five lac) and a P.R. bond in the like amount to the satisfaction of the trial court.

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AHSAN K. ABRO