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ORDER SHEET

IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH, BENCH AT SUKKUR

Crl. Bail Application No.S-646 of 2023

(Muhammad Pannah Mallah Vs. The State)

For hearing of bail application.

ORDER.

11-12-2023.

Mr. Abdul Haseeb Khuhro, advocate for the applicant.

Mr. Shafi Muhammad Mahar, Deputy P.G for the State.

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IRSHAD ALI SHAH, J;-The facts in brief necessary for disposal of

instant Bail Application are that an FIR was lodged by SIP Ghulam Habib

on behalf of the State with PS Kandhra alleging therein death of an

unknown person by sustaining burns injuries, inside of the shop of

Rafique Ahmed, lateron, he was known by Nawaz to be his brother

Shahnawaz; his relatives by seeking a direction u/s 22 A/B Cr.P.C joined

the investigation whereby they implicated the applicant and others for

committing the death of the deceased.

2. The applicant on being involved in above said case sought for post

arrest bail by filing such application, it was dismissed by learned IIIrd

Additional Sessions Judge/ (MCTC-II), Sukkur, it is in these

circumstances, he has sought for the same from this Court by way of

instant bail application under Section 497 Cr.P.C.

3. It is contended by learned counsel for the applicant that the

applicant being innocent has been involved in this case falsely by the legal

heirs of the deceased, who was thief and died on account of sustaining

burns injury, when he went inside the shop of Rafique Ahmed to commit

theft, who was dealing with sale of liquid gas. Co-accused Suhrab and two

others have already been admitted to pre-arrest bail by this Court. By

contending so, he sought for post arrest bail for the applicant on point of further inquiry and consistency.

- 4. Learned DPG for the State has recorded no objection to grant of pre-arrest bail to the applicant by contending that on investigation section 302 PPC was deleted by the police while submitting challan; it was inserted by learned trial Magistrate while taking cognizance of the incident.
- 5. Heard arguments and perused record.
- 6. On failure of any of the relative to lodge FIR of the incident, it was lodged by SIP Ghulam Habib on behalf of the State. It was with delay of about 02 days to the actual death of the deceased; yet it does not contain the name of any of the culprit involved in the incident, those were disclosed by the legal heirs of the deceased subsequently by joining the investigation, which prima-facie suggests deliberation and consultation. Co-accused Suhrab and two others have already been admitted to prearrest bail by this Court. The case has finally been challaned and there is no likelihood of absconsion or tempering with the evidence on the part of the applicant. In these circumstances a case for release of the applicant on bail on point of further inquiry and consistency obviously is made out.
- 7. In view of above, the applicant is admitted to bail subject to his furnishing solvent surety in the sum of rupees two lacs and P.R bond in the like amount to the satisfaction of learned trial Court.
- 8. The instant Bail Application is disposed of accordingly.