ORDER SHEET

IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH, BENCH AT SUKKUR

Crl. Bail Application No. S-127 of 2024

(Ghulam Yaseen Jatoi Vs. The State)

- 1. For Orders on office objection.
- 2. For hearing of Bail Application

08-04-2024.

Mr. Allah Wassayo Ujjan, advocate for the applicant. Syed Zaffar Ali Shah Bukhari, advocate for the complainant. Syed Sardar Ali Shah Rizvi, Additional P.G for the State.

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- 1. Over ruled.
- 2. It is alleged that the applicant with rest of the culprits abducted Mst. Maria to get her marry with someone against her wishes or to subject her to rape, for that the present case was registered.
- 3. The applicant on having been refused post arrest bail by learned IVth Additional Sessions Judge/GBV Court Khairpur; has sought for the same from this Court by making instant Crl. Bail Application under section 497 Cr.P.C.
- 4. It is contended by learned counsel for the applicant that the applicant being innocent has been involved in this case falsely by the complainant party; the FIR of the incident has been lodged with delay of about nine days and Mst. Maria the alleged abductee in her statement made before Multan Bench of Lahore High Court has denied her abduction. By contending so, he sought for release of the applicant on bail on point of further inquiry.

- 5. Learned Additional P.G for the State and learned counsel for the complainant have opposed to release of the applicant on bail by contending that the abductee has not yet been recovered.
- 6. Heard arguments and perused the record.
- 7. The FIR of the incident has been lodged with delay of about nine days; such delay having not been explained plausibly could not be over looked. Mst. Maria, the alleged abductee has married of her own accord with Muhammad Zubair as is indicated in her statement made before Multan Bench of Lahore High Court when she was produced there in a petition filed by Mst. Reshman, which prima-facie deny the occurrence of the incident. Co-accused Qalandar Bux has already been admitted to prearrest bail by this Court. The case has finally been challaned and there is no likelihood of absconsion or tampering with the evidence on the part of the applicant. In these circumstance; a case for release of the applicant on bail, on point of further inquiry obviously is made out.
- 8. In view of above the applicant is admitted to bail subject to his furnishing solvent surety in sum of Rs.100,000/- (One lac) and P.R bond in the like amount to the satisfaction of learned trial Court.
- 9. The instant bail application is disposed of accordingly.

Judge