ORDER SHEETIN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH KARACHI

Crl. Transfer Application No. 76 of 2022

DATE

ORDER WITH SIGNATURE OF JUDGES

- 1. For orders office objection
- 2. For hearing of main case
- 3. For hearing of MA No.9580/2022

10-02-2023

- Mr. Aamir Mansoob Qureshi, Advocate for applicant.
- Mr. Zaigham Hussain, Advocate for respondent.
- Mr. Abrar Ali Khichi, Addl.P.G.

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Omar Sial, J: A Criminal Case bearing number 8590 of 2021 having arisen from F.I.R. No. 715 of 2021 registered under sections 147, 148, 149, 440, 504 and 337-H(ii) P.P.C. is pending adjudication before the learned 7th Judicial Magistrate, Karachi South. This transfer application has been filed, not because of any grievance the applicant has against the learned court, but because he apprehends violence against him from the members of the Karachi Bar within the premises of the City Courts. The learned counsel for the applicant contends that not only his client but he himself and his associates are being threatened by members of the Bar when they wish to appear before the learned trial court. It is an unusual ground that has been pleaded. Be that as it may both parties to the proceedings finally agree that in order to maintain law and order, the case be sent to any court operating within the jail judicial complex. The learned Addl.P.G. has no objection in this regard. The learned Sessions Judge may do the needful.

2. It is also ordered that both parties shall at all times maintain and respect the decorum of the court and the learned Presiding Officer and shall not resort to intimidation, threats and violence to each other. A complaint has also been made by Mr. Fakhar Ali Shah, the complainant in the case, that the applicant uses the F.C. Personnel to intimidate and harass him. The applicant present himself, undertake to this Court that no

harassment will be caused to the complainant. In the event that any person connected with the applicants threatens or intimidates the complainant, the learned Presiding Officer will be informed who will then take the necessary measures.

3. The application stands disposed of in the above terms.

JUDGE