

ORDER SHEET
IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH, AT KARACHI
Criminal Bail Application No.2671 of 2026

Date	Order with Signature(s) of Judge(s)
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Presents:
Mr. Justice Muhammad Iqbal Kalhoro
Mr. Justice Khalid Hussain Shahani,

For hearing of bail application

14.09.2026

Mr. G.M.Abdullah, advocate for the applicant.
Mr. Ali Anwar, Addl.P.G.

ORDER

MUHAMMAD IQBAL KALHORO J:- Applicant Muhammad Yousuf S/o Muhammad Murad is seeking post arrest bail in Crime No.129/2026 U/s 9 (i) 3 (c) CNS Act, 2024 registered at P.S. Memon Goth.

2. Applicant was arrested by a police team of P.S. Memon Goth headed by Ahsan Ali Sub-Inspector from Katcha Road near Memon Goth, Malir Karachi on 26.05.2025 and from him allegedly 1010 grams of charas was recovered, hence he was booked in the present case.
3. Applicant had earlier filed a bail application before this court, which was disposed of vide order dated 12.02.2026 giving directions to the trial court to conclude the trial in three months. The applicant has filed this application after the trial court failed to comply with the directions and yet dismiss his subsequent bail application.
4. Applicant’s counsel has pleaded for bail on the grounds that meanwhile only two witnesses have been examined; the applicant is first offender and there is no videography of the incident as required under section 17(2) Sindh of Control of Narcotic Substance Act, 2024.
5. His arguments have been opposed by learned Addl.P.G.

6. However, we are of the view that applicant has succeeded in making out a case for bail on the grounds that he is in jail for more than one year and still the trial has not been concluded despite such directions earlier to the trial court. More so, applicant is the first offender and as required by the law i.e. videography of the incident has not been prima-facie done. Consequently, the application is allowed and the applicant is granted bail subject to his furnishing solvent surety in the sum of Rs.100,000/- and P.R. bond in the like amount to the satisfaction of the trial court.

7. The observations made herein above are tentative in nature and would not prejudice case of either party at trial.

8. This Cr. Bail Application is disposed of.

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