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FIR no. 05, dated 26.01.2025, u/s 379/149 PPC, PS Ghiljo

IN THE COURT OF BAKHT ZADA ADDITIONAL SESSIONS JUDGE-I, ORAKZAI AT BABER MELA

Bail Before Arrest App: No:

37/4 of 2025

Date of Institution

03.04.2025

Date of Decision

16.04.2025

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ORDER 16.04.2025

Sr.PP, Abul Qasim for the State present. Accused/petitioners (1) Fazal Manan alias Fazal Khaliq s/o Ali Mat Khan (2) Yar Badshah (alias Yarak Shah s/o Wazir Badshah (3) Ziarat Shah s/o Zarbad Shah (4) Azeem Khan s/o Lal Asgher (5) Walayat Shah s/o Wazir Badshah and (6) Khan Zaman s/o Sar Gul all resident of Caste Khadizai, Ali Khel, Tapa Merawas Khel, Tehsil Upper, District, Orakzai on adinterim pre arrest bail along Mr. Abid Ali Advocate present.

2). Accused/petitioners named-above are seeking confirmation of their already granted ad-interim prearrest bail in case FIR no. 05, dated 26.01.2026 u/s 379/149 PPC of police station Ghiljo, District, Orakzai.

Facts of the case as per report are that the complainant Sakhi Marjan submitted an application u/s 22A Cr. PC in the court of District and Sessions Judge, Orakzai, which was accepted and the above- mentioned FIR was registered. It is alleged that complainant is

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resident of Khadizai and the accused/petitioners namedabove have cut trees in the joint forest of the Caste Khandizai at different times amounting to Rs. 20,000,00/-. The said forest was cut and stolen at different intervals in the night time from 1st January to 25th January, 2025, which has caused damage to the interest of Caste Khadizai. That one Haji Mast Khan, Khaista Akbar s/o Sher Akbar, Sher Afzal s/o Eid Akbar, Arman Hassan s/o Jamal Hassan, Haji Janat Khan s/o Haji Gul Asghar, Mufti Afzal s/o Jalandar and Noor Mat Khan s/o Gulab Khan are ready to depose as witness against the accused.

Arguments heard and available record perused which (4).shows that although the cognizable offence has been alleged against the accused/petitioners, but instead of making complaint to the concerned Forest Department for registration of case against the accused/petitioners, the complainant has directly lodged application u/s 22A Cr. PC. After registration of FIR even statement of single official of the Forest Department has not been brought on Both the complainant record. accused/petitioners belong to one and the same caste and wegistration of compliant against six accused/petitioners by a single entity without involving the concerned Forest Department shows malafide on the part of the complainant. No recovery of any timbers has been effected. Neither any photographs of the roots of the said

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cut forest is placed on file, nor any witness who have seen the offence at the time of commission has been mentioned in the FIR. The time of occurrence is also unknown, rather it is mentioned that the occurrence has taken place in different intervals in the night time from 1st January to 25th January, 2025, which is uncertain and the time of occurrence is even unknown. Keeping in view the above discussion, the accused/petitioners succeeded to make out a good case for confirmation of their already granted Ad-interim pre- arrest bail is hereby confirmed on the strength of existing bail bonds.

Copy of this order be placed on police/judicial (5) file. Record be returned to the quarter concerned while file of this court be consigned to record room after its completion and compilation. 300° 16.4.25

<u>Announced</u> 16.04.2025

Additional Sessions Judge-I, Orakzai at Baber Mela