SUPREME COURT OF PAKISTAN

(Appellate Jurisdiction)

PRESENT:

Justice Muhammad Hashim Khan Kakar Justice Ishtiaq Ibrahim Justice Ali Baqar Najafi

Crl. PLA No. 1546 of 2023

[Against judgment dated 09.10.2023 passed by Peshawar High Court, Peshawar in Crl.A.No.228-P/2023.]

Abdul Rauf

....Petitioner(s)

Versus

The State

....Respondent(s)

For the Petitioner (s)

: Mr. Riazatul Haq, ASC via V/P

Peshawar.

Syed Rifaqat Hussain Shah, AOR

For the Respondent(s)

: Mr. Zahid Yousaf AOR for KPK

Date of Hearing

: 15.09.2025

ORDER

MUHAMMAD HASHIM KHAN KAKAR, J. Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner stated that the petitioner is registered owner and sole claimant of the vehicle in question and in this regard he also approached the trial court for release of vehicle in question on superdari but his request was declined by the trial court vide order dated 24.11.2022 and subsequently the vehicle in question was confiscated in favour of the state at the time of final judgment dated 11.01.2023 without issuing notice to the petitioner.

2. Be that as it may, with the consent of the parties, the impugned orders dated 11.01.2023 and 09.10.2023 passed by the

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to the extent of confiscation of vehicle in question. The application moved by the petitioner for release of vehicle shall deemed to be pending before the trial court who shall decide it afresh after providing opportunity of hearing to both the parties in accordance with law. The petitioner is directed to appear before the trial court within a period of one month.

3. With this observation, this criminal petition stands **disposed**of.

Islamabad 15.09.2025 NOT APPROVED FOR REPORTING A.Oadoos*