SUPREME COURT OF PAKISTAN

(Appellate Jurisdiction)

Present:

Justice Yahya Afridi, CJ Justice Shakeel Ahmad

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(Against the order dated 08.04.2016 passed by the Lahore High Court Lahore in W.P.No.11322 of 2016)

Muhammad Ashraf Anjum

...Appellant

Versus

Mst. Shahnaz Akhtar, etc

...Respondents

For the Appellant

: Mr. Ghulam Hussain Awan, ASC

For the Respondents

: Ch. Naseer Ahmed Bhutta, ASC. (via video link from Branch Registry, Lahore)

Date of Hearing

: 02.07.2025

ORDER

Shakeel Ahmad, J.- This Civil Appeal filed under Article 185(2)(d)(e) of the Constitution of Islamic Republic of Pakistan, 1973, is directed against the order dated 08.04.2016 passed by the Lahore High Court, Lahore, whereby and whereunder Constitution Petition No.11322 of 2016 filed by the appellant, against the order of the Appeal Court dated 16.03.2016, was dismissed.

- 2. Heard and record perused.
- 3. A perusal of the record reflects that the Constitution Petition No.11322 of 2016, instituted by the appellant, was dismissed by the High Court, firstly, on the ground that the Rent Controller has passed an order observing that Muhammad Akram, who was respondent No.2 in the ejectment petition, contested the ejectment petition,

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admitting that he was paying rent to the respondents and

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that the petitioner was not entitled to sublet the suit shop

after the expiry of the tenancy and was bound to hand over

the possession to the respondents. However, the said order

of the Rent Controller was not impugned before the Court

while filing the writ petition, and secondly, that the

agreement to sell does not create any right to claim

ownership of the suit property, and if the appellant has any

claim on the basis of the agreement to sell, he may seek his

relief from the Court of competent jurisdiction.

4. We find no illegality, irregularity or jurisdictional

defect in the impugned order, calling for interference.

Consequently, this appeal being bereft of any merit is hereby

dismissed. No order as to costs.

Islamabad, the 2nd July of 2025

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