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APP for the state present. Sureties namely Ajmal Khan and Wahid Ullah along with Mr. Sanaullah Khan advocate present. Show cause notice U/S 514 Cr. PC given. Sureties opted not to file reply. Sureties stated that accused has gone abroad and they were unable to produce him before the court and requested for lenient view. Arguments heard.

Record reveals that Ajmal Khan and Wahid Ullah stood sureties for the accused Ahmad for an amount of Rs. 50,000/- each. During the trial, they failed to produce the said accused before the court so they were proceeded against U/S 514 Cr. PC. Sureties requested for lenient view. As per contention of sureties, they stood sureties for the accused on humanitarian ground as they are co-villagers of the accused and that they have not stood sureties for personal and financial gain.

There is nothing on record showing that the sureties have gained any financial benefits from the accused. Prima facie, they stood sureties for the accused on social ground. Sureties are young and jobless persons. Hence, a lenient view is taken of the matter and each surety is burdened with the fine of Rs. 3000/- (Three thousand each). The sureties are directed to deposit fine of Rs. 3000/- each (total Rs. 6000/-).

File be consigned to record room after necessary completion and compilation.

Announced 15.07.2022

ZAHIR KHANJudicial Magistrate-I, Kalaya
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