

IN THE COURT OF I ADDITIONAL DISTRICT &  
SESSIONS JUDGE AT CHIKKAMAGALURU

**S.C No.43/2024**

Complainant : State by Sakharayapatna Police  
vs  
Accused : Kiranaraju S.V.

**CHARGE**

I, Bhanumathi B.C., B.A.L, LL.B., I Addl.,  
Sessions and Special Judge, Chikkamagaluru, do  
hereby charge you:

Kiranaraju S.V., S/o Venkatesha Raju,  
Aged 29 years, Agriculturist, R/at  
Arasumakkala Beedi, Sakharayapatna,  
Kadur Taluk, Chikkamagaluru  
District.

as follows:

That in the backdrop of enmity between you  
accused and CW.1 Ganesh Gowda in respect of  
contesting the election of the previous year and money  
matter, you had exchanged words on several occasions  
and that on 21.2.2023 at about 9.30 p.m. when CW.1  
was proceeding in his Bullet bike bearing  
No.KA.03/HT.5377 towards Antharaghattamma  
temple in front of Ranganatha temple, at the cross of  
road leading to Arasumakkala Beedi within the  
jurisdiction of Sakharayapatna Police Station, you the  
accused intercepted CW.1 in Scooter bearing  
No.KA.18/EH.2932 belonging to CW.13-Mahendra  
Raju S.V., from proceeding further in a direction in  
which he had every right to proceed and thereby you  
the accused committed an offence punishable under  
section 341 of Indian Penal Code and within my  
cognizance.

2. That, on the aforesaid date, time and place, you accused abused CW.1 in filthy language and gave provocation, knowing fully well that such provocation would cause him to break the public peace and thereby committed an offence punishable under section 504 of Indian Penal Code and within my cognizance.

3. That on the aforesaid date, time and place, with an intention to commit the murder of CW.1 and with knowledge that by your act you would be causing his death and under such circumstances in which if by your act, CW.1 had died, you would have been guilty of murder, you assaulted CW.1 with a machete on his head and pierced near his neck, waist and back with a sword (kathi) and caused grievous injuries and thereby you accused committed an offence punishable under section 307 of Indian Penal Code and within my cognizance.

4. That on the aforesaid date, time and place, you accused assaulted CW.1 with a machete on his head and pierced near his neck, waist and back with a sword (kathi) and voluntarily caused grievous hurt to CW.1 and thereby committed an offence punishable under section 326 of Indian Penal Code and within my cognizance.

5. That on the above said date, time and place, you accused threatened the life of CW.1 with dire consequences and thereby committed an offence punishable under section 506 of Indian Penal Code and within my cognizance.

And I hereby direct that you be tried by this Court on the above said charge.

Date: 11.09.2024.

Sd/-

(Bhanumathi B.C.)

I Addl. District & Sessions Judge,  
Chikkamagaluru.