

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

S.C No.141/2025

Complainant

State by R.F.O., Kadur

 V/s

Accused

Manju and 02 others

CHARGE

I, Kiran Kini, B.A, LL.B., I Addl. Sessions and Special Judge,
Chikkamagaluru, do hereby charge you:

- A1 Manju, S/o Ponnuswamy,
Aged 32 years,
R/o Hunasebylu village,
Tarikere Taluk.
- A2 Nagaraju, S/o Papanna,
Aged 40 years,
R/o Ragibasavanahalli village,
Tarikere Taluk.
- A3 Marappa, S/o Beerappa,
Aged about 45 years,
R/o Jerki village,
Hosur, Tamilnadu State.

as follows:

That on 15.07.2020 when CW.1-S.R.Santhosh Kumar, Deputy Range Forest Officer, Yemmedoddi section and his staff were patrolling in forest area of Shakunagiri hill at Tiger reserve forest bearing Sy.No.70 of Yemmedoddi village within the jurisdiction of range forest area, Kadur, you the accused No.1 to 3 were found illegally trespassed into said forest and unauthorizedly occupied some forest area and constructed a hut with a blue coloured tarpal and were also found cut

and removed the sandal trees belonging to the State Government without permit and they were illegally found in possession of 05 sandal logs weighing 13 kgs and sandalwood chips weighing 3.5 kgs and thereby you committed the offences punishable under sections 24, 86 and 87 of the Karnataka Forest Act and within my cognizance.

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

Sd/-
(Kiran Kini)
I Addl Sessions & Special Judge
Chikkamagaluru