

**IN THE COURT OF CIVIL JUDGE & J.M.F.C., SRINGERI**

**Present :** Sri. Jeethu R.S, B.A.L. LL.M.,  
Civil Judge & JMFC,  
Sringeri.

**C.C.No. 273/ 2025**

**Complainant :** Sri. Sunilkumar H.G  
S/o Gopalagowda,  
Aged about 40 years,  
R/o Holekoppa, Dharekoppa Post,  
Sringeri Taluk,  
Chikkamagaluru District.

**-Vs-**

**Accused :** Sri. Adarsha K.C.,  
S/o Chandrashekar,  
Aged about 34 years,  
R/o Kodadamane, Kuppanamakki,  
Begar Post,  
Koppa Taluk.

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**STATEMENT OF ACCUSED UNDER SECTION 351 OF B.N.S.S.**

**Q. No. 1 :** Complainant has examined as PW-1, and PW-1 has deposited before the Court that you accused liable to pay Rs.1,00,000/- to the complainant. What do you say?

**Ans. :** False.

**Q. No. 2 :** PW-1/ Sri. Sunilkumar H.G. further deposited before the Court that you being accused had issued the cheque in question **No.922630 dated 17.03.2025 for a sum of Rs.1,00,000/- drawn on Karnataka Bank, Begar Branch** as per (Ex.P-1(a)) by affixing your signature on the said cheque (Ex.P-1) towards the discharge of your debt. The complainant presented the above said cheque to the bank for the encashment and the cheque was dishonored and returned with an

endorsement dated 17.03.2025 as per (Ex.P-2) for the reasons "**Funds insufficient**". What do you say?

**Ans.** : False.

**Q. No. 3** : PW-1 has further deposed before the Court that the complainant though the counsel issued a Legal Notice (Ex.P-3). Thereafter as per the postal endorsement, the said legal notice is returned to the complainant. Within a statutory period you failed to repay the cheque amount. What do you say?

**Ans.** : False.

**Q. No. 4** : Have you got anything more to say?

**Ans.** : Nil.

**Q. No. 5** : Do you adduce any evidence in support of your defence?

**Ans.** : Yes.

(Certified that the above contents of the statement of the accused was read over and explained to the accused in the language known to him).

**Date:**

**Sd/- 29.01.2026.**  
**(Sri. Jeethu R.S)**  
**Civil Judge & JMFC,**  
**Sringeri.**

**Signature of Accused:**