

IN THE COURT OF II ADDL. DISTRICT AND SESSIONS
(SPECIAL) JUDGE MANGALURU, D.K.

Special Case: 153/2020

PW: 2 (CW: 2)

Witness present and Duly Sworn on: 24.11.2025

Deposition of	:	Hariprasad
Father/Husband Name	:	Venkappa Kulal
Age	:	32 years
Occupation	:	Private Work
Resident Of	:	Kairangala. Mangaluru.

Examination in Chief by Public Prosecutor :-

1. I know PW.1-Leela. I know CW.3-Sharath.

2. I know facts of the case. The police have issued notice to me seeking assistance in the case. I now see notice, it bears my signature. The same are marked as Ex.P8 and 8(a). The police called me and CW.3 to the house of PW.1 on 21.02.2020. PW.1 showed spot. The police conducted mahazar on the spot at 9:00 a.m. stating that the said spot was the place in which two persons peeped by standing on the stone. I now see Mahazar Ex.P2, it bears my signature. Signature of witness is marked as Ex.P2(b). Police also prepared spot sketch Ex.P3. Signature of witness is marked as Ex.P3(b).

3. On the same day at 12.00 noon, the police called me

and CW.3 to Konaje police station. One motorcycle was in the police station. The police have seized said motorcycle by preparing mahazar. The said motorcycle is of Yamaha company. I now see mahazar, it bears my signature. The same are marked as Ex.P8 and 9(a). I can identify motorcycle. Witness identifies motorcycle in Ex.P4 to 7 photographs.

Cross-examination by Sri. GKPJ Advocate for Accused:-

4. I work aluminum fabrication in Kairanagala. I have own fabrication shop. On 21.02.2020, I was working in Kairangala. The distance between spot and our house is 600mtrs. PW.1 and CW.4 are not my relatives. I have facial acquaintance with them. It is false to suggest that I know them since childhood as they are from same area.

5. ACP issued notice to me in ACP office situate at Kallapu at 9.00 a.m. I went to spot in my vehicle. I alone went in motorcycle. The distance between ACP office and spot is 6-7kms. In ACP office, Konaje police station Ashok was present. It is false to suggest that I know Ashok since long time. It is false to suggest that I used to visit Konaje police station regularly. I am witness in one case of Konaje Police station after this case. I am not witness in any other cases.

6. We left ACP office at 9:30 a.m. I reached spot before 10.00 a.m. Except inmates of the house no one was present.

Except I, inmates of the house and police, no other persons were present. Within 10 minutes police came to spot after I reached. Five police were present. After police came, around 5 people gathered at the spot. House roof is made of tiles. Window is open approximately 5x2 feet. It is true adjacent to house, houses of Ismail and Sharif are situated. The said houses are within distance of 50mtrs. Sharif and Ismail and inmates of their houses did not come to spot. I did not observe street light out of the bath room. Police were present upto 11.00-11.30 a.m. on the spot. Police prepared mahazar and took printout in printer. It was typed. I do not know who typed. Printout was taken in the house of PW.1. It is false to suggest that I have signed on spot mahazar in police station. I have read contents of mahazar. I signed first on the mahazar. After that CW.3-Sharath signed. No other panchaas except me and CW.3. Except me and Sharath no others signed on the spot mahazar. I signed on Ex.P3-Sketch on the spot. Konaje police prepared sketch. Before 11.30 a.m. sketch was prepared. It is false to suggest that my signature on Ex.P2 and P3 are different. May be true there is difference on notice, Ex.P2 and Ex.P3 with respect to my signature. It is false to suggest that signature on notice, mahazar and sketch and seizure mahazar Ex.P9 are not pertaining to me. It is false to suggest that police did not prepare mahazar in the house of PW.1. It is false to suggest that I and CW.3 signed on the spot mahazar in the police station.

7. On the same day I went to police station. In the police station motorcycle was seized and took my signature. I do not know who brought motorcycle to the police station. Police prepared Ex.P9-Seizure mahazar in the police station after 12.00 noon.

8. It is false to suggest that I visited spot on 19.02.2020 when incident said to had taken place. It is false to suggest that since I know PW.1 very well, to help her, I am deposing false.

Re-examination: Nil.

(Computerized to my dictation in the open court)

ROI & AC

II Addl District and Sessions Judge,
Mangaluru, D.K.