

IV ADDL. DISTRICT AND SESSIONS JUDGE HASSAN
(SIT AT CHANNARAYAPATNA)
Sessions Case: 236/2024

PW: 15 (CW: 19)

Witness present and duly sworn on : 29.12.2025

Deposition of : Sagar .L
Father/husband name : Lokesh B.N
Age : 29 years
Occupation : PC-58, Hirisave, CPI Office
Resident of : Hirisave

Examination in chief by Public Prosecutor:

1) Since May 2024, I have been working as PC at Hirisave CPI Office.

2) On 24.07.2024, I have accompanied the IO to the crime spot for the purpose of taking photograph and videograph at the time of conducting spot cum seizure mahazar and seizure of blood stained mud and control mud. I have taken photographs and videographs. I can identify the photographs and videographs taken at the time of ExP2-Spot cum seizure mahazar. Witness identified the photographs and videograph in the CD played in the open court. They are

already marked as ExP3 and P4 respectively. I can identify the material objects. Witness identified the blood stained mud and control mud already marked as MO.1 and 2 respectively. I have issued certificate U/s 63(4)(3) of BSA. The said certificate is marked as **ExP28**. The signature of witness is marked as **ExP28(a)**.

3) On 25.07.2024, from 8.00 am to 10.00 am, I have taken photograph and videograph of the inquest mahazar conducting by the IO at Hirisave govt., Hospital. I can identify the photographs and videographs taken at the time of ExP9-Inquest panchanama. Witness identified the photographs and videograph in the CD played in the open court. They are already marked as ExP10 and P11 respectively. I have issued certificate U/s 63(4)(3) of BSA. The said certificate is marked as **ExP29**. The signature of witness is marked as **ExP29(a)**.

4) On the same day, I have taken the photograph and videograph of the seizure mahazar of one gold finger ring, earrings, Thali and gold bolls conducted at Hirisave CPI

office. I can identify the photographs and videographs taken at the time of ExP12-seizure panchanama. Witness identified the photographs and videograph in the CD played in the open court. They are already marked as ExP13 and P14 respectively. I can identify the ornaments seized under ExP12-seizure panchanama. Witness identified the Material objects marked from MO.7 to 10 and 12. I have issued certificate U/s 63(4)(3) of BSA. The said certificate is marked as **ExP30**. The signature of witness is marked as **ExP30(a)**.

5) On the same day, I have taken the photograph and videograph of the Spot mahazar conducted by the IO at the spot shown by the accused person. I can identify the photographs and videographs taken at the time of ExP15-seizure panchanama. Witness identified the photographs and videograph in the CD played in the open court. They are already marked as ExP16 and P17 respectively. I have issued certificate U/s 63(4)(3) of BSA. The said certificate is marked as **ExP31**. The signature of witness is marked as **ExP31(a)**.

6) On 05.09.2024, I have downloaded the FSL report from the office system of Hirisave CPI office. I can identify the said FSL reports sent by RFSL, Mysuru. Witness identified the ExP23-FSL report in respect of sample mud and blood stained mud. I have issued certificate U/s 63(4)(3) of BSA. The said certificate is marked as **ExP32**. The signature of witness is marked as **ExP32(a)**.

7) On 05.11.2024, I have downloaded the FSL report from the office system of Hirisave CPI office related to the left and right hand nails of dead body. I can identify the said FSL report sent by RFSL, Mysuru. Witness identified the FSL report in respect of sample mud and blood stained mud and marked as **ExP33**. I have issued certificate U/s 63(4)(3) of BSA. The said certificate is marked as **ExP34**. The signature of witness is marked as **ExP34(a)**.

8) On 16.01.2025, I have downloaded the FSL report in respect of the Samsung Mobile of accused. I can identify the FSL report downloaded by me. The FSL report is marked as **ExP35**. I have issued certificate U/s 63(4)(3) of BSA. The

said certificate is marked as **ExpP36**. The signature of witness is marked as **ExpP36(a)**.

9) On 27.02.2025, I have downloaded the CDR, CAF and certificate of Nodal Officer pertaining to cell phone numbers of Venkatesh, Nataraj Naik, deceased Kempadevamma and Manjunath. I can identify the said documents. Witness identified the documents. The CDR and CAF of mobile number of Venkatesh H.T is collectively marked as **ExpP37**. The CDR and CAF of mobile number of deceased Kempadevamma is collectively marked as **ExpP38**. The CDR and CAF of mobile number of CW4-Manjunath is collectively marked as **ExpP39**. The certificate issued by the Nodal officer-Bharti Airtel Ltd., is marked as **ExpP40**. The CDR and CAF of mobile number of another number of deceased Kempadevamma is collectively marked as **ExpP41**. The certificate issued by the Nodal officer-Reliance Jio Infocom Ltd., Karnataka is marked as **ExpP42**.

10) On 27.02.2025, I have issued certificate U/s 63(4) (c) of BSA in respect of the downloaded details of Venkatesh H.T, deceased Kempadevamma and Manjunath and Jio

number of deceased Kempadevamma and marked as **ExP43 to 46** respectively.

11) I can identify the accused person. Witness identified the accused person produced from JC through VC.

Cross-examination by Smt. KSN Deputy defence counsel for the accused :

12) I have not signed the ExP2-spot cum Seizure mahazar, ExP9-Inquest mahazar and ExP12-Seizure mahazar and ExP15-Spot mahazar. It is true to suggest that for taking photographs and videographs, experience, expertness and knowledge is required. I have not produced any documents to show my experience and knowledge in taking photographs and videographs. It is true to suggest that in any of the photographs the date of taking the photograph and instruments used to take the photograph are not mentioned, witness volunteers that I have mentioned the details in the certificate issued under BSA. It is false to suggest that I have issued the certificates referred above at the directions of the CPI, Hirisave to help this case. It is false to suggest that I

have seen the accused person for the first time now before the court. It is false to suggest that I am giving false evidence at the directions of the IO.

Re-examination: Nil.

(Computerized to my dictation in the open court)

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Witness present **through VC** and Duly Sworn on: 29.12.2025

Deposition of : Dr. Pallavi N.D
Father/Husband Name : Devaraja .N
Age : 29 years
Occupation : Scientific officer, SFSL,
Bengaluru
Resident of : Bengaluru

Examination in Chief by Public prosecutor :-

1) Since 25.04.2022, I have been working as Scientific Officer in SFSL Bengaluru.

2) On 13.08.2024, our office received a sealed article from Hirisave Police station pertains to Crime No.110/2024 through Pranesha CPC-609. On 26.08.2024, I received the article for examination and found that the seals were intact and tallied with sample seal. The description found on the article correspond to that of those present in the invoice.

3) On opening of the articles for examination, I found following:

Sl No.	Article Smart Code	Description of article/s	IO marking	Code Number
1	4BDCTZ6R	One sealed paper packet contains one Samsung mobile phone of model number: SM-A107F/DS bearing IMEINo.1:354481115202727 and IMEI No.2:354482115202725 along with one Jio DIM card bearing No.89918610400573131472.	1	Marked as D1a for Samsung mobile phone & D1b for Jio SIM card by me.

Duration of Examination: 26.08.2024 to 29.08.2024.

4) The article was subjected to forensic acquisition using tool cellebrite UFED4PC version 7.66.1.150 and the digital data were analyzed using the forensic software UFED physical analyzer version 7.62.2.9 and Mandet Ver.2.3.2.0.

5) After examination, I issued test report with an opinion that ;

The Samsung mobile phone marked as D1a contains two alleged video files and their details are as follows;

Sl. No.	File Name	MD5 Hash Value	Duration	File size
1	20240722_075832.mp4	F85f41e8b746c4a3885ce07755b6041a	12mn:33s	1.52 GB
2	20240722_090554.mp4	7a942c7edb1a89565e557fbb13a89ce2	19mn:59s	2.41 GB

Based on frame analysis, the above mentioned video files are found continuous and not edited / morphed.

6) I have issued test report. I can identify the test report issued by me. Witness identified the report dated 30.08.2024 already marked as ExP35. I can identify the sample seal. Witness identified the sample seal impression present before the court and marked as **ExP47**. The signature of witness is marked as **ExP47(a)**. The said document contains my digital signature. I can identify the Samsung Mobile phone and the Jio SIM examined by me. Witness identified the Samsung mobile phone present before this court along with Jio SIM, which is already marked as MO.12.

7) I have downloaded the contents of the Samsung Phone examined by me to DVD-R by indicating as Annexure-A1. I can identify the downloaded contents. Witness identified the videographs in the ExP25-CD played in the open court. I have issued certificate U/s 63(4)(c) of BSA as per ExP25(a). The signature of witness is marked as **ExP25(b)**.

Cross-examination by Smt. KSN Deputy Defence Counsel for the accused :

8) I have examined the articles received from my office after one week. I have no knowledge and information about the persons in whose name the SIM number was standing. I have not issued any report regarding the audio conversation present in the mobile phone, for the reason IO has not asked for the said details. It is false to suggest that I have given a false report as per the direction of the IO.

Re-examination: Nil.

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