

IN THE COURT OF THE II ADDL.DISTRICT & SESSIONS JUDGE,
KODAGU-MADIKERI (SITTING AT VIRAJPET)

S.C.5014/2024

PW: 1

CW: 1

Duly sworn on 07.07.2025

Name of the witness	Kaverappa
Father Name	C K Chattiyappa
Age	43 years
Occupation	Agriculturist
Residence & Mobile Number	Nangala

Examination-in-chief by Public Prosecutor:

1. Myself, my brother/accused, my wife and children, father and mother were resided together in Nangala Village. Accused is my last brother. We are four brothers, I am the elder one, second one is Subramani/CW.14 and Poovaiah CW.13. CW.13 residing at Bengaluru, CW.14 residing at Balele Village.

2. Accused is unmarried. He was not working, he is habit of consuming alcohol and demanding father money for alcohol purpose. My father had lost vision due to old age. My mother died prior to death of father.
3. On 13.08.2022 the case was registered against accused for having caused injuries to father. My father had compromised with the accused in respect of said incident.
4. On 18.10.2023 myself and my wife had been to Parane Village. On same day at 7.00 PM I received phone call from accused stating that 'ತಂದೆಯನ್ನು ಹೊಡೆದಿದ್ದೇನೆ, ನ್ಯಾಯಾಲಯದಲ್ಲಿ ನೋಡಿಕೋ' and disconnected the call. Immediately, I came to Nangala Village house at 8.00 PM with CW.2 and 3. The door was locked from inside, the accused was inside the house and he has opened the lock. My father was sat on cot with injuries to mouth, nose and ear. Ear was opened, the blood was oozing from mouth,

nose and ears. The accused when he opened the door he was holding wooden club in his hand.

5. I had asked the accused about the incident, he told me 'ನಿಮಗೂ ಇದೆ ತರ ಮಾಡುತ್ತೇನೆ'. Myself and CW.2 and 3 taken my father to Virajpet Government hospital at 9.00 PM. At 9.45 PM my father was declared dead. Thereafter, I visited the Virajpet police station and filed a complaint. Now I see the complaint given by me, same is marked as **Ex.P.1, 1(a)** is my signature.

6. On 19.10.2023 Virajpet police came to my house to the place of incident, conducted mahazar the accused had shown the spot. Now I see the mahazar marked as **Ex.P.2, 2(a)** is my signature. CW.19 and 20 were present at the time of mahazar. Police at the time of mahazar noticed blood stained on wall, door and sofa set. The police collected the blood stained in three packets, the wooden club was seized from the room of accused.

7. The photographs now shown to me was taken at the time of mahazar, I am appearing the said photo showing the place of incident. Same is marked as **Ex.P.3.** Another three photographs in one sheet appearing the blood stained on ground, it is marked as **Ex.P.4.** Other two photographs appearing the blood stains on wall and ground, sofa. Two photographs are marked as **Ex.P.5 and 6.** After postmortem examination, the dead body was buried.

8. On 20.10.2023 CW.5 to 7 informed me stating that 'ನಿಮ್ಮ ತಂದೆ ಕೂಗುವ ಶಬ್ದ ಕೇಳಿಸಿತು, ನಾವು ಅಲ್ಲಿಗೆ ಹೋದಾಗ ಬಾಗಿಲು ಹಾಕಿತ್ತು, ಕಿಟಕಿಯಿಂದ ನೋಡುವಾಗ, ತಂದೆಯವರನ್ನು ಹೊಡೆಯುವುದನ್ನು ನೋಡಿದ್ದು, ಅವರು ಕೇಳುವಾಗ ಇದೇ ಗತಿ ತೋರಿಸುತ್ತೇನೆ ಎಂದು ಆರೋಪಿ ಹೇಳಿದ್ದಾರೆ' ಎಂದು ನನಗೆ ಹೇಳಿದರು.
The said matter has been informed to the police.

9. Sealed cotton cloth open before the court, witness identify the two wooden stick used by the accused. Marked as

MO.1 and 2. 5 photographs now shown to me are my father photos. Same are marked as **Ex.P.7(series)**. Now I see sealed five envelop covers open before the court, witness identify his signature on chit affixed on each cover. The police have collected blood stains from the spot with cotton. Same are marked as **MO.3 to 7** respectively. Now I identify my brother/accused through VC. My signatures on **MO.3(a) to 7(a)**.

Cross Examination: Sri.VSP Advocate for accused prays time, deferred.

Re- Examination: Nil.

(Typed to my dictation in the open court)

ROI & AC

Sd/-

II Addl.District & Sessions Judge,
Kodagu-Madikeri(Sitting at Virajpet)