Spl.C.No.5014/2020

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PW:19
CW:20
Duly sworn on 05.03.2026

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Name of the witness	Subramani
Father Name	Jogi
Age	40 years
Occupation	Coolie
Residence & Mobile Number	Ponnampet

Examination-in-chief by Special Public Prosecutor:

1. I know CW.21 Chinnaswami. I do not know the accused present before the Court. About 5 years back, police called me to the police station, CW.21 Chinnaswami was also present in the police station. Police took photos of me and CW.21. The jeep was parked in the premises, the owner or driver of the jeep was not present. I have not seen the accused in the police station. I do not know who had died and who had administered poison.

2. My signature is appearing in the mahazar, mahazar is marked as **Ex.P.19, 19(a)** is my signature. Myself and Chinnaswami are appearing in two photos. The photos are marked as **Ex.P.20 and 21**. The jeep is also appearing and identifying him. The jeep was seized in respect of poison case.

(At the stage, learned PP seeks to declare witness as hostile, permitted)

Cross Examination: Learned Special Public Prosecutor:

3. It is not true to suggest that the police called me and Chinnaswami and briefed about the information, the accused was present there, the jeep was brought to police station along with accused. It is not true to suggest that the jeep was seized as used for commission of offence of administering poison forcibly by the accused to the deceased. It is not true to suggest that the jeep was seize in our presence by drawing mahazar at Ex.P.19 and contents were read over to us and explained.

4. It is not true to suggest that after knowing the contents, I signed in the mahazar. It is not true to suggest that to help the accused, I am deposing falsely.

Cross Examination: Sri.KKM, Advocate for accused submits no cross.

Re- Examination: Nil.

(Typed to my dictation in the open court)

ROI & AC

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