

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

**S.C.No.5021/2024**

**PW:11**

**CW:23**

**Duly sworn on 03.08.2026**

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| <b>Name of the witness</b>           | <b>Prasanna Kumar M K</b>                |
| <b>Father Name</b>                   | <b>Kumara M N</b>                        |
| <b>Age</b>                           | <b>32 years</b>                          |
| <b>Occupation</b>                    | <b>PC-365, Srimangala Police Station</b> |
| <b>Residence &amp; Mobile Number</b> | <b>Srimangala</b>                        |

**Examination-in-chief by Public Prosecutor:**

1. From 2021 to 2025, I had worked as PC-365 in Ponnampet Police Station.
2. On 23.11.2023 CW.26-PSI taken me to Besagooru Village to the house of accused. By the side of stream, situated near the house of accused dead body of his wife B S Soumya was found, PSI- CW.26 conducted inquest mahazar Ex.P.12. At that time on instruction of PSI, in Departmental D G Sony camera taken photos and video of inquest mahazar. Now I

see the photos, which are already marked as Ex.P.3 to 6. Thereafter, I returned to the Police Station. The photos were downloaded from Departmental Sony Camera to Office system by connecting USB cable without changing or editing the photos. Thereafter, the photos were taken print in Canon office printer.

3. The video and photos were copied to CDs. Now I see the two CDs marked as Ex.P.23 and 24. Thereafter, I handed over CDs, photos, and 65B certificate to CW.26. Now I see the Certificate marked as Ex.P.25, 25(a) is my signature.

**Cross Examination: Sri.BSP Advocate for accused:**

4. The certificate does not specify the method used to connect the camera to the office system. The photographs and videos were transferred from the system software onto CDs. However, the specific software used for this transfer was not stated.

**Re- Examination: Nil.**

(Typed to my dictation in the open court)

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