

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

**Spl.C.No.5028/2023**

**CW:15**  
**PW: 11 Dr.Bojamma**  
**Duly sworn on 08.01.2026**

<b>Deposition of</b>	<b>Dr.Bojamma K M</b>
<b>Husband Name</b>	<b>Dr.Ponnappa M V</b>
<b>Age</b>	<b>51 years</b>
<b>Occupation</b>	<b>Medical officer, Gonikoppa Community Health Centre.</b>
<b>Residence &amp; Mobile Number</b>	<b>Gonikoppa</b>

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

1. Since form 2010, I am working as medical officer, Gonikoppa Government community hospital
2. On 19.05.2023, I received requisition from Gonikoppa Police Station in Crime.No.52/2023 to conduct Postmortem examination on a female body named Paniyaravara Monni, aged about 35 years who assaulted with Katti. Now I see the requisition copy in form No.146(1) and 146(ii). Same are

marked as **Ex.P.22 and 23**. My signature on Ex.P.22, and it is marked as **Ex.P.22(a)**.

3. On the same day, between 1.30 p.m. to 2.30 p.m., I have conducted Postmortem examination of deceased **Paniyaravara Monni** in Mortuary of CHC, Gonikoppa.

4. On external examination of dead body, I found:

Poorly built and poorly nourished, rigormortis present.  
**2X2 cm elliptical, deep stab wound seem on the medial aspect above the left clavicles, blood stains seen in the neck region.**

5. On Internal Examination I found following injuries:

### **Cranium and Spinal Canal**

Scalp and Skull	Membranes	Brain and Spinal cord
Normal		Normal and pale

**Thorax**

Wall, Ribs and cartilages	Pleurae	Larynx and Trachea	Lungs		Pericardi um	Heart	Large
			Right	Left			
Normal			Collapsed Pale and contains carbon particles.		Normal	Normal and Pale	

**Abdomen**

Walls	Peritoneum	Mouth Pharynx and Oesophagus	Stomach and its contents	Small and Large intestine	Liver	Spleen
Normal			Normal and contains semi digest food	Normal and contains usual contents.	Pale	Normal

**Genito-Urinary Organs**

Kidneys	Bladder	Organs of Generation, External and Internal
Normal		

**6. Injuries mentioned are antemortem in nature.**

At the time conducting postmortem, I have collected Stomach and its contents, 1) Pieces of liver, Kidney and Spleen 2) Stomach and its contents 3) Blood 4) Common

salt for Chemical analysis. After examination Body handed over to WPC 163 at 3.30 p.m.

7. The opinion to cause of death is kept pending until FSL report arrives. Time since death is more than 12 hours. Now I see the P.M, report and it is marked as **Ex.P.24** and signature of the witness is marked as **Ex.P.24(a)**.

8. On 22.06.2023, the I.O. has sent requisition alongwith copy of FSL reports to give final opinion. On perusal of postmortem findings and report regarding FSL, I am of the opinion that, the cause of death is due to "**injury to great vessels in the neck due to incised wound leading to Haemorrhagic shock**".

The blood group of the victim is B positive. Now I see my opinion dated 22.06.2023 and it is marked as **Ex.P.24(b)** and signature is marked as **Ex.P.24(c)**.

9. On 10.06.2023, the Investigating officer sent one sealed article contained Hook Sword (ಹೊಕ್ಕೆ ಕತ್ತಿ) along with requisition through Police constable seeking my opinion that, whether the injuries found on the neck region of Smt. Paniyaravara Monni can be caused by the Hook Sword.

10. I have examined the Hook Sword (ಹೊಕ್ಕೆ ಕತ್ತಿ) which is sharp edged wooden holder iron weapon, weight of 600 grams. Wooden holder measures 6 inches in length, iron part 12 inches in length.

11. After examination, the article is repacked, sealed I had made details about the examination along with seal and signature affixed on cloth pack covered and handed over to the concerned police with opinion. I am of the opinion that, **“ The injuries found on the neck region of Paniyaravara Monni can be caused by assaulting with Hook Sword”**.

The requisition is marked as **Ex.P.25, 25(a)** is my signature.

My opinion in respect of Hook Sword is marked as

**Ex.P.25(b), 25(b)** is my signature. Now I see the FSL

report, it is already marked as Ex.P.21.

12. Now I see the Hook Sword examined by me, it is already marked as M.O.No.4.

**Cross-examination by Sri.PMC, Advocate of accused prays time and deferred:**

(Typed to my dictation in the open court)

ROI & AC

Sd/-

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