

**IN THE COURT OF THE ADDITIONAL DISTRICT & SESSIONS JUDGE,**  
**VIJAYANAGARA DISTRICT, HOSAPETE.**

**S.C. No.5048/2017**

P.W. 18 C.W. 32

Name : Thirumalesh  
Father's/Husband's Name : Late Ningappa  
Age : 59 years  
Occupation : Agriculturist  
Residence : Amalapura , Kudligi taluk.

Duly Sworn on : 19-12-2025.

**Examination-in-chief by: learned P.P.**

I know C.W.33 Sri. M. Rudrappa. Now I see my signature in mahazar dated 26.05.2017 which is now shown to me. Mahazar dated 26.05.2017 is marked as **Ex.P.30** and my signature as **Ex.P.30(a)**.

Now I see my signature in another mahazar dated 26.05.2017 which is now shown to me. Mahazar dated 26.05.2017 is marked as **Ex.P.31** and my signature as **Ex.P.31(a)**. The Police have taken my said signatures at our village. I do not know the contents of the said mahazars.

**( The learned PP prays for cross examination of this witness on the ground that the witness has given Statement before the I.O. and not ready to depose the truth before the Court. Perused the entire file and the examination-in-chief of this witness. Hence permitted)**

**Cross Examination by learned PP**

It is not true to suggest that on 26.05.2017, the Police Investigating Officer has conducted a mahazar as per Ex.P30 from 05.00 p.m. to 05.45 p.m. near the land of one Sri. Maheshwarappa, on Harihara-Shivamogga road, in Kumbaluru village in the presence of myself and C.W.33, and that the said spot was shown by accused no.3 and 6 and that the Police

Investigating Officer has taken our signatures on Ex.P.30 at the said place and time after explaining to us the proceedings of the said mahazar which was conducted in our presence at the said time and place.

It is not true to suggest that on 26.05.2017, the Police Investigating Officer has conducted a mahazar as per Ex.P31 from 07.45 p.m. to 08.30 p.m. near Holebenavalli thanda on Shivamogga-Chennagiri road, in the presence of myself and C.W.33, and that the said spot was shown by accused no.4 and 5 and that the Police Investigating Officer has taken our signatures on Ex.P.31 at the said place and time after explaining to us the proceedings of the said mahazar which was conducted in our presence at the said time and place.

It is not true to suggest that even though the said mahazars were conducted by the Police Investigating Officer in the presence of myself and C.W.33 at the above suggested places and times and even though I know the contents of the said two mahazars and even though I can identify the accused no.3 to 6 who were present and shown the said places at the said times to the Police Investigating Officer in our presence, now I am deposing falsely to help the accused persons.

**Cross-examination by Sri.K.Y. Adv for Accused Nos.2 to 8 : -**

- Nil -.

**(Typed to my dictation in the open Court)**

**R O I & A C**

**(D.P.KUMARA SWAMY)**

Additional District & Sessions Judge,  
Vijayanagara District, Hosapete.