

**IN THE COURT OF THE XVII ADDITIONAL CHIEF JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE: NAMPALLY : HYDERABAD**

**PRESENT: Smt.Bharathi Erra,**  
XVII Additional Chief Judicial Magistrate,  
Hyderabad.

Thursday, this the 09<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2026

**CC.No. 8596 of 2025**

**BETWEEN:**

The State of Telangana.,  
Through Sub-Inspector of Police,  
Jubilee Hills Police Station.

**...Complainant.**

**AND**

Kollipakala Manikanta @ Mani @ Nani,  
S/o Nageshwar Rao, age: 21 years,  
Occ: Catreen work, R/o H.No. 6-3-1243/178,  
M.S Makta, Raj Bhavan Road, Somajiguda,  
Hyderabad.

**....Accused**

This case is coming before me today i.e., on 02-04-2026 for hearing in the presence of learned Assistant Public Prosecutor for the State and Sri. Anantha Rao, assistant legal defence counsel for accused, and after perusing the entire case record and after having stood over the matter for consideration, this court made the following:

**::JUDGMENT::**

1. The accused has been prosecuted by the state represented by the police, Jubilee Hills Police Station for offence punishable under sections 305, 331(3) of BNS in Crime No.308/2025.

2. **The case of the prosecution in brief is as follows:-**

On 18-04-2025 in between 09.00 hours to 1100 hours at H.No. 8-3-231/18/C/A, Venkatagiri, Jubilee Hills, Hyderabad accused committed theft of gold ornaments i,e gold chain wg approximately 2 tulas, a pair of gold ear rings wg about 1/2 tula and a gold ring wg about 1/4 tula belonging to complainant/LW1-Smt. c. Laxmi. During the investigation, police seized the said items from the possession of accused.

3. This court took cognizance of offence under sections 331(3) and 305 of BNS and issued summons to accused.

4. On the production of accused before this court, copies of documents were furnished to him as required under Section 230 of BNSS.

5. Accused is produced from jail. He is examined under section 274 BNSS. The substance of accusation for the offence under sections 331(3) and 305 of BNS, is read over and explained to him in vernacular language for which he voluntarily pleaded guilty for the offence under sections 331(3) and 305 of BNS.

6. To ascertain the voluntariness of the accused in admitting his guilt for the offence under sections 331(3) and 305 of BNS, this court explained the accused as to consequences of his admission, for which he affirmatively stated that he is voluntarily pleading guilty.

7. In the result, accused is found guilty for the offence under sections 331(3) and 305 of BNS and he is convicted under section 275 BNSS.

8. With regard to quantum of sentence, accused requested to take lenient view. Considering the nature of offence and submission of accused, this court inclined to take alimient view.

9. In the result, the accused is found guilty for offence under sections 305 and 331(3) of BNS. Hence, the Accused is convicted under section 264 BNSS. The accused is sentenced to undergo simple imprisonment for a period of **One year** and to pay a fine of **Rs.100/- (Rupees One Hundred Only)** for the offence punishable under section **305** of BNS. In default of payment of the fine, the accused shall undergo simple imprisonment for **2 (two) days**. Further, accused is sentenced to undergo simple imprisonment for a period of **One year** and to pay a fine of **Rs.100/- (Rupees One Hundred Only)** for the offence punishable under section **331(3)** of

BNS. In default of payment of the fine, the accused shall undergo simple imprisonment for **2 (two) days**. All the sentences shall run concurrently. The remand period undergone by the accused from 25-04-2025 to till date, shall be set off under section 468 BNSS. The right of appeal is intimated to the accused. The copy of Judgment is supplied to accused on free of cost, against receipt. The unmarked property i.e 1. One gold ring wg. about 2.5 grams, 2. Gold Pusthelu, 3. One pair of earrings wg. about 05 grams vide PI No. 220/2025 which was given interim custody to the owner, shall be made absolute after expiry of appeal time or when appeal time is over.

*Typed directly to my dictation by the Stenographer, corrected and pronounced by me in the open court, on this the 09<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2026.*

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HYDERABAD.**

**:APPENDIX OF EVIDENCE:**

**: WITNESSES EXAMINED:**

-None-

**EXHIBITS MARKED**

-Nil-

**MATERIAL OBJECTS MARKED**

-Nil-

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