

IN THE COURT OF ADDITIONAL SESSIONS JUDGE, SOLAPUR
(Presided over by Suraj V. Kendre)



Sessions Case No. 361/2023
State Vs. Elizabeth @ Rekha Sushil Hibale etc. 8
(CNR No. MHSO010034452023)

Order Passed Below Exh. 22

1) The accused No. 5 Saipan Ansar Bagwan has filed this application for discharge on the ground mentioned in the application. The learned A.P.P. has filed say on this application and opposed the application.

2) Heard both sides at length. The accused No. 5 alleged to have committed offence punishable under section 370(2)(3) of Indian Penal Code and under sections 3, 4, 5 and 7 of Immoral Traffic (Prevention) Act. At this stage the court is only required to see whether there is a *prima facie* material against the accused on the basis of the charge-sheet. The truthfulness of the otherwise of the evidence can not be adjudicate upon. The documents and statements collected during investigation disclosed the involvement of the accused and indicate commission of the alleged offence. Role of accused No. 5 is that he has kept the victim in the brothel for the purpose of massage and extra service i.e. prostitution. Hence, the present application is devoid of any merit and deserves rejection. Resultantly, following order.

ORDER

The application is rejected.

(Dictated and pronounced in open court)

(Suraj V. Kendre)
Additional Sessions Judge,
Solapur.

Date : 04/12/2025

CERTIFICATE

I affirm that the contents of this PDF file Judgment/Order are same word to word as per the original Judgment/Order.

- (a) Name of the Stenographer : Mahesh Arjun Kore,
Stenographer (Grade-I)
- (b) Court : Additional Sessions Judge, Solapur.
- (c) Date of Order : 04/12/2025
- (d) Order signed by the : 04/12/2025
Presiding Officer on
- (e) Order uploaded on : 05/12/2025