

BEFORE THE ADDITIONAL MASTER IV,  
HIGH COURT, MADRAS  
T.O.S.No.39 OF 2016

Date: 18.11.2025  
Time : 02.58 P.M.

Name : Mr. G.T. Raman (PW1)

Continuation of cross Examination by Mr. C. Umasankar, Learned  
Counsel for the 1<sup>st</sup> defendant.

Solemnly affirmed:

Q75: Were you living with your father at the time of execution of the Will dated 31.08.2005?

A: No. My father was living with me.

Q76: Have you accompanied your father to the Sub Registrar's Office for the execution of the above said Will?

A: No. My father took me to the Sub Registrar's Office.

Q77: Have you asked your father for what reason he is taking you to the Sub Registrar's Office?

A: Yes. I asked him, he said that he will inform me at the Sub Registrar's Office.

Q78: What happened in Sub Registrar's office?

A: He said that for executing a deed on my name for transfer of the house.

Q79: What you have said for that?

A: I have enquired about the transfer of the house but he said it is his wish.

Q80: Have you signed in the said Will at the Sub Registrar's Office?

A: No. Witness adds: My father only signed in the Will.

Q81: Apart from you, who had accompanied your father at the Sub Registrar's Office?

A: My father's three friends accompanied namely, Guna, Rajan and another person whose name I could not recollect. Witness now recollects the name: Abdul Nazar.

Q82: Whether the above said persons have been called by your father or they have come on their own?

A: My father would have called them.

Q83: Whether your father typed Ex.P1, Will and brought with him or he had typed in Sub Registrar's Office?

A: My father has brought this typed copy of Ex.P1, Will along with him to the Sub Registrar's Office. Witness adds: My father had made arrangements prior to this.

Q84: Did your father discuss about the preparation and execution of Ex.P1, Will with your family members namely your brothers and sisters?

A: He did not discuss with my brothers and sisters but after execution he had revealed the said execution.

Q85: At the time of execution or even before the execution, did you have any opportunity to read the contents of Ex.P1, Will?

A: Yes, I have read the contents at the Sub Registrar's Office.

Q86: Prior to Ex.P1, Will, your father executed two to three Wills. What do you say?

A: I do not know.

Q87: From which year, you have been looking after your father in your house?

A: After the year 1988 i.e., after his retirement.

Q88: After execution and registration of Ex.P1, who collected the original Will from the Sub Registrar's Office?

A: My father took me and he collected the Ex.P1, Will from the Sub Registrar's Office. After collection of original, my father gave it to me.

Q89: After the demise of your father who brought the original Will before the relatives? On what date?

A: I did not show the original Will to anyone but my father had told all my relatives about the execution of the Will.

Q90: You have filed the said Will, Ex.P1 before this Hon'ble Court after the period of 6 years from the date of demise of your father, is it correct?

A: Yes.

Q91: You have not stated any reason for the delay of 6 years in your petition, is it correct?

A: Yes. My sisters namely Mallika and Senthamil have filed a suit before the City Civil Court for partition and for that reason I have filed the present OP after the period of 6 years.

Q92: You have not stated the above said reason for the delay either in OP or in your proof affidavit, is it correct?

A: I do not know.

Q93: I put it to you that you have not stated the reason for delay in filing the OP after the demise of your father in 2006.

A: I deny.

Q94: (A document is shown to the witness.) Your sisters have filed OS.No.4097/2013 for partition of their half share in the property before the 1<sup>st</sup> Assistant Judge, City Civil Court, Chennai which was dismissed on 05.01.2018, is it correct?

A: I am not acquainted with the English language but it is correct to state that the suit was dismissed.

Q95: Do you know for what reason the said suit was dismissed?

A: I do not remember.

Q96: Do you know that your sisters have filed an appeal on the said judgment called in OS.No.4097/2013?

A: Yes.

Q97: You have filed written statement in OS.No.4097/2013 on 24.03.2014, is it correct?

A: Yes.

Time: 03.36 P.M.

Taken down in open Court, read over and explained to the witness and the same is admitted by the witness to be true and correct and signed before me.

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