To
The Inspector In-Charge
Kumargram P.S.
District-Alipurduar.



Sub: - FIR

Sir.

In producing herewith two accused persons namely 1) Dinesh (M/30 years), S/O-Sitaram of Vill-Jasti, P.O-Korna, PS-Mandali, Dist-Barmer, Rajasthan, 2) Thakara Ram (M/25 years), S/O-Bhura Ram of Vill-Jasti, P.O-Korna, PS-I3NN 5712 containing 09 packets of coagulated OPIUM PACKED WITH different colours of polythene OP under Kumargram PS, District-Alipurduar do hereby lodged this written complaint as suo-moto to the effect that today on 17.03.22 at 13:45 hrs during routine NAKA checking duty at Pakriguri at Assam/Bengal border, detained the said Maruti Suzuki swift ZDI. Then myself and my accompanying officers and force viz ASI Karna Kumar Barman, ASI (AB) Dhirendra Nath Roy, C/271 Rinku Mondal, C/762 Mithun Barman, C/571 Biswajit Ram, Barman, CVF/112 Debasish Adhikary, CVF/09 Ashok Das, CVF/107 Bipul Barman, CVF/148 Sukumar 532/22 dated 17.03.22 and Barobisha OP GDE no- 664 Dated 17.03.22) started to check the Maruti Suzuki swift ZDI and its documents as usual. Suddenly the driver cum owner of the vehicle and the associates as above noted started to stammer and give incoherent statements. By their such attitude, suspicion aroused. I then started to search the apparently empty Maruti Suzuki swift thoroughly which was proceeding towards Alipurduar side from Assam side.

On further interrogation, they broke down and confessed that inside the hidden chamber beside the driver's seat a good quantity of OPIUM in 09 polythene packets are hidden for transporting the same to Barmer, Rajasthan side for their wrongful gain.

Then I immediately informed the development to Shri Basudeb Sarkar, IC Kumargram PS over mobile phone and requested him to come to the spot as soon as possible to complete the procedure of search and seizure. There is every reason to believe that the suspected persons were carrying contraband articles. He instructed me to detain the Maruti Suzuki swift ZDI and the suspected persons on the spot and replied that he would be reaching very soon as suddenly in course of NAKA checking duty such information developed, so chance of getting any Executive Magistrate became very less. Shri Basudev Sarkar, Inspector-in-charge of Kumargram PS arrived at the spot at 15:25 hrs and disclosed his identity as a Gazetted Officer before the suspected persons and to witness and supervise the proceedings. Accordingly, I served a Notice u/s 50 of NDPS Act to the above noted accused persons about their willingness to be searched in presence of a Gazetted Officer but they gave no objection, however the same was duly acknowledged and signed by them. Arrangements were also made for Pen, Paper and electronic weight measuring machine etc. locally to facilitate search and seizure.

I narrated him the entire facts and circumstances and also requested him for facilitating the search and seizure of the above noted detained vehicle as well as the detainees namely 1) Dinesh (M/30 years), S/O-Sitaram of Vill-Jasti, P.O-Korna, PS-Mandali, Dist-Barmer, Rajasthan, 2) Thakar Ram (M/25 years), S/O-Bhura Ram of Vill-Jasti, P.O-Korna, PS-Mandali, Dist-Barmer, Rajasthan and that offending vehicle was suspected to contain coagulated OPIUM and search was required to be the done under the provision of NDPS Act. By this time two following local witnesses namely 1. Swapan paul (M/24) S/o- Lt. Tarun Paul of Dakshin Pakriguri, Barobisha PS Kumargram, Dist Alipurduar 2) Jaydeb Saha (M/29 yrs) S/o- Lt. Ganesh Saha of Uttar Pakriguri Ps Kumargram, Dist Alipurduar, came to the spot. They were also requested for witnessing the process of search.

Thereafter, Shri Basudev Sarkar, IC Kumargram PS gave option to the detainees to conduct search on us but they declined to do so. Accordingly, as per his direction we conducted search of the said Maruti Suzuki swift ZDI and recovered the following similar kinds of packets containing opium from behind the driver's seat having weights as noted below:-

- i) 01 (one) packets of coagulated OPIUM containing 1.0 Kg packed with polythene and wrapped by cello-tape, marked as EXHIBIT A,
- ii) 01 (one) packets of coagulated OPIUM containing 1.0 Kg packed with polythene and wrapped by cello-tape, marked as EXHIBIT B
- iii) 01 (one) packets of coagulated OPIUM containing 1.0 Kg packed with polythene and wrapped by cello-tape, marked as EXHIBIT C
- iv) 01 (one) packets of coagulated OPIUM containing 1.0 Kg packed with polythene and wrapped by cello-tape, marked as EXHIBIT D

v) 01 (one) packets of coagulated OPIU ntaining 1.0 Kg packed with polythene and wrapped by cello-tape, marked as EXHIBIT E

vi) 01 (one) packets of coagulated OPII 1 containing 1.0 Kg packed with polythene and wrapped by cello-tape, marked as EXHIBIT F

vii) 01 (one) packets of coagulated OPIUM containing 1.0 Kg packed with polythene and wrapped by cello-tape,

viii) 01 (one) packets of coagulated OPIUM containing 0.5 Kg packed with polythene and wrapped by cello-tape, marked as EXHIBIT H

ix) 01 (one) packets of coagulated OPIUM containing 0.5 Kg packed with polythene and wrapped by cello-tape, marked as EXHIBIT I

Total 09 packets of coagulated OPIUM packed with different colours polythene packets and wrapped by cellotape are recovered. After measuring weight by electronic machine, total weight stood as 08.00 Kgs which are marked from Exhibit A-1 to A-9.

On demand the accused driver cum owner and the other associate of vehicle no- GJ 13NN 5712 as noted above failed to produce any valid document in respect of the vehicle except DL of the offending driver. They also failed to show any document on behalf of transporting the huge quantities of contraband psychotropic substance like coagulated OPIUM. Thereafter, total 09 packets of coagulated OPIUM approx 08.0 Kgs along with the vehicle bearing no- GJ 13NN 5712 without any document except D/L having no. RJ39 20140005932 in the name of the driver namely Dinesh (M/30 years), S/O-Sitaram of Vill-Jasti, P.O-Korna, PS-Mandali, Dist-Barmer, Rajasthan were seized from the possession of the driver as mentioned above under proper seizure list in presence of available witnesses and Shri Basudeb Sarkar, IC Kumargram PS and duly signed by them as well as by the accused person. I also labeled the packets and marked the same from Exhibit A-1 to A-9 respectively and arrested the accused persons after maintaining all formalities. The entire procedure of search, seizure and labeling was conducted in between 16:05 hrs to 18:25 hrs. The accused persons were arrested after maintaining proper formalities in presence of witnesses informing them the ground of arrest and taken into custody. I also prepared an inventory list of equipments duly signed by the accd, persons as well.

On further interrogation the accused persons namely 1) Dinesh (M/30 years), S/O-Sitaram of Vill-Jasti, P.O-Korna, PS-Mandali, Dist-Barmer, Rajasthan, 2) Thakar Ram (M/25 years), S/O-Bhura Ram of Vill-Jasti, P.O-Korna, PS-Mandali, Dist-Barmer, Rajasthan confessed that the coagulated OPIUM was loaded from Guwahati, Assam and was being transported to Barmer, Rajashthan for its illegal disposal for making their huge wrongful gain. During interrogation, the accused persons confessed their guilt.

From the above noted facts, circumstances and from seizure of all those contraband and incriminating articles, there is reason to believe that the above noted accd. persons, one is the owner of the vehicle while the other is his associate, made a conspiracy for procuring, transporting and selling such huge quantities of contraband articles i.e. coagulated OPIUM illegally for their huge wrongful gain with their full knowledge.

Hence, I pray that a specific case u/s 18(b)/25/29 of NDPS Act may kindly be initiated against both the above noted accused persons namely 1) Dinesh (M/30 years), S/O-Sitaram of Vill-Jasti, P.O-Korna, PS-Mandali, Dist-Barmer, Rajasthan, 2) Thakar Ram (M/25 years), S/O-Bhura Ram of Vill-Jasti, P.O-Korna, PS-Mandali, Dist-Barmer, Rajasthan and others for violating the provision of NDPS Act and arrange for its investigation.

Enclosed:

1) Memo of Arrest

2) Seizure List

Received on 17.03.22 at 19:45 8m Vide GDE no. 587, dtd. 17.03.22 and

Slarted Kumargnam PS case no. Yours Faithfully
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of NDPS Act. (SI Nayan Das)
17.03.22 Barobisha OP/PS- Kumargram

District-Alipurduar

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Note: It is to be noted here that I lodged this FIR after returning to PS writing the FIR with the help of computer installed at PS.