

NABBED NOTORIOUS BAG/PURSE/CELL PHONE SNATCHING GANG – APPREHENDED (5) PERSONS BY WEST ZONE TASK FORCE TEAM

On 15-11-2018, on credible information the sleuths of Commissioner's Task Force, West Zone Team, Hyderabad, apprehended (5) Notorious Bag/Purse/Cell Phone Snatchers by name 1) Mohd.Sohail Qureshi, 2) Mohd.Afroz Khan, 3) Mohd.Feroz Ali, 4) Mohd.Aleemuddin @ Arbaz and 5) Mohd.Mannan who were committed **(10) Snatchings** in the limits of Hyderabad City and Cyberabad.

Details of Arrested Accused persons:-

1. Mohd.Sohail Qureshi S/o Gulam Mohammed Qureshi, aged 21 yrs, Occ: Cloths Business "Factory Outlet" at Mallepally, Hyderabad, R/o H.No.9-4-11/1, Nirza Colony, Seven Toombs, Golconda, Hyderabad.
2. Mohd.Afroz Khan S/o Late Mohd.Amjad Khan, aged 19 yrs, Occ: Auto driver, R/o Near Ghousia Arab Masid, Hakeempet, Tolichowki, Hyderabad.
3. Mohd.Feroz Ali S/o Mohd.Younus Ali, aged 18 yrs, Occ: Salesman in "Riyaz Collections" at Tolichowki, Hyderabad, R/o Hakeempet, Tolichowki, Hyderabad.
4. Mohd.Aleemuddin @ Arbaz S/o Late Mohd.Munawaruddin, aged 19 yrs, Occ: Salesman at Bajaj Electronics, Tolichowki, Hyderabad, R/o H.No.9-4/B/15/A, NSF Colony, Hakeempet, Tolichowki, Hyderabad.
5. Mohd.Mannan S/o Mohd.Azam, aged 16 yrs, Occ: Footwear Salesman at Foot paths, R/o H.No.9-4-21/2/A, Hakeempet, Tolichowki, Hyderabad.
6. Faisal, aged 20 yrs, Occ: Un employee, R/o Near Sana Hotel, Hakeempet, Tolichowki, Hyderabad –**Absconding**.

Property Recovered

- 1) Honda Dio bikes – 2 (Used in the commission of offences)
- 2) Hand Bags – 4
- 3) Purses – 4
- 4) Laptop bag - 1
- 5) Cell Phones – 8
- 6) Net cash of Rs.32,850/- &
- 7) One Knife.

Brief History of accused persons:-

The accused Mohd.Sohail Qureshi is native of Hyderabad. His father is Govt. employee working in Khairtabad Post Office. In his childhood he learnt Arabic for two years in Darul Ulum Arabiya Madarasa. At present he is doing cloths business on the name of "Factory Outlet" at Mallepally, Hyderabad along with his cousin.

The accused Mohd.Afroz Khan is native of Hyderabad. He studied upto 3rd class. At present he is working as Auto driver. Previously he was arrested

by Langer House PS vide Cr.No.278/2017 U/s 379 IPC of Langer House PS, Hyderabad.

The accused Mohd.Feroz Ali is native of Hyderabad. He studied upto 3rd class. At present he is working as Salesman in "Riyaz Collections" at Tolichowki, Hyderabad.

The accused Mohd.Aleemuddin @ Arbaz is native of Hyderabad. He studied upto Intermediate I year. At present he is working as Salesman at Bajaj Electronics, Tolichowki, Hyderabad.

The accused Mohd.Manna is native of Hyderabad. He studied upto 7th class. His father is working as footwear salesman at foot paths. At present he is working with his father.

The accused persons Mohd.Sohail Qureshi, Mohd.Feroz Ali and Mohd.Mannan were previously involved in the following cases.

- 1) Cr.No.1105/2018 U/s 384 IPC of Rajendra Nagar PS, Cyb.
- 2) Cr.No.244/2018 U/s 392 IPC of Shadnagar PS, Cyb.
- 3) Cr.No.242/2018 U/s 379 IPC of Shankarpally PS, Cyb.
- 4) Cr.No.190/2018 U/s 392 IPC of Moinabad PS, Cyb.

Modus operandi:-

All the accused persons are friends from past two to three years and all developed friendship with each other. They all decided to earn easy money by committing Snatchings. From the month of January-2018 they were committing Bag/Purse/Cell Phones Snatchings in Hyderabad and Cyberabad limits. They selects the innocent persons going by walk/bike in lanes and by lanes in isolated places, and in Autos and target the victims from behind and in opposite directions. The rider of the bike rides the bike in very high speed and he stops the bike near the victim and the pillion riders immediately snatches the Purse/Bags/Cell phones from the victims and fled away from the spot. The pillion rider used to carry a knife in visible to the victims as they got fear if seen the knife.

The accused Mohd.Sohail Qureshi is the kingpin of the above gang. He got close friendship with another associates by name Aqeel, Ahmed Khan, Mohd.Ilyas Ahmed, Mannan and Mohd.Feroz Ali. They used to meet regularly at SS Function Hall, Tolichowki, Hyderabad and during the night hours moved together also addicted to bad vices like smoking cigarette, drinking alcohol etc., as well as they used to spend the money lavishly but their incomes are not sufficient to meet their lavish expenses. As such he along aforesaid friends decided to commit some property offences and hatched plan to commit extortion, robbery by threatening the lorry drivers who sleep in the lorry cabins for rest during night hours also to the road passers.

As per their plan they committed offences in the limits of Rajendranagar, Shankarpally and Shadnagar PS. In this regard, in the month of August-2018 the accused persons Mohd.Sohail Qureshi, Mohd.Feroz Ali, Mohd.Mannan and other associates were arrested by Rajendra Nagar Police in Extortion and Robbery cases.

After one month the accused persons Mohd.Sohail Qureshi, Mohd.Feroz Ali and Mohd.Mannan released from Jail. But they did not change their attitude and again hatched a plan to commit property offences like Bag Snatchings, Purse Snatchings and Cell phones snatchings etc from the victims. They informed the same to the present associates Mohd.Afroz Khan, Mohd.Aleemuddin @ Arbaz and Faisal. For which they agreed to

commit offences with them. They used to meet regularly at Tolichowki area and used to plan how to commit offences. The accused persons Mohd.Sohail Qureshi and Mohd.Aleemuddin @ Arbaz used their new Honda Dio bikes to commit offences and committed offences by using their Honda Dio bikes. The pillion rider of the accused used to carry a knife in visible to the victims as they got fear if seen the knife.

So far, the accused persons committed **(10) Bag/Purse/Cell Phone Snatchings** in the limits of Banjara Hills PS, Golconda PS, Langer House PS, Humayun Nagar PS, SR Nagar PS of Hyderabad City and Narsingi PS of Cyberabad.

- 1) Cr.No.1015/2018 U/s 382 IPC of Banjara Hills PS.
- 2) Cr.No.1014/2018 U/s 379, 420 IPC of Banjara Hills PS.
- 3) Cr.No.440/2018 U/s 382 IPC of Golconda PS.
- 4) Cr.No.441/2018 U/s 382 IPC of Golconda PS.
- 5) Cr.No.306/2018 U/s 382 IPC of Langer House PS.
- 6) Cr.No.309/2018 U/s 382 IPC of Langer House PS.
- 7) Cr.No.305/2018 U/s 382 IPC of Humayun Nagar PS.
- 8) Cr.No.846/2018 U/s 382 IPC of SR Nagar PS.
- 9) Cr.No.760/2018 U/s 382 IPC of Narsingi PS, Cyberabad.
- 10) Cr.No.786/2018 U/s 384 IPC of Narsingi PS, Cyberabad.

Today i.e. on 15-11-2018, on credible information the above accused persons were apprehended at Tolichowki, Hyderabad and recovered the stolen property from their possession. The accused persons along with recovered property were handed over to SHO, Banjara Hills PS for further investigation.

The arrests were made under the supervision of **Sri P.Radha Kishan Rao**, Dy.Commissioner of Police, Commissioner's Task Force, by **Sri B.Gattu Mallu**, Inspector of Police, West Zone Task Force, with the assistance of SIs Sri P.Mallikarjun, Sri L.Bhaskar Reddy, Sri B.Durga Rao, Sri Md.Mujaffar Ali and the staff of West Zone Team, Commissioner's Task Force, Hyderabad.

**DY.COMMISSIONER OF POLICE
COMMISSIONER'S TASK FORCE
HYDERABAD CITY.**

APPREHENSION OF KEY ACCUSED MRS. MOLLY THOMAS, MANAGER WHO IS INVOLVED IN ACTIVITIES OF HEERA GROUP OF COMPANIES

A FIR was registered vide Crime No.870/2018 in Banjara Hills Police Station and transferred to CCS which was re-registered as Crime No.170/2018 against Ms. Nowheera Shaik and others U/Sec 406, 409, 420, 506 IPC, Sec 5 of Telangana Deposits of Financial Establishment Act 1999 and Sec 3, 4, 5 and 6 of The Prize Chits and Money Circulation Schemes (BANNING) Act, 1978.

CCS has taken up investigation, collected evidences from different sources and found substantial incriminating evidences against Mrs. MOLLY THOMAS, age-50 Years, Occupation: Manager – Cum - Personal Assistant to the Managing Director to Dr. Nowhera Shaik of Heera Group of Companies r/o Tolichowki, Hyderabad Native of Kerala (State) who is the key person / Manager to the Heera Group Central Office situated at Banjara Hills, Hyderabad and also look after the administration work of all the Branch Offices of Heera Group of Companies on direction of the accused Dr. Nowhera Shaik. Heera Group of Companies having approximately (74) Branches across India and also abroad and engaged about 430 Direct Selling Agents (Marketing Agents) all over their branches collecting the deposits from the investors.

Based on available evidence, Mrs. Molly Thomas was arrested on 15-11-2018 and being produced before the Hon'ble MSJ Court, Nampally, Hyderabad for Judicial Remand.

The case is being investigated under the close supervision of Sri. G. Jogaiah, Addl. DCP (EOW) by Sri. K. Ram Kumar, Asst. Commissioner of Police, CCS, DD, Hyderabad.

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