

06 member gang making Fake Indian Currency nabbed – Rs.2,22,310/- valued Fake Indian Currency, Two colour Xerox machines, Rs.50,000/- cash and other incriminating materials seized

The sleuths of SOT Rachakonda worked out in apprehension of (6) members gang who were making Fake Indian Currency (FICN) and conspiring to circulate the FICN in the Indian market.

DETAILS OF THE ACCUSED:

- 1) Jamalapur Sainath @ Babu S/o Sri J.Jahangir age:28 Occ: Butcher R/o TRR Colony, near Bharath Garden Ibrahimpatnam
- 2) Gotte Anjaiah @ Anjaneyulu S/o late Lingaiah age:55 Occ: Agriculture R/o H.No.1-37 Venkatapur (v) Yellareddypet (m) Sirisilla district
- 3) Sakethwala Ramesh S/o Hari Prasad age:34 Occ: Business R/o Mahankamma colony, Manchal road, Ibrahimpatnam
- 4) Chikoti Satyanarayana @ Satyam S/o Rajaiah age:38 Occ: pvt job R/o H.No.2-53 Peddur (v) Sirisilla district
- 5) Kandikanti Sridhar Goud @ Srikanth S/o Laxmipathi Goud age:26 Occ: Mechanic R/o H.No.1-6 Koheda 'x roads, Koheda, Hayathnagar.
- 6) Avadutha Vijay Kumar S/o late Pandu Ranga age:25 Occ: Sales Executive in "APTUS" Housing finance Pvt. Ltd at Siddipet R/o H.No.11-4-1 Bharath nagar, Siddipet
- 7) Kalyan @ Srinu R/o Siricilla (**Absconding**)
- 8) Srikanth R/o Nizamabad (**Absconding**)

BRIEF HISTORY OF THE CASE:

Jamalapur Sainath @ Babu (A-1) is the kingpin in this case and he is butcher by profession. One of his friends Ganesh is involved in a murder case and lodged in Cherlapally jail where he came into contact with Anjaiah @ Anjaneyulu (A-2) who was under remand in FICN case of Atnura P.S of Medak district. After his release when Ganesh met Babu and came to know that he is in need of money he told him about FICN and Anjaiah. Babu evinced interest in purchasing the FICN and Ganesh gave him the details of Anjaiah and Babu went to Venkatapuram, but could not meet him and instead met Satyanarayana @ Satyam (A-4) friend of Anjaiah who guided him to Srikanth (A-8) of Nizamabad. Babu went to Nizamabad and met Srikanth and evinced interest in buying FICN. Srikanth told him that he will pay 3 times of FICN for every true currency received. Babu gave him Rs.2,90,000/- and Srikanth assured him that he will keep the FICN ready in couple of days. Srikanth could not deliver the FICN nor did he return the money of Babu.

When he could not get the FICN, Babu along with his friend Ramesh (A-3) approached Anjaiah on 10-01-16 and gave him Rs.1 Lakh for FICN, but Anjaiah wanted time for making the FICN. When Babu told the same thing to Satyam, he told them that his friends Vijay Kumar (A-6) and Kalyan (A-7) can get the work done. So Babu along with Ramesh, Satyam, Vijay and Kalyan bought one colour Xerox machine in Sec'bad and took it to Sircilla and attempted to make FICN, but could not get it precisely. Hence Babu and

Ramesh returned to Hyderabad along with the Xerox machine and kept it in the house of Ramesh.

During that time Sridhar Goud (A-5) who is also friend of Babu came to know about their plans and he told them that they can try to make FICN on their own. So Babu, Ramesh and Sridhar bought another small Xerox machine in August 2016 and after many attempts successfully could print FICN. Initially they printed less number of notes of small denomination and were successful in circulating them in the market.

With the demonetization of the Rs.500/- and Rs.1000/- rupee notes, the accused persons decided to print FICN of small denomination and circulate in the market. After the release of the new Rs.2000/- note, they successfully printed it and were waiting for an opportunity to circulate in the market. They even called Anjaiah and Satyam to discuss about their plans of circulating the FICN in the market. While the matter stood so, SOT Rachakonda received credible information about the plans of accused persons and raided the house of Ramesh at Ibrahimpatnam and took the accused persons into custody

Seized items :

1. Net Cash of Rs.50,000/-
2. Big Xerox machine MFC 9140 DCM
2. Small Xerox machine EPSON
3. Rs.2000/- FICN - 105 notes worth Rs.2,10,000/-
4. Rs.100/- FICN - 102 notes worth Rs.10,200/-
5. Rs.50/- FICN - 105 notes worth Rs.5,750/-
6. Rs.20/- FICN - 117 notes worth Rs.2,340/-
7. Rs.10/- FICN - 102 notes worth Rs.1,020/-

Total worth Rs.2,22,310/-

And other incriminating material

The raids were conducted by Sri K.Narsing Rao, Inspector I/c SOT, Sri M.Kasi Vishwanath S.I and staff of SOT Rachakonda. All of them suitably rewarded People to take precautions

There are numerous quantities of fake currency notes in market and many innocent people are becoming victims. Recently RBI has issued guidelines on identification of Rs.2000 and Rs.500 new notes. Some simple technical things to know any genuine note are:

1. Through currency detection machines
2. Through bank Cashiers
3. checking size of all notes is same or not
4. Crackling sound of paper
5. Blind person mark
6. Fluorescent threads and number panel which glow in Ultraviolet light
7. Latent view of denominations on Rs 100, 500, 2000 notes written with semi dried oils

8. Intaglio printing
9. Secret marks not visible to naked eye but can be detected by anyone with little knowledge
10. If you have suspicion on any note then keep it in a separate envelope and name that envelope. Knowingly circulation of fake note as genuine note is an offence under IPC 489 C.
11. Know your currency to prevent victimization.

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