

PRESS NOTE

Uppal Police and She team Rachakonda assisted District Medical & Health officer for conducting Decoy operation on Sri Krishna Multi Specialty Hospital, Uppal and arrested two Doctors who were conducting illegal prenatal Sex determination examination.

Cr.No. 819/2018 U/s 420,406 IPC and Sec. 23 of PCPNDT Act 1994 of Uppal PS.

Name of the accused/Doctors

1) Dr. Sigireddy Umameshwari W/o A.Chandra Shekar, aged 60 yrs, Occ: Gynaecology in Sri Krishna Multi-Speciality hospital, Uppal, R/o H.No. 2-1-48/4, Rajnagar Colony, Uppal, Medchal district, N/o Vishakapatnam.

2) Dr. A.Chandra Shekar S/o A.Gopal Rao, aged 59 yrs, Occ: General surgeon in Sri Krishna Multi-Speciality hospital, Uppal, R/o H.No. 2-1-48/4, Rajnagar Colony, Uppal, Medchal district, N/o Vishakapatnam.

Brief facts are that on 28-08-2018 at 1500 hours on received credible information that there are prenatal Sex determination tests have been conducting illegally on pregnant ladies at Sri Krishna Multi Specialty Hospital, Uppal by violating the government rules and regulations. Immediately on the receipt of information, Sri A.Krishnaiah, SI of Police, Uppal PS along with two panchas proceeded to the above said Hospital with available staff one WPC of Rachakonda commissionerate and SHE team Rachakonda and Dr. Manda Pallavi, duty medical officer, PHC, Uppal and sent the said WPC who is now (8) months pregnant for sex determination examination as a Decoy into the said Hospital. On her request Dr. Umameshwari and her husband Dr. A.Chandra Shekar has conducted scanning for prenatal Sex determination test to the said WPC by taking amount of Rs. 7500/- and issued a report to her by disclosing the gender of baby boy. As such, the team apprehended the said doctors Dr. Umamaheshwari, Dr. A.Chandra Shekar and conducted confessional cum seizure panchanama of the both Dr. Umamaheshwari and Dr. A. Chandrashekar also seized Rs.7500/- from the possession of Dr. Umamaheshwari which were collected from the WPC and also one Sony printer, One LOGIQ 100 Pro Scanner and two cell phones from the hospital and brought them to police station. The said doctors are running the hospital since from the year 2000 and since one

year they are illegally conducting prenatal sex determination test to the pregnant woman.

Sri. Mahesh M. Bhagwat, IPS, Commissioner of Police, Rachakonda appreciated the good work done by the Uppal PS staff, She team staff and warned the Registered Medical practitioners to not to conduct illegal prenatal sex determination tests. And appeal all public if any this type of incident happen in their area please inform to our whatsapp Ph.No. 9490617111 or dial 100.

