

## PRESS NOTE

### INTERSTATE TRAFFICKING OF CHILDREN FROM BIHAR TO HYDERABAD FOR FORCED LABOUR. RESCUING OF (20) CHILD LABOURERS THOSE WHO WERE DETAINED & EXPLOITED FOR LABOUR WORK IN BANGLE MAKING HOUSES AT ERRAKUNTA, BALAPUR PS LIMITS AND ARREST OF FIVE PERSONS

On 05.10.2020 at 0700 hours on credible information regarding child labour working in Errakunta, Balapur Mandal, Ranga Reddy District, the SHO Balapur alongwith his staff conducted raid with assistance of Sri A. Venkateshwarlu, State Coordinator Bachpan Bachavo Andolan, NGO, Sri Naresh, Child line coordinator and Sri N. Nageshwar Rao, CWC Member, Ranga Reddy District alongwith Balapur Police at three bangle making houses situated nearby Pink palace in presence of two mediators and rescued (20) children from the hands of following accused who are involved in child labour trafficking. The children were lied to and enticed to be brought for doing work by paying some money to their parents by taking advantage of their poor financial status and exploiting them for work as slave labours by detaining them in the houses.

**Crime No. 519/2020 U/sec 370(a), 374 IPC, Sec 79 of JJ Act 2015, Sec, 14(1) of Child Labour Act 1986 & Sec 18 of Bonded Labour Act 1986 of Balapur Police Station, Rachakonda**

A1	Mohammed Thoufiq s/o Mujeeb aged 23 years, occupation: Business (Bangles), caste: Muslim r/o Pink palace back side, Errakunta, Balapur Mandal, Ranga Reddy District N/o Bathani Village, Neemchak (Thaluk & PS), Gaya District, Bihar State, Cell: 8499945625
A2	Mohammed Sarfaraj s/o Mohammed Mujeeb aged 28 years, occupation: Bangle Business r/o Pink palace back side, Errakunta, Balapur Mandal, Ranga Reddy District N/o Bathani Village, Neemchak (Thaluk & PS), Gaya District, Bihar State, Cell: 8499945625
A3	Mohammed Mujahid s/o Mohammed Abdul Rakeeb aged 22 years, occupation: Business (Bangle), caste: Muslim r/o pink palace back side, Errakunta, Balapur Mandal, Ranga Reddy District N/o Dubailly Village, Dagarwal PS, Purnia District, Bihar State, Cell: 8178516870
A4	Imtiyaz s/o Sameen aged: 30 years, occupation: Business (Bangle), caste: Muslim, r/o near pink State palace, Errakunta, Balapur Mandal, Ranga Reddy District N/o Dubailly Village, Dagarwal PS, Purnia District, Bihar State, Cell: 6299193867
A5	Mano Devi w/o Indal Manjhi aged 33 years, occ: Labour, caste: SC r/o Jethian village & Post, Gaya, Atri of Bihar State, Ph: 8670380563

#### Brief History:

The accused A1 to A4 are running small bangle manufacturing factory at Errakunta, Balapur Mandal by taking houses for rent. Further to do the work of their bangle manufacturing, the accused A1 to A4 have exploited children from Bihar State with the help of A5 for employment by inducing their parents and giving some less amount

to them and brought 20 Children to Hyderabad and exploited the children for manufacturing of bangles at their respective manufacturing units from morning 6 AM to 11 PM without giving rest to them and also detained in the houses by not allowing them to move freely or go outside by locking the house and also they were providing the food which was stinking with a very bad odour and kept all the children in the congested room in inhuman condition and all the children were treated as slave labourers by the accused A1 to A4, as such the accused A1 to A5 have committed the offence.

On 05.10.2020 the accused A1 to A5 are arrested and being produced them before the Hon'ble court for judicial custody.

<b>Children rescued from whom</b>	<b>Place of offence</b>	<b>No. of children rescued</b>
<b>A1 Mohammed Thoufiq</b> s/o Mujeeb aged 23 years, occupation: Business (Bangles), caste: Muslim r/o Pink palace back side, Errakunta, Balapur Mandal, Ranga Reddy District N/o Bathani Village, Neemchak (Thaluk & PS), Gaya District, Bihar State, Cell: 8499945625	1 <sup>st</sup> Scene of offence	9
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The arrests made under the direct supervision of Sri Mahesh M Bhagwat, IPS., Commissioner of Police, Rachakonda Commissionerate, Sri G. Sudheer Babu, IPS., Additional Commissioner, Rachakonda Commissionerate under the direct guidance of Sri Sunpreet Singh, IPS., Deputy Commissioner of Police, LB Nagar zone, Sri M. Shankar, Assistant Commissioner of Police, Vanasthalipuram Division by Sri B. Bhaskar, Inspector of Police, P. Venkat Reddy, Sub-Inspector of Police, Sri P. Krishna Reddy, Sub-Inspector of Police and Balapur PS staff.

