

PRESS NOTE

INTERSTATE DRUG PEDDLING RACKET BUSTED BY SOT, LB NAGAR ZONE TEAM ALONG WITH MEERPET POLICE FOR TRANSPORTING & SELLING OF HEROIN & MDMA DRUG FROM RAJASTHAN STATE TO HYDERABAD.

On credible information, the sleuths of SOT, LB Nagar Zone team along with Meerpet police apprehended (04) interstate drug peddlers.

CR. NO. 54/2024 U/S. 8 (C) r/w 21 (C) AND SEC.29 OF NDPS ACT 1985 OF MEERPET PS OF RACHAKONDA.

The details of the accused persons:-

1	:	Narendra Bishnoi S/o. Deva Ram, age: 20 yrs, Occ: Steel Railing Worker, R/o. Nandi Hills, Meerpet, N/o. Bano ki dhani, Kharad, Barmer, Rajasthan State. (Peddler cum Consumer)
2	:	Praveen Bishnoi @ Praveen Kumar S/o. Arjun Ram Bishnoi, age: 23 yrs, Occ: Steel Railing Work, R/o. Laxmi Nagar Colony, Prashanthi Hills, Meerpet. N/o Anadaiyon Ki Beri, Ranasar Khurd, Barmer district, Rajasthan State. (Peddler cum Consumer)
3	:	Hema Ram S/o Likma Ram, age: 18 yrs, Occ: Steel Railing Worker R/o. Laxmi Nagar Colony, Prashanthi Hills, Meerpet N/o. Bhakhro Ki Dhani, Band, Barmer, Rajasthan. (Transporter)
4	:	Pakkaram Devasi @ Prakash S/o Punna Ram age: 31 yrs, Occ: Business (Hardware Shop) R/o. Prashanthi Hills, Meerpet, N/o Kolpura (V) Paali district, Rajasthan (Peddler cum Consumer)
5	:	Main Peddler R/o. Rajasthan (Absconding)
6	:	Source R/o. Rajasthan State. (Absconding)

Seized Property:-

1. Heroin Drug- 150.3 Grams
2. MDMA Drug - 32.1 Grams
3. Weighing Machine - 02
4. White Colour Envelope Covers -60
5. Zip Lock Covers-50
6. Silver Colour Paper bundles (Aluminium Foil) – 02
7. Net Cash Rs.2,500/-
8. Two-Wheelers- 02
9. Mobile Phones- 06

Note:- As per International market the value of seized drug is about Rs.1 Crore.

Brief Facts:-

The accused persons Narendra Bishnoi, Praveen Bishnoi @ Praveen Kumar, Hema Ram and Pakkaram Devasi @ Prakash are native of Barmer district of Rajasthan State. They have been addicted to consuming drugs, later they started procuring and supplying the same to the needy persons and thus earning easy money by illegal means.

They came in contact with one drug peddler of Rajasthan and they started procuring Heroin drug at low rate (Rs.5,000/- to Rs.6,000/- per gram), MDMA drug @ Rs. 2,000/- to Rs. 4,000/- per gram and selling the same to the needy at huge price (Rs.10,000/- to Rs.12,000/- per gram). They transport the drug from Rajasthan to Hyderabad by concealing them in clothes and travel through private bus.

On 18-01-2024, afternoon hours, the SOT LB Nagar Zone team along with Meerpet police apprehended the accused persons near Varshini Function Hall, Almasguda, under the limits of Meerpet police station and seized (150.3) grams of Heroin, (32.1) grams of MDMA, (02) Two-Wheelers and (06) Mobile Phones, net cash Rs.2,500/- and other incriminating material from their possession. The main peddler and source are not available for examination. Efforts are afoot to apprehend the absconding accused and also to identify the consumers.

It is an appeal to the people and students that procuring, selling, transportation and consumption of the banned Narcotics substances and drugs is a crime and punishable for imprisonment for a period of 10 years and also death, according to Section 31A of the NDPS Act. Further requests the society to help police in curbing this menace.

The above arrests were made under the direct supervision of Shri G. Sudheer Babu, IPS., Commissioner of Police, Rachakonda and the under guidance of K. Muralidhar, DCP, SOT, LB Nagar-Maheshwaram, SOT and Meerpet police personnel.



