

PRESS NOTE

INTERSTATE DRUG PEDDLING RACKET BUSTED BY SOT, LB NAGAR TEAM ALONG WITH NEREDMET POLICE FOR TRANSPORTING & SELLING HEROIN

On 16-01-2025, evening hours, the sleuths of the Special Operations Team (SOT), LB Nagar Zone, Rachakonda, in coordination with the Neredmet Police, apprehended two interstate drug peddlers involved in the illegal trafficking and distribution of Heroin.

CR. NO.54/2025 U/S. 8 (c) r/w 21 (b) OF NDPS ACT OF NEREDMET PS OF RACHAKONDA.

The details of the accused persons:-

1 : Mahesh @ Mahesh Sarem S/o. Ram Kishan, age: 28 yrs, Occ: Gas Repairing Works, Caste: Bishnoi, R/o. SN 102/B, Sainik Nagar, Rama Krishnapuram, Neredmet, N/o. Bheeyasar, Jodhpur, Rajasthan State. (Peddler)

2 : Mahipal S/o. Papu Ram, age: 19 years, Occ: Gas Mechanic, R/o Rented House, Near Railway Track, Sainik Nagar, Safilguda, Neredmet, Hyderabad, N/o. Khavo-Ki-Dhani, Hanuman Nagar, Bhojasar, Jodhpur, Rajasthan State. (Peddler)

Seized Property:-

1. Heroin - (190) Grams
2. Envelope covers containing (01) Gram Heroin each – 10 Covers
3. Two-Wheelers Hero CD Deluxe Br. No. TS-11-EH-6828 – (01)
4. Mobile Phones- (02)
5. Sim Cards- (01)
6. Small Weighing Machine- (01)
7. Adhesive Tape (Plaster) – (01)

All property w/Rs. 23,00,000/- (Twenty Three Lakhs)

Brief Facts:-

The accused Mahesh @ Mahesh Saran, resident of Sainik Nagar, Ramakrishnapuram, Neredmet and native of Bheeyasar, Jodhpur, Rajasthan. He developed an acquaintance with one Samsuddin, a drug peddler residing at Chainpura (Vi), Lohawat, Phalodi district, Rajasthan State. Mahesh purchased 200 grams of Heroin from Samsuddin, for which he paid Rs. 1,00,000/- through the PhonePe payment platform.

On 10th January 2025, Mahesh arrived to Hyderabad by train and proceeded to stay at his friend Mahipal's residence in Sainik Nagar, RK Puram, Neredmet and informed Mahipal about the Heroin transaction, then the duo decided to sell drug to customers at a higher price. Mahesh employed ride-hailing services such as Porter, Rapido, and Uber to deliver heroin parcels to his customers.

Since his arrival in Hyderabad, Mahesh had been distributing heroin to various individuals, including PK Gotem @ Prakash, Suresh @ Manish Bishnoi, and Vinod @ Sopu Bishnoi. Based on orders received from a customer named Bajarang, Mahesh and his accomplices also sent Heroin parcels to Mukesh Kumar and Prakash Bishnoi. In an effort to conceal their activities, Mahesh and his associates used different methods, such as booking rides on Rapido, Ola, and Porter to deliver parcels at various locations far from their original address. Additionally, they used Mahesh's PhonePe scanner to receive payments from the customers. Efforts are afoot to identify the consumers and to apprehend the absconding source / main peddler.

The proactive efforts of the SOT LB Nagar Zone and Neredmet Police led to the successful interception of this drug trafficking operation, highlighting their continued commitment to combat illegal drug activities and ensuring the safety of the community.

The Rachakonda Police are continuing their investigation into the network of suppliers and consumers involved in the illicit drug trade. Efforts are underway to identify and apprehend other individuals linked to the illegal trade. The police are also working to gather more intelligence on the suppliers in Rajasthan and their connections to drug peddling operations in Hyderabad.

Since 2024 to till date the Rachakonda Police has seized the following drug total w/Rs. 88,33,98,505/-

1. Ganja- 2437.991 KGs
2. MDMA – 277.12 Grams
3. Heroin – 523.85 Grams
4. Poppy Straw – 96.63 KGs
5. Hashish Oil – 26.775 Litres
6. Opium – 4.034 KGs
7. Bangkok Ganja-145 Grams
8. Mephedrone – 101.035 KGs
9. Alprazolam- 715 Grams

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 Neredmet police personnel.



