



(Under Section 154 Cr. P.C.)

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Inspector-In-Charge
Pradhan Nagar Police Station
Siliguri Police Commissionerate

P.S. Pradhan Nagar Year 2025 FIR No. 444/25 Date 30/06/25

Sections ii) Act

Sections

Sections iv) Others Acts & Sections U.S. 21(c)/22(c) of NDPS Act.

Time Period Date From 30/06/25 Date To

Time From 02:20 hrs Time To 03:10 hrs

(b) Information received at P.S. Date 30/06/25 Time 03:25 hrs

(c) General Diary Reference : Entry No (s) 1713 Time 03:25 hrs

4. Type of Information Written Written / Oral

5. Place of Occurrence : (a) Direction and Distance from P.S. East, 01 km. Beat No.

(b) Address Circuit House more, champasari, P.S. Pradhan Nagar Dist. Darjeeling.

(c) In case outside limit of this Police Station, then the

Name of the P.S. District

6. Complainant / Informant :

(a) Name S. Rajiv Subba

(b) Father's / Husband's Name

(c) Date / Year of Birth (d) Nationality Indian

(e) Passport No. Date of Issue Place of Issue

(f) Occupation Service in West Bengal police

(g) Address Pradhan Nagar P.S. / Siliguri P.C.

7. Details of known / suspected / unknown accused with full particulars

(Attach separate sheet, if necessary) :

(i) Sapan Roy (M/24), s/o Late Ranjit Roy of Dakshin palash, Nabin Bazar, champasari, P.S. Pradhan Nagar, Dist. Darjeeling.

8. Reasons for delay in reporting by the Complainant / Information

9. Particulars of properties stolen / involved (Attach separate sheet, if necessary) : one black colour back pack having 03(three) compartments styled as 'skoy bags' containing 36(thirty six) bottles of Codeine phosphate trihydrate Hydrochloride cough Syrup (Rexley-T) each bottle containing 100 ml (total 3600ml), marked as exhibit 'A'.

10. Total value of properties stolen / involved

11. Inquest Report / U.D. Case No. If any

12. FIR Contents (Attach separate sheets, if required) : The original written complaint of the complainant which is treated as FIR is enclosed herewith.

13. Action Taken : Since the above report reveals commission of offence(s) as mentioned at item No. 2., Registered the case and took up the investigation / directed S. Pranab Singh to take up investigation / refused investigation / transferred to P.S. on point of jurisdiction. FIR read over to the Complaint / Informant, admitted to be correctly recorded and a copy given to the Complainant / informant free of cost.

14. Signature / Thumb impression of the Complainant / Informant

15. Date & Time of despatch to the court : on 30/06/25 at 10:00 hrs.

Signature of the Officer-in-Charge, Police Station

Name : Sumit Sarkar

Rank : No. SS of police

Inspector-In-Charge
Pradhan Nagar Police Station
Siliguri Police Commissionerate



To The Inspector-In-Charge,
Pradhan Nagar PS,
Siliguri Police Commissionerate.

Sub: - F.I.R.

Sir,

In producing herewith one (01) following accused person namely Sapan Ray (24yrs) S/O Lt. Ranjit Ray of Dakshin Palash, Natun Bazar, Champasari, PS- Pradhannagar, Dist Darjeeling under arrest along with the following seized articles under proper seizure viz :- (i) One Black Colour back pack having 3 compartments styles as "Skaybags" containing 36 (thirty six) bottles of Codeine Phosphate & Triprolidine Hydrochloride Syrup "REXLEY-T" Cough Syrup, containing 100 ml each, i.e (100ml x 36 bottles = 3600 ml), having batch No MLS25266, Mfg date 04/25, Exp date 03/27, MRP Rs- 175.00/-, Marked as exhibit "A". The ground of arrest duty been communicated with him.

I, SI Rajiv Subba S/O Basanta Subba of Pradhan Nagar PS, Siliguri Police Commissionerate do hereby lodged this written complaint against the above noted arrested accused person namely Sapan Ray (24 yrs) S/O Lt. Ranjit Ray of Dakshin Palash, Natun Bazar, Champasari, PS-Pradhannagar, Dist Darjeeling to the effect that on 30.06.2025 at 01:21 hrs I received a specific reliable secret source information that one person would come to near Circuit House more area under PS-Pradhan Nagar with huge quantities of illegal contraband to deliver the same to his designed customers. Accordingly, I diarized the fact in PS General Diary vide Pradhan Nagar PS GDE No. 1706 dated 30.06.2025 and share the information to you in writing. There was sufficient reason to believe the source information, accordingly at 01:26 hrs as per your kind order and direction, myself along with ASI Prabal Sarkar, ASI Bikash Roy, C/1415 Chandan Basak and C/1446 Nirmal Roy all of Pradhan Nagar PS, SPC left for Circuit House more, under PS- Pradhan Nagar to verify the veracity of the information vide Pradhan Nagar PS GDE No 1707 dated 30.06.25 and MCC No. 1373/25 Dt. 30.06.2025 by Govt. Vehicle, with investigation kit without any search warrant or authorization for search which could not be possible to obtain from a competent authority for sudden development of such sensitive information and also for not giving him opportunity for concealment of evidence or facility for his escape. On the way, I coordinated with the RT Van Officer ASI Tubai Roy to join us at the spot with his team to assist me. I also informed the videographer namely Somnath Chatterjee, S/O Sushil Chatterjee of Arabinda Pally, Gokhel Road, Ward No 22, PS- Siliguri, Dist.- Darjeeling over telephone and requested him to come to Circuit House more under PS- Pradhan Nagar, Dist.- Darjeeling with his video camera for the purpose of videography of search and seizure procedure if required.

At about 01:30 hrs we reached at Circuit house more and requested two available independent persons namely (i) Lal Babu Malakar (19yrs) S/O Basant Malakar of Debidanga, near Petrol Pump, PS Pradhannagar, Dist Darjeeling and (ii) Nur Hussain (21yrs) S/O Abdul Ali of Debidanga, near Petrol pump, PS- Pradhannagar, Dist Darjeeling. I also shared the information with them and requested them to remain present and act as independent witness during the process of search and seizure if required upon which they agreed. Then, I served notice in writing to both the above mentioned independent witnesses and they gave their approvals verbally to accompany Police team during search and seizure. At around 01:35 hrs above noted camera man reached at Circuit house more accordingly. I serverd a notice to him. In the mean time RT Van Officer ASI Tubai Roy along with his team arrived at Circuit House more and accompanies us. Being accompanied by source and the witnesses our whole police party started keeping watch over person surrounding Circuit house more area. At around 02:05 hrs being pointed by the source we noticed that one person carrying one back packs on his back was coming towards Circuit house more by walking, from the side of Mahananda bridge. Accordingly, we detain him at Circuit house more. Thereafter, we disclosed our identities as Police personnel (as we were in civil dress for our convenience). On interrogation he disclosed his identity as noted above and admitted that he possessed cough syrups in his bag. He was served a notice under Section 50 of the NDPS Act and was given an option to be searched in the presence of an Executive Magistrate or Gazetted Officer. Which he was agreed to be search in presence of any of above noted officers. Accordingly, I informed the matter to you over mobile phone and requested you to arrange an Executive Magistrate or Gazetted officer to supervise the process of search and seizure. At around 02:10 hrs you arrived at the spot and informed me that due to unavailability of Executive Magistrate, you as Gazetted officer is legally authorised to supervise the process of search and seizure of the bag of the detain person.

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SI Rajiv Subba
Dt 30.06.25

Accordingly, after disclosing your identities to the detained person and witness as gazetted officer, you ordered me to search the bag of the suspect. Under your supervision and in presence of the two independent witnesses, I offered the detained person and witness to search the police team, which they declined. Then, as per order of I/C Pradhannagar PS, I searched the bag of detained person following all formalities and found the above noted seized cough syrups inside the bag.

On demand the accused person failed to produce any valid document or paper in support of possessing of the cough syrups which were kept in his bag. On further interrogation, the detained person confessed that he procured the above noted Cough Syrups from Bhaktinagar side with a view to sell the same to his design customer at Circuit House more and surrounding area illegally for his personal gain. He further admitted that he had been involved in such illegal trade for some days and was aware of its illegality under the NDPS Act.

Accordingly, I seized the above noted cough syrups under proper seizure list, labeled and sealed all the said articles in presence of you and independent witnesses and the accused person, duly signed by the above noted witnesses and acknowledged by the accused person. The entire process of search, seizure and label were made in between 02:20 hrs to 03:10 hrs on 30.06.25 at the spot under the coverage of videography executed by the videographer namely Somnath Chatterjee as per provisions of BNSS. Subsequently, I arrested the above noted detained person namely Sapan Ray (24yrs) S/O Lt. Ranjit Ray of Dakshin Palash, Natun Bazar, Champasari, PS- Pradhannagar, Dist Darjeeling after observing all guidelines of Appex court as he violated the provisions of NDPS act, for possessing Cough Syrups having codeine content without any valid authority & licene. I also inform him in writing regarding ground of his arrest.

From the above noted facts and seizure of incriminating articles, there is strong reason to believe that the above noted arrested accused person procured such huge quantities of illegal cough syrups fraudulently with an objective of selling the same to his designed customers for his wrongful gain, hence, I pray before you that, a specific case under proper section of law may kindly be started against the above noted arrested accused person namely Sapan Ray (24yrs) S/O Lt. Ranjit Ray of Dakshin Palash, Natun Bazar, Champasari, PS- Pradhannagar, Dist Darjeeling and its investigation may kindly be arranged.

Enclosure:

- i) Original Memo of Arrest, Ground of arrest, inspection memo,
- ii) Original seizure list along with seized article and other relevant documents

Received on 30/06/25 at 03.25 hrs vide.
PDN P.S. GDE NO. 1718 and started PDN P.S.
Case NO. 444/25 Dt. 30/06/25 U/S 21(c)
22(c) of NDPS Act and is endorsed to
SI pramod kr singh for its investigation.

Yours faithfully,

SI Rajiv Subba

(SI Rajiv Subba)
Pradhan Nagar PS, SPC
Date: 30.06.25

Sankar
30/06/25
Inspector-In-Charge
Pradhan Nagar Police Station
Siliguri Police Commissionerate