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1. Dist. Pradhannagar P.S. Year 2026 FIR No. 338/26 Date 15.05.2026

2. i) Act. Sections 310(4)/310(5) ii) Act. Sections

iii) Act. Sections iv) Others Acts & Sections

3. (a) Occurrence of offence Day Friday Date From 15.05.26 Date To

Time Period 40 minute Time From 22:55 Hm Time To 23:35 Hm

(b) Information received at P.S. Date 15.05.2026 Time 23:10 Hm

(c) General Diary Reference : Entry No (s) 898 894 Time 23:10 Hm

4. Type of Information written Written / Oral

5. Place of Occurrence : (a) Direction and Distance from P.S. Approx 2.5 km north Beat No.

(b) Address An abandon shop at Regulated market, PS - Pradhannagar, Dist - Darjeeling

(c) In case outside limit of this Police Station, then the Name of the P.S. District

6. Complainant / Informant :

(a) Name ASI Bikish Roy

(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 Govt Service (WBPF)

(g) Address Pradhannagar PS, Siliguri Police Commissionerate

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

(Attach separate sheet, if necessary) :

① Bijay Paswan ② Ranjit-Gupta ③ Rohit Das  
④ Dipankar Sarkar ⑤ Bikram Sikdar @ Tapash

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

9. Particulars of properties stolen / involved (Attach separate sheet, if necessary) :

(i) one iron made sabol measuring 22 inches in length (ii) one sharp cutting weapon locally as Hasua measuring approx 22 inches in lenth including its wooden butt (iii) one sharp cutting weapon locally called as Hasua measuring approx 25 inches in length including its wooden butt, (iv) one sharp cutting weapon locally called as Drigger measuring approx 16 inches in length including its wooden butt (v) one plastic made torch light (vi) one iron made hammer and (vii) one nylon bag.

12. FIR Contents (Attach separate sheets, if required) : The original written complain which is treated as FIR is attached 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 ASI Prabal Sarkar 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.

Signature / Thumb impression of the Complainant / Informant  
ASI Bikish Roy

Inspector-In-Charge  
Pradhan Nagar Police Station  
Siliguri Police Commissionerate  
Signature of the Officer-in-Charge, Police Station  
Name : Shelhas Athikary  
Rank : No. SI of Police

15. Date & Time of despatch to the court :

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



Sub: - F.I.R.

Sir,

In producing herewith five (05) accused persons namely (i) Bijay Paswan (32 yrs) S/O Lae Moti Paswan of Netajee Subhash Road, Samar Nagar, PS- Pradhan Nagar, Dist. Darjeeling (ii) Ranjit Gupta (29 yrs) S/O Kishor Gupta of Narmada Bagan, Champasari Anchal, PS- Pradhan Nagar, Dist. Darjeeling (iii) Rohit Das @ Purke (22 yrs) S/O Swapan Das of Samar Nagar near Basanti Mandir, PS- Pradhan Nagar, Dist. Darjeeling (iv) Dipankar Sarkar (28 yrs) S/O Dilip Sarkar of Samar Nagar near Auto Stand, PS- Pradhan Nagar, Dist. Darjeeling and (v) Bikram Sikdar @ Tapash (35 yrs) S/O Bijay Sikdar of Samar Nagar near Auto Stand, PS- Pradhan Nagar, Dist. Darjeeling under arrest along with the following seizure articles viz :- (i) one iron made sabol measuring 22 inches in length (ii) one sharp cutting weapon locally as Hasua measuring approx 22 inches in lenth including its wooden butt (iii) one sharp cutting weapon locally called as Hasua measuring approx 25 inches in length including its wooden butt, (iv) one sharp cutting weapon locally called as Drigger measuring approx 16 inches in length including its wooden butt (v) one plastic made torch light (vi) one iron made hammer and (vii) one nylon bag. I, ASI Bikash Roy of Pradhan Nagar PS, SPC do hereby lodge this written complaint against the above noted five (05) arrested accused persons and others 07/08 unknown miscreants who involve in this crime, to the effect that on 15.05.26 at 22.10 hrs I received a specific source information that about 11/12 miscreants equipped deadly weapons assembled in an abandon shop at Regulated Market under PS- Pradhan Nagar, Dist. Darjeeling and they are making preparations for committing Dacoity at Regulated market area. Accordingly, I diarized the fact in P.S. General diary vide Pradhan Nagar PS GDE No. 889 dated 15.05.26 and informed the matter to you. As per your kind order and direction, I along with ASI Md Anwar Abedin, C/1119 Tanmoy Roy and force all of Pradhan Nagar PS, SPC left for Regulated market under PS- Pradhan Nagar, Dist.- Darjeeling by Govt. vehicle with investigation kits to verify the veracity of the information without any search warrant or authorization for search which could not be possible to obtain from a competent authority for sudden development of a sensitive information and not to afford them opportunity for concealment of evidence or facility for their escape. I informed night RT van officer SI Ribam Lepcha and requested him to come to Regulated market to accompany with us. I also informed one videographer namely Somnath Chatterjee C/O Sushil Chatterjee of Gokhel Road, Arabinda Pally, PS- Siliguri, Dist. Darjeeling over mobile phone and requested him to come to Regulated market to videograph the entire process of search and seizure if required.

At around 10.25 hrs we arrived at Regulated market under PS Pradhan Nagar, Dist. Darjeeling and after a while night RT van officer SI Ribam Lepcha arrived there and accompanied with us. I shared the information with them and briefed them properly. Thereafter, I requested two independent witnesses namely (i) Raja Sahani (27 yrs) S/O Chunchun Sahani of Rejendra Nagar, Coolipara, Ward No-01, PS- Pradhan Nagar, Dist. Darjeeling (ii) Praveen Kumar (21 yrs) S/O Upendar Mallick of Rejendra Nagar, Coolipara, Ward No-01, PS- Pradhan Nagar, Dist. Darjeeling and shared the information with them and requested them to remain present at the spot and act as witness if any search and seizure would be made, upon which they agreed and expressed their willingness to co operate with me and act as independent witnesses. Then, I contacted my source and from a considerable distance he pointed to the place where the miscreants were assembled.

Thereafter, we proceeded towards the place being identified by the source and cordoned the place from every corner with due care and caution and from a considerable distance. We noticed that 11/12 persons were assembled in an abandon room at Regulated market under PS- Pradhan Nagar, Dist. Darjeeling and they were whispering in a low voice. On seeing police personnel approaching towards them, they tried to flee away from the spot but on hot chase we managed to apprehended above noted five (05) accused persons while 07/08 others unknown miscreants managed to flee away from the broken window taking the advantage darkness. Thereafter, we disclosed our identities as Police personnel (as we were in civil dress for our convenience). On interrogation, they disclosed their identities as noted above. On search the above noted weapon of offence are recovered from their joint possession which they kept concealed inside one multi color nylon bag. On further interrogation, they furnished incoherent statements and failed to give any satisfactory reply for their presence with deadly weapons in such deaf hour of night. Finally they disclosed that they along with 07/08 of their associates assembled there and were making preparations for committing Dacoity at Regulated market area. Accordingly, I seized the above mentioned weapons of offence from their joint possessions under proper seizure list in between 22.55 hrs. to 23.35 hrs. at the spot in presence of witnesses and duly signed by the witnesses and acknowledged by the accused persons and subsequently arrested them under proper memo of arrest and observing all the formalities of arrest. They are informed regarding ground of their arrest. I also supplied copy of memo of arrest and ground of arrest in written to them.

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ASI Bikash Roy

The entire process of search and seizure were made under the coverage of videography as per norms of BNSS executed by the above mentioned videographer and brought all the five (05) arrested accused persons along with seized articles to Pradhan Nagar Police Station for further investigation. From the above noted facts and seizure of incriminating articles there is strong reason to believe that all the above noted five (05) accused persons along with 07/08 of their associates who fled away, gathered there equipped with deadly weapons at such dead hour of night and taking preparation to commit Dacoity at Regulated market area. Later, I informed their guardian regarding arrest of five accused persons and also informed them that all the five arrested accused persons will be forwarded before Ld ACJM, Siliguri on 16.05.26 morning at 11.00 hrs

Under the above circumstances, I pray before you that a specific case under proper section of law may kindly be started against the above noted five (05) arrested accused persons namely (i) Bijay Paswan (32 yrs) S/O Late Moti Paswan of Netajee Subhash road, Samar Nagar, PS- Pradhan Nagar, Dist. Darjeeling (ii) Ranjit Gupta (29 yrs) S/O Kishor Gupta of Narmada Bagan, Champasari Anchal, PS- Pradhan Nagar, Dist. Darjeeling (iii) Rohit Das @ Purke (22 yrs) S/O Swapan Das of Samar Nagar near Basanti Mandir, PS- Pradhan Nagar, Dist. Darjeeling (iv) Dipankar Sarkar (28 yrs) S/O Dilip Sarkar of Samar Nagar near Auto Stand, PS- Pradhan Nagar, Dist. Darjeeling and (v) Bikram Sikdar @ Tapash (35 yrs) S/O Bijay Sikdar of Samar Nagar near Auto Stand, PS- Pradhan Nagar, Dist. Darjeeling and others 07/08 unknown miscreants who fled away from the spot and arranged for its investigation.


Encl:-

1. Original Memo of Arrests,
2. Ground of Arrests,
3. Original Seizure List with Seized articles.
4. Inspection Memo,
5. Check List.

Received on 15.05.26 at 23:50 Hm. vide PDM PS GDE NO. 894 Dt. 15.05.26 and started PDM PS case no. 338/26 Dt 15.05.26 v/s- 310(4)/310(5) of BNS and endorsed to ASg Prabal Sarkar for investigation.

  
15/5/26  
Inspector-In-Charge  
Pradhan Nagar Police Station  
SINGURI Police Commissionerate

Yours faithfully,



(ASI Bikash Roy)  
Pradhan Nagar PS, SPC  
Date 15.05.2026