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FIRST INFORMATION OF A COGNIZABLE CRIME REPORT UNDER SECTION 154CRIMINAL PROCEDURE CODE AT POLICE STATION: - YAINGANGPOKPI

Sub- Division:-Sawombung FIR No. 199(08)2023 YPI-PS U/S- 153A/499/500/503/505 IPC District:- Imphal East
Date & hour of occurrence:-04/08/2023

Date and hour reported	Place of occurrence & direction from Police Station	Date of dispatch from Police Station	
21/08/2023 at 04:05 pm	Gwaltabi village about 1km North from PS	21/08/2023	

N.B: -A first information must be authenticated by the signature, mark of thumb impression of informants and attested by signature of the officer recording it.

	Name & residence of accused	Brief description of Offence with section and of property carried off, if any	Steps taken regarding investigation, explanation of delay in recording information	Result of the case
JC-492526X Nb. Sub. Mahaveer Prasad, 20 Jat Regiment.	Mr. Chirom Mangijao, Secretary Gwaltabi village Committee.	Promoting enmity, Defamation, Punishment for defamation, Criminal intimidation, Statement Conducing to public mischief.	ASI. A. Dinesh of YPI-PS Please investigate the case.	
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O.E. Attached

Officer-In-Charge
Valagngapokpt Police Station
Imphal East Dist, Manipur

Signed:-Inspt. Gainingam Gangmei Kabui

Designation:- In-Charge/ YPI-PS

Officer-in-Charge Voingngapokpi Police Station Imphal East Dist, Manipur nipu!

FIRST INFORMATION REPORT

Sir.

- Please refer to the newspaper article published on the first page of The Sangai 1. Express on 04 August 2023, in reference to 20 Jat Regiment (Copy attached). The ibid article has quoted false and fabricated statements of Gwaltabi Village Committee Secretary Mr Chirom Mangijao who has imputed communal motives on the Indian Army. Statements of the individual contained in the said article is published without any supporting information or evidence & is directly indicative of his malicious intent and has potential to ignite/ promote disharmony/ enmity amongst the masses against the personnel of 20 Jat Regiment who are discharging their official duties in accordance with the orders of the Union of India. In addition to endangering lives of troops of the 20 Jat Regiment, publishing of such fallacious statements is prejudicial to maintenance of peace, and is likely to further spread rumors among the communities which may lead to communal violence.
- The said statements of the Village Committee Secretary is clearly defamatory 2. and an intentional insult with intent to provoke breach of peace. Since 20 Jat Regiment is an agency of the Union of India, the statements of the Village Committee Secretary, prima face attracts the ingredients of Section 153A, 499, 500, 503 and 505 of the IPC, 1860.
- Giving due regard to the ongoing sensitive law and order situation prevailing in 3. Manipur, it is requested that an investigation in accordance with law be carried out and strict action be taken in light of the "Hon'ble Supreme Court of India Judgement and order dated 21 Oct 2022 passed in Writ Petition (Civil) No 940 of 2022 filed by Shaheen Abdulla vs UOI & Ors" (Copy att) in respect of the false and fabricated, defamatory and communal statements of Gwaltabi Village Committee Secretary Mr Chirom Mangijao given in an article of the Sangai Express and published on 04 August 2023 which is capable of causing provocation and disharmony amongst the citizens against the troops of Indian Army and more specifically troops of 20 Jat Regiment.
- 4. For your further necessary action, please.

Yours faithfully,

Dated: 21 August 2023
This report is treated as an of of case