

# **FIRST INFORMATION REPORT**

(Under Sec. 154 of Criminal Procedure Code)

1. District: South Mumbai Police Station: Gamdevi Year: 2021

FIR No: 451 Date: 17-04-2021

2. (i) Act: Indian Penal Code, 1860 Sections: 302, 120B r/w 34

(ii) Act: Indian Penal Code, 1860 Sections: 194, 203

3. (a) Occurrence of Offence: Day: Saturday Date: 17<sup>th</sup> April, 2021

Time period: Time from: 02:00 PM Time to: 08:00 PM

(b) Information received at P.S: Date 17-04-2021 Time: 8:30 PM

4. Type of Information: Written /Oral.

## 5. Place of Occurrence:

a) Distance from the Police Station: 4Km South

b) Address: Flat No. 12, Rajesh Mansion, 3rd floor, Tejpal Road, Papanas Wadi, Nanachowk, Mumbai 400007, 1.2 kms from Gamdevi Police Station.

- Complainant/Informant: Mrs. Preeti Singh, Address: Flat No. 13, Rajesh Mansion,
  3rd floor, Tejpal Road, Papanas Wadi, Nanachowk, Mumbai 400007.
- 7. Basis on which FIR is lodged: Information of unnatural death of Mrs. Sheetal Deshmukh.
- 8. Details of Known/Unknown/Suspected accused with full particulars: Suspected persons NA.
- 9. Reasons for delay in reporting by the complainant/informant: NA.
- 10. Particulars of Injuries sustained: Wound on forehead and excessive blood loss.
- 11. Total Value of properties stolen/involved/recovered: NA.

# **BRIEF FACTS OF THE CASE:**

Vijay called me from his house at around 7:45 PM, as his wife had committed suicide. When I entered their house, I saw Sheetal's body lying on the floor of their bedroom. There was blood on the floor as well. Vijay and Sheetal were experiencing some trouble in their marital relationship on account of which they both used to fight a lot. I know from

my sources that Vijay wanted a divorce from his wife as he was in love with another woman. I know Sheetal well enough that she cannot commit suicide on such a trivial matter. I believe someone has murdered her. FIR was recorded subsequently and the area was sealed for further investigation.

(Facts above are to be considered as *Fard Bayan* of Mrs. Preeti Singh given to the Officer-in-charge)

Sd/-

Signature/ Thumb impression of Signature of the officer

Complainant/Informant Name: Vinod Choubey

Rank: Sub-Inspector

A copy of FIR was then handed over to Informant free of cost.

(AFTER RECORDING F.I.R., SUB-INSPECTOR SANGRAM SINGH WAS APPOINTED AS INVESTIGATING OFFICER IN THE CASE)

# **SEIZURE REPORT**

1. Date & Time of Seizure: - 17-04-2021 at 8:30 P.M.	
2. Place of Seizure: - House of Mr. Vijay Deshmukh	
3. From Whom Seized:- N/A.	
4. Name & Address of Witnesses:-	
a) Ms. Preeti Singh, Flat No. 13, Rajesh Mansion, 3rd floor, Tejpal Road, Papanas	
Wadi, Nanachowk, Mumbai 400007.	
b) Mr. Shouvik Ghosh, Flat No. 14, Rajesh Mansion, 3rd floor, Tejpal Road, Papanas	
Wadi, Nanachowk, Mumbai 400007.	
5. Description of Seized Articles:-	
i. Used syringes	- 1
ii. Liquid Epinephrine	- 1
iii. Suicide Letter of Deceased	- 1
iv. Personal Diary of Deceased	- 1
v. Medicines from side table	- 1
WITNESSES	
Sd/-	Sd/-
Mr. Shouvik Ghosh	Ms. Preeti Singh

R/o Flat No. 14, Rajesh Mansion, 3rd floor, Tejpal Road, Papanas Wadi, Nanachowk, Mumbai 400007 R/o Flat No. 13, Rajesh Mansion, 3rd floor, Tejpal Road, Papanas Wadi, Nanachowk, Mumbai 400007

Search/Seized by me,

Name: Vinod Choubey

Rank: Investigating Officer

Date: 17/04/21

Place: Mumbai

WITNESS STATEMENTS

(Under section 161 of Criminal Procedure Code)

PROSECUTION WITNESS STATEMENTS

PW 1: MRS. PREETI SINGH – VIJAY'S NEIGHBOR

**Occupation:** Housewife

**Age:** 45

Sex: Female

**Statement:** I am Preeti Singh r/o. Flat No. 13, Rajesh Mansion, 3rd floor, Tejpal Road, Papanas Wadi, Nanachowk, Mumbai 400007. I live next to Mr. Vijay's house. Sheetal was a very humble and polite girl. Sheetal and Vijay got married in 2016 and were very happy together. She used to love her husband very much. 1 year ago, Sheetal told me that Vijay is in love with another woman. I used to console her and tell her always that true love prevails. It was in 2018 that their relationship started becoming sour. I could see this in Sheetal's changing nature. Later during October, they both started having loud verbal fights and arguments. I could hear their voices every time, but could never hear as to what they are speaking.

Loud verbal fights between Vijay and Sheetal became normal during the last few days. On 17<sup>th</sup> April, it was because of shouting noises from Vijay's house that I woke up from my sleep. They used to fight every day. I checked the time, it was 2 PM. It was time for my walk. I love my dog, Sinu, very much so I took it out for a walk even when I was half asleep. I saw a black Honda City parked outside Vijay's house. I did not know whose car was it. Nonetheless, I came back at 2:30 PM, but the car was still there. I thought everything is in control now, as I could not hear any noises from Vijay's house now.

Later in the evening, at around 7:30 PM, Vijay came to my door shouting, "Mrs. Singh, Sheetal has committed suicide". He took me along to his home and I saw Sheetal lying on the floor. There were a few blood spots on the floor near the body. I saw an injection lying near her right hand.

I could not believe my eyes, as Sheetal was not a kind of girl who could commit suicide. I think someone has murdered her. As there was something wrong with Sheetal's death, I called the police station about the unfortunate incident. After 45 minutes, police came and sealed the house and took the body out for post mortem.

PW 2: MS. GAYATRI RANADE - CLOSE FRIEND OF SHEETAL

**Occupation:** Law student

**Age:** 26

**Sex:** Female

Statement: I am Ms. Gayatri Ranade r/o Flat No. 901, Trinity Tower, 9th floor, Laburnum Road, Tardeo, Mumbai. I and Sheetal were close friends since college days. It is very unfortunate that her husband cheated her behind her back. I remember that Sheetal told me about this in the early 2018. She was quite devastated. I tried to console her for many days, but she kept on crying on phone. I could not see her this way, so I asked her to file a case against her husband, but she refused.

During December -January, Sheetal met me at McDonalds and told me that Vijay is going to marry another woman and is, therefore, asking for a divorce. She also showed me several bruises near her ears, as Vijay slapped her yesterday. I started worrying for my friend since that day.

The last time I met Sheetal was on 31st March, 2021 at around 12:30 PM at a General Store near her house. She seemed very sad. When I enquired about her relation with her husband, she replied, "Time will tell, I am just hoping for the best."

When I heard about this unfortunate news, I could not believe that she has committed suicide. Sheetal is a true fighter. I am sure that the true story is something else. She has been murdered probably by her husband to get rid of her.

PW 3: MR. RAGHUBIR SINGH – LANDLORD OF SHRADDHA

Occupation: Retired Colonel, Indian Army.

**Age:** 67

Sex: Male

**Statement:** I am Retired Colonel Raghubir Singh r/o 30, 'Aashiyana', (Opposite to the Saffron), Worli. I have rented the 2nd floor to Ms. Shraddha Patel since last 3 years. I am well aware of her boyfriend, Vijay, who visits her quite often. I have never put restrictions on her regarding this. After all, the 2nd floor is technically her house.

On the date of 17<sup>th</sup> April 2021, I saw Vijay's White Verna parked outside my house at around 12:45PM. Also, I saw that Shraddha's black car was safely parked inside the house. It was rare because Vijay never visits Shraddha in the afternoons as he works in a company. Nevertheless, while I was sipping hot coffee, I saw both Vijay and Shraddha sitting in their respective cars and then they both drove away together at around 1:45 PM. It was foolish of them to drive two cars when they can easily adjust in one. It is because of people like them that temperature is rising day by day.

Shraddha came back alone in her black car at around 3:00 PM (See 2nd last para of Shraddha's statements). She parked the car inside the house and then went to the 2nd floor quietly.

## **DEFENSE WITNESS STATEMENTS**

DW1: VIJAY DESHMUKH [ACCUSED NO. 1]

Occupation: Deputy Head, Public Relations Department

**Age:** 35

Sex: Male

**Statement:** I am Vijay Deshmukh, S/o Late. Balasaheb Deshmukh, R/o. Flat No. 12, Rajesh Mansion, 3rd floor, Tejpal Road, Papanas Wadi, Nanachowk, Mumbai 400007. I work in Piramal Walters Corporation Ltd. (PWC Ltd.), in Annie Besant Road, Worli at the post of Deputy Head in the Public Relations department of the company.

I got married in the year 2016 because of the parental pressure and after a few months my parents died in a car accident. Though, Sheetal was virtuous, but I never loved her and eventually consummated our marriage. Sheetal always complained about my long absence from home, so I told her about Shraddha, my love since college, with whom I always wished to marry but our parents never agreed.

On17th April 2021, I left office at around 7:30 PM. Upon reaching home, I found the door of the house locked from outside. I used my keys to open the door and entered. I found Sheetal lying on the floor of our bedroom. Immediately, I called upon the neighbours to give information about the suicide and started calling out for help.

Everything in the home seemed perfectly placed and Sheetal was very happy when I left home for office on17th April's morning. For last few days, Shraddha had been pressuring me to take divorce from Sheetal and marry her. It was our relationship anniversary for which Shraddha came to my office to go out for lunch. She came to my office and we left at around 12:30 PM from the office.

While going for lunch, we entered into a discussion about my inefficiency to get divorce from my wife. Shraddha always asked me to make the final choice, therefore, I had to make a choice between Shraddha and Sheetal. Before going for lunch, I decided that I would finally end my marriage with Sheetal and move out with Shraddha. To make this happen, I drove back to my house and reached home at around 1:00 PM. But when Sheetal saw Shraddha holding my hand, she got furious about the situation and started shouting at both of us. I did not say anything to her at that point of time and decided to talk to her about the divorce at night. After heavy exchange of words, I took Shraddha away in the car and drove back to The Saffron for lunch. We reached The Saffron at 1:45 PM and left from the Saffron at around 2:45 PM and I reached back to the office at 3:00 PM.

I don't know anything about the suicide, everything was going fine. We both were ready for the divorce. I was happy that now I would live a happy life with Shraddha and also Sheetal can marry another person of her choice. Somewhere down the line I always thought that why we are even together, can we do nothing to separate us in order to lead our lives happily.

DW 2: SHRADDHA PATEL [ACCUSED NO. 2]

**Occupation-** Heart Specialist

**Age-** 30

**Sex:** Female

**Statement-** I am Shraddha Patel, D/o of Mr. Sanjay Patel residing at 30, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor 'Aashiyana', (Opposite to the Saffron), Worli. I am a Heart specialist doctor by profession and work at KEM Government Hospital for past 5 years. My specialization is in cardiology and neurology. Vijay had been in my life since the first year of my college, he used to play guitar for me and sing as well. He was all sure about our relationship after completing his college. He made numerous attempts to inform his parents about his decision to marry me, but they never approved it and warned him of dire consequences.

Everything was perfect between us till Sheetal came into our lives and disturbed the beautiful relationship that we shared. Vijay never loved her, but his parents forced him to marry her. Now they are no more to influence his mind, they died in an accident after his marriage.

Even after Vijay married Sheetal, we continued meeting each other and now that Vijay's parents are no more there was no barrier except Sheetal. It was sad for me to know that Sheetal committed suicide. No one deserves to die. Sheetal and Vijay had been married for five long years, but their relationship was constrained as there was no love present between them and Vijay used to love me.

Sheetal never understood one thing that - If something is not working out, one should not pursue it further. Vijay had been demanding divorce from her since June 2020, but she had been refusing him because of reasons better known to her.

After a few months, she said that she will sign divorce papers on only one condition that she gets Rs. 1 crore as alimony. Vijay did not have such a hefty sum of money to pay her. It was her stubbornness that Vijay used to spend much time with me at my residence at Worli.

I have also been long pressurized by my family to marry someone. It was time when Vijay had to choose between me and Sheetal. On 17<sup>th</sup> April 2021, I decided to settle down the situation myself for one final time. I went to Vijay's office to meet him on our anniversary. Vijay offered to go out for lunch and we left the office at around 12:30 PM in the afternoon. While on our way to The Saffron, we entered into an argument about the future of our relationship. To this, he decided to leave his wife and move in with me.

We rerouted from our way and drove to Vijay's home. We reached his home at 1:00 PM around. Upon reaching his home, Sheetal opened the door and was shocked to see us together. She started shouting at me, but I continuously tried to make her understand that Vijay is not happy with his marriage and it is time for her to go from his life. When she started shouting at Vijay at the top of her voice, I decided to put sense into her mind sometime else, and then we left.

Vijay was very upset. To refresh his mood, we went to his favourite restaurant, The Saffron, for lunch at around 1:45 PM. I was sorry for Vijay and was hoping for the divorce to happen. After having lunch, Vijay dropped me back home around 2:50 pm and left for his office.

It was at night when I got to hear about Sheetal's suicide. I was shocked to hear this news. It is true that I wanted Sheetal out from our lives, but I never thought that she will leave us in this sad manner. She could have excelled in her life, if she had moved on at the right time.

DW 3: MR. BINOD MUNI - VALET AT THE SAFFRON

**Occupation:** Valet at The Saffron

**Age:** 24

Sex: Male

Statement: I am Binod Muni, R/o. 13/II/B, Dagdu Chawl, S.K. Ahire Marg, Near Worli Police Camp, Worli Koliwada. I am employed at The Saffron for last two years and my job is to issue tickets to all the vehicles which come to the Saffron and get them parked in basement. Whosoever drives in this five-star restaurant, leaves the car with our staff and we take care of the rest. On 17th April 2021, I issued the parking ticket for White Verna at 1:45 PM and the ticket was returned to the owner at 2:45 PM. At 1:45 PM when this ticket was being issued, the two people present in the car were engaged in a fight because of which we had to intervene and manage the issue. When the car was being given back, at 2:30 PM, I could easily recognize this was the same man, but this time he was alone and not with the lady. The man also fought with one of our staff when the staff asked for the valet ticket, but later he produced the same when his car was being returned to him.

DW 4: MR. RAMPAL YADAV- OFFICE GUARD

**Occupation:** Office Guard

**Age:** 37

Sex: Male

**Statement:** I am Lalla Jain, R/o. 7-B, Janta Colony, AppaSaheb Marg, Dadar, working with PWC Ltd for over 7 years. My job is to manage the inward and outward entry of the visitors and take care of office parking at the same time. All employees in the office are required to mark their attendance in the biometric system installed near the gate, they are required to press the thumb print at the time of entering and while leaving the office as well. On 17<sup>th</sup> April, 2021 Shraddha Ma'am, girlfriend of Vijay Sir, visited office at 12:00 PM. After some 30 minutes, Vijay sir and Shraddha ma'am left together in Vijay Sir's white Verna (Car) the entry for which is recorded in the register. Sir came back at around 3:00 PM. Later, he left office at around 7 PM when my duty got over.

## POST MORTEM REPORT

# KEM GOVERNMENT HOSPITAL, PAREL

Post Mortem Report No.:863 Ref. No.: D4577

Body Identified by: Mr. Vijay Deshmukh – Husband of the deceased

Date and Hour of Receipt of Inquest Paper and Dead Body: 17th April, 2021 at 11:00

PM

Date and Hour of Starting Autopsy: 18th April, 2021 at 11:00 AM

**Date and Hour of Concluding Autopsy:** 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2021 at 5:00 PM

Body Brought by: SI Sangram Singh

P.C. No. D4577 P.S. Gamdevi

# **SCHEDULE OF OBSERVATION**

## A. GENERAL

- 1. Name: Sheetal Deshmukh w/o Mr. Vijay Deshmukh.
- 2. **Age**: 30
- 3. **Sex:** Female
- 4. **Address:** Flat No. 12, Rajesh Mansion, 3rd floor, Tejpal Road, Papanas Wadi, Nanachowk, Mumbai 400007.
- 5. **Height**: 5"4' **Weight**: 62 KG **Physique**: Mesomorph
- 6. **Special Identification Features**: Birth-mark on the Upper right thigh & Mole behind right ear.
- 7. **Post-mortem:** Changes present (extent of rigor mortis, post-mortem lividity and putrefactive signs; stained blood vessels, greenish discoloration, odour, softening of eye balls, exudation from nose and mouth, ova or flies, moving maggots, blebs over body, peeling of cuticle, loosening of hair, thorax and abdomen burst, eye changes, adipocere, mummification.)

- 8. External Appearance: The body is that of a female measuring 154.94 cm and weighing 62 kilograms. The body is athletic and consistent with the age of 30 years. The scalp is round. The nose is long. The mouth and lips are red. The tongue is white and long. Total no. of teeth present is 31 and is white. The ears are bilateral prominent. Clothed with a white top, blue jeans. Full rigor mortis. The scalp hair is brown and long. The corneas are cloudy. The irises are grey. The mouth contains natural teeth. The ears, nose and mouth show no abnormalities. The neck is not of normal configuration and there are palpable masses. The extremities are symmetrical and normally developed. Identifying marks include a birthmark on the upper right thigh and a mole behind the right ear. There is evidence of emergency medical intervention in form of Epinephrine injection. A-C Joint in the shoulder clavicle is broken. Humerus is fractured. The face and hands are bruised. Signs of defibrillation. Conjunctivae were congested, finger nails and lips showed bluish discoloration. All other natural body orifices were intact.
- 9. **Injuries:** Bruises on forearms and below the right ear.

#### **B. HEAD AND NECK**

- 1. Skull, brain, meninges and cerebral vessels: nail scar on the neck.
- 2. Orbital, Nasal and aural cavities: Normal.
- 3. Mouth, tongue: Swollen.
- 4. Neck, larynx, thyroid and other neck structures: excessive linear pressure on the middle hepatic vein.

## C. CHEST (THORAX)

- 1. Ribs and Chest Wall: Damaged and has 3 pin holes near the heart indicating signs of injection.
- 2. Diaphragm- normal.
- 3. Oesophagus- normal.

- 4. Trachea and Bronchi- normal.
- 5. Lungs in normal condition.
- 6. Heart and Pericardial sac- Damaged. Coronaries and aorta showed atherosclerotic changes & thickening of walls. Stomach contained yellowish green liquid without any abnormal odour.
- 7. Swelled blood Vessels.

#### D. ABDOMEN

- 1. Abdominal wall- normal.
- 2. Stomach and content: walls swollen but empty.
- 3. Kidney were congested. Renal pelvis, ureters.
- 4. Small Intestine: wall thickness 3.5MM.
- 5. Large intestine wall thickness 10MM, vermiform appendix 10cm in normal conditions, mesentery and pancreas.
- 6. Liver weighed 1970 gms. Spleen weighed 370 gms Histopathology report of liver and spleen showed Chronic Venous Congestion, hyalinization of vessels and sinusoidal congestion.

## E. SPECIMEN COLLECTED FOR TOXICOLOGICAL ANALYSIS SI.

# **Nature of specimen Preserved**

- 1. Stomach with contents.
- 2. Small intestine and contents.
- 3. Sample of Liver.
- 4. Kidneys (one half of each)
- 5. Spleen
- 6. Sample of Blood
- 7. Other Viscera
- 8. Preservatives Used

## F. Items handed over to Police

- 1. Post Mortem Report.
- 2. Dead Body.
- 3. Viscera, Clothes and other articles
- **G. TIME SINCE DEATH:** 21-22 hours before the time of starting autopsy
- **H. OPINION:** The cause of death appears to be failure of heart due to an excessive dose of Epinephrine and injuries on the head.

On 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2021 at Mumbai

Sd/-Dr. Saket Jaiswal

# **INVESTIGATION REPORT**

(Under Section 173/174 of Criminal Procedure Code)

1. District: South Mumbai PS: Gamdevi FIR No: 451

2. Charge-Sheet No: 11173/2017

3. Case Reported At: 17/04/2021, (20:30 hrs.)

**a.** Investigation commenced at: 17/04/2021, (21:00 hrs.)

**b.** Investigation closed at: 16/05/2021 (17 hrs.)

4. Date: 18-05-2021

5. Act: Indian Penal Code, 1860 Sections: 302, 120B r/w 34, 192 and 203

6. Type of final report: Charge-Sheet

7. If supplementary or Original: Original

8. Name of the I.O.: SI Sangram Singh

9. Name of the Complainant: Mrs. Preeti Singh.

- 10.Name & residence of deceased: Sheetal Deshmukh, Flat No. 12, Rajesh Mansion, 3rd floor, Tejpal Road, Papanas Wadi, Nanachowk, Mumbai 400007
- 11.Place where body was found: Flat No. 12, Rajesh Mansion, 3rd floor, Tejpal Road, Papanas Wadi, Nanachowk, Mumbai 400007 (Residence of Mr. and Mrs. Deshmukh)
- 12. Details of the property seized:
- A. Used syringe 1
- B. Liquid Epinephrine 1
- C. Suicide Letter of Deceased 1
- D. Personal Diary of Deceased 1
- F. Medicines from the bedroom side-table

13. No. of accused persons: 2

14. No. of accused charge sheeted: 2

#### 15. Brief facts of the case:

On 17<sup>th</sup> April, 2021 at 8:00 P.M, police received information from one Mrs. Preeti Singh (PW-1), through telephone about a suspicious death of one Sheetal Deshmukh w/o Vijay Deshmukh that took place at Flat No. 12, Rajesh Mansion, 3rd floor, Tejpal Road, Papanas Wadi, Nanachowk, Mumbai 400007.

On reaching the crime scene with two constables Police found the deceased body lying in the area just inside bed room number 1. Spots of blood can be easily traced on the floor near the body. One used syringe was also found near the deceased and seized.

Mr. Vijay (A-1) pointed towards a suicide note, kept on the table, as written by the deceased, and informed the police about his wife (deceased). An ambulance was called and the doctor on site declared Mrs. Sheetal Deshmukh dead. Body was taken for further medical examination. The crime scene was sealed and everyone was asked to move out from the place of crime.

On investigating bed room number 1, some medicines were recovered from the room side-table, a used syringe was recovered near the body; a medicine bottle of Epinephrine was also recovered near the body and seized. On 22<sup>nd</sup> April, 2021, I received the medical examination report in which the cause of death was reported to be overdose of drugs administered through veins.

On examining Accused-1 and his neighbour, Mrs. Singh, we found that Accused-1 was involved in an extra marital affair with one Ms. Shraddha Patel (Accused-2), who was later found to be a cardiologist in KEM Government Hospital at Parel. The relationship between Accused-1 and the deceased was strained because of his extra marital affair with Accused-2. Accused-1 was asking for divorce to which the deceased continuously refused. PW-1 stated many incidents of quarrel, exchange of heated arguments and physical violence in their house which she heard from inside her home.

During further investigations I found a personal diary of the deceased from the drawer of the bedroom-side table. On interrogating further, PW-1 stated that she saw a black car outside Accused-1's house a few hours just before the murder, which was later traced to be as one belonging to Accused-2.

Next day, I went to check for the Office entry-exit records. The security guard told me that Accused-2 usually comes to the office in the afternoon and they both go together for lunch in Accused-1's car. An entry in the records, for Mr. Vijay, was made for 17th April, 2201. He returned back at around 3 P.M.

On further interrogating Accused-1, he told me that he visited The Saffron, situated around 15 minutes from his office, for lunch with Accused-2 in his white Verna car. He also stated that they both went to Accused-1's house to talk to deceased, but it did not work out as the deceased started shouting at Accused-2. Both the accused persons then left the place. Accused-1 stated that she may have committed suicide after the verbal fight, as she had become emotionally fragile.

While talking to Shraddha's landlord, he told me that he has seen Vijay many times and that he knows him well. On 17<sup>th</sup> April 2021 both Shraddha's and Vijay 's cars were parked outside the landlord's house at 12:45 PM and then they both sat in their cars and drove away at 1:45PM. He also, told me that Shraddha came back alone in her own car at around 2:50 PM

A valet at the Saffron stated that both the Accused visited the Saffron on 17<sup>th</sup> April, 2021 and that he had parked their White Verna car and issued a valet ticket, numbered 924. The Accused-1 came back alone at 2:45 PM and exited from the second exit gate of the building.

After considering all these circumstances, on the basis of prior involvement of A-1 and the presence of A-2 during the death of deceased, I arrested Mr. Vijay Deshmukh (Accused-1) on 27<sup>th</sup> April, 2021 from his office and Ms. Shraddha Patel (Accused-2) from her residence on 27<sup>th</sup> April, 2021. I have charged both the Accused persons under Sections 302, 120B to be read with Section 34 of IPC.

Further, Accused-1 has been separately charged under Sections 192 and 203 of IPC.

#### 16. Reasons for Conclusion:

- a. The medical report by the medical examiner does not conclusively determine the cause of death to be suicide.
- b. The report establishes few bruises and a fracture on the shoulder of deceased.
- c. Sheetal died by consuming a prescription medicine. No prescription was found.
- d. Sheetal was a barrier between Shraddha and Vijay 's marriage.
- e. Mrs. Preeti Singh saw a black Honda City outside Vijay 's house when the incident took place. A same black color Honda City belongs to Shraddha.
- f. The date on suicide note appears to be of 26<sup>th</sup> November 2020. Death took place on 17<sup>th</sup> April 2021.
- g. List Of Witnesses
  - Mrs. Preeti Singh Neighbor & Informant. PW-1.
  - Mr. Gayatri Ranade, Close friend of deceased PW-2.
  - Mr. Sangram Singh, Investigating Officer PW-3.

# Dr. Saket Jaiswal, Medical Officer PW-4.

- Mr. Raghubir Singh, Landlord of Accused- 2 PW-5.
- Mr. Vijay Deshmukh, Accused No. 1 DW-1.
- Ms. Shraddha Patel, Accused No. 2 DW-2.
- Mr. Binod Muni, Valet of the Saffron DW-3.
- Mr. Rampal Yadav, Office Guard DW-4.

Sd/-

SI Sangram Singh

**Investigating Officer**