

छात्रा से पर्स छीन भागा झपटमार साढ़े तीन घंटे में पुलिस ने दबोचा

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सेक्टर-20/21 लाइट प्वाइंट के समीप शुकवार की शाम एक बाइक सवार झपटमार सड़क पार कर रही पीएचडी छात्रा से मोबाइल और पांच हजार रुपये से भरा पर्स छीनकर फरार हो गया। हालांकि पुलिस ने छात्रा को साथ लेकर सर्च अभियान चलाया और आरोपी को साढ़े तीन घंटे बाद गिरफ्तार भी कर लिया गया। छात्रा का नाम वंदना है। वह सेक्टर 20 की रहने वाली है।

वंदना ने बताया कि वह पीयू से पीएचडी कर रही है। शाम करीब सात बजे वह उक्त लाइट प्वाइंट पर जैसे ही सड़क पार करने लगी तभी तेजी से स्पलेंडर बाइक पर आया एक झपटमार पर्स छीनकर भाग गया। पर्स में मोबाइल, आधार कार्ड, एटीएम कार्ड और पांच हजार रुपये थे। उसने मदद के लिए शोर भी मचाया लेकिन झपटमार तेजी से फरार हो गया। इसके बाद उसने पुलिस को सूचना दी।

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**पुलिस ने छात्रा को साथ लेकर चलाया तलाशी
अभियान, कपड़े देखकर आरोपी को पहचाना**



छात्रा से पर्स छीनने का आरोपी। अमर उजाला

शिकायत पर सेक्टर 19 थाने के एसएचओ इंस्पेक्टर अश्वनी कुमार अन्य पुलिस कर्मियों सहित छात्रा को साथ लेकर झपटमार की तलाश में निकल पड़े। कुछ देर बाद एसएचओ छात्रा को लेकर अरोमा लाइट प्वाइंट पर पुलिस नाके के समीप पहुंचे तो छात्रा ने वहां से गुजर रहे आरोपी को उसके कपड़ों से पहचान लिया। छात्रा के इशारा करते ही एसएचओ अश्वनी कुमार ने आरोपी को दबोच लिया। आरोपी की पहचान बुड़ैल निवासी 29 वर्षीय नागपाल के रूप में हुई है। पुलिस ने उसके कब्जे से पांच हजार रुपये सहित छीना गया पर्स बरामद कर लिया है। फिलहाल पुलिस आरोपी से शहर की विभिन्न जगहों पर हुई झपटमारी की वारदात बाबत पूछताछ में जुटी है। आरोपी को शनिवार को अदालत में पेश किया जाएगा।

Teenager gets 10-yr jail for murdering live-in partner

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CHANDIGARH: A local court on Friday awarded 10 years in jail to a juvenile for murdering his 22-year-old live-in partner by strangling her in 2016. The court of additional district and sessions judge Poonam R Joshi also imposed a fine of ₹5,000 on the convict, who was sent to a juvenile home.

A labourer with a private printing press in Mohali, the boy was 17 when he murdered his partner over suspicions of infidelity.

As per the FIR, on the night of August 10, 2016, the Sector-31 police had received information of a suicide in Faidan village,

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where the victim was living with the juvenile in a room.

A police team reached the spot where the victim's sister claimed that her sister had got married to the juvenile six months ago. She had also told the police that it was a love marriage and the accused had been quarrelling with her sister for the past many days and also threatening to kill her.

The victim's sister said she and her younger brother had gone to see her when the accused came out of the room, saying she had hanged herself to death with a sari.

On the victim's sister complaint, the cops initiated investigation.

During interrogation, the accused confessed to have strangled the woman with a piece of cloth, and was booked under Section 302 (murder) of the Indian Penal Code.

However, during the trial, it emerged that the victim was in fact married to another man who also lived in Faidan village, but was illicitly living in with the juvenile. She even had a child with her husband.

Juvenile who killed wife gets 10 yrs in jail

TIMES NEWS NETWORK

Chandigarh: A district court here awarded a juvenile — who murdered his 19-year-old wife by strangulating her in 2016 — 10 years jail term on Friday. The convict was held guilty by the court of additional district and sessions judge Poonam R Joshi. The court also imposed a fine of Rs2,000

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on him.

On August 10, 2016, officials of Faidan police station in Sector 31 received information of a suicide in the village. Following the lead, a police team reached the spot where the victim's sister, a resident of Jagatpura village, Mohali stated that her younger sister was married to Adarsh (the convict) for six

months.

She informed the cops that the convict used to threaten and abuse her sister. Following the complaint, a police team initiated an investigation and found that the victim's husband had lied about his wife's death, saying that she had committed suicide by hanging herself with a sari.

When interrogated, the

accused could not reconstruct the whole incident and later admitted strangulating her wife with a piece of cloth as she was fighting with him over his extra-marital affair.

Following the investigation, the cops registered a case under Section 302 (murder) of the Indian Penal Code at the Police Station Sector 31, Chandigarh.

Soon, helmet must for women

Exemption on medical grounds & for Sikh women wearing headgear in city

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The Chandigarh Administration has decided to make the helmet mandatory for women two-wheeler riders. Exemption will be provided on medical grounds.

Sources said the decision was taken at a high-level meeting of officers, chaired by Secretary (Transport) KK Jindal.

The Administration will issue a draft notification and seek public opinion before issuing the final notification in this regard.

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dents involving women, who are exempt from wearing helmets on city roads. In the past three years, many women riding two-wheelers have lost their lives while 85 have sustained injuries.

The High Court also ques-

tioned how the UT Administration had exempted all women from wearing the headgear, saying that was there a difference between the skull of a male and a female? While Punjab and Haryana exempt only Sikh

women from wearing helmets, the Chandigarh Administration has exempted all women. The Motor Vehicles Act, 1988, permits state governments to make relaxation to some categories. The sources

said the Administration had now decided to exempt only those women riders who were advised for not using the helmet on medical grounds or Sikh women wearing headgear.

The sources said the Administration had finalised the notification after examining the provisions made in Punjab, Haryana and Delhi.

Rajni Gupta, a resident of Sector 10, welcomed the decision, saying that it would save women from fatal accidents.

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2 women seeking alms snatch purse, arrested

SECTOR-29 INCIDENT Victim had taken out ₹10 from her purse to give to the women when they snatched her purse

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CHANDIGARH: Two women seeking alms snatched purse of a housewife in Sector 29 here.

Indu, resident of Sector 29, told police that on Thursday around 11am two women came to her house seeking alms. The accused asked for some money from Indu who pulled out ₹10 note from her purse to hand it over to them.

However, the accused snatched her purse, which had ₹300 cash and fled. Raising alarm, Indu ran after the accused women and with the help of the neighbours caught both the women. They were handed over to the police.

Police said the accused arrested are identified as Ruby, 21, and Chandni, 22, both staying in Mauli Jagran. As per the police the accused are vagabonds and move around in city seeking alms. The duo have been sent to judicial custody.

The incident has instilled fear

ACCUSED DUO WAS CAUGHT AFTER WOMAN RAISED ALARM AND NEIGHBOURS GATHERED; THEY WERE SENT TO JUDICIAL CUSTODY

in victim and she hasn't stepped out the house after the incident. "They had rung the bell of the house and when I opened the door they asked for some money. They looked needy so out of empathy I was giving them ₹10, but they snatched my purse and fled," said Indu while talking through a window. She did not even open the door when the media persons went to her house.

"Bhalai ka time hi nahi reh gaya hai. Kya pata kaun kis bhash mein aa jaye (The times are not good, you never know who may come)" said Indu.

On Wednesday, the high court had summoned UT senior super-

intendent of police (SSP) Nilambari Vijay Jagdale while putting the Union home secretary on notice for April 4 over spurt in snatching cases in the city.

The high court took note of a report carried in Hindustan Times on Wednesday, which stated that the Union home ministry is sitting on a proposal to increase punishment for snatching from three years to up to 10 years and making the offence non-bailable.

THREE MEN ASKING FOR DONATION ROUNDED UP

On Friday, police rounded up three men who were moving in Sector 16 here, seeking donations for a gurdwara.

A resident called the police reporting about the menace of begging in the sector and raising suspicion on these three men moving door-to-door seeking donations for gurdwara.

The police had rounded up the persons but they were let-off after verification.

THIEVES TARGET TWO FLOORS OF SEC-37 HOUSE

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CHANDIGARH: Thieves struck at two floors of a house in Sector 37 here, and decamped with gold jewellery and ₹50,000 in cash on Thursday.

Rajan Kumar, who lives on the ground floor on rent, told the police that he was away to Unai in Himachal Pradesh.

When he returned on Thursday, he found out that the grill of his house and the main door's lock broken.

"The thieves ransacked his house and took way a gold chain, two gold rings and a mangal sutra," claimed Rajan, who teaches mathematics at a private academy in Sector 34, Chandigarh.

Acting on his complaint, a case under Sections 457 (house trespass) and 380 (theft) of the Indian Penal Code has been registered at the Sector-39 police station.

Meanwhile, the landlord's family claimed the thieves also broke into the first floor, which is unoccupied currently, and stole ₹50,000 in cash.

Police have initiated investigation to register a case.