

Sector 39 house theft case solved

Accused Involved In Other Cases As Well

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Chandigarh: Police have arrested a proclaimed offender for looting a house in Sector 39, Chandigarh. The cops said that they were able to crack the within 24 hours.

The cops added that the accused, who was out on bail, was also involved in other burglaries in the city. The accused was on Thursday produced before a local court, which remanded him in custody.

The accused has been identified as Mahesh Kumar, 42, a resident of Baltana in Zirakpur. "On a tip-off, we laid a naka near beat box in Sector 37. When the accused reached there,

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we nabbed him. On his disclosure, we seized gold earrings, a silver ring, and a gold necklace," the cops said.

During interrogation, the cops added, the accused revealed that he had duplicate keys, which

helped him entered the house in Sector 39 from where he stole a briefcase containing Rs 60,000 and jewellery. The cops said that the accused was under the influence while committing the crime.

"While checking CCTV footage dumps, we saw the accused stealing from the house. Further investigation revealed that the accused was also booked by Sector 19, 11, 31 and 36 police stations for several thefts.

"The accused is a drug addict and to fulfill his drug desire, he used to steal. Earlier, he was working as a security guard. The accused also has two children," the cops said.

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Case-solving skills of SIs being assessed

CHANDIGARH: Senior UT police officials are currently interviewing sub-inspectors (SIs) for transfers and postings to different beats in the city.

The interviews are being conducted since Wednesday by a special five-member committee comprising of senior superintendent of police (SSP) UT police Nilambari Jagdale, SSP traffic Shashank Anand, deputy superintendents of police (DSPs) Rashmi Yadav, Sukhraj Katewa and Harjit Kaur.

Police officials claim that the

SIs will be assessed for their technical expertise and efficiency in dealing with complicated cases.

Previously, during the tenure of former director general of police (DGP) Tajender Singh Luthra, inspectors were interviewed by senior police officials before their postings to various police stations.

Almost 25 SIs were interviewed by the police committee on Thursday.

Chandigarh police have more than 70 SI in their ranks. **HTC**

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Six labrador puppies join UT police

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Chandigarh: Chandigarh police has recruited six new labrador puppies into its dog squad.

Aged between three and three-and-half months, these golden and black-coloured puppies have been purchased for Rs 28,000 each and would soon be put under training.

"These labradors are of the Champion's breed and would be sent to National Training Centre of Dogs (NTCD) Bhanu near Panchkula for training in March," said DSP (Police Lines) Satish Kumar. The puppies would be registered with the Canon Club of India (CCI) as well, said DSP Kumar.

According to police officials, while five puppies would



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be trained as explosive sniffers, one would be trained to become a tracker.

"The training for explosive sniffers lasts six months and for a tracker it is 9 months. So, by this November, we'll have five new members in the explosives wing

and one in the tracker division. The tracker dogs are mainly used mainly in murder cases and thefts," said a senior police official.

At present, the dog squad of Chandigarh has eight labradors, out of which five are explosive sniffers and two are

trackers. One dog is off duty, as he recently got injured, said an official.

In the old squad, Raja and Diesel are considered to be the best dogs due to their high success rate. In a recent case of theft in a sweet shop, when the police took the help of dog squad, Diesel had helped them in catching burglars.

A police official explained that these dogs are well taken care of and are fed twice a day and are given a balanced diet. Their morning diet includes 600 ml of curd with chapatis and one boiled egg. The evening diet consist of 600 gm mutton with bones, chapatis with cooked vegetables.

However, on Tuesdays, they are not given meat, but vegetable intake is doubled, added an official.