

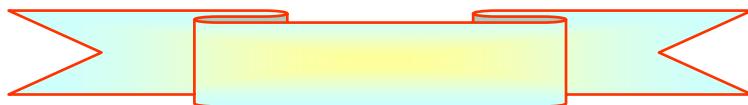


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- ONE LADY ARRESTED WHILE MOVING AROUND IN DELHI IN FORGED NUMBER PLATE INNOVA CAR OF A FOREIGN EMBASSY.
- SHE WAS VISITING VARIOUS EMBASSIES AND HIGH SECURITY AREAS OF NEW DELHI.
- HER ARREST IS VERY CRUCIAL ON THE NATIONAL SECURITY POINT OF VIEW AHEAD OF REPUBLIC DAY CELEBRATIONS.

INTRODUCTION

On 15/1/2026, on receiving a Secret Information team of AEKC Crime Branch apprehended a lady namely Aashma Begum w/o Ahsanul Haque Age 45 years, R/o C-1 JB Enclave Ashram Road South Sarania Guwahati (Assam), while she was driving an Innova car having forged number plate of a foreign Embassy i.e. 144 CD 54 in Vasant Vihar Area ND. On search of her car one more number plate of Foreign Embassy was recovered from it bearing number 75 CD 154.

INCIDENT, TEAM AND OPERATION

On a secret input received at the Anti-Extortion & Kidnapping Cell, Crime Branch, PS Sunlight Colony, New Delhi that a lady is frequently visiting the Embassies of different countries situated in New Delhi and is also using a car bearing a forged number plate of some Embassy. A team headed by Insp. Daleep Kumar, comprising of SI Vijay Kumar, No. D-931, SI Ashok Kumar, No. D-1743, ASI Ravinder, No. 195/CR, HC Samrat, No. 1356/CR, W/HC Ruby, No. 716/CR and W/Ct. Kiran, No. 3659/NE under the leadership of Sh.

Pankaj Arora/ACP AEKC and overall supervision of undersigned was constituted to carry out an operation to verify the said lady. Accordingly, as per secret input, the departed to E-Block, Vasant Vihar, New Delhi. After reaching E Block, the information was further developed, which revealed that she had moved towards B Block, Vasant Vihar, New Delhi. On reaching at B Block, Vasant Vihar, the vehicle No. 144 CD 54 was found parked in Street B-5. Accordingly, a trap was laid there. At around 3.10 PM, a lady aged about 45 years moved towards the car and opened the car with keys in her hand. She sat on the driving seat and was about to start the car when she was intercepted at the instance of secret informer. On enquiry, she disclosed her identity as Ashma Begum W/o Ahsanul Haque R/o C-1, JB Enclave, Ashram Road, South Sarania, Guwahati, Assam, Age – 45 Years. When, she was asked about the ownership documents of vehicle, she stated that it is a diplomatic vehicle but could not produce the ownership documents.

INTERROGATION: -

Initially she stated herself to be a representative of a foreign embassy but did not disclose the name of said embassy. Therefore, she, along with said vehicle, was brought at Anti-Extortion & Kidnapping Cell, Crime Branch, Sunlight Colony, New Delhi for enquiry in detail. After a detailed enquiry, she admitted that she was using forged number Plates of a foreign embassy on the said vehicle. She also disclosed that she had purchased the said Innova car from a foreign Embassy in November 2024, having the actual registration number 75 CD 253. She also disclosed that the Embassy filed a complaint against her at PS Chanakya Puri for not registering the vehicle in her name. Therefore, she removed the number Plates of that Embassy and prepared forged number Plates of registration No. 144 CD 54, looking like the number Plates of the Embassy, so that she may avoid checking being done by Police personnel at various locations, to have easy access in different embassies and smooth and unchecked movement in the diplomatic area. On checking the vehicle, the number plates o 75 CD 253 were also found kept in the said vehicle. As she impersonated as a representative of an Embassy and used the forged number plates on the vehicle in order to cheat Govt. agencies and some other ill motives and finding that she may have involved in anti-national activities along with other persons which requires in-depth investigation into the matter. Hence, *prima facie* a case u/s 318/319/337/336/340/61(2) BNS 2023, was registered and being investigated.

PROFILE OF ACCUSED AASHMA: -

Accused Aashma Begam W/o Ahsanul Haque age about 45 years is permanent resident of Assam and lives in Guwahati. She is graduate. Mr. Ahsanul Haque is

employed in transport department of Assam Govt. Having a consultancy service in the name of India International Trade Tourism Ltd and deals in B2B model of Business involving through Embassies of different countries. She is Running a Proprietorship Firm in the name and style Parikrama Counselling registered on her above address. She is having an NGO in the name of World Women Organization. She is claiming herself to be the All-India Secretary of a political party for the last 4 years. She is also claiming to have worked in foreign Embassy as consultant for one year in 2023-24 and she was paid Rs 1.5 lakh per month. She is also claiming to working as sports guide in University of Science and Technology Meghalaya for which she was paid. Now she is doing consultancy to foreign students especially African national for their study in this university and getting fees per student admission.

After her arrest she was remanded to police custody for 06 days. Her mobile phone has been seized and details were analysed and she has been interrogated in details in the case. Her arrest is very crucial on the point of National Security in forthcoming Republic Day Celebrations. Her activities are being verified in view of the same.

RECOVERIES:

1. One Innova car having forged number plates of a foreign embassy.
2. Two more forged number plates of foreign embassy.
3. One mobile phone.
4. Sale documents of the Innova car.

Further investigation in the case is in progress.

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