



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Home Department - Prosecution of the accused person for offences punishable under section 12(1)(a), 12(1)(b) of Passport Act, 1967 in Crime No.203/2025 of Karipur Police Station - Prosecution Sanction under section 15 of the Passport Act, 1967 - Sanction accorded - Orders issued

HOME (G) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt)No.834/2026/HOME Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 05-03-2026

Read Letter No.D3 -160228/2025/PHQ dated 21.08.2025 & 03.02.2026, from the State Police Chief, Kerala

ORDER

WHEREAS, it has been disclosed from the records of investigation in Crime No.203/2025 of Karipur Police Station that the accused [A1] Shaik Jamal, S/o S Dastagiri Shaik, 2-21, Mulapak, Chemullapalle, Khajipeta, YSR Kadapa - 516163, had fraudulently obtained Indian Passport bearing No.Y 8915635 from Vijayavada Passport Office under the name, Jamal Shaik by suppressing material facts regarding his old Passport bearing No.L 3828944. On 15.03.2025, the accused, approached the Immigration Authorities at Calicut International Airport seeking immigration clearance to Saudi Arabia, by Indigo Airlines flight No: 6E-87/DMM on the strength of Employment Visa issued by Saudi Mission in Mumbai bearing Visa No: 6136704524 in the name of Jamal Shaik Dastagiri shaik. On scrutiny of his travel documents ,the immigration officers noticed discrepancies relating to his previous travel history. The accused stated that he had studied only up to second standard. However, his current passport was endorsed as Emigration Check Not Required (ECNR), which raised suspicion .Upon further questioning, the

accused admitted that he had previously worked in Gulf Countries for a long period. Since no previous passports were linked to the current passport, suspicion was further heightened. Based on the statement of the accused to the Immigration Officers that he had departed from the Chennai International Airport in the year 2018, by cross verification, it was found that he had previously been issued three passports (L3828944, E6715256, Q091493), all bearing different name and different date of birth compared with his present passport. Further verification of his other documents/IDs by the Immigration Officers with the current passport, disclosed discrepancies in his name as well as date of birth. Thus the accused [A1] Shaik Jamal violated Passport Act and Rules and committed offences punishable under section 336(2), 340(2) of Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023 and section 12(1)(a) & 12(1)(b) of the Indian Passport Act, 1967.

AND WHEREAS, the Government of Kerala after careful examination of the records of investigation in Crime No.203/2025 of Karipur Police Station are fully satisfied that the aforesaid accused [A1] Shaik Jamal committed offences punishable under section 12(1)(a) and 12(1)(b) of the Passport Act, 1967.

NOW THEREFORE, Government of Kerala, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 15 of the Passports Act, 1967 read with Government of India Notification No. GSR 662(E), dated 01.12.1979 of the Ministry of External Affairs do hereby, accord sanction to prosecute the accused [A1] Shaik Jamal, for the offences punishable under section 12(1)(a) and 12(1)(b) of the Passport Act, 1967, in Crime No.203/2025 of Karipur Police Station and for taking cognizance of the said offences by a court of competent jurisdiction.

(By order of the Governor)

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The Station House Officer, Karipur Police Station.

Information & Public Relations (W&NM) Department.

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