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## Special Court for NIA Cases, Bengaluru pronounces sentence in RC-19/2019/NIA/DLI & RC-15, 16, 17 & 18/2020/NIA/DLI (JMB Bengaluru Cases of Karnataka)

Yesterday (28.11.2022) Ld. Special Judge, Special Court for NIA Cases, Bengaluru pronounced Sentence convicting 3 individuals under various offences of IPC and UA (P) Act in a case, pertaining to seizure of huge quantities of electrical & electronic items, tools, chemical apparatus, containers etc. used for fabrication of bombs and IEDs, digital cameras and incriminating handwritten documents etc. from the hideout of JMB in Bengaluru. This was initially registered by Karnataka Police vide crime no. 144/2019 at Soladevanahalli PS, Bengaluru on 07.07.2019 and was re-registered by NIA as RC-19/2019/NIA/DLI on 29.07.2019.

2. Further, four cases related to dacoities committed by accused persons i.e., 1) FIR no. 109/2018 dated 27.02.2018 of K R Puram PS, 2) FIR no. 119/2018 dated 15.03.2018 of Attibele PS, 3) FIR no. 69/2018 dated 20.03.2018 of Kothanur PS and 4) FIR no. 172/2018 dated 24.04.2018 of Attibele PS were re-registered by NIA as RC-15/2020/NIA/DLI, RC-16/2020/NIA/DLI, RC-17/2020/NIA/DLI and RC-18/2020/NIA/DLI respectively on 01.04.2020. After completion of investigation, a consolidated Charge-sheet was filed in all these dacoity cases. For trial, these four cases were clubbed to the case RC-19/2019/NIA/DLI.

3. The details of the accused convicted in these cases are as follows:

- i. Najir Sheikh @ Patla Anas, S/o Lalu Sheikh, R/o Dighirpahar village, PO- Kashiadanga, Raghunathganj PS, Murshidabad District, West Bengal was convicted for 07 Years RI and fine under sections 120B, 395, 452, 397, 399, 400, 458 & 201 of IPC, sections 17, 18, 20, 21 & 23 of UA (P) Act, 1967 and section 25 (1) of Arms Act.
- ii. Habibur Rahaman Sk @ Habibur Sk @ Talha Sk, S/o Late Bani Israel @ Montu Sheikh, R/o Muluk Shanti Palli village, Bolpur PS, Birbhum District, West Bengal was convicted for 07 Years RI and fine under sections 120B, 395, 397, 399, 452, 468, 471, 400 & 458 of IPC, sections 17, 18, 20 & 23 of UA (P) Act, 1967 and section 25 (1) of Arms Act.
- iii. Mosaraf Hossain @ Hossain, S/o Mustakin Sheikh, R/o Ichchhakhali village, Kulgachhi Post, Raghunathganj PS, Murshidabad District, West Bengal-742213 was convicted for 07 Years RI and fine under sections 120B, 395, 452, 397, 400 & 458 of IPC, sections 17, 18 & 20 of UA (P) Act, 1967 and section 25 (1) of Arms Act.

4. Investigations had established that accused persons had raised funds by committing dacoities at various places in Bengaluru with the intention of furthering the activities of JMB in India and also collected explosive materials and test fired a rocket launcher. The 'proceeds of crime-dacoity' in the form of Gold was sold by Nazir Sheikh and other accused for raising funds for carrying out terror activities.

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