

P.W. No. 1 on S.A. :

Name : Mohd. Irfan Iqbal Shaikh.  
Age : 52 years.  
Occupation : Auto Driver.  
Residing at : Randher Bus Stop, Ice factory, behind Randher  
Police Chowky, Randher, Surat, Gujarat.

Examination-in-chief by Ld. A.P.P. Smt. P. S. Patil for the State :-

1. On 19.10.2003, I was called in Randher Police Station in relation to one panchanama. The concerned Officer of the Police Station informed that he is going to prepare a panchanama about taking specimen signature of Sanjay Hariram Agarwal from Home Trade company. The concerned Officer prepared a panchanama in relation to cheques and contract notes issued by accused Sanjay. The Police Officer prepared panchanama in my presence in relation to the seizure of documents and taking handwriting specimen. Now I am shown the panchanama filed in this matter. I was informed about the contents in the panchanama and my signature was taken at Sr. No.2. It bears my signature and contents therein are true and correct. The panchanama accompanies the documents seized by the Police Officer. Hence, the panchanama is given **Exhibit-87**.

**Examination in chief completed.**

Cross examination by Adv. Shital Turakhia for accused No.1 :-

2. I used to drive Auto Rickshaw in year 2003. I was residing at the same place. I have studied upto 3<sup>rd</sup> standard. The concerned Officers from Randher Police station used to call me for some times in relation to such cases as panch witness. It is true to say that I just signed on the panchanama and I do not know the

exact content. I do not know who is Sanjay Agarwal. I do not know anything about these documents, contract notes and cheques. It is not true to say that I am deposing falsely that I was called by the concerned Police Officer and I signed as a panch witness. It is not true to say that I am deposing falsely that the documents were seized in my presence and the specimens were taken in my presence. I do not know anything about the crime and the names of accused.

**Cross examination by Adv. Nitish Wani for accused No.2 :-**

3. Declined.

**Cross examination by Adv. Deepak Mane for accused No.3 :-**

4. Adopted the cross of accused No.1.

**Cross examination by Accused No.4 in person :-**

5. Declined.

**Cross-Examination is completed**

**No Re-examination.**

**R. O. & A. C.**

**Sd/-**

**(Abhijit R. Solapure)  
Addl. C. J. M., 47<sup>th</sup> Court,  
Esplanade, Mumbai.**

**Date :27.11.2025**

(It is brought to the notice of this Court that the panchanama Exhibit-87 is a xerox copy)



