

INQUEST REPORT
(Under section 196 BNSS, 2023)

1. State: P.S.:
P.S. GDE: U.D. Case No.: Date:-.....-20.....
2. Act/Section:
3. Date, time and place when and where the Magistrate received intimation U/S 194(1) BNSS, about the death:
Date:-.....-20..... Time::..... AM/PM Place:
4. The substance of information obtained by him (Executive Magistrate) and from whom?
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5. The place where the dead body was found? (Location):
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6. (a) Inquest commenced at (Time)::..... AM/PM (Date):-.....-20.....
(b) Closed (Time)::..... AM/PM (Date):-.....-20.....
7. (a) Place and Time where dead: Place:
Body found / traced: Date:-.....-20..... Time::..... AM/PM
(b) Was the body cold/swarm when found:
8. Person who showed / traced the dead body: Name
Age
Address
P.S.
District, Assam
9. Person who identified the dead body: Name
Age
Address
P.S.
District, Assam
10. Dead body : Sex (Male / Female)
Age
Approximate age: Age
P.S.
Approximate date & time of death
Date:.....-.....-20..., Time:.....:.. AM/PM
11. NAME & ADDRESS OF DEAD BODY (IF KNOWN):
Name:
S/O, D/O, W/O, C/O:
R/O:
P.S.:, District:

12. Position of dead body:

13. Relatives, if any present at the time of ingest: (their names, address and relationship with the deceased):

Sl No.	Name	Father's / Husband name of the identifier	Relation with the deceased	Address

14. Description of dead body: Built Height

Complexion

Identification Mark

Deformities

Teeth

Eyes Dress

Bum Mark

Luces derma

Mole Sear

Tattoo

Other feature

15. Description of injures found on dead body (if any):

(a) Head

(b) Face

(c) In case of hanging cases, the ligulate mark to be noted whether circular (Homicidal) of oblique (Suicidal)

(d) Chest

(e) Abdomen

(f) Limbs:

i. Right hand

ii. Left hand

iii. Right leg

iv. Left leg

v. Private parts

vi. Back

vii. Other information like wound's bruises and marks of injuries / Bleeding (if any) ..

viii. Whether the limbs / body is stiff or lose

ix. Any other injuries with description

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16. Viewing the surroundings in their totality with the dead body lying there, following items to be noted among other things:

- a) Marks of violence or struggle, if any observed:
- b) Articles such as rope, weapon, ammunition, instruments, shell, used cartridge, chemicals etc. if any found:

Note: In case of gunshot wound, to preserve the cloth having gunshot wounds. In suspected suicidal gunshot wound, the hands are to be covered by dry paper bag to prevent contamination. No other stains or preservatives to be used before sending for autopsy.

- c) Suicide note, if any:
- d) Foreign materials such as weeds, straws etc. found in the hair of clenched the hands of the deceased or attached to part of the body:
- e) Are there circumstances available on the scene, to show that the deceased killed himself:
- f) Do you notice anything in the surroundings to suspect foul play:

17. Number and names of the witness examined by the Magistrate and substance and weight of their evidence:

Note: (1) The witness referred above should be the person who appears to be acquainted with the facts and circumstances of the over the cause of death:

ii. The statement of the witness should be recorded separately:

Sl No.	Name of the witness	Address	Substance and weight of Evidence
1.			
2.			
3.			
4.			

18. (a) Whether request made to Medical Officer to preserve finger prints of the dead body (if unknown)?

Yes/No:

(b) Photograph / Video of the dead body both from near and long distance should be taken.

I/O to proceed to the P.O. with all necessary tools:

(c) Whether clearly visible photographs of the ligature marks taken from all four sides or not:

Yes/No:

(d) Whether the body has been sent for postmortem:

Yes/No:

(e) Which hospital has the body been sent to?

Name

(f) Dead body is sent for post-mortem through:

whom (name & designation)

C/No Posting Mobile No.

(g) Vesicant (in case of dead due to suspected poisoning, the M.O. to be requested to preserved the Viscera)

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19. Opinion of the Magistrate as the cause of death as could be ascertained by him, based on his inspection of the scene, close examination of dead body and evidence adduced the witness:

20. Whenever there are wounds, fractures, bruised and other marks of injury, as may be found on the body, the Magistrate should state in what manner or by what weapon or instrument. If any, such injuries / marks appear to have caused:

21. More information / Suspicion (if any):
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22. Name and address of witness Signature of witness

I. (1)

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II. (2)

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III. (3)

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Date:

Place:

Enclosures Nos. sheet.

Signature of Executive Magistrate / Investigating Officer,

Name:

Rank / Designation:

Posting:

Mobile No.: