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THE TELANGANA BHARATIYA NAGARIK SURAKSHA (ARREST INFORMATION) RULES, 2025.

[G.O.Ms.No. 76, Home (Courts.B), 9th October, 2025.]

In exercise of the powers conferred under sub-section (3) of section 48 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 (Central Act No.46 of 2023), the Government of Telangana is pleased to notify the following rules: -

RULES

1. **Short title, extent and commencement:** (1) These rules may be called as the Telangana Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita (Arrest Information) Rules, 2025.

(2) These rules shall extend to the whole of the State of Telangana.

(3) These rules shall come into force on and from the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.

2. **Definitions**: (1) In these rules, unless the context otherwise requires,-

(a) "**Electronic Communication**" means the communication of any written, verbal, pictorial information or video content transmitted or transferred (whether from one person to another or from one device to another or from a person to a device or from a device to a person) by means of an electronic device including telephone, mobile phone, or other wireless

communication device, or a computer, or audio-video player or camera or any other electronic device or electronic form, as defined in section 2(i) of the Sanhita;

(b) **"Mode of Information"** means the mode of intimation regarding arrest to relatives, friend or such other persons as may be disclosed or nominated by the arrested person given through electronic mode i.e., mobile phone, social media apps (including what sapp), sms, Landline phone, email as well as physical mode;

(c) **"Police Station"** means the place as defined under clause (u) of sub-section (1) of section 2 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023;

(d) **"Sanhita"** means the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 (Central Act No.46 of 2023).

(2) All other words and expressions shall have the same meaning as assigned to them in the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 (Central Act No.46 of 2023).

3. **Section 48 of the Sanhita prescribes that**

"48. Obligation of person making arrest to inform about arrest, etc., to relative or friend. (1) Every police officer or other person making any arrest under this Sanhita shall forth with give the information regarding such arrest and place where the arrested person is being held to any of his relatives, friends or such other persons as may be disclosed or nominated by the arrested person for the purpose of giving such information and also to the designated police officer in the district.

(2) The police officer shall inform the arrested person of his rights under sub-section (1) as soon as he is brought to the police station

(3) An entry of the fact as to who has been informed of the arrest of such person shall be made in a book to be kept in the police station in such form as the State Government may, by rules, provide.

(4) It shall be the duty of the Magistrate before whom such arrested person is produced, to satisfy himself that the requirements of sub-section (2) and sub-section (3) have been complied with in respect of such arrested person.

4. Whereas section 48 of the Sanhita mandates that the police officer making arrest to give information about such arrest and place where the arrested person is kept to the relative of the arrested person, friend or any other person nominated by him; And whereas the sub-section (3) mandates that entry of the person informed of the arrest shall entered in a book. The details of the book are to be as per the rules made by the State government. Hence there it is incumbent on the State Government to make rules specifying the form in which entry of the details of the person arrest has to be mentioned. Therefore,-

(i) Every Police Officer or other person making any arrest under "Sanhita", shall forthwith give the information regarding such arrest and place where the arrested person is being held to any of his relatives, friends or such other persons as may be disclosed or nominated by the arrested person for the purpose of giving such information and also to the designated police officer in the district.

(ii) Every Police Station shall maintain a register for entering the details in respect of arrested person (s) and an entry of the fact as to who has been informed of the arrest of such person as given at Schedule I.

(iii) Saving of the powers of the Court-Nothing in these rules shall be deemed to limit or otherwise affect the power of the Court as given in the Sanhita or any other law for the time being in force.

Schedule-I

[Section 48(3) of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023]

Refer rule 4 (ii)

Information to be entered in the Arrested Persons Register											
Sl No	FIR/ DD.No. U/S, Date & Time	Name, Address and Phone No. of Person arrested / Detained	Name and Rank of Officer Making Arrest / Detention	Date & Time of Arrest	Place of Arrest	Name and Address & Tel No. to whom information given and relation with the arrested person	Date, Time and mode of Information given to relative / friend etc. of the arrested Person	Whether inspection Memo Prepared or not	Whether Dossier search slip prepared	Whether given address of the accused found correct or not	Name and Rank of Address verifying officer.

THE TELANGANA BHARATIYA NAGARIK SURAKSHA (FIRST INFORMATION REPORT) RULES, 2025

[G.O.Ms.No. 77, Home (Courts.B), 9th October, 2025.]

In exercise of the powers conferred under sub-section (1) of section 173 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 (Central Act No.46 of 2023), the Government of Telangana is pleased to notify the following rules:-

RULES

1. Short title, extent and commencement:

(1) These rules may be called as the Telangana Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita (First Information Report) Rules, 2025.

(2) These rules shall extend to the whole of the State of Telangana.

(3) These rules shall come into force on and from the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.

2. Definitions: (1) In these rules, unless the context otherwise requires,-

(i) **"Electronic Communication"** means the communication of any written, verbal, pictorial information or video content transmitted or transferred (whether from one person to another or from one device to another or from a person to a device or from a device to a person) by means of an electronic device including telephone, mobile phone, or other wireless communication device, or a computer, or audio-video player or camera or any other electronic device or electronic form, as defined in section 2(i) of the Sanhita;

(ii) **"Information"** means the information received orally, in writing or by electronic communication under clause (i) and (ii) of sub-section (1) of section 173 of the Sanhita;

(iii) **"Offence"** means the cognizable offence as defined under clause (g) of sub-section (1) of section 2 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023;

(iv) **"Officer in-charge of a police station"** means the officer in charge as defined under clause (r) of sub-section (1) of section 2 of the Sanhita;

(v) "**Police Station**" means the place as defined under clause (u) of sub-section (1) of section 2 of the Sanhita;

(vi) '**Sanhita**' means the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 (Central Act No.46 of 2023).

(2) All other words and expressions shall have the same meaning as assigned to them in the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 (Central Act No.46 of 2023).

3. Recording of Information: Subject to sub-section (3) of section 173 of the Sanhita, every information relating to commission of a cognizable offence received at the Police Station shall be converted into First Information Report (FIR) on Crime and Criminal Tracking Network and Systems (CCTNS) in the prescribed Form provided in Annexure-A as appended:

Provided that if the information is received through Electronic Communication, the FIR shall be issued only after the Informant has signed it within three days.

Annexure-A

FIRST INFORMATION REPORT

(Under Section 173 B.N.S.S.)

1. District.....P.S. ..... Year..... FIR No. .....
   Date.....
2. (i)Acts & Section(s) .....
3. (a) Occurrence of offence: Day..... Date & time from..... ....

   Date & Time to.....Prior To..... Time Period .....

   (b) Information received at P.S.: Date&

   (c) General Diary Reference : Entry No. .....Date &Time .....
4. Type of Information: Written / Oral / electronic
5. Place of Occurrence:

   a) Direction and distance from P.S.
   .....
   ..... Beat No. .....

   b) Address Place..... Street/Village..... Area/Mandal.....
   City/District..... State..... Pin.....

   c) In case, outside the limit of this Police Station, then

   Name of P.S. ..... District.....
6. Complainant / Informant:

   a) Name.....

   b) Father's/Husband's
   Name.....
   c) Date/Year of Birth ..... Age ..... Gender .....
   d) Nationality ..... e) Caste .....
   f) Passport No. .....Date of Issue ..... Place of Issue .....
   g) Occupation..... Mobile No .....
   Email ID .....
   h) Address H. No ..... Area / Mandal ..... Street / Village .....
   City / District ..... State ..... Pin .....
7. Details of known/suspected/unknown accused with full particulars: (Attach separate sheet, if necessary)

   Serial No: .....

   a) Name.....

   b) Father's/Husband's Name
   .....
   c) Occupation ..... d) Caste ..... e) Gender .....

   f) Age ..... Nationality .....

   g) Address
   H. No ..... Street / Village..... Area / Mandal .....
   City / District ..... State ..... Pin .....
   h) Phone (Off) ..... Phone (Resi) ..... Cell No .....
   i) Email .....

   Serial No: .....

   d) Name.....

e) Father's/Husband's Name
.....

f) Occupation ..... g) Caste ..... h) Gender .....

i) Age ..... Nationality .....

j) Address
H. No ..... Street / Village..... Area / Mandal .....
City / District ..... State ..... Pin .....
k) Phone (Off) ..... Phone (Resi) ..... Cell No .....

Email ....

Physical features, deformities and other details of the suspect/accused: (If known / seen)

These fields will be entered only if complainant/informant gives any one or more particulars about the suspect/accused.

Sl. No.	Sex	Date/Year of Birth	Build	Height (cms.)	Complexion	Identification Mark(s)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)

Deformities/ Peculiarities	Teeth	Hair	Eyes	Habit(s)	Dress Habit(s)	Languages / Dialect
(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(14)	(15)

PLACE OF				
Burn Mark	Leucoderma	Mole	Scar	Tattoo
(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)

8. Reasons for delay in reporting by the complainant / informant
.....
....

9. Particulars of properties stolen (Attach separate sheet, if necessary)
.....
.....
.....

10. Total value of property stolen.....

11. Inquest Report / U.D. case No.....

12. Contents of the complaint / statement of complaint or informant (Attach separate sheet, if required):

13. Action taken:

Since the above information reveals commission of offence(s) U/s as mentioned at Item No: .....

1) Registered the case and took up the investigation or Name .....

2) Directed (Name of I.O.) to take up investigation or

3) Refused investigation due to or

4) Transferred to P.S. ..... District.....on point of jurisdiction.

F.I.R. read over to the complainant / informant, admitted to be correctly recorded and a copy given to the complainant /informant, free of cost.

14. Signature / Thumb impression of the complainant / informant.

15. Date and time of dispatch to the court : .....

Signature of Officer in charge, Police Station Name

THE TELANGANA NON - COGNIZABLE OFFENCES REPORT RULES, 2025.

[G.O.Ms.No. 78, Home (Courts.B), 9th October, 2025.]

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 174 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 (Central Act No.46 of 2023), the Government of Telangana is pleased to frame the following rules:-

RULES

1. **Short title and commencement:** (1) These rules may be called as the Telangana Non-cognizable Offences Report Rules, 2025.

(2) These Rules shall come into force on and from the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.

2. **Definitions:** (1) In these rules, unless the context otherwise requires:-

(i) **"Information"** means the information received under sub-section (1) of section 174 of the Sanhita;

(ii) **"Non-Cognizable Offence"** means 'non-cognizable offence' as defined under clause (o) of sub-section (1) of section 2 of the Sanhita;

(iii) **"Officer incharge of a police station"** means the officer incharge as defined under clause (r) of sub-section (1) of section 2 of the Sanhita;

(iv) **"Police Station"** means the place as defined under clause (u) of sub-section (1) of section 2 of the Sanhita;

(v) **'Sanhita'** means the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 (Central Act No.46 of 2023);

(2) The words and expressions used in these rules shall have the same meaning as assigned to them in the Sanhita.

3. **Recording of Information:** When the officer in charge of a police station receives information about the commission of a non-cognizable offence, committed within the limits of such station, he shall enter or cause to be entered in respect of such information in the Non-Cognizable Information Report in the Form given in Annexure A and refer the information to the Magistrate having jurisdiction over the local area within the limits of such station.

4. **Fortnightly Report:** (1) Police Officer shall investigate a non-cognizable case only after obtaining an order to investigate from a Magistrate having power to try such case or commence the case for trial.

(2) The Police Officer investigating such a case, shall day by day enter his proceedings of the investigation in a diary as mentioned in sub-section (1) of section 192 of the Sanhita.

(3) The police officer shall send the daily diary report maintained for all the non-cognizable offences fortnightly to the Magistrate in the Form given in Annexure B.

Annexure-A

N.C.R

NON-COGNIZABLE OFFENCE INFORMATION REPORT

In respect of Non-Cognizable Offence (Under section 174 BNSS)

PS..... District..... NCR No.....Date .....

1. Acts & Sections of law

S. No.	Act (s)	Sections

1. Place of occurrence
a) Information Received at P.S
Date
Time
b) General Diary Reference
G.D. No.
G.D. Time
c) Occurrence Date:
Time.
d) Place of occurrence:
2. Name & Residence of Complainant

Name

Father's / Husband's Name

Age

S. No.	Address Type	Address
1.	Present Address	
2.	Permanent Address	

4. Name, Father's Name, Age & Residence of Accused/Suspect:

a) Name
b) Father's / Husband's Name :
c) Age:
d) Residence

S. No.	Address Type	Address
1.	Present Address	
2.	Permanent Address	

5. NCR Contents

6. Particulars of properties involved (Attach separate sheet, if necessary)

S. No.	Property Type	Property Description
1.		
2.		

7. R.O.A.C:

(a) Name of the Court :

(b) Reason of Investigation under section 174(2) BNSS::

8. Informant is advised to seek help in concerned court:

Signature of Officer
Name
Rank
No.

Signature/Thumb impression of the complainant/informant:

G-988/2.

ANNEXURE-B

IN THE COURT OF THE HON'BLE.....JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE OF FIRST CLASS AT.....

FORTNIGHTLY DAILY DIARY REPORT OF NON-COGNIZABLE CASES U/s 174(1)(ii) of BNSS, 2023

1. District:
2. Name of Police Station:
3. Period of Report:
4. Total number of Non-Cognizable cases under investigation:
5. Details of Daily Report:

FIR No -	Dated.....	Under Section.....
Action taken		
Date	Time at which information reached him.	
Date	Time at which he began and closed investigation / place or places visited by him, statement of the circumstances ascertained by him.	
Date	Time at which he began and closed investigation / place or places visited by him, statement of the circumstances ascertained by him.	

FIR No -	Dated	Under Section.....
Action taken		
Date	Time at which information reached him.	
Date	Time at which he began and closed investigation / place or places visited by him, statement of the circumstances ascertained by him.	
Date	Time at which he began and closed investigation / place or places visited by him, statement of the circumstances ascertained by him.	

6. Date of Submission of Fortnightly Report:

Signature of the SHO/OIC

THE TELANGANA PROCEDURE FOR INVESTIGATION IN CERTAIN CASES RULES, 2025.

[G.O.Ms.No. 79, Home (Courts.B), 9th October, 2025.]

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (2) of section 176 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 (Central Act No.46 of 2023), the Government of Telangana is pleased to frame the following rules:-

RULES

1. **Short title and commencement**: (1) These rules may be called as the Telangana Procedure for investigation in Certain Cases Rules, 2025.

(2) These rules shall come into force on and from the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.

2. **Definitions:** (1) In these rules, unless the context otherwise requires,-

(i) "**Investigation**" means the investigation as defined under clause (1) of sub-section (1) of section 2 of the Sanhita;

(ii) "**Magistrate**" means the Judicial Magistrate as explained in section 3(1) of the Sanhita;

(iii) "**Offence**" means the offence as defined under clause (q) of sub-section (1) of section 2 of the Sanhita;

(iv) "**Officer-in-charge of a police station**" means the officer-in-charge as defined under clause I of sub-section (1) of section 2 of the Sanhita;

(v) "**Police Station**" means the place as defined under clause (u) of sub-section (1) of section 2 of the Sanhita;

(vi) '**Sanhita**' means the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 (Central Act No.46 of 2023).

(2) The words and expressions used in these rules shall have the same meaning as assigned to them in the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 (Central Act No.46 of 2023).

3. **Procedure for investigation in non serious offences:** (1) When the information about the commission of a cognizable offence is given and in the opinion of the officer in charge of the police station is of the opinion that the case is of not of a serious nature or there are no sufficient grounds for entering into an investigation, he may not proceed to make investigation on the spot or may not investigate the case.

(2) In all cases where the officer in charge of police station does not proceed to the spot and investigate the case or does not investigate the case, he shall mention the same in his report forwarded to the Magistrate under sub-section (1) of section 176 of the Sanhita and forward the daily diary report of all such cases to the Magistrate in the Form mentioned in Annexure A.

(3) In all the cases where the officer in charge of a police station is of the opinion that there are no sufficient grounds for entering investigation of a case and does not take up investigation he shall forthwith notify the same to the information either through electronic mode i.e., mobile phone, social media apps including Whatsapp, SMS (Short Message Service), Landline phone, email or through physical mode in the format given in Annexure B.

ANNEXURE-A

IN THE COURT OF THE HON'BLE.....JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE OF FIRST CLASS AT.....

FORTNIGHTLY DAILY DIARY REPORT OF NON-COGNIZABLE CASES U/s 176(2) of BNSS, 2023

1. District:
2. Name of Police Station:
3. Period of Report:
4. Total number of not investigated falling under Section 176(1)(a) & (b) :
5. Daily Report of such cases:
   a) Cases falling under Section 176(1) (a)

FIR No -	Dated	Under Section.....
Action taken		
Date	Time at which information reached him.	
Date	Specify reasons why he did not proceed to the spot or did not did not depute a subordinate to the spot	
Date	If he has taken up investigation - time at which he began and closed investigation / place or places visited by him, statement of the circumstances ascertained by him.	
Date	If he has taken up investigation - time at which he began and closed investigation / place or places visited by him, statement of the circumstances ascertained by him.	

FIR No -	Dated	Under Section.....
Action taken		
Date	Time at which information reached him.	
Date	Specify reasons why he did not proceed to the spot or did not did not depute a subordinate to the spot	
Date	If he has taken up investigation - time at which he began and closed investigation / place or places visited by him, statement of the circumstances ascertained by him etc.	
Date	If he has taken up investigation time at which he began and closed investigation / place or places visited by him, statement of the circumstances ascertained by him etc.	

b) Cases falling under Section 176(1) (b)

FIR No -	Dated	Under Section.....
Action taken		
Date	Time at which information reached him.	
Date	Specify reasons for coming to the opinion that there are no sufficient grounds for entering into investigation Time and mode through which informant was informed that IO is not investigating the case	
Date	In case there is change in circumstances and the IO take up investigation - time at which he began and closed investigation / place or places visited by him, statement of the circumstances ascertained by him etc.	
Date	Time at which he began and closed investigation / place or places visited by him, statement of the circumstances ascertained by him etc.	

HIGH COURT FOR THE STATE OF TELANGANA :: AT HYDERABAD

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Endt.Roc.No. 2617/SO/2025 **Dated:08.12.2025**

"Communicated for information and necessary action."

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To

1. The Prl. Secretary to the Hon'ble the Chief Justice, High Court for the State of Telangana, Hyderabad.
2. All the Personal Secretaries to all the Hon'ble Judges (with a request to place the same before Hon'ble Judge for kind perusal)
3. The Registrar (Judicial-I), High Court for the State of Telangana, Hyderabad.
4. All the Unit Heads in the State of Telangana.
5. The Director, Judicial Academy for the State of Telangana.

OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL DISTRICT AND SESSIONS JUDGE:
YADADRI-BHUVANAGIRI.

Lr.Dis.No. 2126 /2025/A1, Dated:23-12-2025.

"Communicated".

PRL.DISTRICT & SESSIONS JUDGE,
YADADRI-BHUVANAGIRI.

To

All the Judicial Officers in the Yadadri-Bhongir District Unit.

FIR No -	Dated	Under Section.....
Action taken		
Date	Time at which information reached him.	
Date	Specify reasons for coming to the opinion that there are no sufficient grounds for entering into investigation Time and mode through which informant was informed that IO is not investigating the case	
Date	In case there is change in circumstances and the IO take up investigation - time at which he began and closed investigation / place or places visited by him. statement of the circumstances ascertained by him etc.	
Date	Time at which he began and closed investigation / place or places visited by him, statement of the circumstances ascertained by him etc.	

6. Date of Submission of Fortnightly Report

Signature of the SHO/OIC

ANNEXURE-B

On the basis of information furnished by ..... (name of informant / victim) a criminal case was registered and FIR was issued in CR. No ..... under Sections ..... at Police Station..... District..... ....

As there are not sufficient grounds to investigate the aforesaid case, the matter is not being investigated.

Signature

Investigation Officer/ SHO

C. V. ANAND,
Special Chief Secretary to Government.

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