

Law students raid 5.6 lakh fake currency to buy charas

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been arrested by Himachal Police and sent to Mandi district for questioning. He was sent to a seven-day police custody on Tuesday. While his two other accomplices and a charasha seller are to be arrested. The four students allegedly gave Rs 5.6 lakh to a man to buy 2 kg of charas from Malana village on 14 April. On April 26, Lal Singh, a resident of Chur village in Gohar area of Mandi district, arrived to deposit one lakh rupees in Himachal Gramin Bank.

After this, the bank manager informed the police to deposit fake notes of that person. This was followed by a raid at Lal Singh's house and the police recovered 1.1 lakh fake notes.

The SIT team disclosed the case. During

interrogation, Lal Singh told the Mandi police that he had sold a charas for 2.1 lakhs to Dev, a man from Malana village, but he was not aware that all the notes were fake. The police formed a SIT team to investigate the case and arrested Deva from Malana. After this, Deva told the police the truth that a group of students from Haryana had given her 5.6 lakh rupees for 2 lakh charas. Investigation revealed that Kisha aka Bhoot, a friend of Deva, is underground with the remaining 3.5 lakh rupees.

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Mandi SP Hitesh Lakhanpal said, "We have arrested two students after being confirmed to be involved in the fake currency case. The car used by him has also been seized. Two other students are also involved in this crime and they too will be arrested soon. The SP also said that the four students were batch mates of MDU Rohtak and had printed <u>fake currency</u>.

The SIT is also looking for Kisha, a resident of Malana who has run away with the remaining notes. Police said that not many residents of Malana are educated and students of advocacy took advantage of this. The seller of charas could not identify the fake notes and he sold 2 kg of charas.

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