PRESS RELEASE

DELHI POLICE

WEST DISTRICT

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TWO ACTIVE SNATCHERS/AUTO-LIFTERS ARRESTED BY ALERT AND VIGILANT STAFF OF PS KHYALA

👉 Two accused with previous criminal involvements arrested in separate cases.
👉 Four stolen scooties and two button-operated knives recovered.
👉 Four vehicle theft cases worked out.
👉 Both accused apprehended during area patrolling and checking.

INCIDENT, TEAM & OPERATION

In order to curb street crime and incidents of vehicle theft, the staff of PS Khyala were directed to intensify area patrolling, checking of suspicious persons and vehicles, and maintain effective vigilance in the area.

Accordingly, dedicated teams of PS Khyala were deployed under the leadership of Insp. Vinod Kumar, SHO/PS Khyala and Sh. Richhpal Singh, ACP/Tilak Nagar and overall guidance and supervision of undersigned.

CASE-I:

On 23.11.2026, a team comprising HC Suresh Chand Meena, Ct. Suresh and Ct. Bhagirath was conducting area patrolling when they received secret information regarding the movement of a person involved in theft and snatching incidents, who might also be carrying a weapon.

Acting swiftly on the information, the team started checking vehicles on Ganda Nala Road, Khyala, Delhi. At about 07:20 PM, the team noticed a suspicious person riding a scooty coming from Ring Road towards Paschim Vihar. When signalled to stop, he attempted to turn back and flee. However, the alert staff chased and successfully apprehended him. He was identified as Akash @ Ponda, aged 22 years.

On verification the scooty was found to be stolen from the area of PS Hari Nagar. During his personal search, one button-operated knife was also recovered from his possession.

Accordingly, a case under the Arms Act was registered at PS Khyala. During interrogation, the accused disclosed his involvement in another vehicle theft committed in the area of PS Bindapur. Subsequently, another stolen scooty was recovered at his instance.

CASE-II:

On 23.11.2026, at about 09:00 PM, a team comprising of HC Ajit and Ct. Rajesh was conducting area patrolling in Raghubir Nagar, Delhi, when he noticed a suspicious person riding a scooty.

On noticing the staff, the scooty rider attempted to turn back and flee. Displaying alertness and promptness, the team chased and successfully apprehended him.

During his personal search, one button-operated knife was recovered from his possession. Further, on verification the scooty was found to be stolen from the area of PS Hari Nagar.
The accused was identified as Rohit @ Chai, aged 25 years.

Accordingly, a case under the Arms Act was registered at PS Khyala. During interrogation, the accused disclosed his involvement in another vehicle theft committed in the area of PS Tilak Nagar. Subsequently, another stolen scooty was recovered at his instance.

PROFILE OF ACCUSED

👉Akash @ Ponda R/o Khyala, Delhi, aged 22 years. He was found previously involved in more than 02 criminal cases.
👉 Rohit @ Chai R/o Khyala, Delhi, aged 25 years. He was found previously involved in more than 07 criminal cases.

RECOVERY

👉 04 stolen scooties.
👉 02 button-operated knife.

Further investigation is in progress.

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