

07.10.2008 u/s 342/354 IPC at PS Aberdeen was registered and Shri Govind Ram was arrested and subsequently released on bail on the same day.

Shri Govind Ram by his above act behaved in a manner unbecoming of a Govt. servant and violated the provisions of Rule 3 (1) (ii) and (iii) of Central Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

The prosecution's story as per Annexure-II i.e. statement of imputation of misconduct or misbehaviour in support of the article of charge is as follows:-

"That on 07-10-2008 in the afternoon at about 2 PM Shri Govind Ram while functioning as Assistant Commissioner (TW)/ Executive Secretary, AAJVS under A&N Admn., during his duty hours went to the residential quarter No. 174/3 at Minnie Bay of Smti MV Jayalakshmi, W/o Shri R.Vasantha Kumar, R/o Minnie Bay and finding her alone in her residence misbehaved with her and after confining molested her with the intention to tarnish the image and modesty of a woman. In her complaint registered as FIR 835/08 dated 07-10-2008 at PS Aberdeen Smti MV Jayalakshmi stated that said Shri Govind Ram, on entering her residence, closed the main entrance door, removed his shirt, pulled and held her in his arms and molested her. Thereafter Smti MV Jayalakshmi got herself free from the clutches of said Shri Govind Ram, by force and after opening the door came out of the house and called her driver Shri Salim, crying for help. On hearing her cry for help Shri Salim, driver and her neighbour came on the spot and caught hold of Shri Govind Ram and made him to sit there. Subsequently Smti. MV Jayalakshmi telephoned to Naval Police and there being no response, she telephoned Police Control Room and the Police team arrived in a Jeep at about 2.45 PM and took Shri Govind Ram in custody. As per intimation received from the SP (District) vide his letter No. SP(D)/A/2008/8488 dated 08-10-2008, on her complaint, a case FIR No. 835/08 dated 07-10-2008 U/S 342/354 IPC at PS Aberdeen was registered and Shri Govind Ram , Asstt. Commissioner (TW)/Executive Secretary, AAJVS was arrested on 07-10-2008 at 1810 hrs. and was subsequently released on bail on the same day at 2150 hrs."

The prosecution proposed to sustain the charge with the following documents:-

- 1. FIR of Police Station, Aberdeen, Port Blair
- Complaint made by Smti MV Jayalakshmi, w/o Shri R. Vasantha Kumar, R/o Minnie Bay, to the SHO, PS, Aberdeen.