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SRI PADMALOCHAN NAYAK, EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, CADA, SAMBALPUR DIVISION, SAMBALPUR ARRESTED BY ODISHA VIGILANCE IN DA CASE. DA TO THE TUNE OF 119% OF KNOWN SOURCES OF INCOME INCLUDING 3 BUILDINGS (1 MULTI STOREYED BUILDING OF AREA 18,840 SQFT AT KATAKA), 18 VALUABLE PLOTS, CASH RS.3.45 LAKHS, 3 FOUR WHEELERS, 2 JCBs, 1 TRACTOR, 1 TRAILER, ETC UNEARTHED.

Today i.e. on 24.06.2026, Sri Padmalochan Nayak, Executive Engineer, CADA (Command Area Development Authority), Sambalpur Division, Sambalpur, **was arrested by Odisha Vigilance and forwarded to the Hon'ble Court of Special Judge, Vigilance, Sambalpur for possession of disproportionate assets (DA) to the tune of 119% of his known sources of income, which he could not account for satisfactorily.** In this connection, Sambalpur Vigilance PS Case No.07 dated 24.06.2026 was registered against Sri Padmalochan Nayak, Executive Engineer and his spouse U/s 13(2) r/w 13(1)(b)/12 PC Amendment Act, 2018.

During house searches, the following movable and immovable assets **worth crores** were unearthed in the name of **Sri Padmalochan Nayak, Executive Engineer and his family members;**

- 1) Residential triple storeyed building with area 18,840 Sqft. located at Bidyadharpur, Kataka.**
- 2) Residential double storeyed building with area approx 1465 Sqft. located at Mukulisi under Basta PS, Dist-Baleshwar.**

- 3) Another building located at Mukulisi under Basta PS, Dist-Baleshwar.
- 4) 18 valuable plots (5 in Bhubaneswar, 3 in Kataka, 6 in Korei (Jajpur), 3 in Basta (Baleshwar) & 1 in Delanga, Puri).
- 5) Cash Rs.3,45,000/- with some foreign currency notes of Sri Lanka, Nepal, Bahrain & USA.
- 6) 2 JCB Machines, 1 TATA Tanker, 1 TAFE Tractor & 1 Trailer.
- 7) 3 four wheelers (Toyota Innova, TATA Indigo, WagonR) & 1 two wheeler.
- 8) Gold & household articles worth around Rs.20 Lakhs.

After thorough search, inventory and further enquiry, the income, expenditure and assets of Sri Padmalochan Nayak, Executive Engineer, CADA, Sambalpur Division, Sambalpur were calculated and he was found in possession of disproportionate assets which were 119% in excess of his known sources of income.

Investigation of the case is in progress.