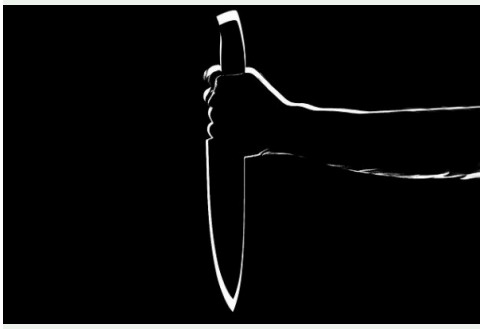
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Pooja Murder Case: Family Challenges Alam's Account to Police

Original reporting by **Swati Goel Sharma**



A Knife (Representative Image)

CASE SUMMARY

Marriage and abuse allegations	The woman told her sister she had married Alam in a nikah six months earlier and that he had become abusive and demanded her savings.
Family complaint	The family filed a complaint at Vijay Nagar police station on 22 July, naming Alam and several possible accomplices.
Arrest	Police arrested Alam and said he killed the woman on the night of 19–20 July.
Disputed account	A relative questioned whether the seven minutes he said were shown by CCTV allowed enough time for Alam to dispose of a body and return.
Search	Police searched the lake extensively and had yet to recover the woman's body.

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