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Jodhpur Man Reports Assault After Praising The Kerala Story

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The man, Abhishek, on the left in the picture.

CASE SUMMARY

Location	Jodhpur, Rajasthan
WhatsApp post on 6 May	Sargara urged others to watch The Kerala Story after seeing it himself.
Reported assault	Sargara said a group confronted him over his WhatsApp status and beat him that evening.
Slurs alleged in FIR	Sargara's statement in FIR 228/2023 says the attackers used 'kaafir' and casteist slurs.
Police action	The FIR named only Pintu as an accused and listed IPC sections on restraint, hurt, intimidation and common intention.

THE TAKEAWAY

Sargara said he stopped going to work after the alleged assault and left hiding only to help police identify people in CCTV footage.

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