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4-yr-old girl saved from men who rape minor virgins



no, don't! Brothel owners take care of minors till they are ready to lure customers. representation pic

Opera House pimp says child would've been sent to customers who believe sex with virgins will cure all their ailments

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Four-year-old Rani Mandal (name changed) was saved on Thursday from the worst kind of pervert — the kind that wants to have sex with minor virgins.

According to a pimp operating in the red light area near Opera House, minor virgins are demanded by some customers who believe that sex with them would heal them of incurable ailments.

Long-term investment

Rani was rescued from a brothel at Grant Road in a joint operation carried out by D B Marg police station and staff attached to the Anti-Human Trafficking project of Oasis India, an NGO.

"The fear that the rescued girl could be forced into prostitution could not be ruled out. Usually, brothel owners look upon young children as a long-term investment and take care of them till they start luring customers," said a police officer.

Cops revealed that acting on a complaint from the NGO, a team raided room no 12 in Liladhar building, near Kennedy Bridge, and rescued Rani.

Kidnapped?

The owner of the house, Saroj Arya (50), who is a commercial sex worker, was questioned. Rani lived with Arya as her daughter. However, during interrogation, Arya confessed that she was not Rani's biological mother. Another sex worker, Reeta, left Rani at her doorstep soon after her birth and that she had been taking care of her as her own daughter, claimed Arya.

On inquiring about Reeta, Arya said that she was not staying there anymore. However, the police say they do not believe Arya's story. The police will verify if Rani has been abducted and then brought to the brothel.

Meanwhile, Rani has been sent to the children's home at Dongri and her case referred to the Child Welfare Committee.

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