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## Another senior citizen murdered



# **Express News Service**

Mumbai, August 24: Security has been tightened in a housing society at Malabar Hill after a 62-year-old non-resident Indian doctor was found murdered in her brother's flat on Saturday.

This takes the number of senior citizens killed this year to nine. Asha Sadan Goel had flown down to Mumbai recently to visit her ailing brother, Suresh Chandra Agarwal.

Her murder has sent a wave of fear through other residents and raised serious doubts about security arrangements at Sudhakara Cooperative Society on Narayan Dhabolkar Marg— especially since the police have found no signs of a break-in and thus suspect that the murderer was known to the victim.



"The society had told us not to make domestic workers enter their names in the daily record book," said R S Singh, security officer.

However, security in this society, where each family has anywhere between four to eight domestic workers, has been beefed up after the murder. Now, all domestics have to sign in.



Goel's body was discovered by Agarwal's maid, who informed a relative of the ailing man, who in turn notified the police.



A relative who did not wish to be named said, "The family is in deep shock and Agarwal himself is bed-ridden. At the moment, there is nothing to say as the police are investigating."

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The police have found that a diamond-studded gold ring which Goel was wearing, a Nokia cellphone and Rs 11,000 in cash, totally worth Rs 1.21 lakh, were stolen.



All four domestic workers of Agarwal as well as around 25 others working in and around the society, are being questioned.



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