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## Ministry of Home Affairs - Major Achievements, significant developments and important events for the month of June, 2016

During the month Hon'ble Union Home Minister held a meeting in Mumbai with Home Ministers, Chief Secretaries and DGP's of coastal States/UT's to review coastal security and issuance of Fishermen biometric identity card readers.

The 1<sup>st</sup> meeting for initiation of political talks with groups of Kuki National Organization (KNO) and United Peoples' Front (UPF) of Manipur was held on 15.6.2016. During the meeting, Suspension of Operation (SoO) agreement signed with KNO was extended for a further period of one year upto 21.7.2017.

A meeting of Joint Monitoring Group was held on 15.6.2016 at New Delhi with the representatives of Kuki National Organization (KNO) of Manipur.

Suspension of Operation (SoO) agreements signed with National Democratic Front of Bodoland/Progressive (NDFB/P) and NDFB (Ranjan Diamary) group of Assam were reviewed in meetings held on 23.6.2016 and 28.6.2016 respectively. The agreements have been extended for a further period of six months i.e. upto 31.12.2016.

The whole State of Nagaland has been declared as "Disturbed Area" under the Armed Forces (Special Powers) Act, 1958 for a period of six months w.e.f. 30.6.2016.

On 02<sup>nd</sup> June, 2016, after taking approval of the Cabinet Committee on Security, an Arrangement was signed by Home Secretary and the Ambassador of the United States of America to India for exchange of terrorist screening information.

Rs.87.65 crore was released to the State of Odisha on 28.06.2016 under National Cyclone Risk Mitigation Project Phase-I and Rs.204.91 crore was released to the states of Goa, Kerala, Karnataka, Maharashtra and West Bengal on 21.06.2016 under National Cyclone Risk Mitigation Project Phase-II during 2016 - 17.

Suitable amendments to the Presidential Orders have been issued under Article 371D for considering the extension of benefit of local status to the candidates who migrate to any part of the State of Andhra Pradesh from Telangana after bifurcation within a period of three years vide Notification dated 09<sup>th</sup> June, 2016.

Meetings were held by senior officials of Ministry of Home Affairs to review issue of flow of funds to the LWE cadres and utilization of funds under various schemes of MHA.

275 Coys of CAPFs were deployed in various states for Security arrangements during Shri Amar Nath Ji Yatra-2016, Jat agitation and security of Munak Canal, Law and Order duties and security arrangements, Security arrangements during International Yoga day and for Election and counting.

Sanction for prosecution for filing charge sheets against 28 accused persons was accorded under the Unlawful Activities (Prevention) Act, 1967 in cases relating to promotion of the ideology of ISIS, inciting others to become member of ISIS and indulging in terrorist and anti-national activities, murder, seizure of Fake Indian Currency Notes in various parts of the country.

The Hon'ble President assented to two State Bills namely, the Industrial Employment (Standing Orders) Tamil Nadu Amendment Bill, 2008 and the Chhattisgarh Shram Kalyan Nidhi (Sanshodhan) Vidheyak, 2015 during the month.

The capture of biometrics for creation of National Population Register , using UIDAI (Unique Identification Authority of India) enrolment software, has been done for 20.17 crore persons (5 year +) out of total targeted population of 20.72 crore spread over ten NPR States/UTs.

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