

Ministry of Home Affairs – Major Achievements, significant developments and important events for the month of July, 2016

On 21st July, 2016, Hon'ble Prime Minister inaugurated ICP Petrapole .

2. . The 4th Home Minister Level Talks between India and Bangladesh were held on 28th July, 2016. In the meeting, issues related to security, border management, bilateral cooperation in counter terrorism and checking insurgency including intelligence exchange, operationalisation and implementation of various Agreements/ MoUs viz. Agreement on Combating Terrorism and Organized Crime and Illicit Drug Trafficking, Coordinated Border Management Plan (CBMP), addendum to the Bilateral Extradition Treaty of 2013, MoU on Establishment of Collaborative Relationship to Combat Transnational Illegal Activities at Sea, MoU to Prevent and Counter Smuggling and Circulation of Fake Currency Notes, MoU on Bilateral Cooperation for Prevention of Human Trafficking especially Trafficking of Women and Children, repatriation of released prisoners and victims of human trafficking, maritime security cooperation, different bilateral mechanisms including HS level talks, DG level meetings, meeting between DMs/DCs of border districts, consular and fisherman issues etc. were discussed.
3. A Cabinet Note regarding enhancement of compensation from Rs. 3 to Rs. 5 lakhs under the Central Scheme has been approved by the Union Home Minister and the same has been sent to Cabinet Sectt. for consideration.
4. The meeting of BRICS Heads of Anti Drug Working Group was organized by Narcotic Control Bureau (NCB), Ministry of Home Affairs on 8th July, 2016. Various issues relating to combating drug trafficking, drug-money laundering and financial investigation related to drug proceeds were discussed.
5. A Government of India delegation led by Hon'ble Union Home Minister met Government of Malaysia Delegation led by Dato Seri Ahmad Zahid Hamidi, Deputy Prime Minister on 18.07.2016 in New Delhi. Discussions were held on bilateral security relations between the two countries.
6. On 07.07.2016 Memorandum of Understanding between the Government of India and the Government of Mozambique was signed on Drug Demand Reduction and Prevention of Illicit Trafficking in Narcotic Drugs, Psychotropic substances and Precursor Chemicals and Related matters.
7. On 26th - 27th July, 2016, Union Home Secretary led the 20th National Level Meeting between India and Myanmar on security related issues. In the meeting, issues related to security and border management, activities of insurgent groups along the international border, arms smuggling, exchange of intelligence information, cooperation in prevention of drug trafficking, smuggling of wildlife articles, constructions in boundary areas, joint inspection of boundary pillars and construction of additional boundary pillars on the international border, consular issues including prisoners in jails of the other country and capacity building Programmes for Myanmar Police, narcotics, Wildlife crime Control and for disaster mitigation etc. were discussed.

8. A Review Group meeting was held by Cabinet Secretary on 08.07.2016 on Left Wing Extremism (LWE) issues.
9. During July, 2016, 05 advisories were issued to the State Governments/CAPFs to sensitize them to counter the LWE activities in LWE affected areas.
10. A meeting of the National Executive Committee was chaired by Union Home Secretary on 22.07.2016 to consider the deliberations made in the meeting of the Sub-Committee of National Executive Committee (SE-NEC) held in compliance of the direction of Hon'ble Supreme Court. A meeting of the High Level Committee was held on 29.07.2016 to consider the report of the Subcommittee of National Executive Committee (SC-NEC) on damage caused by hailstorm/drought/earthquake during 2015-16 in Rajasthan, U.P. and Manipur.
11. A meeting of the Departmental Consultative Committee of MHA was held on 04.07.2016 to discuss "Disaster Management Preparedness".
12. 32nd High Level Empowered Committee (HLEC) meeting was held on 28.07.2016 by Union Home Secretary. During the meeting border infrastructure estimates amounting to Rs. 1050.19 crore were considered.
13. An advisory to all the state Governments/UTs was issued for strengthening the security of Airports on 27.07.2016
14. An Indian Delegation visited Singapore from 4th to 6th July 2016 and reviewed the pending Letters Rogatory (LRs) and Extradition matters between India and Singapore.
15. NDAL-ALIS (NDAL-Arms Licence Issuance System) for online data on various aspects of licensing of arms was launched on 22.07.2016.
16. 20072 Police (Antrik Suraksha Seva) Padak, 61 Parakram Padak and 153 Home Minister's Medals were awarded to Police personnel of various States/UTs/CAPFs/CPOs during the month.
17. Out of Budgetary provision, the Budget Estimates for the Financial Year 2016-17 is Rs.595.00 Crore under the 'Non-Plan' in respect of Modernization of State Police Forces (MPF) Scheme. The meeting of High Powered Committee (HPC) to consider and approve the State Action Plan proposals of States of Bihar, Sikkim, Mizoram, West Bengal, Odisha, Himachal Pradesh, Tripura and Arunachal Pradesh were held during the month.
18. Meeting of Committee of Non-Plan Expenditure (CNE) /Expenditure Finance Committee (EFC) for consideration of Umbrella Scheme of "Modernization of Police Forces" was held on 20.07.2016. This umbrella scheme includes sub-schemes of Assistance to States for Modernization of Police (existing

MPF Scheme), Crime and Criminal Tracking Network Systems (CCTNS), Security Related Expenditure (SRE) of NE States, J&K and LWE affected areas & Special Infrastructure Scheme (SIS), Projects under Inter- State Police Wireless, Assistance to States for Special Projects/ Programmes for upgrading Police infrastructure and Modernization of Fire & Emergency Services.

19. All States/ UTs were advised to roll out sustained campaign "Operation Muskan-II" from 1st July to 31st July, 2016, throughout the country to rescue missing children.

20. During the month sanction for prosecution for filing charge sheets against 38 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.

21. Notification regarding delegation of powers and functions of the Appropriate Government to the Administrator of UTs of Daman & Diu, Dadra & Nagar Haveli, Chandigarh, Lakshadweep and Andaman & Nicobar Islands under the Street Vendors (Protection of Livelihood and Regulation of Street Vending) Act, 2014 has been issued on 06.07.2016.

22. Instructions of the President for promulgation of the Court Fees (Jharkhand Amendment) Ordinance, 2016 were conveyed to the State Government on 14.07.2016.

23. Nodal Officer for ACC Vacancy Monitoring System (AVMS) has been notified and the details registered in AVMS. Concerned Divisions have been instructed to register in the AVMS System and update the details of ACC posts. Necessary action is being taken by them in this regard.

24. The capture of biometrics for creation of National Population Register, using UIDAI (Unique Identification Authority of India) enrolment software, has been done for 20.29 crore persons (5 year +) out of total targeted population of 20.72 crore spread over ten NPR States/UTs.
