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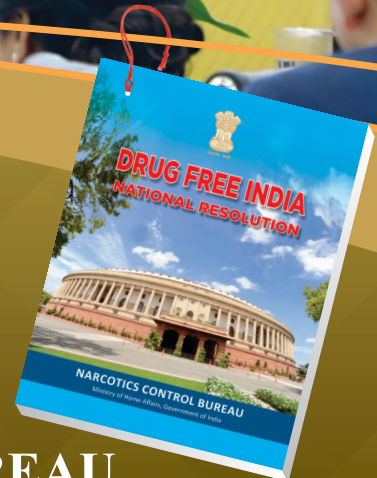


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DRUG FREE INDIA
NATIONAL RESOLUTION

NARCOTICS CONTROL BUREAU

Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India



VISION

Endeavour for a drug free society through coordination and cooperation with all stakeholders and creating synergy amongst them

MISSION

As Central Authority, to effectively prevent and combat abuse of and illicit traffic in narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances.

To coordinate actions by various officers, State Governments and other authorities relating to enforcement under all relevant drug laws.

To coordinate actions taken by all concerned Ministries, Departments or Organisations in matters relating to drug abuse.

To ensure implementation of the National obligations under various International Conventions and Protocols in respect of counter measures against illicit trafficking.

To work in cooperation with Foreign Authorities and international organizations to facilitate coordination and universal action.

As National Nodal Agency, to be a repository and reference point for data, issues and benchmarks pertaining to drug law enforcement.

To assess and analyse existing and emerging challenges, trends and operational capabilities to make appropriate interventions and advise the Central Government.

To make sustained efforts for capacity building and training of agencies involved in the field of drug law enforcement.

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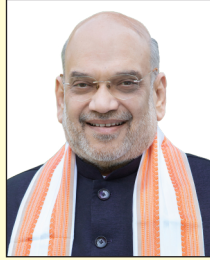
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संदेश

मुझे यह जानकारी प्रसन्नता हो रही है कि स्वापक नियंत्रण ब्यूरो (एनसीबी) अपनी वार्षिक रिपोर्ट, 2022 का विशेष संस्करण प्रकाशित कर रहा है। एनसीबी की वार्षिक रिपोर्ट, 2022 का यह विशेष संस्करण आंकड़े, पहलें और रिपोर्ट के रूप में अपनी सभी महत्वपूर्ण उपलब्धियों को एक आकर्षक और सूचनात्मक तरीके से प्रदर्शित करता है।

वार्षिक रिपोर्ट, 2022 का मुख्य आकर्षण **"नशा मुक्त भारत-राष्ट्रीय संकल्प"** पर प्रकाशित एक पूरक पुस्तिका है जोकि दिनांक 21 दिसम्बर 2022 को लोकसभा में **"देश में ड्रग्स की समस्या और इससे निपटने के लिए सरकार द्वारा उठाए गए कदम"** विषय पर चर्चा और सरकार की भूमिका का संकलन है। मुझे विश्वास है कि वार्षिक रिपोर्ट, 2022 का यह विशेष संस्करण, भारत में ड्रग कानून प्रवर्तन के क्षेत्र में सभी घटनाओं से पाठकों को प्रबुद्ध करेगा।

देश के प्रधानमंत्री श्री नरेंद्र मोदी जी का एक **"नशा मुक्त भारत (Drug Free India)"** हासिल करने का सपना है और हम केवल शब्दों से नहीं, बल्कि कर्मों से भी इसके लिए प्रयास कर रहे हैं। वर्ष 2022 विभिन्न पहलों के दृष्टिकोण से उल्लेखनीय रहा है, जैसे नार्को समन्वय तंत्र का विस्तार, राष्ट्रीय नारकोटिक्स कैनाइन पूल की स्थापना, एनकोर्ड पोर्टल और निदान डैशबोर्ड आदि का शुभारंभ, जो देश में मादक पदार्थों की तस्करी के खतरे से निपटने के लिए किए गए प्रयासों को मजबूती प्रदान करता है।

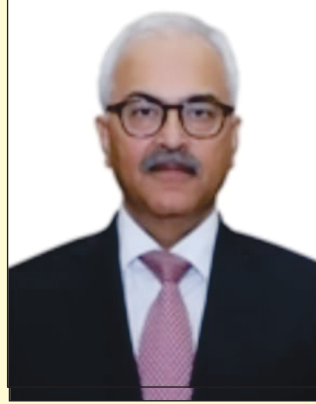
एनसीबी मादक पदार्थों की तस्करी के खिलाफ भारत की लड़ाई का ध्वजवाहक है और मुझे विश्वास है कि एनसीबी भारत को नशा मुक्त समाज बनाने की उम्मीदों को पूरा करने में मजबूती से आगे बढ़ेगा।

इस अवसर पर, मैं वार्षिक रिपोर्ट के इस विशेष संस्करण के प्रकाशन के लिए एनसीबी को अपनी शुभकामनाएँ देता हूँ और साथ ही नशा मुक्त भारत सुनिश्चित करने के लक्ष्य को प्राप्त करने में इसके सभी अधिकारियों/कर्मचारियों की सफलता की कामना करता हूँ।

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MESSAGE

Narcotics Control Bureau (NCB) has taken the laudable initiative to publish a special edition of its Annual Report, 2022 along with a supplementary booklet "Drug Free India-National Resolution".

2. The NCB is the nodal agency for providing an effective coordination platform to all the stakeholders in the field of Drug Law Enforcement and actively involved in all aspects of India's strong response against the sensitive issue of Drug Trafficking in India.

3. This special edition of Annual Report includes data and information on the major achievements of Narcotics Control Bureau for the year 2022. In addition, the supplementary booklet includes details on the strong policy of the Government against drug trafficking and new initiatives taken in this regard in the recent past.

4. I am sure the readers will find this special edition of Annual Report, 2022 of Narcotics Control Bureau along with the booklet very informative and will be immensely helpful to all stakeholders. I appreciate the efforts of NCB in bringing out this important publication.

Jai Hind.

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With great pleasure, I hereby present the special edition of Annual Report of Narcotics Control Bureau (NCB) for the year 2022. NCB, being the National nodal agency on all matters related to narcotics, has a mandate to assess the drug situation of the country and to assist the Government in formulating policies and initiate new strategies in accordance to the changing patterns of trafficking of drugs and its abuse.

The year 2022 was a milestone year from the point of view of India's fight against drugs, as important regional conferences were organized and many new projects have been started and digital initiatives were launched, considering that drug trafficking is a national security issue. A 'National Conference on Drug Trafficking & Internal Security' was held for the first time under the Chairmanship of Hon'ble Union Home Minister & Cooperation Minister in Chandigarh. During the Conference, Hon'ble Union Home Minister had launched many innovative initiatives such as the NIDAAN Dashboard, NCORD Portal, and National Nar-Canine Pool etc. which will strengthen the drug enforcement capabilities of India. This was followed by, two more Regional Conferences on Drug Trafficking & National Security held in Guwahati and Gandhinagar respectively. In all the conferences the thrust was on Drug disposal and network busting investigation in addition to breaking the financial backbone of the traffickers. In the year 2022, Government of India had also sanctioned the creation of 419 (four hundred and nineteen) new posts in Narcotics Control Bureau in various cadres which will further boost the drug law enforcement activities in the country.

This Annual Report not only provides statistical data of all the major operational, coordination, capacity building activities undertaken by NCB in 2022, but also provides details of the new initiatives of the Government in the field of drug law enforcement. We are also releasing a supplementary booklet "Drug Free India- National Resolution" with this special edition of NCB's Annual Report 2022, which is a compilation of the response Hon'ble Union Home Minister to the discussions held on the topic "The problem of drugs in the country and the steps taken by the Government to deal with it" in Lok Sabha on 21.12.2022 which showcases the strong stance taken against drugs by the Government of India.

I am sure, you will find this special edition of Annual Report of NCB informative and hope that it will professionally enrich all the Drug law Enforcement Agencies which will motivate all to achieve the goal of 'नशा मुक्त भारत' envisaged by Hon'ble PM, Sh. Narendra Modi.

I take this opportunity to appreciate the efforts made by Team NCB in bringing out this Annual Report. I welcome your considered feedback and views on the report.

Jai Hind

Satya Narayan Pradhan

Director General, NCB

"Say 'No' to Drugs, 'Yes' to Life"

"ड्रग्स को 'ना' जीवन को 'हाँ'"

1

DRUG TRAFFICKING SCENARIO IN INDIA

The problem of drug trafficking in India is the consequence of several external and internal factors. One of the prime geographical factors influencing India's drug situation is, its close proximity to the Opium producing countries like Afghanistan, Pakistan & Iran in the West as well as Myanmar, Laos and Thailand in the East which in turn is escalated by the presence of a long maritime border. This has rendered India both a destination and a transit route for opiates as well as synthetic drugs to some extent. Besides, India has one of the biggest pharmaceutical industrial bases & diversion of pharmaceutical substances is resulting in the increasing abuse of prescription drugs. Moreover, illicit cultivation of Opium Poppy and Cannabis is also an issue of concern in our country. The drug situation in India is, therefore, a complex combination of several factors.

The salient features of drug trafficking scenario in India may be summarized as under:-

- i. Maritime trafficking of drugs in Indian Ocean
- ii. Drug trafficking through courier / parcels
- iii. Drug trafficking through drones and tunnels at Indo-Pak border
- iv. Drug trafficking by foreign nationals in India
- v. Increase in instances of trafficking through dark net involving crypto currencies viz. bit coins etc.
- vi. Trafficking of opiates from South West Asia and South East Asia to India.

- vii. Illicit cultivation of opium & wild growth of cannabis in some pockets.

1.1 TRENDS AND PATTERNS 2022

With the ever changing drug scenario and changed dynamics post COVID-19 outbreak, drug law enforcement agencies across the globe and DLEAs in India in particular are facing some significant challenges in the form of new and emerging drug trafficking trends and patterns. Some significant drug trafficking trends noticed in the recent past in India are as under:

I. Drugs Trafficking through courier/ parcels/Post-

- The restrictions imposed on vehicular/ ship/ airplane movement during COVID-19 pandemic have compelled drug traffickers to rely more upon courier/parcel/post for drugs trafficking which has posed a new challenge for the DLEAs.
- Parcel seizures in 2020 marked an increase of 300 % over 2019. This increase mainly owe to the global disruption of air-traffic due to COVID-19. No. of parcel cases in 2022, is almost same that of no of cases in 2020 & 2021.
- High increase in no of parcel cases is also due to the increased trafficking of drugs through darknet markets.

	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022*
Total Cases	40	67	259	250	240
Total Parcels	2531	118	374	268	279

II. Drugs Trafficking through Dark net (cases cracked by NCB during 2022):

- With the advancement in technology, the drug traffickers have adopted modern means like internet for drug trafficking. It has been observed that a new mode of drug trafficking is happening through dark-net using crypto-currency. The finalization of drug deals and

transactions through dark-net and digital currencies have transcended the geographical boundaries. The easy accessibility of internet in India and presence of a large young population further complicates this problem.

- Some of the prominent cases cracked by NCB during the year 2022 are as under:-

Date	Seized by	Drug seized	Mode
Jan.-Feb., 2022	Delhi Zonal Unit	303 gms Ecstasy 17.75 gms Methamphetamine 9 blots of LSD 3.055 kg of Ganja 700 gms of Charas	Dark Web & Crypto currencies. Telegram/ Instagram & Whatsapp
Feb., 2022	Delhi Zonal Unit	1.07 kg Methaqualone	Bitcoins

III. Increase in maritime trafficking of drugs:

- The maritime drug trafficking in Arabian Sea and Bay of Bengal poses new challenges to drug law enforcement agencies and they anticipate further increase of this route by international drug trafficking syndicates operating from Pakistan and Afghanistan.
- It is estimated that more than 70% of total drug trafficking is being conducted through maritime route. Interception of maritime drug trafficking, especially in the Western region of India has witnessed an increase.

- Most of such seizures are sourced from the ports of Afghanistan / Iran which are destined to coastal states in India or are in further transit to countries like Sri Lanka, Maldives etc. While Heroin is the most trafficked drug through maritime route, ATS, Charas, Cocaine etc. are also seized.
- Seizures of drugs being trafficked through sea – routes (as reported to NCB) during 2022 are as under:

Date	Agency	Drug	Quantity (In Kg)
12-02-2022	NCB	Charas	528.7
		ATS	221.1
		Heroin	13.3
17-02-2022	DRI	Heroin	34.25
25-04-2022	Guj ATS/ICG	Heroin	56
27-04-2022	NCB	Heroin	85
28-04-2022	DRI/Guj ATS	Heroin	200.788
29-04-2022	DRI	Heroin	90
30-04-2022	DRI	Heroin	29
01-05-2022	Guj ATS	Heroin	155
20-05-2022	DRI/ICG	Heroin	217.53
26-05-2022	DRI	Cocaine	52.488
06-06-2022	Guj ATS/ICG	Heroin	46.982
11-07-2022	Guj ATS/Cus	Heroin	75.3
15-07-2022	CB Maharashtra Police	Heroin	72.518

26-07-2022	ICG/Customs	Ganja	56.78
27-07-2022	ICG/Customs	Ganja	74.77
04-09-2022	Delhi Police SB	Heroin	345
10-09-2022	DRI/Guj ATS	Heroin	39.477
14-09-2022	Guj ATS/ICG	Heroin	38.994
01-10-2022	DRI	Methamphetamine	198.1
		Cocaine	9.035
06-10-2022	NCB/Indian Navy	Heroin	200
07-10-2022	DRI	Cocaine	50.232
08-10-2022	Guj ATS/ICG	Heroin	50
22-11-2022	NCB/ICG	Ganja	290.49
		Hashish Oil	1
26-12-2022	Guj ATS/ICG	Heroin	40

1.2 NARCOTIC DRUGS

1.2.1 OPIUM

There are a number of alkaloids that can be extracted from Opium, some major alkaloids are Morphine, Codeine, Thebaine, Papaverine and Noscapine which are being extracted at Government Opium & Alkaloid Works at Neemuch (MP) and Ghazipur (UP).

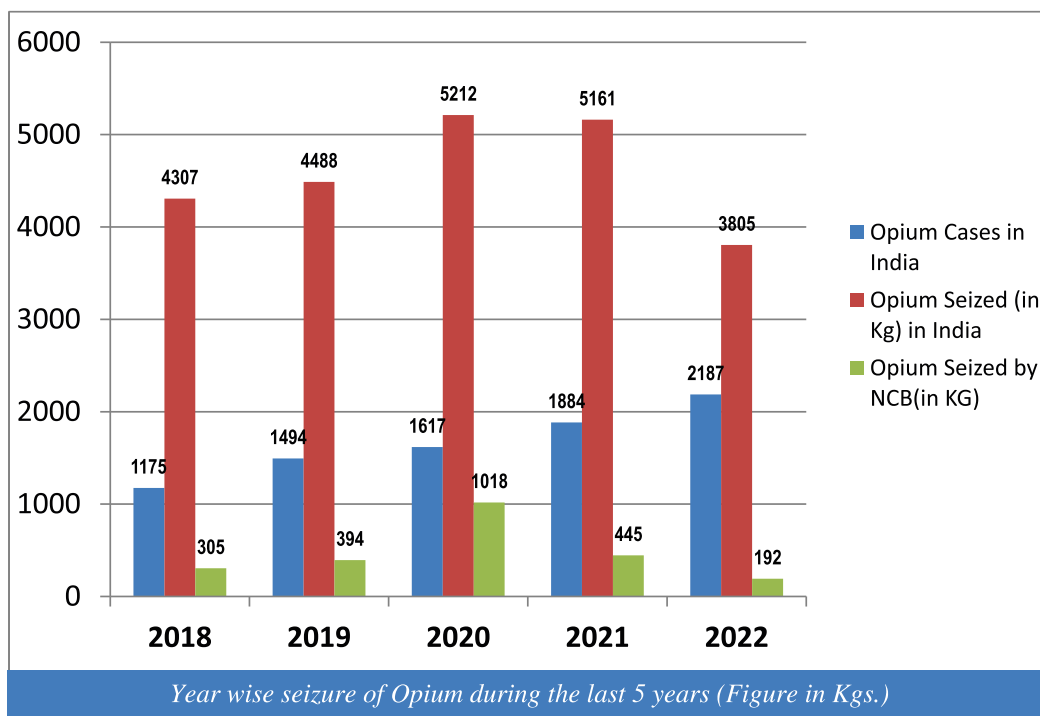
Trends:

- Diversion of licit Opium from Rajasthan, U.P. and M.P. to other parts of country.

- Major trafficking of Opium is from the states of Manipur, West Bengal, Jammu & Kashmir, Uttarakhand, Bihar, Jharkhand and Gujarat.

Total Opium seizures affected in 2022 were 2633 Kg. The comparative figures for the last 05 years are given below. While there has been a variation of trend in the number of reported Opium seizures in comparison to previous years, up to 2019, the quantity of Opium seized has decreased from 5161 Kg in 2021 to 3805 Kg in 2022.





Significant seizures of Opium by NCB:

- On 25.01.2022, NCB, Jodhpur Zonal Unit seized 8.095 kg Opium at Nagaur, Rajasthan. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 09.02.2022, NCB, Delhi Zonal Unit seized 4 kg of Opium at DHL Express Pvt. Ltd., Kirti Nagar, New Delhi.
- On 19.03.2022, NCB, Imphal Sub-Zone seized 17.024 kg of Opium and 1.050 kg of Amphetamine at Maram, Senapati, Manipur. 01 person was arrested.
- On 24.03.2022, NCB, Jodhpur Zonal Unit seized 3.025 kg of Opium at Desure Village, Pali, Rajasthan. 03 persons were arrested.
- On 28.03.2022, NCB, Patna Zonal Unit seized 14 kg of Opium at Amas toll plaza, Gaya, Bihar. 01 person was arrested.
- On 30.03.2022, NCB, Lucknow Zonal Unit seized 20.100 kg of Opium at Lucknow. 05 persons were arrested.
- On 31.03.2022, NCB, Ajmer Sub-Zone seized 12.500 kg of Opium at Dausa, Rajasthan. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 18.04.2022, NCB, Ahmedabad Zonal Unit seized 3.100 kg of Opium at DHL Courier, Ahmedabad.
- On 26.05.2022, NCB, Chandigarh Zonal Unit seized 14.700 kg of Opium at Shambhu Toll Plaza, Ambala, Haryana. 03 persons were arrested.
- On 28.05.2022, NCB, Jodhpur Zonal Unit seized 4.940 kg of Opium at Nokha, Bikaner district, Rajasthan. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 08.07.2022, NCB, Ajmer Sub-Zone seized 8.220 kg of Opium at NH-21, Bassi, Jaipur, Rajasthan. 01 person was arrested.
- On 10.07.2022, NCB, Chandigarh Zonal Unit seized 4.100 kg of Opium, 194.200 kg of Poppy Straw and 6,000 tablets of Diphenoxylate Hydrochloride. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 16.07.2022, NCB, Jodhpur Zonal Unit seized 8.175 kg of Opium at Sheopura Ghata, Beawar, Rajasthan. 01 person was arrested.
- On 07.09.2022, NCB, Kolkata Zonal Unit seized 113.930 kg of Poppy Straw at Baja Kadamthal Ghat, Eastern Road, Kolkata and in follow-up action seized 350 grams of Opium at Barabazar, Kolkata. 03 persons were arrested.
- On 14.12.2022, Officers of NCB, Ajmer Sub-Zone seized 6.780 kg of Opium at Jaipur – Jodhpur Highway, Beawar Sadar, Ajmer, Rajasthan. 01 person was arrested.
- On 14.12.2022, Officers of NCB, Lucknow Zonal Unit seized 3.900 kg of Opium, 32 bore Pistol, 01 magazine & 09 live rounds at Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh. 02 persons were arrested.

- On 17.12.2022, Officers of NCB, Ranchi Sub-Zone seized 12.375 kg of Opium at Sisai, Gumla, Jharkhand. 01 person was arrested.

CASE STUDY-BIGGEST OPIUM SEIZURES

Seizure of 20.1 KG Opium by NCB Lucknow Zone

Acting upon secret information, NCB, Lucknow Zonal Unit effected a seizure of 20.1 Kg of Opium on 30.03.2022 at Shaheed Path, Lucknow from the possession of 05 persons who were on board a Varanasi-Sitapur bound Janrath bus. 04 of them belong to Khunti, Jharkhand and 01 person is from Bareilly, U.P.

The interrogations further, revealed that the origin of seized drug was in Jharkhand and it was destined for Bareilly, U.P. Further, during the statement, one of the accused person disclosed that the seized Opium was collected from the jungles of Khunti for distribution to U.P. based receivers.

During the investigation and analysis of technical

footprints, it was found that the Jharkhand based drug carriers were directed to supply the contraband in Bareilly and Sitapur based receivers. The Officers of NCB, Lucknow with sustained efforts arrested the Bareilly based receiver on 02.04.2022. Total 06 persons have been arrested in this case so far.



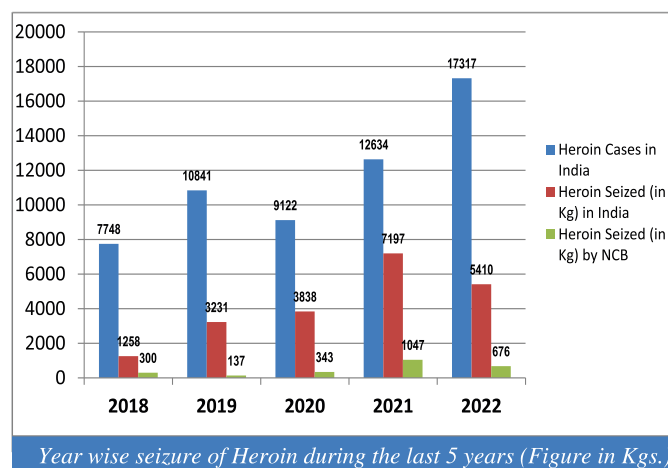
1.2.2 HEROIN

Heroin is a highly addictive drug which is synthesized from opium. Raw opium is dried and purified to produce morphine which is then treated with Acetic Anhydride to make Heroin. Depending upon its processing, Heroin comes out in a variety of colours, ranging from white to dark brown. Heroin is also locally known as smack, brown sugar, chitta (in Punjab) etc. The level of purity of Heroin is indicative of the degree of sophistication in its processing.

Trends:-

- Major trafficking of Heroin in India takes place through India-Pakistan border i.e., through bordering states of Punjab and Jammu & Kashmir. From these bordering states Heroin is trafficked into other states.
- Recent trend of increase in Maritime trafficking of South West Asian Heroin through sea.
- Inter-State trafficking of Opium poppy from the states of West Bengal, Uttarakhand, Bihar, Jharkhand, Jammu & Kashmir, and Manipur

- Substantial quantity seizures of Heroin have been effected in Punjab, Delhi, and UP.





MARITIME DRUG TRAFFICKING ROUTE OF HEROIN

Significant seizures of Heroin by NCB:

- On 01.01.2022, NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone, in coordination with BSF seized 980 gram of Heroin at Ferozpur, Punjab.
- On 11.01.2022, NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone, in coordination with BSF seized 19.375 kg Heroin, 430 gram Opium, 01 pistol, 01 magazine & 08 bullets at Fazilka, Punjab.
- On 11.01.2022, NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone, in coordination with BSF seized 1.195 kg Heroin at Khemkaran, Punjab.
- On 11.01.2022, NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone, in coordination with BSF seized 1.000 kg Heroin at Ferozpur, Punjab.
- On 12.01.2022, NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone, in coordination with BSF seized 990 gram Heroin at Khemkaran, Punjab.
- On 12.01.2022, NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone, in coordination with BSF seized 5.960 kg Heroin, 01 pistol, 01 magazine & 50 bullets at Ferozpur, Punjab.
- On 19.01.2022, NCB, Hyderabad Sub-Zone seized 990 grams of Heroin in a controlled delivery operation at UPS Express Private Limited, Hyderabad, Telangana. 01 person was arrested.
- On 20.01.2022, NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone, in coordination with BSF seized 6.920 kg Heroin at Amritsar, Punjab.
- On 27.01.2022, NCB, Delhi Zonal Unit seized 2.250 kg Heroin & 500 gram Methamphetamine and arrested one person in follow up action of NCB, Delhi.
- On 29.01.2022, NCB, Kolkata Zonal Unit seized 7 kg Heroin & Rs. 20,000/- at Krishnanagar, West Bengal. 03 persons were arrested.
- On 30.01.2022, NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone, in coordination with BSF seized 785 gram Heroin, 01 pistol, 01 pistol magazine & 06 live rounds at Gurdaspur, Punjab.
- On 06.02.2022, NCB, Kolkata Zonal Unit seized 1.848 kg of Heroin at Bethuadahiri, Nadia, West Bengal. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 12.02.2022, NCB, Ahmedabad Zonal Unit seized 528.700 kg Hashish, 221.100 kg Methamphetamine & 13.300 kg Heroin at Porbandar Port, Gujarat.

- On 15.02.2022, NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone, in coordination with BSF seized 3.950 kg Heroin at Amarkot, Punjab.
- On 17.02.2022, NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone, in coordination with BSF seized 5.960 kg Heroin at Amarkot, Punjab.
- On 19.02.2022, NCB, Delhi Zonal Unit seized 1.025 kg Heroin at IGI Airport, New Delhi. 01 person was arrested.
- On 20.02.2022, NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone, in coordination with BSF seized 2.845 kg Heroin at Abohar, Punjab.
- On 03.03.2022, NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone, in coordination with BSF seized 04.035 kg of Heroin at Amarkot, Punjab.
- On 07.03.2022, NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone in coordination with BSF seized 03.990 kg Heroin and 225 gram narcotics substance at Amarkot, Punjab.
- On 12.03.2022, NCB, Chandigarh Zonal Unit in coordination with BSF seized 02.590 kg Heroin at Tarantaran, Punjab. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 24.03.2022, NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone in coordination with BSF seized 2.380 kg Heroin at BOP- Daoke, Amritsar, Punjab.
- On 27.03.2022, NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone in coordination with BSF seized 07.895 kg of Heroin at BOP- Samaske, 101 Bn BSF, Firozpur, Punjab.
- On 30.03.2022, NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone in coordination with BSF seized 02.945 kg of Heroin at BOP- Khangarh, 144 Bn BSF, Khasa, Amritsar.
- On 02.04.2022, NCB, Jodhpur Zonal Unit in coordination with BSF seized 3.035 kg of Heroin at Sriganganagar, Rajasthan.
- On 03.04.2022, NCB, Delhi Zonal Unit seized 5.190 kg of Heroin at IGI Airport, New Delhi. 01 person was arrested.
- On 04.04.2022, NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone in coordination with BSF seized 01.980 kg of Heroin at BOP- Wan, BSF, Amarkot, Punjab.
- On 08.04.2022, NCB, Jodhpur Zonal Unit in coordination with BSF seized 3.055 kg of Heroin at Sriganganagar, Rajasthan.
- On 10.04.2022, NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone in coordination with BSF seized 970 grams of Heroin at Ferozepur, Punjab.
- On 10.04.2022, NCB Guwahati Zonal Unit seized 1.045 Kg of Heroin at Guwahati Railway Station near the office of RPF. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 12.04.2022, NCB, Mumbai Zonal Unit seized 3.980 kg of Heroin at CSI Airport, Mumbai. 01 person was arrested.
- On 12.04.2022, NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone in coordination with BSF seized 3.420 kg of Heroin at Tarantaran, Punjab.
- On 19.04.2022, NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone in coordination with BSF seized 1.960 kg of Heroin at Amritsar, Punjab.
- On 23.04.2022, NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone in coordination with BSF seized 2.675 kg of Heroin at BOP- Rania, Amritsar, Punjab.
- On 23.04.2022, NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone in coordination with BSF seized 985 grams of Heroin at BOP- Uttar Dhariwal, Amritsar, Punjab.
- On 25.04.2022, NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone in coordination with BSF seized 980 grams of Heroin at BOP- Attari, Amritsar, Punjab.
- On 26.04.2022, NCB, Delhi Zonal Unit seized 35.250 kg of Heroin and 2.750 kg of Acetic Anhydride at Saraswati Colony, Muzaffarnagar, Uttar Pradesh. 01 person was arrested.
- On 27.04.2022, NCB, Delhi Zonal Unit seized 50 kg of Heroin, 47.060 kg of suspected Narcotics substance and Rupees 30 Lacs at Abul Fazal Enclave, Jamia Nagar, Okhla, New Delhi. 01 person was arrested.
- On 01.05.2022, NCB, Chennai Zonal Unit seized 3.2 kg of Heroin at Ramanathapuram, Tamil Nadu. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 03.05.2022, NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone in coordination with BSF seized 2.870 kg of Heroin at BOP- Jodhawala, Abohar, Punjab.

- On 03.05.2022, NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone in coordination with BSF seized 1.342 kg of Heroin at BOP- Ratan Khurad, Amritsar, Punjab.
- On 06.05.2022, NCB, Imphal Sub-Zone seized 915 grams of Heroin at Sankumai, Senapati, Manipur. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 09.05.2022, NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone in coordination with BSF seized 8.920 kg of Heroin at BOP- Bharopal, 144 Bn BSF, Amritsar, Punjab.
- On 12.05.2022, NCB, Delhi Zonal Unit seized 1.020 kg of Heroin at Safdarjung Hospital, New Delhi. 01 person was arrested.
- On 25.05.2022, NCB, Indore Zonal Unit seized 21 kg of Heroin at Hoshangabad, Madhya Pradesh. 03 persons were arrested.
- On 24.05.2022, NCB, Bangalore Zonal Unit seized 13.850 kg of Heroin at Surya Residency, New Airport Road, Bangalore. 08 persons were arrested.
- On 29.05.2022, NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone in coordination with BSF seized 3.870 kg of Heroin at Amritsar, Punjab.
- On 31.05.2022, NCB, Delhi Zonal Unit seized 4 kg of Heroin at IGI Airport, New Delhi. 01 person was arrested.
- On 01.06.2022, NCB, Imphal Sub-Zone seized 6.654 kg of Heroin at Churachandpur, Manipur. 01 person was arrested.
- On 02.06.2022, NCB, Guwahati Zonal Unit seized 16.777 kg of Heroin at Baihata Chariali, Kamrup (R), Assam. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 08.06.2022, NCB, Jodhpur Zonal Unit in coordination with BSF seized 3.480 kg of Heroin at Rai Singh Nagar, Rajasthan. 04 persons were arrested.
- On 26.06.2022, Officer of NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone, in coordination with BSF seized 1.480 kg of Heroin at Fazilka, Punjab.
- On 28.06.2022, NCB, Jodhpur Zonal Unit in coordination with BSF seized 2.128 kg of Heroin at Sriganganagar, Rajasthan.
- On 13.07.2022, NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone in coordination with BSF seized 2.515 kg of Heroin at BOP- Ghoga, 183 Bn, BSF, Ajnala, Punjab.
- On 04.09.2022, NCB, Delhi Zonal Unit seized 19.867 kg of Heroin at IGI Airport, New Delhi. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 06.09.2022, NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone in coordination with BSF seized 3.135 kg of Heroin at BOP- GG Base, 66 Bn, BSF, Fazika, Punjab.
- On 06.09.2022, NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone in coordination with BSF seized 2.942 kg of Heroin and 66 grams of Opium at BOP- Bharopal, 144 Bn BSF, Amritsar, Punjab.
- On 07.09.2022, NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone in coordination with BSF seized 5.940 kg of Heroin and 175 grams of Opium at BOP- Bhaini Dilawar, 66 Bn BSF, Rampura, Punjab.
- On 09.09.2022, NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone in coordination with BSF seized 1.790 kg of Heroin at BOP- N S Wala, 160 Bn, Jalalabad, Punjab. 03 persons were arrested.
- On 19.09.2022, NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone in coordination with BSF seized 2.485 kg of Heroin at BOP- Pulmoren, 22nd Bn BSF, Amritsar, Punjab.
- On 25.09.2022, NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone in coordination with BSF seized 3.090 kg of Heroin at BOP- JCP Attari, Amritsar, Punjab.
- On 26.09.2022, NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone in coordination with BSF seized 965 grams of Heroin at BOP- Pachriyan, 116 Bn BSF, Ferozpur, Punjab.
- On 30.09.2022, NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone in coordination with BSF seized 2 kg of Heroin at BOP- Bharopal, 144 Bn BSF, Amritsar, Punjab.
- On 01.10.2022, Officers of NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone in coordination with BSF seized 950 gram of Heroin at BOP- Gattiyaru, 52 Bn, BSF, Fazilka, Punjab.
- On 03.10.2022, Officers of NCB, Jodhpur Zonal Unit in coordination with BSF seized 3.560 kg of Heroin at BOP- Kailash, 23 Bn, BSF, Anupgarh, Sri Ganga Nagar, Rajasthan.
- On 05.10.2022, Officers of NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone in coordination with BSF seized 1.965 kg of

Heroin and 10 gram of Opium at BOP- Bharopal, 144 Bn BSF, Amritsar, Punjab.

- On 06.10.2022, Officers of NCB, Cochin Sub-Zone in coordination with Indian Navy seized 199.445 kg of Heroin, 400 gram of Opium and 15 gram of Hashish at Mattanchery Wharf, Cochin, Kerala. 06 persons were arrested.
- On 17.10.2022, Officers of NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone in coordination with BSF seized 2 kg of Heroin at BOP- Rania, 22 Bn BSF, Amritsar, Punjab.
- On 18.10.2022, Officers of NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone in coordination with BSF seized 2.440 kg of Heroin at BOP- Kalam Dogar, 183 Bn BSF, Ajnala, Punjab.
- On 09.11.2022, Officers of NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone in coordination with BSF seized 2.990 kg of Heroin at BOP- Chandu Wadala, 89 Bn BSF, Punjab.
- On 15.11.2022, Officers of NCB, Chandigarh Zonal Unit seized 20.326 kg of Heroin at Ludhiana, Punjab and also seized 2 gram of Heroin, 17 gram of Opium and Rs. 5,32,510/- in cash in the follow up action on the same day. In further follow-up actions 7.750 kg of Heroin and 04 bullets with magazine at Dhandra Road, Ludhiana, and 1.140 kg of Heroin, 23.645 kg of Narcotics substance, 2 litres of HCL and 531 gram of Acetic Anhydride at Gill Road, Ludhiana were further seized on 26.11.2022. In another follow-up action, 90 gram of Opium was seized from a Shop in Phase-II, Urban Estate, Ludhiana, Punjab and 5.470 kg of Morphine, 450 gram of Opium, 50 gram of Heroin and 25 bullets were seized at New Grain market, Ludhiana, Punjab on 29.11.2022. Total 05 persons were arrested.
- On 19.11.2022, Officers of NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone in coordination with BSF seized 1 kg of Heroin at BOP- WAN, 103 Bn, BSF, Amarkot, Punjab.
- On 19.11.2022, Officers of NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone in coordination with BSF seized 980 gram of Heroin at BOP- Pallopati, 103 Bn, BSF, Amarkot, Punjab.
- On 29.11.2022, Officers of NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone in coordination with BSF seized 3 kg of Heroin at 73 Bn, BSF Hqrs, Amritsar, Punjab.
- On 28.11.2022, Officers of NCB, Imphal Sub-Zone seized 1.049 kg of Heroin and 1 kg of Methamphetamine at MSRTC Bus stand, Moirangkhom, Imphal West, Manipur. 01 person was arrested.
- On 10.12.2022, Officers of NCB, Lucknow Zonal Unit seized 1.470 kg of Heroin at Barabanki, Uttar Pradesh. 01 person was arrested.
- On 17.12.2022, Officers of NCB, Guwahati Zonal Unit seized 153.200 kg of Ganja, 179 gram of Methamphetamine tablets, 1.020 kg of Heroin, 16 bottles of codeine based cough syrup, 01 pistol with magazine, 01 Toyota Fortuner and 01 Toyota Innova Car at Railway East Colony, Amingaon, Kamrup (Rural), Assam. 03 persons were arrested.
- On 25.12.2022, Officers of NCB, Chandigarh Zonal Unit seized 5.200 kg of Heroin from 09 tomato sauce tin box at SCO No. 11, New Grain Market, Ludhiana, Punjab in follow-up action of an earlier case of NCB, Chandigarh. 06 persons were arrested.
- On 28.12.2022, Officers of NCB, Jodhpur Zonal Unit seized 2.064 kg of Heroin at Veterinary Clinic, Banswara Road, Banswara City, Rajasthan. 03 persons were arrested.

CASE STUDY-BIGGEST HEROIN SEIZURES

Seizure of 199.445 Kg of Heroin, 400 gm of Hashish and 15 gm of Opium on 06.10.2022 by NCB Cochin Sub-Zone (Chennai Zone)

On the basis of specific input developed by NCB Hqrs and passed on to the Indian Navy Ship Sunayana, an Iranian fishing boat suspected to be carrying around 200 packets of Heroin, small quantity of Hashish and Opium was apprehended along with 06 persons suspected to be Iranians who were boarding the boat. The boat was brought to Mattanchery Wharf by the Indian Navy on 06.10.2022. The contraband was handed over to

NCB, Cochin Sub Zone. A total quantity of 199.445 kg off Heroin, 400 gm of Hashish and 15 gm of Opium was recovered and seized. All the six Iranian crew members were arrested and are presently in judicial custody.



1.2.3 CANNABIS (GANJA)

According to the UNODC, "Cannabis is the most widely used illicit substance in the world". The typical herbal form of cannabis consists of the flowers and substending leaves and stalks of mature pistillate of female plants. The resinous form of the drug is known as Hashish. Cannabis contains a number of chemical substances, however the most predominant and only psychoactive substance is (-)-trans-delta9-tetrahydrocannabinol (delta-9-THC or THC).



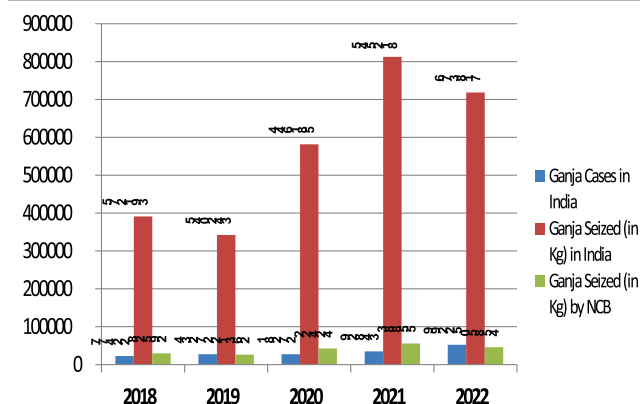
Trends:

Trafficking from the North-East India to eastern states is mainly by surface transport.

- Trafficking in substantial quantities takes place across India - Nepal border and in the states of

Odisha, Himachal Pradesh and in small quantities from states of Manipur and West Bengal.

- The main transit routes for Ganja are through Assam, Odisha, West Bengal, Bihar, Uttar Pradesh, Nagaland, Maharashtra and Chhattisgarh.



Year wise seizure of Ganja during the last 5 years
(Figure in Kgs.)

Significant seizures of Ganja by NCB :

- On 08.01.2022, NCB, Chennai Zonal Unit seized 369 kg Ganja at Nallur Toll Plaza, Sholavaram, Chennai. 10 persons were arrested.
- On 09.01.2022, NCB, Patna Zonal Unit seized 702 kg Ganja near Belaganj, Gaya, Bihar. 02 persons were arrested.

- On 10.01.2022, NCB, Guwahati Zonal Unit seized 765.380 kg Ganja near Health City Hospital, Khanpara, Guwahati. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 10.01.2022, NCB, Guwahati Zonal Unit seized 3071.160 kg Ganja near Metro Hospital, Khanpara, Guwahati. 01 person was arrested.
- On 10.01.2022, NCB, Jodhpur Zonal Unit seized 279.650 kg Ganja at Ochari Toll Plaza, Chittorgarh. 03 persons were arrested.
- On 21.01.2022, NCB, Patna Zonal Unit seized 297 kg of Ganja at Patna, Bihar. 01 person was arrested.
- On 22.01.2022, NCB, Kolkata Zonal Unit, in coordination with BSF seized 690 kg of Ganja at Meghpala, Coochbehar, West Bengal. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 29.01.2022, NCB, Patna Zonal Unit seized 547 kg of Ganja at Begusarai, Bihar. 03 persons were arrested.
- On 31.01.2022, NCB, Bhubaneswar Sub-Zone seized 459 kg Ganja at Khurda, Odisha. 01 person was arrested.
- On 01.02.2022, NCB, Ranchi Sub-Zone seized 360.500 kg of Ganja at Ranchi, Jharkhand. 05 persons were arrested.
- On 25.02.2022, NCB, Guwahati Zone Unit seized 405.270 kg of Ganja at Kamrup, Assam. 03 persons were arrested.
- On 04.03.2022, NCB, Kolkata Zonal Unit seized 400 kg of Ganja at Howarah, Kolkata. 06 persons were arrested.
- On 10.03.2022, NCB, Ajmer Sub-Zone seized 305.480 kg Ganja at Ochhri Toll Plaza, Chittorgarh, Rajasthan. 04 persons were arrested.
- On 25.03.2022, NCB, Kolkata Zonal Unit in coordination with BSF seized 846 kg of Ganja at Petbhata, Coochbehar, West Bengal.
- On 05.04.2022, NCB, Guwahati Zonal Unit seized 4601.780 kg of Ganja at Balagaon, Rangia, Kamrup, Assam. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 07.04.2022, NCB, Kolkata Zonal Unit seized 851.800 kg of Ganja. 01 person was arrested.
- On 09.04.2022, Officer of NCB, Ranchi Sub-Zone seized 538 kg of Ganja at Puruliya Chandankyari Road, Bokaro, Jharkhand. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 11.04.2022, NCB, Patna Zonal Unit seized 795 kg of Ganja at Katihar, Bihar. 05 persons were arrested.
- On 11.04.2022, NCB, Kolkata Zonal Unit seized 207 kg of Ganja and Rs. 1,08,000/- at Cooch behar, West Bengal. 01 person was arrested.
- On 25.04.2022, NCB, Lucknow Zonal Unit seized 2400 kg of Ganja at Bakewar, Fatehpur, Uttar Pradesh. 01 person was arrested.
- On 05.05.2022, NCB, Bhubaneswar Sub-Zone seized 506 kg of Ganja at Chandka, Odisha. 03 persons were arrested.
- On 18.05.2022, NCB, Ranchi Sub-Zone seized 204 kg of Ganja at Namkum, Ranchi. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 20.05.2022, NCB, Indore Zonal Unit seized 885.150 kg of Ganja at Kawardha, Chhattisgarh. 06 persons were arrested.
- On 02.06.2022, NCB, Imphal Sub-Zone seized 1191.200 kg of Ganja at Tadubi, Senapati district, Manipur. 01 person was arrested.
- On 09.06.2022, NCB, Ahmedabad Zonal Unit seized 523.450 kg of Ganja at Lindiyat, Surat, Gujarat. 03 persons were arrested.
- On 11.06.2022, NCB, Kolkata Zonal Unit in coordination with BSF seized 1,582 kg of Ganja at Meghpal, Coochbehar, West Bengal. 01 person was arrested.
- On 15.06.2022, NCB, Ahmedabad Zonal Unit seized 724.400 kg of Ganja at Lazore Circle, Surat. 07 persons were arrested.]
- On 18.06.2022, NCB, Ahmedabad Zonal Unit seized 352.520 kg of Ganja at Chouryasi Toll Plaza, Surat. 03 persons were arrested.
- On 22.06.2022, NCB, Guwahati Zonal Unit seized 1,484.950 kg of Ganja from a truck at Guwahati. 02 persons were arrested.

- On 27.06.2022, NCB, Mumbai Zonal Unit seized 286 kg of Ganja at Solapur-Mumbai road, Maharashtra. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 08.07.2022, NCB, Guwahati Zonal Unit seized 1,728.900 kg of Ganja at Guwahati, Assam. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 11.07.2022, NCB, Guwahati Zonal Unit seized 297.520 kg of Ganja at NH-37, near Khanapara flyover, Guwahati. 01 person was arrested.
- On 14.07.2022, NCB, Indore Zonal Unit seized 1276.470 kg of Ganja at Narsinghpur, Madhya Pradesh. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 16.07.2022, NCB, Bhubaneshwar Sub-Zone seized 738 kg of Ganja at Nandankanan, Bhubaneshwar, Orissa. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 16.07.2022, NCB, Ranchi Sub-Zone seized 996.500 kg of Ganja at Munda Mansa Chowk, Simalia, Ranchi, Jharkhand. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 18.07.2022, NCB, Lucknow Zonal Unit seized 2330 kg of Ganja at Babina Toll Plaza, Jhansi, Uttar Pradesh. 03 persons were arrested.
- On 22.07.2022, NCB, Lucknow Zonal Unit seized 448.722 kg of Ganja at Prayagraj-Raibareli Road, Uttar Pradesh. 01 person was arrested.
- On 25.07.2022, NCB, Indore Zonal Unit seized 260.350 kg of Ganja at Ujjain, Madhya Pradesh. 01 person was arrested.
- On 29.07.2022, NCB, Indore Zonal Unit seized 882.720 kg of Ganja at Bagwada Toll Plaza, Madhya Pradesh. 05 persons were arrested.
- On 31.07.2022, NCB, Bhubaneswar Sub-Zone seized 205.200 kg of Ganja at Aginia Square, Bhubaneswar, Odisha. 04 persons were arrested.
- On 11.08.2022, NCB, Patna Zonal Unit seized 310 kg of Ganja at Darbhanga more, Muzaffarpur, Bihar. 01 person was arrested.
- On 19.08.2022, NCB, Indore Zonal Unit seized 206.470 kg of Ganja at Bhutani Toll Plaza, Sehor, Madhya Pradesh. 04 persons were arrested.
- On 19.08.2022, NCB, Lucknow Zonal Unit seized 252 kg of Ganja at Jalalpur, Ambedkar Nagar, Uttar Pradesh. 03 persons were arrested.
- On 01.09.2022, NCB, Mumbai Zonal Unit seized 210 kg of Ganja at Khapoli, Raigarh, Maharashtra. 01 person was arrested.
- On 07.09.2022, NCB, Patna Zonal Unit seized 337 kg of Ganja at Zero mile, Patna, Bihar. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 26.09.2022, NCB, Guwahati Zonal Unit seized 517.080 kg of Ganja at NH-37 near Metro Hospital, Khanapara, Guwahati, Assam. 06 persons were arrested.
- On 29.09.2022, NCB, Mandsaur Sub-Zone seized 305.655 kg of Ganja at Kumhari Toll Plaza, Durg, Chhattisgarh. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 09.10.2022, Officers of NCB, Patna Zonal Unit seized 1459.200 kg of Ganja at Delhi More, NH-57, Darbhanga, Bihar. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 09.11.2022, Officers of NCB, Patna Zonal Unit seized 228 kg of Ganja alongwith 215 bottles of liquor at Railway Gumti No. 97, New Bela Transport Agency, Muzaffarpur, Bihar. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 15.11.2022, Officers of NCB, Chennai Zonal Unit seized 243 kg of Ganja at Krishnagiri, Tamil Nadu. 07 persons were arrested.
- On 22.11.2022, Officers of NCB, Madurai Sub-Zone in coordination with Indian Coast Guard seized 290.490 kg of Ganja and 1 kg of Hashish Oil in a fishing boat at Rameshwaram, Tamil Nadu. 04 persons were arrested.
- On 26.12.2022, Officers of NCB, Guwahati Zonal Unit seized 641.870 Kg of Ganja at NH-37, near Metro Hospital, Khanapara, Guwahati, Assam. 01 person was arrested.
- On 19.12.2022, Officers of NCB, Patna Zonal Unit in coordination with SSB seized 600.400 kg of Ganja at 45 Bn, SSB, Supaul, Jharkhand. 01 person was arrested.

CASE STUDY-BIGGEST GANJA SEIZURE

Seizure of 4601.78 kg of Ganja by NCB Guwahati Zone

On 05.04.2022, NCB Guwahati Zonal Unit effected a seizure of 4601.78 kg ganja from a truck bearing Nagaland registration number at NH-31, Balagaon, Rangia, Kamrup (Rural), Assam. One person r/o Sigrahata, District- Bhojpur, Bihar was apprehended along with the alleged Ganja and served with notice u/s 67 of NDPS Act, 1985 to tender his voluntary statement. On the basis of recovery and his confessional statements he was arrested on 06.04.2022 for violation of section 8 (c) punishable U/s 20 (b) (ii) (c) of the NDPS Act, 1985 (as amended).



During the statement, arrested accused revealed that one associate carrier had left by train from Agartala, Tripura for Siliguri, West Bengal after departure of the seized loaded truck to escape from interception by law agencies enroute and informed the carrier that he would accompany him again in Siliguri. However, NCB team received an information that due to the fact that the seized loaded truck not arriving at Siliguri in scheduled time, the accused deboarded from the train and as per direction of Owner of the seized truck and returned back to Guwahati and went to the spot at Guwahati in search of the truck from where he was apprehended by NCB Guwahati and later arrested.



1.2.4 CANNABIS (HASHISH)

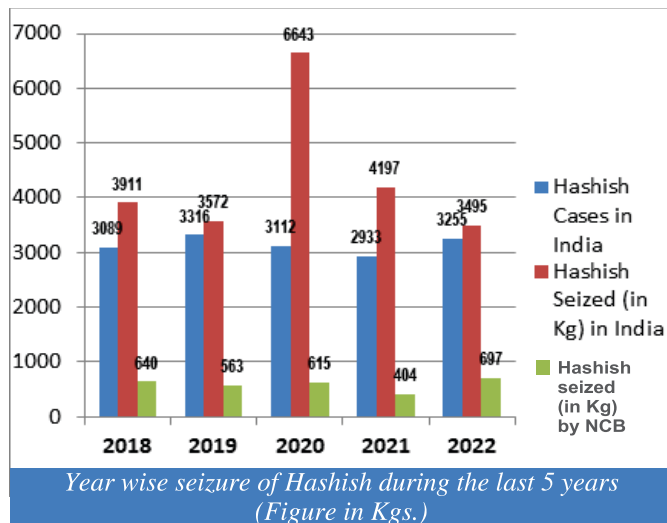
Hashish or Charas is the cannabis resin derived from the plant cannabis sativa. Generally hashish is obtained from the plant by rubbing the flowering tops of the cannabis plant between the palms of the hands or on rubber sheets. Cannabis resin is placed under Schedule I and IV of the Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs of 1961.

Trends:

- Charas/Hashish is derived from the illicit cannabis cultivation being done by the drug traffickers at Kashmir Valley especially in

the districts of South Kashmir and Kullu in Himachal Pradesh.

- There is a trend of trafficking of Charas from Kashmir and Himachal Pradesh to Maharashtra, Rajasthan, Goa & Gujarat and other metro towns of India.
- Charas is also trafficked from Nepal to India.



Significant seizures of Hashish by NCB:

- On 11.01.2022, NCB, Chandigarh Zonal Unit seized 1.870 kg Hashish at Himalyan Toll Plaza, Panchkula, Haryana. 03 persons were arrested.
- On 14.01.2022, NCB, Jammu Zonal Unit seized 2.500 kg Hashish at Ban Toll Plaza, Nagrota, Jammu. 01 person was arrested.
- On 16.01.2022, NCB, Jammu Zonal Unit seized 3 kg Hashish at Ban Toll Plaza, Nagrota, Jammu. 03 persons were arrested.
- On 27.01.2022, NCB, Jammu Zonal Unit seized 2.300 kg Hashish at Narwal bus stand, Jammu. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 03.02.2022, NCB, Ahmedabad Zonal Unit seized 6.359 Kg Hashish at Gandhinagar, Gujarat. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 06.02.2022, NCB, Jammu Zonal Unit seized 5 kg of Hashish at Mansar Morh, Samba, Jammu. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 12.02.2022, NCB, Ahmedabad Zonal Unit seized 528.700 kg Hashish, 221.100 kg Methamphetamine & 13.300 kg Heroin at Porbandar Port, Gujarat.

- On 15.02.2022, NCB, Lucknow Zonal Unit seized 3.100 kg Hashish at Maharajganj, UP. 01 person was arrested.
- On 30.03.2022, NCB, Jammu Zonal Unit seized 03 kg of Hashish at Kunjwani Chowk, Jammu. 01 person was arrested.
- On 02.04.2022, NCB, Cochin Sub-Zone arrested 01 person in connection with seizure of 3.500 kg of Hashish oil on 12.09.2021.
- On 06.04.2022, NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone seized 2.300 kg of Hashish at Hoshiarpur, Punjab. 01 person was arrested.
- On 14.04.2022, NCB, Bangalore Zonal Unit seized 3.176 kg of Hashish at Yeshwanthpur Railway Station, Bangalore. 03 persons were arrested.
- On 22.04.2022, NCB, Chandigarh Zonal Unit seized 1.688 kg of Hashish at Bhuli Bridge, Mandi, Himachal Pradesh. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 29.06.2022, NCB, Jammu Zonal Unit seized 27.550 kg of Hashish at Sarore toll plaza, Jammu. 03 persons were arrested.
- On 10.06.2022, NCB, Mumbai Zonal Unit seized 4.880 kg of Hashish at DHL Pvt. Ltd, Andheri, Mumbai.
- On 01.07.2022, NCB, Jammu Zonal Unit seized 9.700 kg of Hashish at Gumat Chowk, Jammu. 08 persons were arrested.
- On 21.07.2022, NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone seized 1.950 kg of Hashish at Shahpur Police Station, Kangra, H.P. 03 persons were arrested.
- On 08.08.2022, NCB, Lucknow Zonal Unit seized 7.200 kg of Hashish at Sharvasti, Uttar Pradesh. 01 person was arrested.
- On 01.09.2022, NCB, Lucknow Zonal Unit seized 3.700 kg of Hashish at Fatehabad, Agra, Uttar Pradesh. 01 person was arrested.
- On 02.09.2022, NCB, Lucknow Zonal Unit seized 10.800 kg of Hashish at Purvanchal Expressway, Gosaiganj, Uttar Pradesh. 01 person was arrested.

- On 05.09.2022, NCB, Jammu Zonal Unit seized 4 kg of Hashish at Bus Stand, Jammu. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 13.10.2022, Officers of NCB, Jammu Zonal Unit seized 4.600 kg of Hashish at Ban Toll Plaza, Jammu, J&K. 01 person was arrested.
- On 20.10.2022, Officers of NCB, Mandi Sub-Zone seized 4.444 kg of Hashish at Bajoura near GSS School, Kullu, Himachal Pradesh. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 01.11.2022, Officers of NCB, Madurai Sub-Zone seized 4.440 kg of Hashish Oil at Old bus-stand in Tuticorin, Tamil Nadu. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 05.11.2022, Officers of NCB, Amritsar Sub-Zone seized 8.604 kg of Hashish at Bhuli, Mandi, Himachal Pradesh. 03 persons were arrested.
- Officers of NCB, Bangalore Zonal Unit seized 3.900 kg of Hashish at Nester Earth Villaments, Doddagubbi Main Road, Bangalore, Karnataka on 17.11.2022, in a follow up action of previous seizure. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 18.11.2022, Officers of NCB, Lucknow Zonal Unit seized 2.700 kg of Hashish at Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh. 01 person was arrested.
- On 22.11.2022, Officers of NCB, Madurai Sub-Zone in coordination with Indian Coast Guard seized 290.490 kg of Ganja and 1 kg of Hashish Oil in a fishing boat at Rameshwaram, Tamil Nadu. 04 persons were arrested.
- On 22.11.2022, Officers of NCB, Jammu Zonal Unit seized 12.200 kg of Hashish at NH-44, Sidco Chowk, Samba, Jammu (J&K). 02 persons were arrested.

CASE STUDY-BIGGEST HASHISH SEIZURE

Seizure of 528.7 kg of Hashish by NCB Ahmedabad Zone

Acting on specific information, a team of Narcotics Control Bureau, Ahmedabad reached at GMB Jetty, Porabander, Gujarat on 12.02.2022 and taken over 36 packet/plastic gunny bags containing suspicious contraband from Indian Naval Officers. On inspection and on testing of a pinch of substance from each packets, with DD kit, it was found that 23 packets/plastic gunny bags were containing black colour sticky substances which showed positive result for test of Charas and weighed 528.7 kilograms. 12 packets/plastic gunny bags containing white crystal substance showed positive result for test of Methamphetamine and weighed 221.1 kilograms and 1 packet/plastic gunny bag containing brown colored substances showed positive result for test of Heroine and weighed 13.3 kilograms. The Charas, Methamphetamine and Heroine alongwith packing material, was seized under panchnama dated 12.02.2022. No person was arrested.

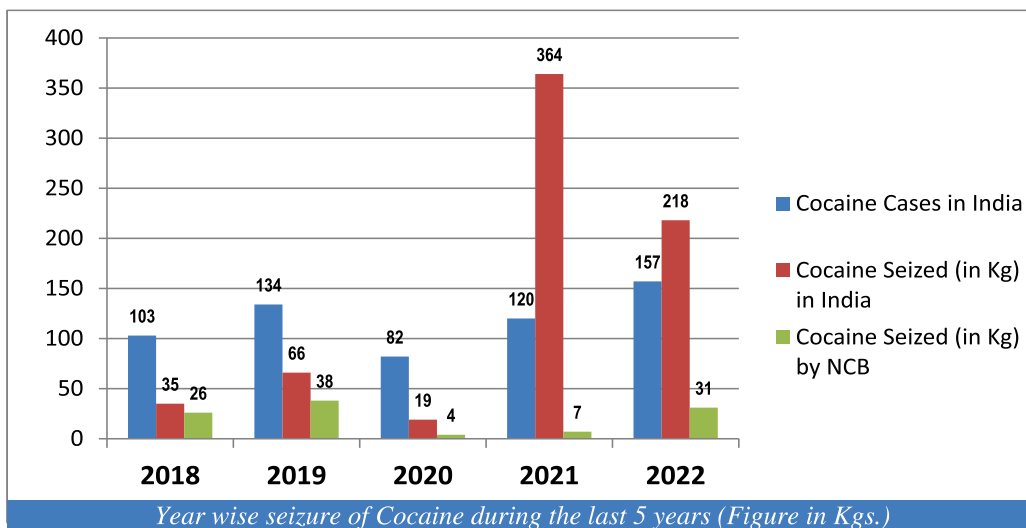


1.2.5 COCAINE

Cocaine is widely used as a recreational drug that is prepared from coca leaves. It is found in South American countries, primarily Brazil, Colombia, Bolivia and Peru. Cocaine, originating in South America, is trafficked throughout the world. In India, it is mainly smuggled in small quantities by West African drug traffickers. It is generally encountered in two forms which differ in their route of administration. Cocaine hydrochloride, which is insufflated or injected, and cocaine base, which is a smokable form.

Trends:

- Smuggling of cocaine is mostly being done by African nationals based in India.
- Instances of Cocaine being smuggled from Afghanistan, Argentina, Brazil and South America have also come to notice.
- Seizures of Cocaine in India have been made at airports mostly.
- There are many instances of small quantities of Cocaine trafficking through parcels concealed in common household articles like cosmetics, utensils, books and clothing.
- The latest trend is trafficking of Cocaine in liquid form.



Significant seizures of Cocaine by NCB:

- On 02.02.2022, NCB, Delhi Zonal Unit seized 185 gram Cocaine at T-2, IGI Airport, New Delhi. 01 person was arrested.
- On 14.03.2022, NCB, Delhi Zonal Unit seized 1.090 kg of Cocaine at IGI Airport, New Delhi. 01 person was arrested.
- On 14.03.2022, NCB, Delhi Zonal Unit seized 980 gram of Cocaine at IGI Airport, New Delhi. 01 person was arrested.
- On 23.03.2022, NCB, Delhi Zonal Unit seized 1.550 kg of Cocaine at IGI Airport, New Delhi. 01 person was arrested.
- On 23.03.2022, NCB, Delhi Zonal Unit seized 960 gram of Cocaine at IGI Airport, New Delhi. 01 person was arrested.
- On 23.03.2022, NCB, Delhi Zonal Unit seized 385 gram of Cocaine and 320 gram of Heroin at IGI Airport, New Delhi. 01 person was arrested.
- On 08.04.2022, NCB, Delhi Zonal Unit seized 770 grams of Cocaine at IGI Airport, New Delhi. 01 person was arrested.
- On 11.04.2022, NCB, Delhi Zonal Unit seized 1.340 Kg of Cocaine at I.G.I. Airport, New Delhi. 01 person was arrested.
- From 28.05.2022 to 02.06.2022, NCB, Mumbai Zonal Unit seized a total of 535 grams of Heroin and 175 grams of Cocaine from a Ugandan lady who was apprehended at CSI Airport, Mumbai on 28.05.2022.
- On 25.07.2022, NCB, Bangalore Zonal Unit seized 1.302 kg of Cocaine at Kempegowda International Airport, Bangalore. 01 person was arrested.
- From 13.08.2022 to 25.08.2022, NCB, Kolkata Zonal Unit seized a total of 497 grams of Cocaine from a Brazilian national who was apprehended at Kolkata Airport on 12.08.2022.
- On 26.09.2022, NCB, Mumbai Zonal Unit seized 3.200 kg of Cocaine at CSI Airport, Mumbai. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 13.10.2022, Officers of NCB, Delhi Zonal

Unit seized 4.984 kg of Cocaine at Krishna Park, Tilak Nagar, New Delhi and further seized 2.055 kg of Cocaine in the follow up action at Hotel Sukoon, Mumbai on 14.10.2022. 05 persons were arrested.

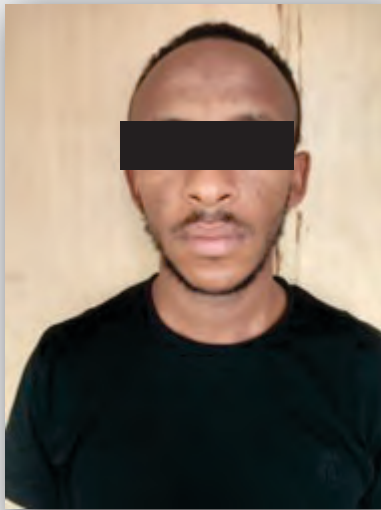
- On 18.10.2022, Officers of NCB, Chennai Zonal Unit seized 5.370 kg of Cocaine at Chennai International Airport, Tamil Nadu. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 21.10.2022, Officers of NCB, Bangalore Zonal Unit seized 1.030 kg of Cocaine at International Airport, Bangalore, Karnataka. 01 person was arrested.
- On 12.11.2022, Officers of NCB, Delhi Zonal Unit seized 256 gram of Cocaine at Foreign Post Office, Kotla Marg, New Delhi in a controlled delivery operation.
- On 20.11.2022, Officers of NCB, Mumbai Zonal Unit seized 2.800 kg of Cocaine at CSMI Airport, Mumbai. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 29.11.2022, Officers of NCB, Chennai Zonal Unit seized 2 kg of Cocaine at Chennai International Airport, Tamil Nadu. 01 person was arrested.

CASE STUDY-BIGGEST COCAINE SEIZURE**1. Seizure of 5.370 Kg Cocaine by NCB Delhi Zone**

On the basis of a secret information, on 13.10.2022, a team of Narcotics Control Bureau, Delhi Zonal unit conducted a search operation at Tilaknagar, New Delhi and seized 4.984 Kg of cocaine concealed in the bottom side of a trolley bag and one female accused was arrested. She disclosed that she brought the drugs from Mumbai from two foreigners and also informed that they were staying in a Hotel near Masjid Bunder station, Mumbai. A team of NCB, DZU immediately proceeded to Mumbai and intercepted 02 Ethiopian Nationals from the hotel. The two accused further disclosed that there were two more persons who were also involved in drug trafficking and were residing in the same hotel. On their disclosure, a team of NCB, DZU intercepted another Ethiopian national from the hotel and in his

statement he disclosed that he had already handed over the trolley bag where the drugs has been concealed to a Nigerian national and one of his female friend who was staying in a nearby hotel. After his disclosure, the team rushed to the nearby hotel and seized 2.055 Kg of cocaine concealed in a

trolley bag. All the four Ethiopian nationals were arrested after recording their statement and having reason to believe that they have violated the provisions of NDPS act 1985.



2. Seizure of 5.370 Kg Cocaine by NCB Chennai Zone

On the basis of specific intelligence, officers of NCB Chennai intercepted two persons (a German and a Greece National) at arrival hall custom Examination area of Chennai International Airport and recovered 5.370 kgs of Cocaine on 18.10.2022 from 2 hand baggages possessed by both of them who landed at Chennai Airport.



1.3 NARCOTIC CROPS

1.3.1 LICIT OPIUM POPPY CULTIVATION

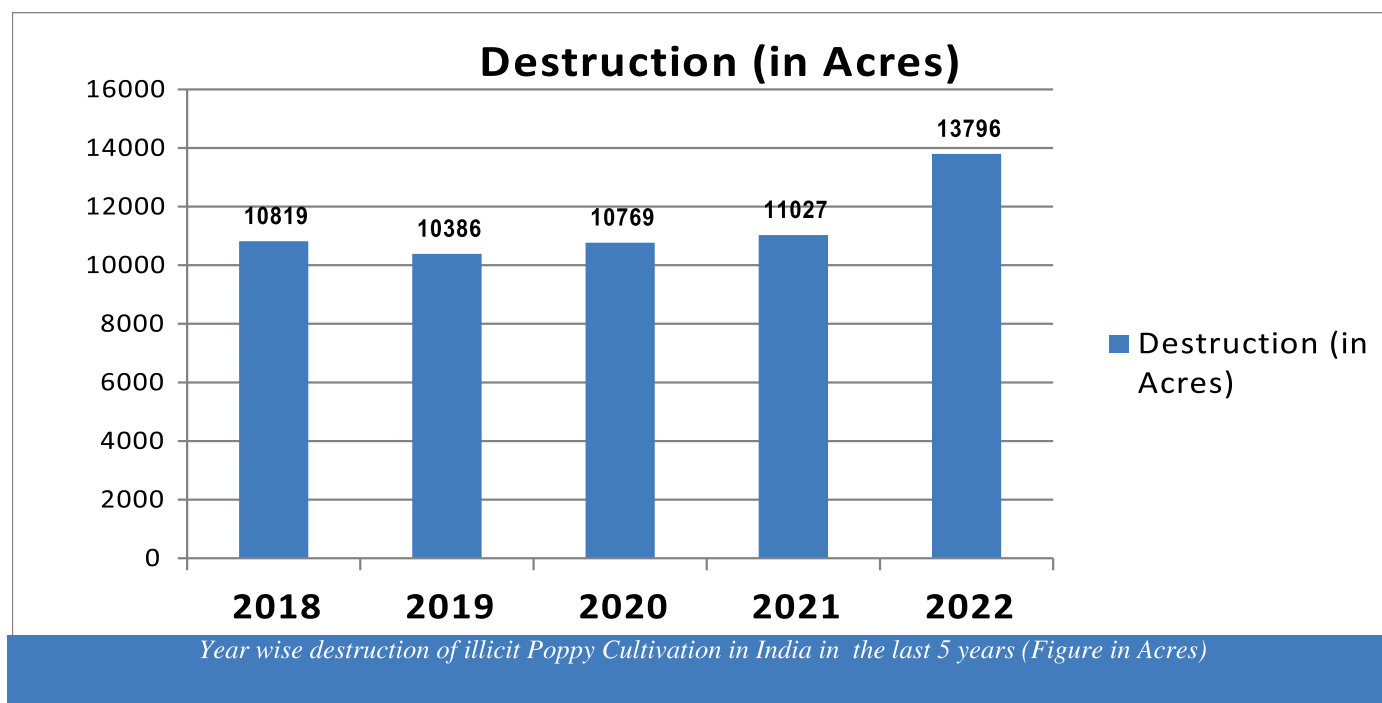
India is the only country, authorized by the United Nations Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs (1961), to produce gum opium. Countries such as Australia, Austria, France, China, Hungary, Netherlands, Poland, Slovenia, Spain, Turkey and Czech Republic also produce opium but through Concentrate of Poppy Straw (CPS) method.

Licit cultivation of Opium Poppy is carried out in India in selected tracts notified by the Central Government annually in the States of Madhya Pradesh, Rajasthan and Uttar Pradesh. Licences are issued by the CBN to eligible cultivators in the above three States as per the General Conditions relating to Grant of Licence framed by the Central Government.

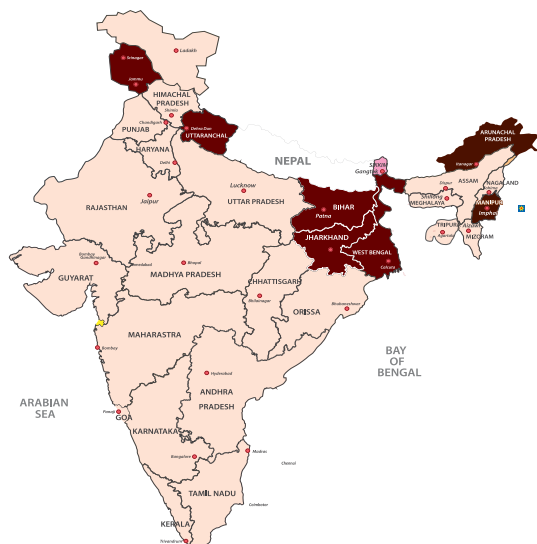
1.3.2 ILLICIT OPIUM POPPY CULTIVATION

The extent of illicit cultivation of opium poppy cannot be exactly quantified but eradications undertaken by law enforcement agencies are indicative of the areas prone to such cultivation. The Government of India has undertaken the satellite imaging of such illicit cultivation and results from this enable a more focused approach for eradication of the illicit crop.

During 2022, illicit cultivation of opium poppy was noticed in the states of Arunachal Pradesh, Assam, Bihar, Gujarat, Jammu & Kashmir, Jharkhand, Madhya Pradesh and Manipur.



Illicit Opium Poppy Cultivation in India



Destruction of illicit opium poppy cultivation

- On 11.01.2022, NCB, Imphal Sub-Zone, in coordination with NAB & district Police destroyed illicit cultivation of Opium Poppy spread over 20 acres of land in Churachandpur, Manipur.
- On 28.01.2022, NCB, Imphal Sub-Zone, in coordination with NAB & district Police destroyed illicit cultivation of Opium Poppy spread over 20 acres of land in Kangpokpi, Manipur.
- On 15-16.02.2022, NCB, Patna Zonal Unit in coordination with SSB & State Police destroyed illicit cultivation of Opium Poppy over 17.36 acres of land in Barachatti, Gaya.



- From 18.02.2022 to 22.02.2022, NCB, Patna Zonal Unit in coordination with SSB & State Police destroyed illicit cultivation of Opium



Poppy over 85 acres of land in Gaya, Bihar.

- On 22.02.2022, NCB, Jodhpur Zonal Unit in coordination with State Police destroyed illicit cultivation of Opium Poppy over 5281.75 square feet(0.121 acres) of land in Bhopalgarh, Rajasthan.
- On 25-26.02.2022, NCB, Patna Zonal Unit in coordination with Forest Department, Bihar Police and SSB destroyed illicit cultivation of Opium poppy over 55.11 acres of land.
- On 04-05.03.2022, NCB, Patna Zonal Unit in coordination with Forest Department, Bihar Police and SSB destroyed illicit cultivation of Opium poppy over 57.23 acres of land.
- On 07-09.03.2022, NCB, Patna Zonal Unit in coordination with Forest Department, Bihar Police and SSB destroyed illicit cultivation of Opium poppy over 47.57 acres of land.
- On 29.03.2022, NCB, Imphal Sub-Zone in coordination with NAB, Manipur, 22 Assam Rifles and Manipur Police destroyed illicit cultivation of Opium poppy over 25 acres of land.
- On 15.12.2022, Officers of NCB, Patna Zonal Unit in coordination with Forest department, Local Police and SSB destroyed illicit cultivation of Opium poppy spread over 19.66 acres of land.
- On 18.12.2022, Officers of NCB, Patna Zonal Unit in coordination with Forest department, Local Police and SSB destroyed illicit cultivation of Opium poppy spread over 15.23 acres of land.

- On 26.12.2022, Officers of NCB, Patna Zonal Unit in coordination with Forest department, Local Police and SSB destroyed illicit cultivation of Opium poppy spread over 62.06 acres of land.
- On 30.12.2022, Officers of NCB, Patna Zonal Unit in coordination with Forest department, Local Police and SSB destroyed illicit cultivation of Opium poppy spread over 41.3 acres of land.

1.3.3 Illicit Cannabis Cultivation

Under the NDPS Act as well as under the UN Drug Control Conventions, the cultivation of Cannabis is illegal. One of the important countermeasures undertaken by NCB is to identify and destroy illicit cultivation of the plant. During 2022, the area under illicit cannabis cultivation detected was around 26266 acres, in the states of Andhra Pradesh, Gujarat, Himachal Pradesh, Jammu & Kashmir, Odisha and Tripura which was subsequently destroyed by various Central & State agencies.

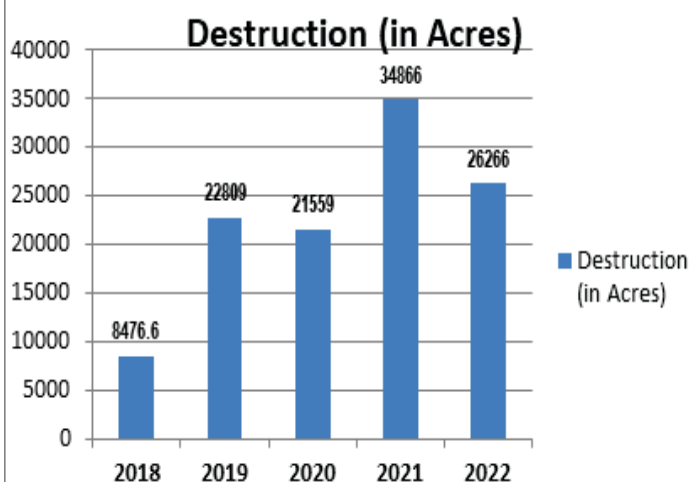


Illicit Cannabis Cultivation in India Destruction of illicit Cannabis cultivation

- On 04.12.2022, Officers of NCB, Bhubaneswar Sub-Zone in coordination with Local Police destroyed illicit cultivation of Cannabis

spread over 121 acres of land at Dekapanga & Khairaguda, Rayagada, Odisha.

- On 05.12.2022, Officers of NCB, Bhubaneswar Sub-Zone in coordination with Local Police destroyed illicit cultivation of Cannabis spread over 95 acres of land at Burudi & Nuagaon, Rayagada, Odisha.
- On 06.12.2022, Officers of NCB, Bhubaneswar Sub-Zone in coordination with Excise & Local Police destroyed illicit cultivation of Cannabis spread over 113 acres of land at Khairaguda & Redinguda, Gudari, Odisha.
- From 11.12.2022 to 14.12.2022, Officers of NCB, Bhubaneswar Sub-Zone in coordination with Excise and Local Police destroyed illicit cultivation of Cannabis spread over 232 acres of land at Gudari, Odisha.
- On 20.12.2022, Officers of NCB, Patna Zonal Unit in coordination with Forest department, Local Police and SSB destroyed illicit cultivation of Opium Poppy spread over 21 acres of land and illicit cultivation of Cannabis spread over 0.10 acres of land.
- From 21 to 23.12.2022, Officers of NCB, Bhubaneswar Sub Zonal Unit in coordination with Excise department and State Police destroyed illicit cultivation of Cannabis spread over 145 acres of land.



Year wise destruction of illicit Cannabis Cultivation in India in the last 5 years (Figure in Acres)

- On 24.12.2022, Officers of NCB, Bhubaneswar Sub-Zone in coordination with Excise and Local Police destroyed illicit cultivation of Cannabis spread over 40 acres of land at Gudari, Odisha.
- On 29.12.2022, Officers of NCB, Bhubaneswar Sub-Zone in coordination with Excise and Local Police destroyed illicit cultivation of Cannabis spread over 80 acres of land at Gudari, Odisha.



1.4 PSYCHOTROPIC SUBSTANCES

Psychotropic Substances are any chemical agent affecting the mind or mental processes (i.e. any psychoactive drug). The UN Convention on Psychotropic Substances, 1971, establishes the international control regime for such substances. The Convention responded to the diversification and expansion of the spectrum of drugs of abuse and introduced controls over a number of synthetic drugs according to their abuse potential on the one hand and their therapeutic value on the other.

1.4.1 SYNTHETIC DRUGS

Synthetic drugs like Amphetamine Type Stimulants (ATS) have become the drug of choice in South East Asia and in North America. In India, several attempts have been made in the past to set up clandestine manufacturing facilities, especially in Maharashtra and Gujarat to produce ATS. Narcotics

Control Bureau has successfully thwarted these attempts.

Trends:

- Trafficking of ATS from Myanmar to India along North-Eastern Border States.
- Australia, Malaysia and Thailand are the major destination countries for ATS trafficking sourced from India.
- USA, Australia, Malaysia and South Africa are the major destination countries for Methaqualone/ Mandrax sourced from India.
- A major portion of Methaqualone/ Mandrax seizures are effected at Airports of New Delhi, Kolkata and Mumbai.

Significant seizures of Mephedrone by NCB:

- On 06.04.2022, NCB, Ahmedabad Zonal Unit seized 168 grams of Mephedrone at Mehsana, Gujarat. 01 person was arrested.



- On 21.07.2022, NCB, Ahmedabad Zonal Unit seized 391 grams of Mephedrone at CTM Toll Plaza, Surat, Gujarat. 03 persons were arrested.
- On 03.09.2022, NCB, Ahmedabad Zonal Unit seized 143 grams of Mephedrone at Ahmedabad, Gujarat. 01 person was arrested.
- On 03.10.2022, Officers of NCB, Ahmedabad Zonal Unit seized 10.320 kg of Mephedrone at Jamnagar, Gujarat. 04 persons were arrested.
- On 06.10.2022, Officers of NCB, Mumbai Zonal Unit seized 49.300 kg of Mephedrone at Lilly Maritime Pvt. Ltd, Fort Mumbai. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 21.10.2022, Officers of NCB, Mumbai Zonal Unit seized 38 gram of Mephedrone at Shilpata, Mumbra, Thane, Maharashtra and seized 245 gram of Mephadrone in follow up action at Bandra (W), Mumbai, Maharashtra on 22.10.2022. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 31.10.2022, Officers of NCB, Mumbai Zonal Unit seized 1.150 kg of Mephedrone at Sibli Nagar, Shilphata, Thane, Maharashtra. 02 persons were arrested.

CASE STUDY-BIGGEST MEPHEDRONE SEIZURE

Seizure of 49.3 Kg. of Mephedrone by NCB Mumbai Zone

On the basis of specific information a team of NCB MZU Mumbai effected seizure of 49.3 Kgs Mephedrone (MD) from a private office located at Fort, Mumbai and arrested 02 persons. The two accused had disclosed the identities of the supplier and main receiver of the contraband and subsequently the supplier was arrested by NCB Mumbai on 12.10.2022 from Central prison Aruthr Road, Mumbai where he was already lodged in connection with an NDPS case registered by Mumbai Police. Further the main receiver of the contraband was also arrested from Judicial custody at District Jail, Jamnagar, Gujarat in connection with another NDPS case of NCB Ahmedabad. The supplier further disclosed the names of the persons in whose factory the contraband was illicitly

manufactured. During the course of investigation it came to light that both the above persons were arrested by Mumbai Police in connection with NDPS case and were lodged in Central prison Arthur Road, Mumbai and Taloja Jail respectively where both were placed under arrest by NCB Mumbai. The main receiver of the contraband who was arrested earlier had also revealed the name of other two persons to whom the contraband was supposed to be delivered finally and accordingly they were brought from the District Jail of Jamnagar and were arrested by NCB Mumbai on 21.12.2022. One more accused was also arrested later.



Significant seizures of Amphetamine Type Stimulants (ATS) by NCB:

- On 07.01.2022, NCB, Bangalore Zonal Unit seized 995 gram Methamphetamine at Hubli Railway Station, Karnataka. 01 person was arrested.
- On 12.01.2022, NCB, Delhi Zonal Unit seized 616 gram Amphetamine at DHL Express Pvt. Ltd., Kirti Nagar, New Delhi.
- On 27.01.2022, NCB, Delhi Zonal Unit seized 2.250 kg Heroin & 500 gram Methamphetamine and arrested one person in follow up action of an earlier case.
- On 07.02.2022, NCB, Chennai Zonal Unit seized 11 kg of Amphetamine at Gummidipundi, Chennai. 06 persons were arrested.
- On 12.02.2022, NCB, Ahmedabad Zonal Unit seized 528.700 kg Hashish, 221.100 kg Methamphetamine & 13.300 kg Heroin at Porbandar Port, Gujarat.

- On 17.02.2022, NCB, Chennai Zonal Unit seized 330 gram Methamphetamine at Foreign Post Office, Chennai.
- On 16.03.2022, NCB, Delhi Zonal Unit seized 3.900 kg of Amphetamine at Hazrat Nizamuddin Railway Station, New Delhi. 01 person was arrested.
- On 19.03.2022, NCB, Imphal Sub-Zone seized 17.024 kg of Opium and 1.050 kg of Amphetamine at Maram, Senapati, Manipur. 01 person was arrested.
- On 04.04.2022, NCB, Delhi Zonal Unit seized 500 grams of Amphetamine at DHL Exp. Pvt. Ltd, Kirti Nagar, New Delhi.
- On 16.04.2022, NCB, Delhi Zonal Unit seized 350 grams of Amphetamine at DHL Exp. Pvt. Ltd., Kirti Nagar, New Delhi.
- On 23.04.2022, NCB, Chennai Zonal Unit seized 184 grams of Amphetamine at Chennai Airport. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 20.05.2022, NCB, Delhi Zonal Unit seized 291 grams of Methamphetamine at DHL Exp. Pvt. Ltd., Rama Road, Kirti Nagar, New Delhi.
- On 23.05.2022, NCB, Ahmedabad Zonal Unit seized 1.012 kg of Methamphetamine at DHL Courier, Ahmedabad.
- On 23.05.2022, NCB, Mumbai Zonal Unit seized 970 grams of Amphetamine at Aramax India Pvt. Ltd., Andheri (E), Mumbai.
- On 10.06.2022, NCB, Mumbai Zonal Unit seized 490 grams of Methamphetamine at DHL Pvt. Ltd, Andheri, Mumbai.
- On 11.06.2022, NCB, Mumbai Zonal Unit seized 385 grams of Amphetamine at DHL Pvt. Ltd, Andheri, Mumbai.
- On 27.06.2022, NCB, Dehradun Sub-Zone seized 51 grams of Amphetamine at Selaqui, Dehradun, Uttarakhand. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 22.07.2022, NCB, Delhi Zonal Unit seized 512 grams of Methamphetamine at DHL Exp. Pvt. Ltd., Rama Road, Kirti Nagar, New Delhi. 01 person was arrested.
- On 01.08.2022, NCB, Delhi Zonal Unit seized 4.867 kg of Amphetamine at DHL Exp. Pvt. Ltd., Rama Road, Kirti Nagar, New Delhi.
- On 10.08.2022, NCB, Mumbai Zonal Unit seized 3.950 kg of Amphetamine at M/s PXC Pacific Global Pvt. Ltd., Andheri (E), Mumbai, Maharashtra.
- On 18.08.2022, NCB, Delhi Zonal Unit seized 174 grams of Amphetamine at Aramex India Pvt. Ltd, Dwarka, Sector- 28, New Delhi. In follow up action 283 grams of Amphetamine was seized at Amrit Sear Couriers Express Pvt. Ltd, Mahipalpur Ext., New Delhi on 20.08.2022. 03 persons were arrested.
- On 07.09.2022, NCB, Goa Sub-Zone seized 3.51 grams of Amphetamine, 6.9 grams of Ganja and 61 grams of MDMA at Calangute, Goa. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 14.09.2022, NCB, Delhi Zonal Unit seized 360 grams of Amphetamine at UPS Express Pvt. Ltd., DCSC Cargo Terminal- 3, IGI Airport, New Delhi.
- On 19.10.2022, Officers of NCB, Chennai Zonal Unit seized 48.300 kg of Amphetamine at Karanodia Toll Plaza, Chennai, Tamil Nadu. 01 person was arrested.
- On 10.10.2022, Officers of NCB, Cochin Sub-Zone seized 620 gram of Amphetamine at DHL Express India Pvt. Ltd., Anugraha, Cochin, Kerala.
- On 07.11.2022, Officers of NCB, Delhi Zonal Unit seized 294 gram of Amphetamine at DHL Exp. Pvt. Ltd., Rama Road, Kirti Nagar, New Delhi. 01 person was arrested.
- On 15.11.2022, Officers of NCB, Delhi Zonal Unit seized 700 gram of Amphetamine at DHL Exp. Pvt. Ltd., Rama Road, Kirti Nagar, New Delhi. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 28.11.2022, Officers of NCB, Imphal Sub-Zone seized 1.049 kg of Heroin and 1 kg of

Methamphetamine at MSRTC Bus stand, Moirangkhom, Imphal West, Manipur. 01 person was arrested.

- On 29.11.2022, Officers of NCB, Imphal Sub-Zone in coordination with Assam Rifle and Manipur Commando seized 47.301 kg of Methamphetamine in a house search at Ward No. 4, Paicham Veng, Moreh, Manipur.
- On 17.12.2022, Officers of NCB, Guwahati Zonal Unit seized 153.200 kg of Ganja, 179 gram of Methamphetamine tablets, 1.020 kg of Heroin, 16 bottles of codeine based cough syrup, 01 pistol with magazine, 01 Toyota Fortuner and 01 Toyota Innova Car at H.No. B-71, Railway East Colony, Amingaon, Kamrup (Rural), Assam. 03 persons were arrested.

CASE STUDY-BIGGEST METHAMPHETAMINE SEIZURE

Seizure of 11 kg of Methamphetamine by NCB Chennai Zone

Based on specific information, the officers of Narcotics Control Bureau, Chennai Zonal Unit, intercepted a truck bearing Tamilnadu Regn. No. coming from Guwahati at Gummudipoondi on 07.02.2022. At the relevant time, the truck was found to be occupied by one person (A-1-Driver). Examination of the said truck resulted in the

recovery and seizure of 11 kg Methamphetamine. Enquiry with the driver revealed that the owner of the truck (A-2), a Srilankan national was travelling to Chennai by VKaveri Travels and he was later apprehended from the said bus. During course of the Mahazar(panchnama), a preliminary enquiry was made with A-2, wherein he revealed about A-3 (Sri Lankan national) and A-6 and about their availability at Ariyalur in connection with A-6's marriage. Further A-2 revealed about the other persons i.e., A-4 and another Srilankan national (A-5) as persons who mediated the purchase transaction of Methamphetamine on commission. Meticulously planned follow up action resulted in the apprehension of all the four persons. (A-3) was the alleged receiver of the seized 11 kg Methamphetamine in Chennai and he was to further illegally export it to Srilanka. The house search of the receiver (A-3) at Chennai, resulted in the recovery and seizure of incriminating documents and Indian currency amounting to Rs.4,21,100/- and Srilankan Currency Rs.37,130/-. Thus the entire network comprising from Financier, supplier and receiver were caught and subjected to custody.



1.5 PRECURSOR CHEMICALS

- Precursor Chemicals are dual use chemicals that have legitimate uses, and can also be used in the manufacture of illicit narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances.

Trends:

- Ephedrine/ Pseudoephedrine trafficking is done mainly through Delhi, Chennai, Cochin and Airports.
- There are instances of use of courier/ parcels also.

Significant seizures of Ephedrine/ Pseudoephedrine:

- On 21.01.2022, NCB, Mumbai Zonal Unit seized 3.950 kg Ephedrine at Andheri, Mumbai.
- On 22.01.2022, NCB, Mumbai Zonal Unit seized 485 gram Ephedrine at Pune, Maharashtra. 01 person was arrested.
- On 05.03.2022, NCB, Bangalore Zonal Unit seized 3.904 kg of Pseudoephedrine at DHL Express Ltd. Yeshwanthpur, Bangalore.
- On 11.03.2022, NCB, Bangalore Zonal Unit seized 1.970 kg of Pseudoephedrine at Fedex Courier Service, Bangalore. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 17.03.2022, NCB, Cochin Sub-Zone seized 3.018 kg of Ephedrine at DHL Tirupur.
- On 28.03.2022, NCB, Chennai Zonal Unit seized 10 kg of Pseudoephedrine at DHL, Guindy, Chennai.
- On 20.05.2022, NCB, Chennai Zonal Unit seized 2.250 kg of Pseudoephedrine at DHL Courier Services, Guindy, Chennai. 04 persons were arrested on 29.05.2022 in follow up action of the case.
- On 25.05.2022, NCB, Chennai Zonal Unit seized 2.930 kg of Pseudoephedrine at DTDC Courier Services, Coimbatore, Tamilnadu.
- On 06.07.2022, NCB, Delhi Zonal Unit seized 4.650 kg of Pseudoephedrine at Aramex India Pvt. Ltd., Sector-28, Dwarka, New Delhi.
- On 08.09.2022, NCB, Mumbai Zonal Unit seized 185 grams of Ephedrine at DHL Courier,

Mumbai, Maharashtra.

- On 20.09.2022, NCB, Bangalore Zonal Unit seized 4.902 kg of Pseudoephedrine at DHL Express India Pvt. Ltd, Yeshwantpur, Bangalore, Karnataka.
- On 21.09.2022, NCB, Bangalore Zonal Unit seized 4.998 kg of Pseudoephedrine at DHL Express India Pvt. Ltd, Yeshwantpur, Bangalore, Karnataka.
- On 01.10.2022, Officers of NCB, Hyderabad Sub-Zone seized 1.950 kg of Pseudoephedrine at ICL Courier, Hyderabad Central Hub, Telangana.
- On 21.10.2022, Officers of NCB, Cochin Sub-Zone seized 2.480 kg of Pseudoephedrine at DHL Express India Pvt. Ltd., Anugraha, Mullassery Canal Road, Kochi, Kerala.
- On 09.11.2022, Officers of NCB, Delhi Zonal Unit seized 4.065 kg of Pseudoephedrine at BHL worldwide express Couriers, Shankar Market, Connaught Place, New Delhi and seized 4.564 kg of Pseudoephedrine at Volga International Hotel, Paharganj, New Delhi in follow-up action on 10.11.2022. 01 person was arrested.
- On 06.12.2022, Officers of NCB, Chennai Zonal Unit seized 4.840 kg of Pseudoephedrine at DHL Express Courier Services, Guindy, Chennai, Tamil Nadu.

Significant seizures of Acetic Anhydride:

- On 14.02.2022, Officers of NCB, Bangalore Zonal Unit and Hyderabad Sub-Zone seized 277.150 kg of Acetic Anhydride at Lucent Drugs Pvt. Ltd., Hyderabad.
- On 26.04.2022, Officers of NCB, Delhi Zonal Unit seized 35.250 kg of Heroin and 2.750 kg of Acetic Anhydride at Muzaffarnagar, Uttar Pradesh. 09 persons were arrested.

1.6 PHARMACEUTICAL DRUGS

- India has one of the biggest pharmaceutical industrial bases & diversion of pharmaceutical substances is resulting in the increasing abuse of prescription drugs. The problem seems to be serious in the North-East and North-West region of the country. The pharmaceutical products that

are abused include Buprenorphine, Codeine-based cough syrups, Alprazolam, Diazepam and other sedatives. The easy availability of such preparations is the major factor that encourages their misuse. There is also a perception that these pharmaceutical drugs are less harmful than hard drugs like Heroin, Cocaine, etc. However, this is a misconception, since these can be addictive and also have a debilitating effect on health. Pharmaceutical preparations having narcotic / psychotropic substances are under the purview of the Drugs and Cosmetic Act, and the NDPS Act in India.

- Law enforcement agencies have also seized sizeable quantities of Alprazolam tablets, Zolpidem, Tramadol tablets, Sildenafil tablets, etc.

Significant seizures of Pharmaceutical & Other Drugs (Tablets):

- On 06.02.2022, NCB, Kolkata Zonal Unit, in coordination with BSF seized 3,375 bottles of Codeine based cough syrup & 6 kg of Ganja at BOP-Mustafpur, PO- Bagdah, North 24 Pargana, West Bengal. 01 person was arrested.
- On 29.03.2022, NCB, Mumbai Zonal Unit seized 75 gram of Hashish and 52 blots of LSD at Ganesh Nagar, Pune, Maharashtra. 01 person was arrested.
- On 24.08.2022, NCB, Mumbai Zonal Unit seized 6.6 grams of Ecstasy at Eagle Falcon Couriers, Ghatkopar, Mumbai. In follow up action 34 grams of Hashish, 2.5 grams of Hashish Oil, 3.6 grams of Ecstasy, 5 grams of Ganja and 1 grams of LSD paper were seized at Vidya Vihar (W), Mumbai on 25.08.2022. 01 person was arrested.
- On 07.09.2022, NCB, Goa Sub-Zone seized 3.51 grams of Amphetamine, 6.9 grams of Ganja and 61 grams of MDMA at Calangute, Goa. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 04.10.2022, NCB, Mumbai Zonal Unit seized 4.500 kg (7500 tablets) of Nitrazepam tablets at H.K. travels, Mumbai. 01 person was arrested.
- On 11.10.2022, NCB, Delhi Zonal Unit seized 2,170 tablets (737.80 gram) of Tramadol at Skart

Global Exp. Pvt. Ltd., IGI Airport, New Delhi.

- On 27.10.2022, NCB, Delhi Zonal Unit seized 2,020 tablets of Alprazolam at DHL Exp. Pvt. Ltd., Kirti Nagar, New Delhi.
- On 10.11.2022, NCB, Mumbai Zonal Unit seized 1.152 kg (3,840 tablets) of Tramadol at Andheri East, Mumbai, Maharashtra.
- On 15.11.2022, NCB, Mumbai Zonal Unit seized 10.800 kg (13,500 tablets) of Nitrazepam at DTDC Courier, Thane, Maharashtra. 02 persons were arrested.
- On 09.12.2022, NCB, Mumbai Zonal Unit seized 92 kg (920 bottles) of codeine based cough syrup at Plot No. 25-A, Sector- 14, Kopar Khairane, Navi Mumbai, Maharashtra. In the follow-up action on 10.12.2022 seized 700 gram (07 bottles) of codeine based cough syrup and 3.600 kg of Nitrazepam tablets (6000 tablets) at Western Express Highway, Kashmira Mira Road(E), Thane, Maharashtra. In the follow-up action on 12.12.2022 seized 48 kg (480 bottles) of codeine based cough syrup at Vishwakarma Chowk, Kandivali, Mumbai, Maharashtra 05 persons were arrested.

CASE STUDY – BIGGEST PHARMACEUTICAL SEIZURE

Seizures of Codeine Based Cough Syrup (CBCS) Bottles and Nitrazepam Tablets by NCB, Mumbai Zone

On the basis of secret information, a team of NCB, MZU Mumbai effected a seizure of 920 bottles of Chlorphenamine Maleate & Codeine Phosphate syrup PHENSIREST cough syrup 100 ml on 09.12.2022 at Sector 14, Koparkhairane, Thane, Navi Mumbai and arrested a couple. On the same day one more person was also intercepted and arrested in this case and on the basis of his revelations, NCB Mumbai again seized 6000 tablets (weight 3.6 Kg) of Nitrazepam (Nitratet 10 Mg) and seven bottles of Codeine Phosphate & chlorphenamine Maleate syrup CHOCO on 10.12.2022 at a Petrol Pump on Western Express Highway, Kashimira Mira Road (E), Thane and 4th accused of the case was also arrested. On the basis of revelations of one of the arrested accused NCB Mumbai further effected a seizure of 480 bottles of Chlorphenamine Maleate

& Codeine Phosphate syrup PHENSIREST cough syrup 100 ml on 12.12.2022 at Kandivali, Mumbai and arrested 5th Accused. In further course of investigation 6th accused (supplier) was also arrested.



1.7 NEW PSYCHOACTIVE SUBSTANCES (NPS)

UNODC defines NPS as “substances of abuse, both pure form or preparation, not controlled by the 1961 Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs or the 1971 Convention on Psychotropic Substances, but which may pose a public health threat”.

The term “new” does not necessarily refer to new inventions — several NPS were first synthesized decades ago — but to substances that have recently become available on the market.

NPS have been known in the market by terms such as “legal highs”, “bath salts” and “research chemicals”.

Challenges:

The rapid emergence and presence of large number of NPS on the global drug market.

Poses a significant risk to public health and a challenge to drug policy.

Pose a considerable challenge for prevention and treatment due to less knowledge about the adverse health effects and social harms of NPS.

Difficult to carry out analysis and identification of large number of chemically diverse substances present in drug markets.

Monitoring, information sharing, early warning and risk awareness are essential to respond to this situation.

Risks:

Side effects of NPS range from seizures to agitation, aggression, acute psychosis as well as potential

development of dependence.

Safety data on toxicity and carcinogenic potential, long-term adverse effects or risks, purity and composition of products of many NPS are not known.

This places users at high risk as evidenced by hospital emergency admissions and deaths associated with NPS, often including cases of poly-substance use.

1.8 NEW SUBSTANCES NOTIFIED DURING 2022

The Government of India, on 22nd September, 2022, has notified 07 substances as 'Psychotropic Substances' (in the schedule) and 08 substances as 'Narcotic Drug & Psychotropic Substances' (in the table) respectively under the NDPS Act, 1985. Further, The Government of India, on 16th November, 2022, has notified 01 substance as 'Psychotropic Substances' (in the schedule) and 03 substances as 'Narcotic Drug & Psychotropic Substances' (in the table) respectively under the NDPS Act, 1985. The details of which are as under:

(A) Under notification S. O. 4428 (E) dated 22.09.2022, following 06 substances were notified as 'Psychotropic Substances' and included in the List of Psychotropic Substances (The Schedule):

- 1) CUMYL-PEGACLONE
- 2) MDMA-4en-PINACA
- 3) 3-Methoxyphencyclidine
- 4) Diphenidine
- 5) Clonazepam
- 6) Diclazepam
- 7) Flubromazepam

(B) Under notification S. O. 4428 (E) dated 22.09.2022, following 08 substances were notified and included in the 'Table' of 'Narcotic Drug & Psychotropic Substances':

- 1) Isotonitazene
- 2) CUMYL-PEGACLONE
- 3) MDMA-4en-PINACA
- 4) 3-Methoxyphenecyclidine
- 5) Diphenidine
- 6) Clonazepam
- 7) Diclazepam
- 8) Flubromazepam

(C) Under notification S. O. 5319 (E) dated 16.11.2022, following 01 substances were notified as 'Psychotropic Substances' and included in the List of Psychotropic Substances (The Schedule):

- 1) Eutylone

(D) Under notification S. O. 5320 (E) dated 16.11.2022, following 03 substances were notified and included in the 'Table' of 'Narcotic Drug & Psychotropic Substances':

- 1) Brorphine
- 2) Metonitazene
- 3) Eutylone

1.9 USE OF DARK NET IN DRUG TRAFFICKING

Seizures of Narcotics drugs and psychotropic substances trafficked using Dark Net

- On 10.01.2022 & 17.02.2022, Officers of NCB, Delhi Zonal Unit seized 303 gms Ecstasy, 17.75 gms Methamphetamine, 9 blots of LSD, 3.055 kg of Ganja and 700 gms of Charas and arrested 06 persons.
- On 28.02.2022, Officers of NCB, Delhi Zonal Unit seized 1.07 kg Methaqualone and arrested 03 persons.
- On 22.09.2022, Officers of NCB, Bangalore Zonal Unit seized 47.71 gms of Hydroponic Ganja & 0.4 gms of MDMA and arrested 7 persons.
- On 04.11.2022, Officers of NCB, Bangalore Zonal Unit seized 177 gms Hydroponic Ganja & 7 gms Psilocybin Mushrooms and arrested 5 persons.
- On 14.11.2022, Officers of NCB, Bangalore Zonal Unit seized 120 gms Hydroponic Ganja, 48 gms Tramadol & 3.9 litres of Cannabis liquor bottles and arrested 2 persons.
- On 15.11.2022, Officers of NCB, Bangalore Zonal Unit seized 25 gms of Hydroponic Ganja and arrested 1 person.

- On 21.11.2022, Officers of NCB, Bangalore Zonal Unit seized 45 gms of Ganja and arrested 1 person.
- On 22.11.2022, Officers of NCB, Bangalore Zonal Unit seized 0.23 gms (27 blots) LSD paper, 2.22 gms Cocaine, 2.14 gms Amphetamine, 6.18 gms Hashish & 201 gms Hydroponic Ganja and arrested 3 persons.

1.10 CONTROLLED DELIVERY

- Controlled Delivery is a technique which allows illicit or suspected consignments of Narcotics Drugs and Psychotropic substances, controlled substances or substances substituted for them to pass out of, or through or into territory of India with the knowledge and under the supervision of an officer empowered in this behalf or duly authorized under section 50A with a view to identify the persons involved in the commission of an offence under this act.
- The Director General of Narcotics Control Bureau constituted under sub section (3) of section 4 or any other officer authorized by him in this behalf, any notwithstanding anything contained in this Act, undertake controlled delivery of any consignment to:-
 - Any destination in India;
 - a foreign country, in consultation with the competent authority of such foreign country to which such consignment is destined, in such a manner as may be prescribed.
- During the year 2022, total 42 controlled delivery operations were carried out by NCB and other agencies as well.

1.11 DISPOSAL OF DRUGS

Narcotics Control Bureau disposed off various narcotic drugs or psychotropic substances during the calendar year 2022 owing their vulnerability to theft, substitution, constraints of proper storage space.

Zone wise Drug Disposal data from 01/01/2022 to 31/12/2022			
Sl. No	Zone	Contraband	Quantity in Kg / Nos.
1.	Ahmedabad	Heroin	40.51
2.		Hashish	536.7
3.		Methamphetamine	185.02
4.		Ganja	1753.62
5.		Mephedrone	4.52
6.		Tablets of all types	316.47
7.		Poppy Straw	332.33
8.		Opium	6.08
9.		Morphine	9.58
10.	Bangalore	Amphetamine	4.11
11.		Ephedrine	2.85
12.		Ganja	138.83
13.		Hashish	3.84
14.		Hashish Oil	0.19
15.		LSD	0.02
16.		MDMA	3.78
17.		Methamphetamine	0.57
18.		Tablets of all types	106.26
19.	Chandigarh	Heroin	145.52
20.		Hashish	42.7
21.		Tablets of all types	1,31,978
22.	Chennai	Cocaine	0.01
23.		Ephedrine	9.79
24.		Ganja	1291.70
25.		Hashish Oil	0.91
26.		Heroin	6.33
27.		Methamphetamine	0.68
28.	Delhi	Amphetamine	6.29
29.		Hashish	31.82
30.		Cocaine	3.64
31.		Codeine Based Cough Syrup (CBCS)	1,59,214
32.		Ganja	894.02
33.		Heroin	15.87
34.		Methamphetamine	2.86
35.		Methaqualone (Mandrax)	0.82
36.		Pseudoephedrine	15.69
37.		Spasmo etc.	43,540
38.		Tablets of all types	259.78 & 1,09,45,036
39.		Ketamine	1.06
40.		MDMA	0.21
41.		Poppy Husk	5.45
42.		Other Drug	3.08

43.		Other Psychotropic Substances	16.73
44.	Guwahati	Codeine Based Cough Syrup (CBCS)	68,002
45.		Ganja	7341.24
46.		Methamphetamine	167.23
47.		Tablets of all types	44.17 & 1,82,440
48.	Indore	Ganja	4693.54
49.		Hashish	9.47
50.		Heroin	1.08
51.		Poppy Straw	430.49
52.	Jammu	Codeine Based Cough Syrup (CBCS)	30,018
53.		Hashish	30.97
54.		Poppy Straw	1118.64
55.		Tablets of all types	25310
56.	Jodhpur	Opium	35.84
57.		Ganja	3085.08
58.		Poppy Straw	17985.35
59.		Heroin	67.57
60.		Tablets of all types	0.26 & 1,49,020
61.		Cocaine	0.07
62.		Methamphetamine	0.13
63.	Kolkata	Ganja	15082.56
64.		Other Drug	8.2
65.		Acetic Anhydride	232.28
66.		Hashish	5.45
67.		Methamphetamine	0.75
68.		Pseudoephedrine	12.83
69.		Tablets of all types	35.78
70.		Opium	31.36
71.		Morphine	12.22
72.		Codeine Based Cough Syrup (CBCS)	20,273
73.		Poppy Straw	473.34
74.	Lucknow	Acetic Anhydride	69.95
75.		Codeine Based Cough Syrup (CBCS)	1,26,261
76.		Ganja	4299.33
77.		Heroin	35.10
78.		Morphine	6.72
79.		Tablets of all types	6,22,194
80.		Opium	77.68
81.		Spasmo etc.	797.00
82.		Hashish	255.45
83.		Poppy Straw	257.18
84.	Maharashtra	Hashish	58.53
85.		Cocaine	0.55
86.		Ganja	162.86
87.		MDMA	0.97

88.		Codeine	43.50
89.		Heroin	22.12
90.		Mephedrone	0.16
91.		Methamphetamine	0.09
92.		Morphine	0.27
93.		Pseudoephedrine	1094.24
94.		Tablets of all types	171.14 & 1,13,580
95.		Amphetamine	13.41
96.	Patna	Ganja	20605.96
97.		Other Drug	8.99
98.		Tablets of all types	3.27
99.		Hashish	49.22
100.		Heroin	2.35
101.		Poppy Straw	5697.03
102.		Ephedrine	3912.60



Disposal of Drugs Ahmedabad Zonal Unit



Imphal Sub-Zone (Guwahati)



Patna Zone



Chandigarh Zone



Delhi Zone



Guwahati Zone



Jodhpur Zone



Ajmer Sub-Zone



Lucknow Zone



Patna Zone

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CAPACITY BUILDING

2.1 TRAINING

The mandate of NCB also creates an obligation on it for capacity building of other drug law enforcement agencies entrusted to enforce the drug laws in the country. In addition to provide materialistic support to them through the assistance to states scheme, it is also mandatory to develop and enhance enforcement skills in their personnel /drug law enforcement officers.

Training programmes are conducted by Awareness & Capacity Building wing of Narcotics Control Bureau, through a variety of channels. In India, the officers working for drug law enforcement include officers from Central and State Government agencies which include the following;

- Narcotics Control Bureau
- Customs and Central Excise
- Department of Revenue Intelligence
- Border Guarding Forces
- State Police
- State Excise
- State Drug Controller, etc.

Common training requirements of the above mentioned agencies include, principal laws like Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985, PITNDPS Act, 1988, Regulation of Controlled Substances Order (RCS Order), 2013, Circular/ notifications, documentation procedures, emergence of New Psychoactive Substances (NPS), precursor control mechanism, collection of intelligence, National/ International trends in drug trafficking, the study of reasons for acquittal of cases.

NCB conducts regular short duration training programmes for such field officials, either by itself or in co-ordination with other authorities like National Academy of Custom, Indirect Taxes and Narcotics (NACIN), Intelligence Bureau (IB), Central Bureau of Investigation (CBI), North Eastern Police Academy (NEPA), National Institute of Criminology and Forensic Sciences (NICFS), Central Academy of Police Training (CAPT), National Forensic Science University (NFSU), Border Guarding Forces, State Police Training Centres, etc.

These programmes also provide a platform for sharing of best practices of the agencies in their respective areas of strength like increased knowledge of Drug Law Enforcement, enhancement of intelligence collection as well as investigation, knowing new trends & patterns of drug trafficking, understanding the execution of “Controlled Delivery” operations, busting of Clandestine Labs etc.

NCB also provides 'resource persons' and training materials to other sister organizations like NACIN, CBI Academy, NICFS, BSF, SSB, NPA and State Police Academies for specialized training in drug law enforcement.

In order to ensure uniformity in training courses on drug law enforcement in the country, in the year 2022, a core module and 05 training modules was developed by NCB, in coordination with DoR, MoSJ&E, NACIN, BPR&D and CAPT, for officers of various ranks of Central/State law enforcement, SPPs and Civil entities. These modules were circulated to all Central/State Law Enforcement Agencies, NACIN and BPR&D for conducting

training by including them in the training programs of their respective training institutes.

The details of 05 Training Modules developed are as under:-

- i. 05 days (01 week) module on Drug Law Enforcement (DLE) for DySPs and above.
- ii. 10 days (02 week) module on DLE for IOs/JIOs (Inspectors/Sub-Inspectors) level.
- iii. 03 days modules for SPP/PPs level.
- iv. 03 days module for Constable/Head Constable level.

- v. 01 day module for civil society/civil organizations.

These modules were circulated to all Central/State Law Enforcement Agencies, NACIN and BPR&D for conducting training by including them in the training programs of their respective training institutes.

In 2022, NCB conducted 203 Training Programmes all over India. A total of 18,086 persons participated in the training programmes. Month-wise details of the trainings conducted by NCB are as under:-

Month	No. of DLE Trainings	No. of Participants
January	20	7394
February	20	1303
March	15	763
April	19	793
May	11	610
June	24	930
July	20	1931
August	11	731
September	18	799
October	15	697
November	15	1267
December	15	868
Total	203	18086

Training Programmes attended by NCB Officers-

- Sh. Padma Dutt, S.O (Estt. Branch), Sh. Manoj Kumar Aggarwal, S.O (Accounts Branch), Ashutosh Singh, (Estt. Branch), Ekta Sriwastava, (Estt. Branch) of NCB, Hqrs and Bipin Chandrapal, Assistant, NCB, Lucknow Zone attended online training on Establishment Rules from 17 to 21 Jan, 2022, conducted by ISTM, New Delhi.
- 1st batch of 34 Intelligence Officers of NCB attended online promotional course for promotion to the rank of Superintendent w.e.f. 21.02.2022 to 11.03.2022, conducted by CAPT, Bhopal.
- 2nd batch of 30 Intelligence Officers of NCB attended online promotional course for promotion to the rank of Superintendent w.e.f. 21.03.2022 to 08.04.2022, conducted by CAPT, Bhopal.



- On 24.03.2022, Shri Arun Kanth Manoharan, Director, MEA had attended one day training programme on NDPS, UN convention, Drug Identification and other drugs related matter at NCB Hqrs, New Delhi.
- From 04.04.2022 to 13.04.2022, Sh. Amanjit Singh DD/ZD, NCB has attended Induction course at CBI Academy, Ghaziabad.
- From 04.04.2022 to 22.04.2022, Sh. Nitin Chaubey, AD (Jodhpur Zone), NCB has attended 03 weeks Induction Course at CBI Academy, Ghaziabad.
- On 13.04.2022, Sh. P. Aravindhnan, DD/ZD has attended familiarisation programme at NCB Hqrs and Delhi Zonal Unit.
- from 25.04.2022 to 15.07.2022, I.Os/JIOs who have joined NCB on deputation had undergone their 12 weeks Induction Course at CBI Academy, Ghaziabad. Newly joined IOs/JIOs, undergoing training at CBI and visited CBN Neemuch and Alkoloide Factory, Neemuch, MP from 05.07.2022 to 06.07.2022.



- From 13.05.2022 to 27.05.2022, Sh. Ajay Kumar, AD (newly joined NCB on deputation) has undergone 10 days familiarization programme at NCB Hqrs/Delhi Zonal Unit.
- On 25.05.2022, DG, NCB gave an online lecture to Rajasthan Police on 'Narco Terrorism' for Mid-Career Training of Rajasthan Police.
- On 25.05.2022, Sh. Piyush Kumar Singh, AD (Enf), attended a Round Table Discussion/Workshop on Extradition process of UK by MEA at ITC Maurya, New Delhi.
- On 26.05.2022, Sh. Pankaj Kumar Dwivedi, AD (Ops) attended an online Webinar on Cloud Security Challenges and Investigations.
- On 02-03.06.2022, Sh. Ajay Kumar, AD (Ops), NCB Hqrs had attended the training on 38th National Symposium of Heads of Police Training Institutions in India at Central Detective Training Institute, Ghaziabad organized by BPR&D.
- From 30.05.2022 to 03.06.2022, Sh. Shantanu Aich, Supdt (Ops), NCB Hqrs had attended 05 days Joint Training Programme by NIA in association with RCMP at NIA, Headquarters, New Delhi.
- From 30.05.2022 to 03.06.2022, Officials of Establishment and Accounts section of NCB Hqrs had attended training on Establishmen Rules-02 at ISTM New Delhi.
- On 10.06.2022, 02 probationer ASOs form IS-II division, MHA had attended half day attachment training on functioning of NCB & type & Identification of drugs.
- From 06.06.2022 to 17.06.2022, Sh. Ravinder Singh Bist, Assistant Director, Indore Zonal Unit had attended "Mobile Device Forensics Consultation Train the Trainer" and "Mobile Device Forensics Consultation" Course at CAPT Bhopal.
- From 14.06.2022 to 16.06.2022, Sh. R.S Joshi AD (Admin), NCB and Sh. Ajay Kumar, AD(Ops), NCB Hqrs had attended 03 days Joint workshop on "Terrorism Financing through Drug Trafficking" by NIA in association with French Embassy, at NIA Hqrs, New Delhi.
- From 20.06.2022 to 24.06.2022, Sh. Mutha Ashok Jain, DDG (SWR), Mumbai attended 05 days training programme on "Economic Offence" at SVP NPA, Hyderabad.
- On 24.06.2022, Sh. Shailendra Kr Mishra, ZD, Ahmedabad has attended one day training on Information Security in Government Organisations at RRU, Ghandinagar, Gujarat.
- On 28.06.2022, One day training programme for SPPs of NCB in Hybrid mode was conducted by NCB Hqrs.
- On 05.07.2022, 313 Personal of Haryana Police had attended one day workshop cum training on NDPS matters at Haryana Police Academy, Madhuban.
- On 12.07.2022, Director General, NCB had addressed the participants of Training Programme for Law Enforcement Officers of BIMSTEC Countries on the topic "Drug Trade-Organized Crime and Narco Terrorism, Modus Operandi and Profiling".
- From 11.07.2022 to 15.07.2022, Sh. Rajesh Kumar, ZD, Jammu Zonal Unit has attended the 'National Police Technology Leadership (NPTL) Programme' at BPR&D Hqrs, Mahipalpur, New Delhi.
- From 18.07.2022 to 22.07.2022, Sh. Rohit, I.O., Hyderabad Sub Zone and Sh. Jamil Saifi, J.I.O, Delhi Zonal Unit have attended OSINT Course at RBVRR TSPA Rajindra Nagar, Hyderabad.
- From 25.07.2022 to 29.07.2022, Sh. Rathan K., I.O., Bangalore Zonal unit has attended Darkweb Investigator Course and Workshop at RBVRR TSPA Rajindra Nagar, Hyderabad.

- On 22.07.2022, Sh. Appukuttan J., Superintendent (Trg.), NCB delivered lectures on “Narcotics Drugs, NDPS Act and related matters” to the students of Calicut University who were interning with Kerala Police Academy at Mini Conference Hall, NCB HQrs.



- On 03.08.2022, Shri S.N. Pradhan, DG, NCB inaugurated three days workshop on National Consultation on New Psychoactive Substances (NPS) held during 03-05.08.2022, conducted by UNODC at Hotel ITC Mourya, New Delhi. Shri Ritesh Ranjan, DD(P&C), Shri Rakesh Chandra Shukla, ZD Guwahati, Shri Gyanendra Kr Singh, ZD Delhi and Shri Vikash Kumar, AD(P&C) have attended the Workshop.
- On 04.08.2022, Sh. Ajay Kumar, AD (Ops) attended One day brainstorming Webinar on Police Modernization at BPR&D Hqrs., New Delhi through Webex.
- ON 16.08.2022, Sh. Ritesh Ranjan, DD(P&C) and Shri Vikash Kumar, AD(P&C) given presentation to 05 IAS Officers during 01 day Workshop.



- On 30.08.2022, one day training workshop on “Darknet Investigation” for officers from states, CAPFs & other central agencies was conducted by NCB at IDSA India, New Delhi. DG, NCB had inaugurated the workshop. Senior official and officer of NCB also attended the workshop. Sh. Ritesh

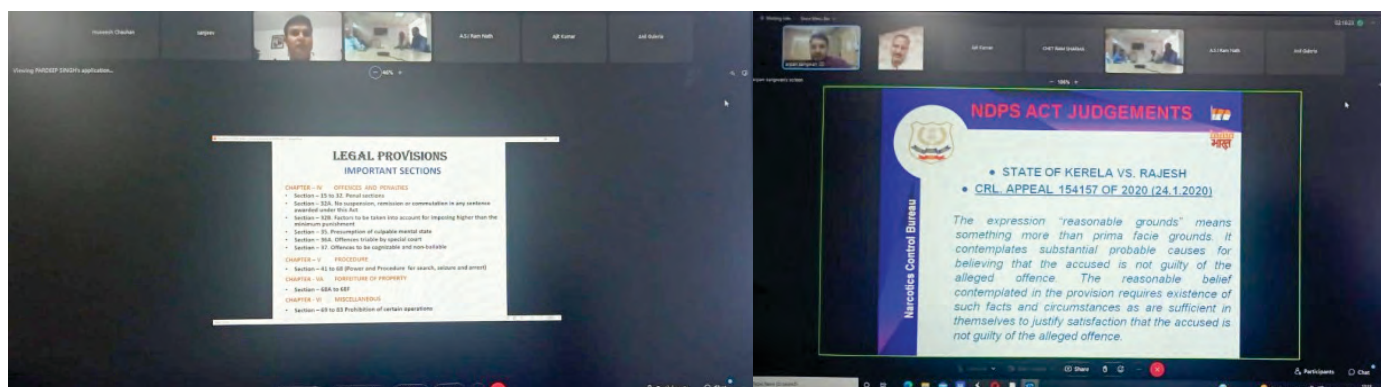
Ranjan, DD(P&C), Sh. Vikash Kumar, AD(P&C), Sh. Pranit Sarma, Superintendent (P&C), Sh. Arvind Sharma, I.O. Trg (P&C), Sh. Avdesh Kumar, I.O. Pub(P&C), Sh. Krishan Kumar, Asstt, Trg (P&C) and other officials from P&C section attended the workshop.



- From 05.09.2022 to 09.09.2022, NCB Jodhpur Zonal Unit organized a 05 days in-house training programme for BSF Officers on “Identification of Drugs, NDPS Act and procedures”.



- On 08.09.2022, NCB Chandigarh Zonal Unit Organised One day online training for 79 HP Police officers on “NDPS Act & Important Court Judgments / Lacunae in investigation”.



- From 09.09.2022 to 10.09.2022, NCB Chandigarh Zonal Unit organised two days training on Intelligence & surveillance, NIDAAN portal/discrete enquiry, 30 officers from NCB, HP Police & Chandigarh Police participated in the Training.



- On 14.09.2022, Sh Gyaneshwar Singh, DDG(NR), NCB, had delivered lecture to RPS officers in a mid career training program conducted by Rajasthan Police Academy, Jaipur during 12-16.09.2022.
- From 12.09.2022 to 23.09.2022, 02 weeks online promotional course for Assistants of NCB to the post of Section Officer was

conducted at NCB Hqrs, New Delhi. 13 Assistants of NCB have attended the promotional course virtually.

- On 30.09.2022, training conducted at police training academy Madhuban, Karnal, Haryana on destruction and illicit cultivation of cannabis and opium wherein 08 Dy.SP were present.



- From 17th to 21.10.2022, Narcotics Control Bureau organized a one week training on Airport Interdiction and Capacity Building Program in collaboration with US Drug Enforcement Administration at IDSA, New Delhi. Sh. Ritesh Ranjan, Deputy Director (P&C), Sh. Vikash Kumar, Assistant Director (A&C), Sh. Appukuttan. J., Superintendent (Trg.) and Sh. Arvind Sharma, Intelligence Officer (Trg.) attended the training from Policy & Coordination Section of NCB.
- On 22.11.2022, Shri Sanjay Kumar Singh, Deputy Director General (OEC) addressed the participants of the 20th Mid Career

Training Programme (MCTP) on the topic "Narcotics trade in India and the need for inter-agency coordination" being organized at SVPNPA, Hyderabad.

- On 07.12.2022, Shri Sachin Jain, Deputy Director General (P & A), Shri Vikash Kumar, Assistant Director (A & C), Shri Rohit Srivastava, Superintendent (Int.) and Shri Shantanu Aich, Superintendent (Ops.) delivered lectures at National Academy of Customs, Indirect Taxes and Narcotics, Faridabad, Haryana.
- On 16.12.2022, Shri Rohit Srivastava, Superintendent (Int.), NCB HQ in connection with the research study titled

"An Analytical Study of the Changing Dimensions of Online Trading in Narcotics Drugs and Psychotropic Substances with Special Reference to Darknet/Dark Web" had attended a meeting at BPR&D. From 20.12.2022 to 21.12.2022, Special Public Prosecutors (SPPs) of NCB attended online training on matters related to NDPS Act organized by Delhi Judicial Academy in collaboration with NCB.

- On 21.12.2022, Shri Pranit Sarma, Superintendent (A & C) delivered a lecture on "Procedure to be followed during drawing, storage, disposal of samples and preparation of various " and "Documents on

Seizure of Drugs and Legal Procedure to be followed for dealing with Search/Seizure of Premises/Persons/Vehicle in possession of Drugs" at G (Intelligence) Training School, BSF, Pushpa Bhavan, New Delhi.

- On dated 23.12.2022, Smt. Monika A. Batra, Deputy Director General (L, A & C) attended the 3rd Bob Khating Memorial Lecture, 2022, organized by Assam Rifles on the theme of "Leveraging the North East Region for Enhancing Peace and Stability and Advancing India's Act East Policy" Held at USI, New Delhi.

2.2 ASSISTANCE TO STATES

With a view to eradicate the drug menace, the Government of India has introduced a Scheme namely 'Assistance to States/UTs for Narcotics Control' to finance State Governments to strengthen their enforcement capabilities for combating illicit trafficking in Narcotics Drugs and Psychotropic Substances. Under this Scheme, financial assistance

is given for augmenting the drug law enforcement capabilities of the States.

The Scheme was launched by the Ministry of Home Affairs on 24th October, 2004 for 05 years which was extended from time to time under existing guidelines. The details of the time line of the scheme is as under:

S No	Validity Period	Initially Allotted Budget	Remarks
01	24.12.2004 to 31.03.2009	10 Cr	Scheme launched on 24.12.2004
02	01.04.2009 to 31.03.2014	15 Cr	Extended for 05 years upto 2009-14
03	01.04.2014 to 31.03.2017	15 Cr	Extended for 03 years upto 2014-17
04	01.04.2017 to 31.03.2020	21 Cr	Extended for 03 years upto 2017-20
05	01.04.2020 to 31.03.2021	07 Cr	Extended for 01 years upto 2020-21
06	01.04.2021 to 31.03.2026	50 Cr	Extended for 05 years upto 2021-26

The Narcotics Control Bureau being the national nodal agency for drug administration has been given the responsibility to process the proposals received from State Governments for Central Assistance for improving enforcement capabilities

in dealing with the supply side of the drug menace. As on 31st December, 2022, financial assistance for Rs. 18,86,81,522/- has been provided to the States & UTs since 2018.

The details of the funds released under the scheme till 31.12.2022 are given below:-

Sl. No.	State	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	Total (2018-23)
1	Andhra Pradesh	7189750	0	0	0	0	7189750
2	Assam	115000	0	0	3571750	0	3686750
3	Arunachal Pradesh	6318410	6180910	0	0	0	12499320
4	Bihar	4713686	0	0	42212	0	4755898
5	Chhattisgarh	0	0	0	0	0	0
6	Delhi	0	0	0	0	0	0
7	Goa	1234897	0	0	0	0	1234897
8	Gujarat	188998	0	1400000	0	0	1588998
9	Haryana	4500000	0	5157387	0	0	9657387
10	Himachal Pradesh	5997214	6274200	282711	0	440000	12994125
11	J & K	2771045	0	0	0	0	2771045
12	Jharkhand	0	0	0	3768638	0	3768638
13	Karnataka	1328809	796699	0	0	17315589	19441097
14	Kerala	1004357	0	0	0	0	1004357
15	Madhya Pradesh	2831000	0	0	0	0	2831000
16	Maharashtra	5286700	4590000	0	0	0	9876700
17	Meghalaya	3064966	0	0	0	0	3064966
18	Mizoram	3559000	11176000	12307000	0	3736000	30778000
19	Manipur	0	0	0	0	0	0
20	Nagaland	0	5700000	0	0	0	5700000
21	Odisha	0	4165000	0	978987	0	5143987
22	Punjab	0	0	0	0	0	0
23	Rajasthan	1823552	0	0	3574227	0	5397779
24	Sikkim	6499995	86000	0	0	0	6585995
25	Tamil Nadu	2418940	0	2120000	0	0	4538940
26	Telangana	5159910	4284920	0	0	2130643	11575473
27	Tripura	2147385	4478000	4125000	0	0	10750385
28	Uttar Pradesh	3725000	0	0	0	0	3725000
29	Uttarakhand	3077448	0	0	0	0	3077448
30	West Bengal	5043587	0	0	0	0	5043587
Sl. No.	UTs	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	Total (2018-23)
1	Lakshadweep	0	0	0	0	0	0
2	Daman & Diu	0	0	0	0	0	0
3	Puducherry	0	0	0	0	0	0
4	Dadar & Nagar Haveli	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	7,99,99,649	4,77,31,729	2,53,92,098	1,19,35,814	2,36,22,232	18,86,81,522

2.3 DRUG DETECTION KITS

NCB procures and provides Drug Detection Kits to the Drug Law Enforcement Agencies across the country. These DD Kits provides simple, correct and user friendly method for 'on the spot' testing of suspected materials even by non-technical officials. These Drug Detection Kits are of three types:

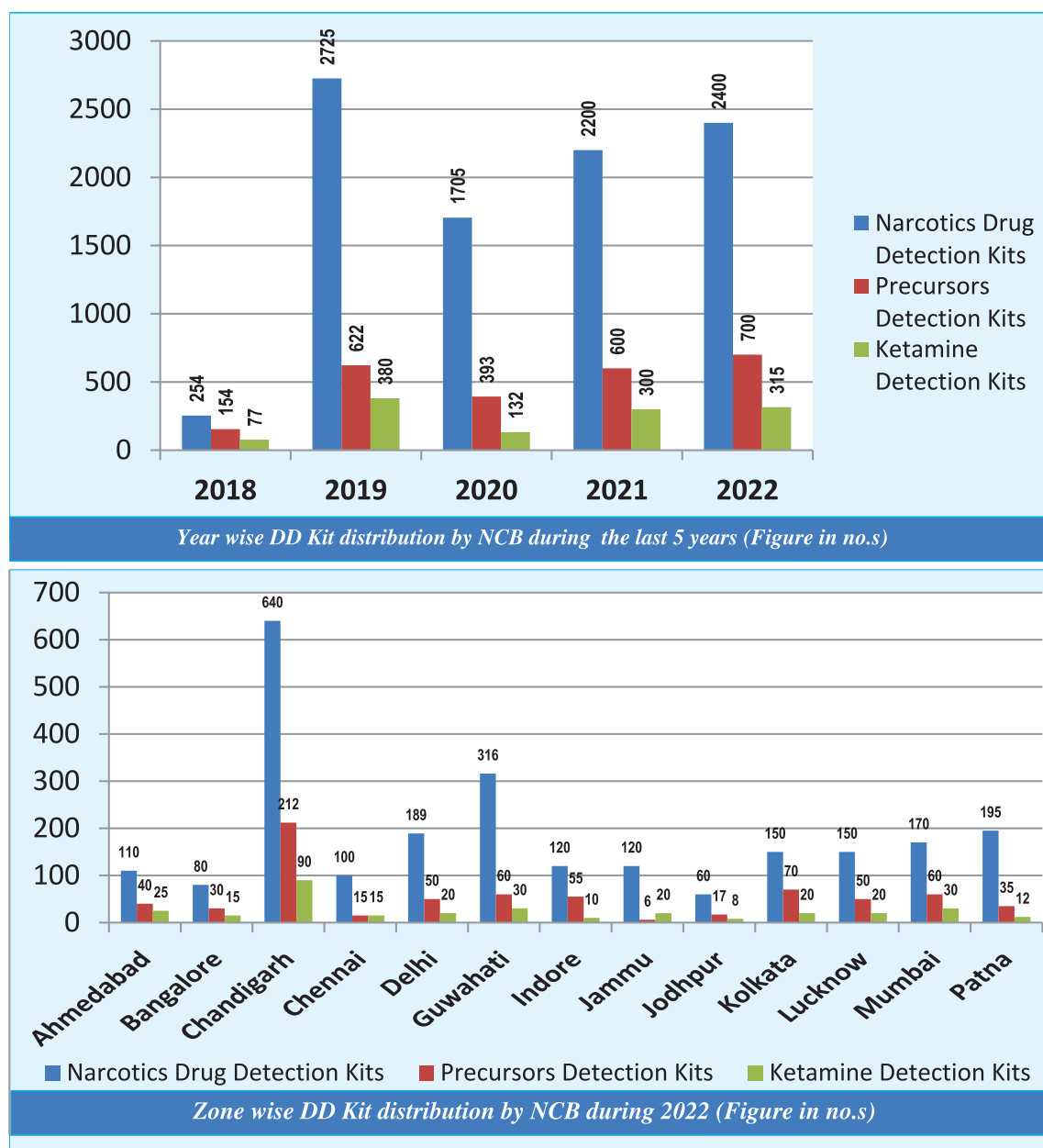
- A) Narcotic Drugs Detection Kit,
- B) Precursor Chemicals Detection Kit and
- C) Ketamine Detection Kit.

The DD Kits are procured centrally by NCB Hqrs. since 1989 from Hindustan Antibiotics Ltd., Pune

and distributed to the Zonal Units of NCB. The DD Kits received by the Zonal Units are further distributed to all the drug law enforcement agencies falling under their jurisdiction.

Narcotics Control Bureau procures Drug Detection Kits for all Drug Law enforcement agencies of the country. The same was distributed by NCB Zones to State Police and other Drug Law Enforcement Agencies as follows:

- a) Standard size Narcotics Drug Detection Kits – 2400
- b) Precursors Chemical Detection kits – 700
- c) Ketamine Detection Kits – 315



NARCOTIC DRUGS

Opium, Morphine, Codeine, Heroin, Amphetamines, Mescaline, Marijuana, Hashish and Hashish Oil, Cocaine and Methaqualone.

**KETAMINE**

Modified Standard Ketamine Drugs Detection Kit

**PRECURSOR DETECTION KIT**

Isosafrole, 3, 4-methylenedioxyphenyl - 2 - Propanone, Phenylacetic Acid, 1-Phenyl-2-Propanone, Piperonal, Safrole, Toluene, Piperidine, N-Acetylanthranilic Acid, Ergometrine, Ergotamine, Lysergic Acid, Ephedrine, Pseudoephedrine, Acetone, Methyl Ethyl Ketone.

**2.4 DRUG DEMAND REDUCTION**

Demand Reduction refers to the steps taken by any agency to reduce demand for consumption of narcotic drugs or psychotropic substances. The demand reduction strategy is in addition to the supply reduction strategy which focuses on drug interdiction.

The Government of India has mandated the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment (MSJ&E) to run different demand reduction programmes.

The measures adopted for demand reduction include:

- Awareness generation and educating people about harmful consequences of narcotic drugs

- Community-based intervention for identification, treatment, motivation, counselling and rehabilitation of drug addicts
- Training of volunteers/service providers and other stake holders.

Initiatives to take e-pledge against Drugs

Narcotics Control Bureau (NCB) apart from being the premier drug law enforcement agency, is also entrusted with the responsibility of spreading awareness against the ill effects of drugs in coordination with State authorities and other stakeholders. With a view to achieve this goal, an e-pledge titled "Say yes to Life, No to Drugs" was uploaded on the website mygov.in.



The objective of this pledge is to spread the message of ill effect of drugs among the citizens so that they may show their resolve in making India a drugs free nation and leading a healthy life. The link to the e-pledge is as given below :-

“ <https://pledge.mygov.in/fightagainstdrugabuse/>”

Various Central Ministries such as Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, Ministry of Education, Ministry of Law and Justice, Department of Personnel & Training, National Commission for Protection of Child Rights, CAPFs and State authorities including Police & other sister agencies were made aware about this e-pledge with a request to further disseminate this information across the society, including educational institutions, so that a mass movement (जन आंदोलन) can be generated in fight against drugs.

NCB has also started the 'fully pledged campus' movement through its Zonal units in selected schools and colleges/educational institutions in a mission/campaign mode under the overall guidance of concerned Regional Offices. At the end of 2022, approximately 30 lakh people had taken this e-pledge against drugs.

Demand Reduction Programmes by NCB

Apart from its regular work in the field of drug interdiction, NCB does some work in spreading

awareness among the masses by way of various programmes. These programmes include:

- Street Plays/ Cultural Programmes
- Run against drug abuse
- Display of Awareness Board in Pub, Bar and Airport, etc.
- Painting and slogan writing competition
- Pledge taking ceremonies
- Display of banners and posters at prominent public places
- Publication of Advertorial in leading newspaper
- Transmission of Anti-Drug Message through Radio channel
- SMS alert about drug awareness
- Observance of 26 June as 'International Day Against Drug Abuse & Illicit Trafficking' to create awareness

During 2022, NCB carried out 574 awareness and educational programmes in various States/UTs throughout the country as part of drug demand reduction activities across the country, covering approximately 1,50,120 participants for fulfilling the vision of Hon'ble Prime Minister i.e., 'Nasha Mukta Bharat'.

The moth-wise details of Awareness Programs conducted by NCB are given as below:-

Month	No. of Awareness Programmes	No. of Participants
January	34	9187
February	30	2119
March	23	2557
April	25	1822
May	27	2420
June	307	106144
July	32	5914
August	23	1490
September	15	2630
October	19	3430
November	19	4712
December	20	7695
Total	574	150120

“International Day Against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking”

The United Nations General Assembly in a Resolution passed in December, 1987, proclaimed 26th June of each year as the "International Day against Drug Abuse and illicit Trafficking". In pursuance of this declaration, this day is observed all over the world to raise public awareness against the menace of drugs. To sensitize the masses, especially students, regarding the evils of drug abuse, NCB Hqrs and its Zonal Units, in association with various State Anti – Narcotics Task Forces, States & Central Agencies, Non-Governmental Organizations (NGOs) organizes various awareness programmes.

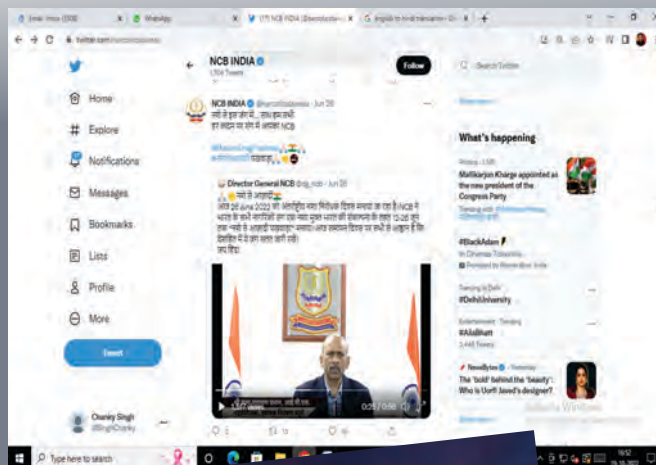
In the year 2022, a special Awareness Campaign as “Nashe se Azadi” pakhwada was celebrated from 12.06.2022 to 26.06.2022, wherein

programmes like Anti-drugs Awareness campaign, e-pledge, Anti-drugs Awareness competitions, Signature campaign, Seminar/Workshop/Training, Cyclathon/Marathon/Bike Rally, Drama/Nukkad Natak, Awareness through Social Media & Electronic/Print Media and Drug Disposal etc. were organized. On the occasion of 26th June i.e., 'International Day Against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking' these above mentioned awareness programmes were organized for Mass-Awareness generation. NCB had also launched an awareness campaign, through YouTube, Twitter etc from the official channel/handles of NCB to motivate the youth of our country and to wean them away from the ill effects of drugs. Telecom service providers, FM Radios, Television Channels were also used by NCB and its field Units and its Officers for spreading anti-drugs messages to the general public.

Tweet by Hon'ble Home Minister



Tweet by Director General, NCB



To commemorate the significant events organized during 12-26 June, 2022 **“Nashe se Azadi Pakhwada, Compendium of Events-2022”** was also published by NCB.



Joint Action Plan on Prevention of Drugs & Substance Use among Children and Illicit Trafficking

With active support of NCB, National Commission for Protection of Child Rights (NCPCR) had formulated a "Joint Action Plan on Prevention of Drugs & Substance Use among Children and Illicit Trafficking" which was launched in 2021.

NCPCR, in coordination with NCB had conducted virtual meetings in 260 out of 272 vulnerable districts in the month of July & August 2021 to

review the implementation of the Joint Action Plan on "Prevention of Drug and Substance Abuse among Children & Illicit Trafficking".

Sh. Satya Narayan Pradhan, DG, NCB and Sh. Priyank Kanoongo, Chairperson, NCPCR Inaugurated National Level Review cum Consultation on Roll out of Joint Action Plan on Prevention on Drugs and Substance Abuse among Children and Illicit Trafficking at Vigyan Bhawan, New Delhi on 2nd March 2022.



PHOTOGRAPHS OF OBSERVANCE OF INTERNATIONAL DAY AGAINST DRUG ABUSE & ILLICIT TRAFFICKING

Rallies and Awareness Campaigns by different Zones of NCB

Ahmedabad Zone



Bangalore Zone



Chandigarh Zone



Chennai Zone



Delhi Zone



Guwahati Zone



Indore Zone



Jammu Zone



Jodhpur Zone



Kolkata Zone



Lucknow Zone



Mumbai Zone



Patna Zone



2.5. NCORD Portal

NCB being the national nodal agency in the field of drug law enforcement took an initiative to develop the NCORD Portal which can be accessed at <https://narcoindia.in/>. This NCORD Portal was

launched by Hon'ble Union Home Minister of India Shri Amit Shah on 30.07.2022 during National Conference on "Drug Trafficking and National Security" organized at Chandigarh during 30-31.07.2022.



This platform is a gateway for all drugs and NCB related information and total knowledge management system (KMS) for all four tiers of stakeholders starting from district level to state level also including the ministries under central government. The knowledge management system (KMS) is accessible to one and all whereas restricted access is provided to the NCORD portion where all decisions taken during different NCORD meetings can be viewed category wise. Here, users can view and download meeting notice, agenda, minutes of the meeting and ATR of the concerned meeting. There is a provision to upload the details of upcoming meetings. The users can have a bird's eye view of the meetings held so far and important decisions taken during the meeting by viewing the minutes.

In order to generate awareness amongst the people in general, NCB has also kept a link of E Pledge on the top right of the page. It also has an event corner where users can generate new events and sensitize public about it.

In the KMS front, the portal is rich in terms of the MoUs, Bilateral Agreements, Extradition Treaties, Training course schedules and training calendar,

important judgments, supreme court/high court/trial court judgments/ rules and regulations etc.. The portal also contains the Annual Reports, Magazines of NCB, schemes related to NDPS, National Policy on NDPS Act, Handbook of NCB, Press Releases published by NCB and NCB in News.

2.6 NIDAAN Dashboard

NCB in collaboration to ICJS (Inter Operable Criminal Justice System) has also developed National Integrated Database on Arrested Narco-offenders (NIDAAN) portal in order to deliver integrated & actionable pan-India information about all Narco- Offenders across India arrested by any drug law enforcement agency. It envision profiling each Narco-offender and crime across India by integrating with ICJS and CCTNS. NIDAAN is an integrated database on all arrested narco-offenders lodged in prisons. It is a one stop solution to all narco offenders' related data and will help investigation agencies as an effective investigation tool. NIDAAN derives its data from E-Prisons and SIMS (Seizure information Management System) which is NCB's software. The

USP of this portal is interoperability and synergy of data on each & every Narco offenders who may have also indulged in other crimes or has other associates too.

NIDAAN can be accessed at <https://nidaan.nic.in>. NIDAAN Portal was also launched by Hon'ble Union Home Minister of India Shri Amit Shah on 30.07.2022 during National Conference on "Drug Trafficking and National Security" organized at Chandigarh during 30-31.07.2022.

NIDAAN picks its data from all India E Prisons and the database of NCB. In addition to the name of the narco offenders, this database also has photographs, fingerprints, case details, court orders etc. pertaining to all narco offenders booked by all drug law enforcement agencies throughout India for at least last 10 years.



2.7 National Narcotics Canine Pool (Nar-K9)

National Narcotics Canine Pool (Nar-K9) was inaugurated by the Hon'ble Union Home Minister as a National Asset during the 'National Conference on Drug Trafficking and National Security' held at Chandigarh on 30-31 July, 2022. The logo of Nar-K9 pool was also revealed during the above conference.

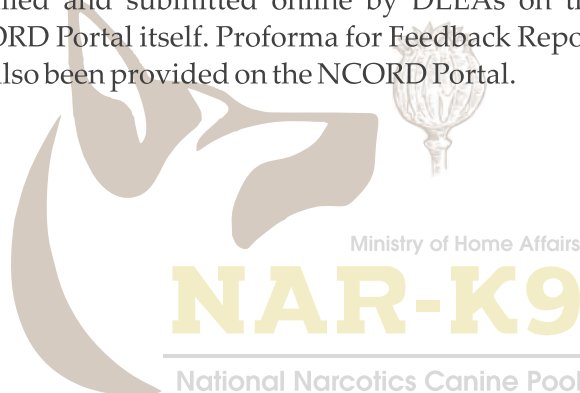


Nar-K9 along with dog handlers/assistant dog handlers are being provided to NCB by the BSF, SSB and Assam Rifles in Delhi, Jammu, Ahmadabad,

Kolkata, Mumbai, Imphal and Chandigarh.

NCB Zonal Directors have been designated as Nodal Officers for all practical purposes under guidance of Regional DDG with respect to the Canine Squads established in their respective Zones. It has also been decided/directed by DG-NCB to Zonal Director to submit the progress report in respect of deployed Canine Squad to DDG (OEC), NCB HQ for better monitoring and optimum utilization.

Nar-K9 requisitions received from Central/State/UT DLEAs and NDPS Act empowered CAPFs may be fulfilled by concerned NCB Zonal Units on requirement basis. Necessary Requisition Form can be filled and submitted online by DLEAs on the NCORD Portal itself. Proforma for Feedback Report has also been provided on the NCORD Portal.



Status of Dogs along with Handlers deployed at various locations of NCB as a part of National Narcotics Canine Pool (Nar-K9)

Sl. No.	Locations (NCB Zone)	Availability of Canine squad
From SSB		
1	Delhi Zone	02 Dogs along with 03 Dog Handlers vide SSB Office Order dt. 18.07.2022.
2	Jammu Zone	02 Dogs along with 03 Dog Handlers vide SSB Office Order dt. 18.07.2022.
3	Kolkata Zone	02 Dogs along with 03 Dog Handlers vide SSB Office Order dt. 18.07.2022.
4	Guwahati Zone	02 Dogs along with 03 Dog Handlers vide SSB Office letter dt. 12.01.2023.
From Assam Rifles		
5	Imphal Sub-Zone	02 Dogs along with 03 Dog Handlers vide Assam Rifles letter dt. 25.07.2022.
From BSF		
6	Ahmedabad Zone	02 Dogs along with 03 Dog Handlers vide BSF letter dt. 10.10.2022
7	Bangalore Zone	02 Dogs along with 03 Dog Handlers vide BSF letter dt. 10.10.2022.
8	Chandigarh Zone	02 Dogs along with 03 Dog Handlers vide BSF letter dt. 25.07.2022.
9	Chennai Zone	02 Dogs along with 03 Dog Handlers vide BSF letter dt. 13.03.2023.
10	Mumbai Zone	02 Dogs along with 02 Dog Handlers vide BSF letter dt. 03.10.2022.

Phase-II: National Narcotics Canine Pool (Nar-K9) is proposed to be established at remaining 20 locations of NCB in IIInd Phase by the way of procurement of Pups from CAPFs, their Training for narcotics detection, appointment of Dog handlers from CAPFs on deputation and development of adequate infrastructure for stay as well as functioning.



MANAS

A 24X7 NATIONAL NARCOTICS HELPLINE (PROPOSED)



- During the 3rd APEX committee NCORD meeting held on 27.12.2021, Hon'ble Union Home Minister had directed to set up a **National Narcotics Helpline** that would be dedicated, 24x7, toll-free National Narcotics Call Centre for reporting any information w.r.t drugs trafficking, drug usage or to deliver information w.r.t drugs and policies of NCB.
- In compliance of the above mentioned directions, an initiative has been taken by NCB to create a dedicated, 24x7, toll-free National Narcotics Call Centre to establish a call center in collaboration with Digital India Corporation (DIC).
- Accordingly, proposal for development, operation and implementation of **MANAS (मादक-पदार्थ निषेध आसूचना-केंद्र)**, a **National Narcotic Helpline** in collaboration with DIC is under submission to MHA for consideration and approval.

Tableau of NCB

REPUBLIC DAY PARADE, 2023
at Kartavya Path, New Delhi



Theme: NARCOTICS CONTROL BUREAU: RESOLVE @75 - DRUG FREE INDIA

It was a moment of pride for NCB when Ministry of Defence vide Office Memorandum dated 29.12.2022 conveyed the final selection of the Tableaux of NCB for Republic Day Parade, 2023, and accordingly, for the first time in history, the tableau of NCB had run in the Republic Day Parade, 2023 in front of Hon'ble Dignitaries and millions of people.



3D Model of Tableau of NCB

Theme

Tableau of Narcotics Control Bureau (NCB), Ministry of Home Affairs with theme "RESOLVE @75-DRUG FREE INDIA", reflects the resolve to make India drug free.

The front part of the tableau depicts a large humanoid sculpture suppressing the ill effects of drugs -depicted in the form of a cactus garden, with a posture of crossed arms and head swaying to the right, giving a strong message against drugs.

In the rear part of the tableau, large-sized hands, representing citizens of India irrespective of caste, religion, class and gender, emerging from a hilly terrain spreading the vision of "Nasha Mukta Bharat" among the masses with their joint effort and purpose. In both sides, people belonging to different parts of India are shown to be taking pledge to fight drugs with the message "Together we can do it" depicting collective efforts by all sections against drugs as a mass movement.

At lower part of the tableau, two hands are shown joining in the form of high contour, which represent the participation, dedication and solidarity of all stakeholders against drugs.

Beside the Tableau, committed to its objective of making the nation drug free, the personnel of NCB are moving step by step along with NARK-9 squad to accomplish their mandated work relentlessly and purposefully.

Details of Officers/Officials actively involved in the preparation/ execution of Tableau until its run on 26th January, 2023 at Kartavya Path, New Delhi.

Shri Satya Narayan Pardhan, DG, NCB Chief Mentor

Smt. Monika A Batra, DDG (LAC) Overall in-charge of the Tableau project

Sl No	Name & Designation of the Officer	Role Played
1	Shri Vikash Kumar, Assistant Director	Nodal Officer
2	Shri Pranit Sarma, Superintendent	Assistant Nodal Officer
3.	Shri Suraj Prakash Jaiswal, Section Officer	Assisted the Team

Participating Officers of NCB Contingent in the Tableau at Kartavya Path

1.	Shri Avdesh Kumar, Intelligence Officer	Team Leader & Member	
2.	Smt. Sarita Kataria, Intelligence Officer	Team Member	
3.	Smt. Poornima G.N., Intelligence Officer	Team Member	
4.	Shri Deepak Kaushik, Intelligence Officer	Team Member	
5.	Shri Sudhir Kumar, Jr. Intelligence Officer	Team Member	
6.	Shri Rambharos, Sepoy	Team Member	
7.	Shri Ajay Kumar, Sepoy	Team Member	
8.	Shri Sanjeev Kumar, Sepoy	Team Member	
9.	Shri Dalbeer Singh, Sepoy	Team Member	
10.	Shri Arvind Singh, Constable(SSB) along with K9- 'Jelly'	Team Member	
11.	Shri Ajay Kumar Yadav, Constable(SSB) along with K9- 'Limbo'	Team Member	



NCB Team with Tableau

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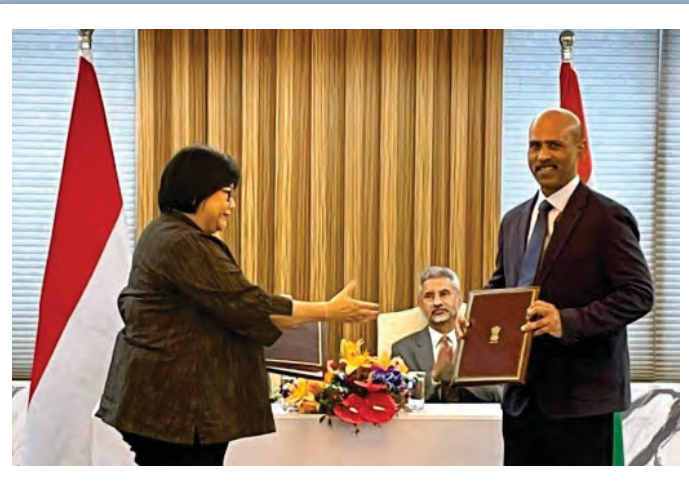
NATIONAL & INTERNATIONAL
COORDINATION**3.1 International Meetings/Conferences****3.1.1 Bilateral Meetings**

· On 09-11.05.2022, Sh. Satya Narayan Pradhan, Director General, NCB, Sh. Mutha Ashok Jain, Deputy Director General (SWR), NCB and Sh. S. K. Mohanty, Director (N), MHA attended bilateral meeting between Narcotics Control Bureau (NCB), India and Anti-Narcotics Police (ANP) Iran at Tehran, Iran.



- On 26.05.2022, Sh. Satya Narayan Pradhan, Director General, NCB led the Indian delegation during 6th DG Level Talks between NCB, India and Central Committee for Drug Abuse Control (CCDAC), Myanmar in virtual mode.

- On 17.06.2022, Sh. Satya Narayan Pradhan, Director General, NCB signed and exchanged the renewed Memorandum of Understanding between the Narcotics Control Bureau, India and the National Narcotics Board, Indonesia on 'Combating Illicit Trafficking in Narcotic Drugs, Psychotropic Substances and its Precursors' with Indonesian Ambassador in India during the Foreign Minister led Joint Commission Meeting between India and Indonesia at Sushma Swaraj Bhawan, Chanakyapuri.



- From 07.07.2022 to 08.07.2022, Sh. Satya Narayan Pradhan, Director General, NCB along with Sh. Sanjay Kumar Singh, Deputy Director General (OEC), NCB, Smt. Monika A. Batra, Deputy Director General (LAC), NCB, Sh. Gyaneshwar Singh, Deputy Director General (NR), NCB, Sh. Piyush Kumar Singh, Asstt. Director (Enf.), NCB and Superintendents of Ops. Branch attended 3rd Counter Narcotics Working Group (CNWG) meeting between India & USA at New Delhi.



- On 30.08.2022, Sh. Satya Narayan Pradhan, Director General, NCB, Sh. Sanjay Kumar Singh, Deputy Director General (OEC), NCB and other officers of NCB attended 5th DG Bilateral Joint Working Group (JWG) Meeting with Indonesia at New Delhi in Virtual mode.



- From 02.11.2022 to 03.11.2022, Sh. Satya Narayan Pradhan, Director General, NCB, Sh. Sanjay Kumar Singh, Deputy Director General (OEC), NCB and other officers of NCB attended India-US Counter Narcotics Working Group (CNWG) Enforcement Steering Group meeting at New Delhi.
- From 06.12.2022 to 07.12.2022, Sh. Satya Narayan Pradhan, Director General, NCB, Sh. Sanjay Kumar Singh, Deputy Director General (OEC), NCB and other officers of NCB attended Bilateral meeting between NCB India and NDLEA, Nigeria at New Delhi.

3.1.2 Multilateral Meetings/Cooperations

- On 18-20.01.2022, Smt. Monika A. Batra, Deputy Director General (ER), NCB, Sh. Pankaj Dwivedi, Assistant Director (Ops), NCB, Sh. Shantanu Aich, Superintendent (Ops), NCB attended online Expert Group Meeting (EGM) to Prevent Trafficking of Fentanyl, Synthetic Opioids and Related Dangerous Substances through Social Media Platform.
- On 26-27.01.2022, Sh. Ritesh Ranjan, Deputy

Director (P&C), NCB attended online Expert Group Meeting on Alternative Development.

- On 21.02.2022, Sh. Sanjay Kumar Singh, Deputy Director General (Ops), NCB attended 1st online Meeting of India-Saudi Arabia Joint Working Group on Security and legal Cooperation.
- On 08.03.2022, Sh. Sanjay Kumar Singh, Deputy Director General, NCB headed the Indian delegation during online Indo-USA Counter Working Group Meeting at NCB Hqrs., New Delhi.



- On 10.03.2022, Sh. Piyush Kumar Singh, Assistant Director (Enf), NCB and Sh. Shantanu Aich, Superintendent (Ops), NCB attended a meeting of SCO Expert Working Group on Precursor Control at Uzbekistan in Hybrid mode.



- On 14-18.03.2022, Sh. Satya Narayan Pradhan, Director General, NCB, Sh. Sanjay Kumar Singh, Deputy Director General (Ops), NCB, Smt. Monika A. Batra, Deputy Director General (ER), NCB, Sh. Piyush Kumar Singh, Deputy Director In-Charge (Enf), NCB attended 65th online Commission on Narcotic Dugs (CND) meeting.
- On 14.03.2022, Sh. Sanjay Kumar Singh, DDG (Ops), NCB attended online SCO-UNODC Side Event on the sidelines of CND.
- On 22.03.2022, Sh. Sanjay Kumar Singh, Deputy Director General (Ops), NCB, Sh. Pankaj Dwivedi, Assistant Director (Ops), NCB, Sh. Shantanu Aich, Superintendent (Ops), NCB attended an online meeting of INCB Precursor Task Force.
- On 28.03.2022, Smt. Monika A. Batra, Deputy Director General (ER), NCB, Sh. Pankaj Kumar Dwivedi, Assistant Director (Ops), NCB attended a meeting of SCO Expert Working Group on Law Enforcement and Drug Crime at Uzbekistan in Hybrid mode.
- On 18-19.04.2022, Sh. Sanjay Kumar Singh, Deputy Director General (Ops), NCB attended meeting of Shanghai Cooperation Organization (SCO) Senior officials of Anti-Drug Agencies at Tashkent, Uzbekistan in Hybrid mode.
- On 20.04.2022, Sh. Satya Narayan Pradhan, Director General, NCB and Sh. Sanjay Kumar Singh, Deputy Director General (Ops), NCB attended meeting of heads of competent authorities of Shanghai Cooperation Organization (SCO) member states at Tashkent, Uzbekistan in Hybrid mode.



· On 26.04.2022, Sh. Satya Narayan Pradhan, Director General, NCB led the Indian delegation during “6th Brazil, Russia, India, China and South Africa (BRICS) Anti-Drug Working Group meeting of Head of Drug Control Agencies” in virtual mode.



- On 27.04.2022, Sh. Pankaj Dwivedi, Assistant Director (Ops), NCB, Sh. Vikash Kumar, Assistant Director (P&C), NCB, Sh. Arvind M R, Superintendent (D&M), NCB, Sh. Appukuttan J, Superintendent (Trg.), NCB and Sh. Arvind Sharma, Intelligence Officer (Trg.), NCB attended SCO Training (Organized by Russia) in virtual mode.
- On 18-19.05.2022, Sh. Sachin Jain, Deputy Director General (HQrs.), NCB attended 4th India-Singapore Meeting on CTTC at Singapore.
- On 30-31.05.2022, Sh. Sanjay Kumar Singh, Deputy Director General (Ops), NCB attended Paris Pact Expert Working Group (EWG) meeting on “Detecting and blocking financial flows linked to illicit traffic in Opiates originating in Afghanistan” at Vienna, Austria.
- On 24.06.2022, Sh. Satya Narayan Pradhan, Director General, NCB participated the event on Shanghai Cooperation Organization (SCO) campaign 'a world without drugs' under the chairmanship of Uzbekistan in virtual mode.
- From 01.08.2022 to 05.08.2022, Smt. Monika A. Batra, Deputy Director General (LAC), NCB attended International Narcotics Control Board (INCB) conference for operational officers on “interdiction of fentanyl, synthetic opioids and related dangerous substances” at Vienna, Austria.
- From 05.09.2022 to 09.09.2022, Sh. Amit F Ghawate, Zonal Director, NCB Mumbai and Sh. P. Aravindhan, Zonal Director, NCB Chennai attended UNODC Cryptocurrencies and Darknet Investigation Training Course, which was coordinated by NACIN Faridabad at Bangkok, Thailand.
- From 06.09.2022 to 09.09.2022, Sh. Piyush Kumar Singh, Asstt. Director (Enf.), NCB attended 5th Operational meeting on “trafficking of dangerous synthetic drugs and related chemicals through postal, courier and air cargo services” at Vienna, Austria.
- On 07.09.2022, Sh. Amanjit Singh, ZD, Chandigarh, Sh. Brijendra Chowdhary, ZD, Indore, Sh. Sudhanshu Kr. Singh, ZD, Guwahati, Sh. Ritesh Ranjan, DD (P&C) and Sh. Pankaj Kr. Dwivedi, AD (Ops), NCB attended Brazil, Russia, India, China and South Africa (BRICS) ADWG Seminar on counteraction to the new challenges and threats in the sphere of illicit drug trafficking, which was organised by Russia in Virtual mode.
- From 11.09.2022 to 14.09.2022, Sh. Rohit Srivastava, Supdt (SU), NCB attended INCB Inter-Regional Workshop on “Public-Private Partnerships for Prevention of Dangerous Substances Trafficking through the Internet” at Cairo, Egypt.
- On 13.09.2022, Sh. Ajay Kumar, Asstt. Director (Ops.), NCB attended 4th India-Tajikistan Joint Working Group (JWG-CT) at New Delhi.
- On 21.09.2022, Sh. Sanjay Kumar Singh, Deputy Director General (OEC), NCB attended UNODC (ROSA) Regional Expert Group Meeting at New Delhi.
- On 22.09.2022, Sh. Satya Narayan Pradhan, Director General, NCB, Sh. Sanjay Kumar Singh, Deputy Director General (OEC), NCB and other officers of NCB attended India-US Counter Narcotics Working Group (CNWG) Executive Steering Group meeting in Virtual mode.
- From 26.09.2022 to 30.09.2022, Sh. Sudhanshu Kumar Singh, ZD, NCB Kolkata and Sh. Aravind M.R. Supdt (Ops), NCB attended UNODC “Crypto-currencies and Darknet Investigation Training Course”, which was coordinated by NACIN Faridabad at Bangkok, Thailand.
- From 11.10.2022 to 12.10.2022, Sh. P. Aravindhan, ZD Chennai attended “INCB-

Member States consultation on illicit drug manufacturing equipment” meeting in Virtual mode.

- From 17.10.2022 to 19.10.2022, Sh. Sanjay Kumar Singh, DDG (Ops) and Sh. S. K. Mohanty, Director (N), MHA attended meeting of INCB Task Force for Precursors at Vienna, Austria.
- From 19.10.2022 to 21.10.2022, Sh. Sanjay Kumar Singh, DDG (Ops) and Sh. S. K. Mohanty, Director (N), MHA attended meeting of INCB Task Force for NPS at Vienna, Austria.
- From 24.10.2022 to 28.10.2022, Sh. Kumar Manish, ZD NCB Patna attended 44th meeting of Heads of National Drug Law Enforcement Agencies, Asia and the Pacific (HONLEA) at Bangkok, Thailand.
- From 22.11.2022 to 25.11.2022, Sh. Shailesh Kumar Jambotkar, ZD, NCB Jodhpur attended 55th Session of the Sub-Commission on Illicit Drug Traffic and Related Matters in the Near and Middle East at Ashgabat, Turkmenistan.
- From 28.11.2022 to 30.11.2022, Sh. Gyaneshwar Singh, Deputy Director General (NR), CB attended “INCB's Inter-Regional Workshop on Public-Private Partnerships between Governments and Logistic Companies operating in Afghanistan” at Istanbul, Turkey.
- From 06.12.2022 to 10.12.2022, Sh. Vijendra Singh, Deputy Director (Adm), NCB attended “7th BIMSTEC sub-group on NDPS” meeting at Chiang Rai, Thailand.

3.1.3 JUDICIAL COOPERATION

a) Controlled Delivery Operations:

- NCB conducts Controlled delivery operations in coordination with other countries. The Director General, Narcotics Control Bureau is empowered under Section 50A of the NDPS Act, 1985 to authorize "controlled delivery" of any contraband drugs to India or abroad.

- During the year 2021, total 08 controlled delivery operations were carried out by NCB and other agencies as well.

b) Mutual Legal Assistance:

- Mutual Legal Assistance Treaty (MLAT) is an agreement between two countries for gathering and transfer of evidence. Mutual Legal Assistance Treaty usually provides the framework to facilitate the widest measure of mutual assistance in: taking evidence or statements from persons;
- effecting service of judicial documents;
- executing searches and seizures;
- examining objects and sites;
- providing information and evidentiary items;
- providing originals or certified copies of the relevant documents and records including bank, financial, corporate, and business records;
- identifying or tracing proceeds, property, instrumentalities
- or other things for evidentiary purposes;
- The specific form of Mutual Legal Assistance that can be given or obtained depends on the provisions of the treaty with the foreign government.
- India has signed Mutual Legal Assistance Treaties with 40 countries namely Australia, Azerbaijan, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Belarus, Bosnia & Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Canada, Egypt, France, Hongkong, Indonesia, Iran, Israel, Kazakhstan, Kuwait, Kyrgyz Republic, Maldives, Malaysia, Mongolia, Mauritius, Mexico, Myanmar, Russia, Singapore, South Africa, South Korea, Spain, Sri Lanka, Sultanate of Oman, Switzerland, Tajikistan, Thailand, Turkey, Ukraine, UAE, UK, USA, Uzbekistan and Vietnam.

c) Extradition:

- Extradition is the process of surrendering a fugitive residing in a country, who is wanted by the law enforcement of another country, after due process.

- India has extradition treaties with 48 countries.
- India has extradition arrangements on the basis of reciprocity with 12 countries.
- The Indian Extradition Act contains a provision in terms of which extradition can be considered even in the absence of an extradition treaty if the offence for which extradition has been sought is included in any international convention to which both India and the other country seeking extradition are parties

3.1.4 INCB/UNODC Reporting

Being a signatory to the various international conventions on narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances, India is under obligation to submit the required information to the United Nations Office of Drugs and Crime (UNODC) and International Narcotics Control Board (INCB) in the prescribed formats. NCB is the nodal/central agency for implementation of the India's obligations under various international conventions.

International Narcotics Control Board (INCB)

To meet the international obligations under the UN Conventions on Narcotic Drugs, 1961, Convention on Psychotropic Substances, 1971 and United Nations Convention against illicit traffic in Narcotics Drugs and Psychotropic Substances, 1988, NCB submits seven reports in the prescribed formats namely, Form A, B, C, D, P, A/P and B/P to INCB Vienna. Form A & A/P relating to Import and Export of Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances, respectively, are being submitted to INCB on a quarterly basis.

The other Forms i.e B, C, D & P are being submitted to INCB on an annual basis. These forms are related to annual assessment/ estimates of narcotics drugs

and psychotropic substances in different fields. While Form B/P is being submitted once in three years, which is related to annual assessment of medical and scientific requirement of scheduled substances. Inputs on the different Forms come from agencies like Central Bureau of Narcotics (CBN), the Chief Controller of Factories (CCF), the Drug Controller General of India (DCGI) besides the Narcotics Control Bureau (NCB).

United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC)

Each member country has to provide inputs in the Annual Report Questionnaire (ARQ) every year on the working of the international drug control treaties to UNODC. Before 2021, ARQ has to be submitted offline and contained 04 Parts:

- Part I: Legislative and Institutional Framework
- Part II: Comprehensive Approach to Drug Demand Reduction and Supply
- Part III: Extent and Patterns of Drug Use
- Part IV: Extent and Patterns of and Trends in Drug Crop Cultivation and Drug Manufacture and Trafficking

However, from 2021, the Annual Report Questionnaire (ARQ) is to be filled online by the Officially Appointed Focal Point. The ARQ for 2020 is divided into 14 Annual Modules (A01-A14) and 06 Rotating Modules (R06, R07, R09, R11, R12, R13).

The details of the modules of new ARQ are as below:

S. No.	Module No.	Module Name
1	A01	Prevalence and extent of drug use
2	A02	Registries of drug users
3	A03	People who inject drugs
4	A04	People with drug use disorders
5	A05	Drug-related mortality
6	A06	Drug-related treatment
7	A07	Seizures and trafficking
8	A08	Clandestine Laboratories
9	A09	Illicit cultivation and eradication of crops
10	A10	Prices and purities
11	A11	Sales of drugs using the Internet and related technologies
12	A12	Drug-related criminal justice process
13	A13	Legislative, institutional and strategic framework
14	A14	Innovative methods for data collection
15	R06	Links between drug trafficking, corruption and other forms of organized crime
16	R07	Supply reduction activities and international cooperation
17	R09	Alternatives to conviction or punishment
18	R11	Illicit financial flows and money-laundering
19	R12	National framework
20	R13	Access to internationally controlled medications

NCB furnishes the ARQ to UNODC which becomes a part of the World Drug Report published every year.

3.2 Narco-Coordination Centre (NCORD) Meetings

Narco-Coordination (NCORD) is a 4-tier coordination mechanism designed for better coordination in policy matters as well as to tackle field level issues.

Restructuring of NCORD in 2022

In the year 2022, MHA, vide Order No I-12023/2017-NCB-II(Vol-I) dated 25.03.2022 & its addendum dated 23.09.2022, had included, at the Central level, Ministry of Chemical and Fertilizers, Department of Pharmaceuticals, Ministry of Port, Shipping and Waterways, NCRB, National Investigation Agency

(NIA), Indian Coast Guard, DRI, National Maritime Security Coordinator (NMSC), Enforcement Directorate (ED) and National Technical Research Organization (NTRO) in the NCORD Committee(s). Further, at the State level, Department of Education, Department of Posts, Intelligence Bureau (IB) and Enforcement Directorate (ED) in the district level, representatives of MHA / Intelligence Bureau (IB) were included in the NCORD Committee.

CREATION OF ANTI NARCOTICS TASK FORCE (ANTF) IN STATES

During 3rd APEX level meeting of NCORD held on 27.12.2021, Hon'ble Union Home Minister directed

that a dedicated Anti-Narcotics Task Force (ANTF) headed by ADG/IG level Police Officer needs to be established in each State. Accordingly, MHA, vide order dated 25.03.2022 had directed that ANTFs headed by an ADG/IG level Officer may be formed in each state and assigned the following responsibilities:-

- (i) A dedicated Anti-Narcotics Task Force (ANTF) headed by an ADG/IG level Police Officer with sufficient manpower capable of handling the drug trafficking and abuse scenario in the State needs to be established.
- (ii) It will also function as the NCORD Secretariat for the State and will monitor follow-up action on compliance with the decisions taken at different levels of NCORD.

- (ii) The Head of the ANTF will serve as the nodal point for the NCB on all drug related matters, such as Assistance to States & UTS for Narcotics Control Scheme, NFCDA, co-ordination of illicit cultivation destruction operations, etc.

In compliance of the above direction, all the States and UTs have formed ANTFs under their jurisdictions. The details of ANTF heads of States and UTs are given in Annexure-IV.



The details of various NCORD meetings conducted during year 2022 are as under:

Sl. No	Apex Level Meeting	Executive Committee Meeting	Monthly Meeting	State Level meeting*	District Level Meeting*
1	05.05.2022 (4 th Apex)	05.09.2022 (3 rd)	28.01.2022 (19 th) online	Andaman and Nicobar Islands (03 Meetings)	-
2	01.12.2022 (5 th Apex)		09.03.2022 (20 th) online	Arunachal Pradesh (01 Meeting)	-
3			15.06.2022 (21 st) online	Assam (02 Meetings)	16 Meetings
4			08.09.2022 (22 nd) Online	Bihar (01 Meeting)	07 Meetings
5			14.12.2022 (23 rd) Online	Chandigarh (03 Meetings)	-
6				Chhattisgarh (01 Meeting)	-
7				Dadra and Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu (01 Meeting)	04 Meetings
8				Delhi (02 Meetings)	25 Meetings
9				Goa (01 Meeting)	01 Meeting
10				Gujarat (02 Meetings)	38 Meetings
11				Haryana (02 Meetings)	59 Meetings
12				Jammu and Kashmir (02 Meetings)	97 Meetings
13				Jharkhand (01 Meeting)	02 Meetings
14				Kerala (01 Meeting)	02 Meetings
15				Ladakh (02 Meetings)	08 Meetings
16				Lakshadweep (01 Meeting)	-
17				Madhya Pradesh (01 Meeting)	08 Meetings
18				Maharashtra (02 Meetings)	33 Meetings
19				Manipur (02 Meetings)	05 Meetings
20				Meghalaya (01 Meeting)	-
21				Mizoram (02 Meetings)	38 Meetings
22				Puducherry (03 Meetings)	-
23				Punjab (01 Meeting)	21 Meetings
24				Rajasthan (03 Meetings)	08 Meetings
25				Sikkim (02 Meetings)	08 Meetings
26				Tamil Nadu (01 Meeting)	-
27				Uttar Pradesh (02 Meetings)	60 Meetings
28				Uttarakhand (02 Meetings)	15 Meetings
29				West Bengal (01 Meeting)	-

* as per data available with this Hqrs

4th Apex level NCORD Meeting

On 05.05.2022, 4th meeting of the Apex level Committee of NCORD (Narco Coordination Centre) was held at North Block, MHA which was presided over by the Hon'ble Union Home Secretary Sh. Ajay Bhalla. Officials of NCB and officers from various Central Ministries / Departments / Agencies participated in offline mode. In addition to the above, Chief Secretaries of all States/UTs and Director General of Police or their representatives participated in the meeting in virtual mode.

Agenda Points proposed by MHA, NCB and MoSJE:

- Review of actions taken on the decisions taken in 3rd Apex Committee Meeting held on 27.12.2021.
- Drug trafficking through maritime routes and various measures for its containment.
- Development of effective mechanism for destruction of illicit cultivation of Opium and Cannabis.
- Improvement in Enforcement agencies response in dealing with legal aspects of NDPS cases.
- Drug Demand Reduction Initiative – 'Nasha Mukh Bharat Abhiyan'.

Hon'ble Union Home Secretary stated that the menace of drug abuse is a matter of serious concern which needs coordinated action of all Departments/Ministries and drug law enforcement agencies to fulfill the vision of Hon'ble Prime Minister of "Nasha Mukh Bharat". Some of the major decisions taken during the meeting are as under:

- Pending issues related to the directions given during 3rd Apex NCORD needs proper attention by the states and Chief Secretaries were requested to review the status in their respective State NCORD meetings for better implementation and improved results.

- It was emphasized that there is a need to review Notification dated 16.01.2015 issued by DoR with regards to disposal of seized drugs by taking into cognizance the views and suggestions of different stakeholders and also the directions issued by the Hon'ble Supreme Court and other High Courts in the matter.
- Concerned authorities dealing with coastal security like Indian Navy, Indian Coast Guard and Port Authorities with active participation of DLEAs should form a 'Special Study Group' to handle drug trafficking through maritime route and to examine the possibility of using drones for surveillance.
- It was proposed that DoR may make suitable amendments in rules, if required regarding destruction of illicit cultivation of Opium/Cannabis as well as to provide alternate livelihood source for the farmers involved especially in those area, where such cultivation is part of tradition.
- On 23.09.2022, 3rd executive NCORD committee meeting was held under the chairmanship of SS(IS), MHA at Conference Room, North Block, MHA, New Delhi to discuss and review the action taken on the decisions/directions given in the 3rd and 4th Apex level NCORD meetings. Sh. S.N. Pradhan, DG NCB, Sh. S.K. Singh, DDG(Ops), Sh. Sachin Jain, DDG(Hqrs), Sh. Ritesh Ranjan, DD(P&C), Sh. Appukutan. J. Superintendent, (P&C) and Sh. Pranit Sarma, Superintendent (P&C) attended the meeting.



5th Apex level NCORD Meeting

The 5th meeting of the Apex Committee of NCORD (Narco Coordination Centre) was held on 01.12.2022 at North Block, MHA in hybrid mode, which was presided over by the Union Home Secretary and Officers from various Central Ministries/Departments. For the first time, new Members viz. National Technical Research Organisation (NTRO) and Enforcement Directorate (ED) etc. were invited in light of the emerging threat of drugs to society and also to have a more co-ordinated approach. In addition to the above, Chief Secretaries of all States/UTs and Director(s) General of Police or their representatives participated in the meeting in virtual mode. In the meeting, the Union Home Secretary took stock of the issue of illicit drugs in India and directed all concerned agencies to come together to fight this menace. Union Home Secretary issued several instructions in this regard.

Discussions undertaken on improving Process Ecosystem

- Empowerment of State Anti-Narcotics Task Force (ANTF) for investigation of major narcotics cases.
- Designating Nodal Officer for Narcotics crime related issues.
- Sensitization of States/UTs on Notifications of New Psychoactive Substances (NPS) by GoI towards focused and concerted containment actions.
- Providing of feedback reports on ground survey and destruction operations in respect of each satellite image generated by ADRIN and BISAG-N.

Discussions undertaken on improving Institutional Ecosystem

- Establishment of Advisory Boards at States/UTs level for effective implementation of provisions related to PITNDPS Act.
- Setting up of designated NDPS Courts/fast track courts for speedy disposal of NDPS cases.

- Up-gradation of the existing training modules and strengthening of forensic capabilities to meet the emerging challenges on regular basis.
- State/UTs to avail assistance of forensic experts / consultants and agencies like ED & FIU for Financial Investigation of Drug Crimes.

The Union Home Secretary emphasized up on the need to hold regular meetings of State NCORD Committees by State/UT Chief Secretaries and District Level NCORD meetings by the District Magistrates as per the directions of the Hon'ble Union Home Minister. He remarked that a joint and coordinated effort by all stakeholders was required to fight the drug menace in the country. To this end, sharing the best practices with each other was the way forward. Dedicated K-9 Squads in each State is another area which requires immediate action. He exhorted all participants to make conscious and collective efforts towards fulfilling the vision of the Hon'ble Prime Minister, that of a 'Nasha Mukh Bharat'.



Monthly Meeting of NCORD

- On 28.01.2022, the 19th Monthly meeting of NCORD under the chairmanship of DG, NCB was held through video conferencing mode. Apart from the regular members of monthly NCORD, the Coastal States/ UTs, Indian Navy, Indian Coast Guard and various Port Authorities were invited for the meeting.



- On 09.03.2022, the 20th Monthly meeting of NCORD under the chairmanship of DG, NCB was held through video conferencing mode. Apart from the regular members of monthly NCORD, the Coastal States including Coastal UTs were invited for the meeting.



- On 15.06.2022, the 21st Monthly meeting of NCORD under the chairmanship of DG, NCB was held through video conferencing mode covering the different issues related to drug trafficking, particularly pertaining to the Eastern states. Representatives from States of Bihar, Jharkhand, Odisha and West Bengal participated in this meeting apart from the regular members of monthly NCORD.

- On 08.09.2022, 22nd Monthly NCORD Meeting with special focus on issues relating to the states of Madhya Pradesh, Chattisgarh, Maharashtra, Andhra Pradesh and Telangana was held under the chairmanship of Director General, NCB through virtual mode at NCB Hqrs. Senior official and officers of NCB attended the meeting physically at NCB Hqrs. Officials from Central agencies and States Police had attended the meeting virtually.



- The 23rd Monthly meeting of NCORD under the Chairmanship of DG, NCB was held on 14.12.2022 through video conferencing mode. Apart from the regular members of monthly NCORD, the Northern States (Uttar Pradesh, Uttarakhand, Himachal Pradesh, Haryana, Rajasthan, Punjab, UT Jammu & Kashmir, UT Delhi, UT Ladakh, UT Chandigarh) were invited for the meeting.



3.3 National Meetings /Conferences

National Conference on “Drug Trafficking & National Security” at Chandigarh on 30-31 July, 2022

A national Conference on “Drug Trafficking & National Security” and Regional Conference with the Chief Ministers/ Administrators/ Lieutenant Governors of Punjab, Himachal Pradesh, Haryana, UTs of Chandigarh and Jammu & Kashmir under the chairmanship of Hon'ble Union Home & Cooperation Minister Sh. Amit Shah was held on 30-31 July, 2022 at Chandigarh to discuss the drug scenario in the Northern Regions and ways to mitigate it.

During the the Conference the following activities were undertaken:-

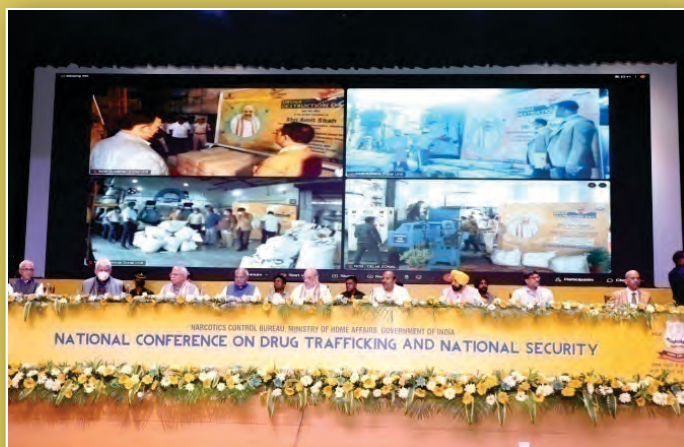
- Launch of NCORD Portal
- Launch of NIDAN Portal
- Inauguration of Office-cum-Residential

(OCR) complex of NCB Zonal Unit, Chandigarh.

- Launch of “Nashe se Azadi Pakhwada - Compendium of Events-2022”.
- Launch of “Compilation of Landmark Judgements of Honourable Supreme Court and High Courts”.
- Launch of “National Narcotics Canine Pool” (Nar-K9).
- Launch/ release of short documentary film on the working of NCB prepared through National Film Development Corporation Limited (NFDC).
- Disposal of seized drugs was also carried out at various locations, which was virtually launched by the Hon'ble Union Home Minister. A total of more then 30,000 kg drugs was destroyed during the special campaign.







Regional Conference for North Eastern States (including Sikkim) held at Guwahati on 08.10.2022

On 08.10.2022, the Regional Conference on 'Drug Trafficking and National Security' was Chaired by the Hon'ble Union Home & Co-operation Minister Sh. Amit Shah with Chief Ministers, Chief Secretaries and Directors General of Police of North Eastern State (Assam, Arunachal Pradesh, Manipur, Meghalaya, Mizoram, Nagaland, Tripura) & Sikkim at Guwahati, Assam.

Following points were discussed during the Conference :-

- Drug Trafficking Scenario in the North East with a national security perspective.
- Conduct of State and District NCORD meetings as per the mandated frequency.
- Setting up and upgrading forensic labs in the North Eastern Region.

- Establishment of Special NDPS Courts/ Fast Track Courts in every District of the North East
- Initiatives taken by Govt. of India to check drug trafficking

During the meeting directions/suggestions given by the Hon'ble Union Home Minister were as follows:-

- Zero tolerance towards dirty money and organised mafia in drug trafficking.
- Need for in-depth investigation to crack down on entire network involved in drug trafficking.
- Each State should have one State-of-the-Art forensic science lab for which Central Government is willing to provide up to 50% financial assistance.
- Chief Ministers of the North Eastern States should Chair State NCORD meetings and the efforts should percolate to the District level.



- On this day, approx. 40,000 kgs of drugs were destroyed by the NCB and North Eastern States' administrations in presence of the Hon'ble Union Home & Co-operation Minister Sh. Amit Shah.



Regional Conference for West & Central States at Gandhinagar, Gujarat on 26.10.2022

On 26.10.2022, the Regional Conference on 'Drug Trafficking and National Security'(for West Central States) was Chaired by the Hon'ble Union Home & Co-operation Minister Sh. Amit Shah with Chief Ministers, Chief Secretaries and Director General of Police of West-Central States (Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra, Goa, Gujarat, Rajasthan, UT of Dadar and Nagar Haveli & Daman and Diu) at Gandhinagar, Gujarat.

Following points were discussed during the Conference:-

- Maritime trafficking of Heroin has witnessed an increase on the west coast
- Increasing cases of trafficking of drugs like Cocaine, ATS through maritime route
- Illegal cultivation of narcotic substances i.e. Opium, Ganja and Poppy straw
- Higher number of illegal, clandestine laboratories busted in the region
- Use of couriers and parcels in drug trafficking increased post-COVID
- Increase in drug trafficking using Darknet and crypto currency

- Use of chemical factories to produce synthetic drugs and NPS
- Increased smuggling of pharmaceutical drugs like Tramadol, Spasmo-proxyvon

During the Meeting Hon'ble Union Home & Co-operation Minister Sh. Amit Shah emphasised upon:-

- Zero tolerance towards dirty money & organised mafia in drug trafficking.
- Focused approach to control maritime drug trafficking.
- Drug ruining youth and India's demographic dividend
- Coordination between all DLEAs and States/UTs to tackle this borderless crime is the need of the hour
- Need to nab drug trafficking masterminds residing in foreign countries
- Strengthening the institutional structure, empowerment and coordination of all DLEAs is the formula for success in drug supply reduction
- Use of drones, AI & other tech for controlling illicit cultivation of narcotics
- Need for in-depth investigation to crack down on the entire network involved in drug trafficking





- On this day, approx. 14,000 kgs of drugs were destroyed by NCB and the States of Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra, Goa, Gujarat, Rajasthan, UT of Dadar and Nagar Haveli & Daman and Diu in presence of the Hon'ble Union Home & Co-operation Minister Sh. Amit Shah.



Other important National Coordination Meetings

- On 27.01.2022, Sh. S. N. Pradhan, Director General, NCB, New Delhi and Sh. Priyank kanoongo, Chairperson, NCPCR meet to discuss and update on roll out of a Joint Action Plan on prevention of drugs and substance abuse among children and Illicit Trafficking at NCB Headquarter.
- On 01.02.2022, Sh. S. N. Pradhan, Director General, NCB and Vice Chancellor, Rastriya Raksha University had a virtual interaction for understanding the requirements, plans and processes for ongoing and future recruitment of the NCB and to understand the role RRU can play by means of preparing young boys and girls who want to join Narcotics Control Bureau through certificate/diploma and training program etc.
- On 10.02.2022, Sh. Ritesh Ranjan, DD (P&C) had attended 31st meeting of the governing body of NFCDA organized by Department of Revenue, for the year 2021-22.
- On 11.02.2022, a National Workshop on “Countering the problem of Drug Trafficking and its Abuse in India – A Holistic Approach” chaired by Sh. S. N. Pradhan, Director General, NCB was held at NCB Headquarter, New Delhi in virtual mode.



- On 02.03.2022, Sh. Sanjay Kumar Singh, Dy. Director General (Ops), NCB Hqrs attended the online overview meeting organized by BPR&D on the subject “All India Overview of compliance of Resolutions of Previous All India Police Science Congress (AIPSCs)”.
- On 04.03.2022, Sh. Piyush Kumar, Assistant Director (Enf), NCB Hqrs attended the second online overview meeting organized by BPR&D on the subject “All India Overview of compliance of Resolutions of Previous All India Police Science Congress (AIPSCs)”.
- On 07.03.2022, a meeting for consideration of proposals by the empowered committee for grant of central assistance to State Government/UTs under the scheme “Assistance to States & UTs for Narcotics Control” for the financial year 2021-22 was held under the chairmanship of Special Secretary (IS), MHA at North Block, New Delhi. Sh. Satya Narayan Pradhan, DG, NCB, Sh. Sachin Jain, DDG (Hqrs), Sh. Ritesh Ranhan, DD (P&C), Sh. Vikash Kumar, AD (P&C), Sh. Pranit Sarma, Superintendent (P&C) along with NCB officers attended the meeting.



- On 08.04.2022, Sh. Gyaneshwar Singh, DDG (NR), Sh. Gyanendra Kumar Singh, DD (Trg), Sh. Kuldeep Sharma, AD (DZU) and Superintendents (NR/DZU/Trg), NCB have attended a meeting with a team of experts from IIT, Chennai at NCB Hqrs regarding a training of NCB Officers on cyber related matters.
- On 29.04.2022 Sh. S.K Barnwal, Joint Secretary, IS-II, MHA has conducted a review meeting at NCB Hqrs to discuss the action taken reports of various directions issued by Hon'ble PM/HM in recent years., Sh. Sachin Jain, DDG(Hqrs), SH. S.K Singh DDG(Ops), Sh. Gyaneshwar Singh, DDG(NR), Sh. Vijaindra Singh, DD(Admin), Sh. Ritesh Ranjan, DD(P&C), Sh. S.K Mohanty, Director(N), IS-II, MHA, Sh. Ajoy Kumar Chakraborty, Under Secretary, IS-II, MHA, Sh. Piyush Kumar, AD(Enf), Sh. Vikash Kumar, AD(P&C), Sh. Pranit Sarma, Superintendent(P&C), Smt. Mehak Jain, Superintendent (NR) and Sh. Avdesh Kumar, I.O(Pub, P&C) attended the meeting.
- On 02.06.2022, a meeting between Shri. S.K Barnwal, Joint Secretary, IS-II Division, MHA and Satya Narayan Pradhan, Director General, NCB was conducted to discuss about the celebration function/ arrangements on the occasion of 26th June i.e. "International Day Against Drug Abuse And Illicit Trafficking". Shri. Sachin Jain, DDG(Hqrs) along with Shri Ritesh Ranjan, DD(P&C) and Shri Vikash Kumar, AD(P&C) had also attended the meeting.
- On 22.06.2022, a meeting was held under the chairmanship of Union Home Secretary, Sh. Ajay Kumar Bhalla regarding sharing of canine resources by CAPFs with NCB for creation of National Narcotics Canine Pool (Nar-K9) in NCB at North Block, MHA. Sh. S.N Pradhan, DG (NCB), Smt. Monika A Batra, DDG (Trg/Legal), Sh. Ritesh Ranjan, DD (P&C) and Sh. Avdesh Kumar, I.O (Pub.) attended the meeting from NCB.
- On 19.07.2022, a meeting of committee to consider the 'Small Quantity and Commercial Quantity of substances to be included in the NDPS Act, 1985' was held in the chambers of JS-Revenue at North Block, New Delhi. Sh. Sachin Jain, DDG(Hqrs) and Sh. Ritesh Ranjan, DD(P&C) had attended the meeting on behalf of NCB.
- On 20.07.2022, Monthly review meeting under the chairmanship of JS(IS-II) was held at North Block, MHA in connection with the Assistance to States/UTs for Narcotics Control Scheme. Sh. Sachin Jain DDG(Hqrs), Sh. Ritesh Ranjan, DD(P&C), Sh. Vikash Kumar, AD(P&C) and Sh. Pranit Sarma, Superintendent(P&C) attended the meeting.
- On 22.07.2022, Sh. Ritesh Ranjan, DD(P&C) had attended the review meeting of Nodal Officers of the DGsP/IGsP Conference at IB office, SP Marg, New Delhi.
- On 08.08.2022, an empowered committee meeting was held under the chairmanship of SS(IS), MHA for consideration of proposals for Grant of Central Assistance to State Government under the scheme "Assistance to States & UTs for Narcotics Control" for the year 2022-23. Sh. S.N. Pradhan, DG, NCB, Sh. Sachin Jain, DDG (Hqrs), Sh. Ritesh Ranjan, DD(P&C), Sh. Vikash Kumar, AD(P&C) and Sh. Pranit Sarma, Superintendent (P&C) had attended the meeting.
- On 26.08.2022, monthly review meeting was held under the chairmanship of JS(IS-II), MHA to review the two schemes of NCB i.e Assistance to State/UTs for Narcotics Control and Scheme for purchase of land and construction (Infrastructure scheme of NCB). Sh. Sachin Jain, DDG(Hqrs), NCB, Sh. Ritesh Ranjan, DD(P&C), Sh. R.S. Joshi AD(Admin), Sh. Vikash Kumar, AD(P&C), Sh. Pranit Sarma, Superintendent (P&C) and Sh. Karan Singh, J.I.O (P&C) had attended the meeting.
- On 02.09.2022, meeting under the chairmanship of JS(IS-II), MHA was held in connection with the National Award for Outstanding Work in the Field of Drug Supply Reduction. Sh. Sachin Jain, DDG(Hqrs), Sh. Ritesh Ranjan, DD(P&C) and Sh. Pranit Sarma, Supdt (P&C) attended the meeting
- On 21.09.2022, a monthly review meeting under the chairmanship of JS(IS-II), MHA was held at North Block, New Delhi to review the Status under the scheme 'Assistant to State/UTs for Narcotics Control'. Sh. Sachin Jain, DDG(Hqrs), NCB, Sh. Ritesh Ranjan, DD(P&C) and Sh. Pranit Sarma, Superintendent(P&C) had attended the meeting on the aforementioned issue.

- On 23.09.2022, Sh. Ritesh Ranjan, DD(P&C) attended the 32nd meeting of the Governing body of NFCDA, held under the chairmanship of the Additional Secretary (Revenue) through Video Conferencing.
- On 11.10.2022, a meeting was held to review the recommendations made by the Inter-Ministerial Committee (IMC) on Alternative Development under the chairmanship of Shri Ajay Kumar Bhalla, Union Home Secretary. Sh. S.N. Pradhan, Director General, NCB, Sh. Sanjay Kumar Singh, Deputy Director General (Operations), Sh. Ritesh Ranjan, Deputy Director (P&C), Sh. Vikash Kumar, Assistant Director (P&C), Sh. Appukuttan. J. Superintendent (Training), Sh. Karan Singh, J.I.O (NCORD) attended the meeting on behalf of Narcotics Control Bureau.
- On 27.10.2022 & 28, 2022 Hon'ble Union Home Minister Shri Amit Shah held a Chintan Shivir with State Home Ministers at Surajkund, Faridabad, Haryana to discuss mutually relevant issues related to security, police, civil defense etc. The conference also hosted home secretaries and Directors General of police (DGsP) of the states. Mr. S.N. Pradhan, Director General, Narcotics Control Bureau attended the meeting.
- On 03.11.2022, a monthly review meeting headed by Joint Secretary (IS-II), Ministry of Home Affairs was held to review the Status and Expenditure of two schemes viz. "Assistance to States/UTs for Narcotics Control" and Infrastructure Project (Revenue and Capital Expenditure). Sh. Vijendra Singh, Deputy Director (P&C/Administration), Sh. Pranit Sarma, Superintendent (P&C), Sh. Manoj Kumar Agarwal, Section Officer (Accounts), and Sh. Rikhi Ram, Assistant (Land & Building) on behalf of NCB attended the meeting.
- On 07.11.2022, Sh. Ritesh Ranjan, Deputy Director (P&C) attended the meeting on Prime Minister's Awards for Excellence in Public Administration under the chairmanship of Secretary, Department of Administrative Reforms and Public Grievances (DARPG).
- On 04.11.2022, Sh. Vikash Kumar, Assistant Director (P&C) attended the meeting of the Domain Committee for Successful Implementation of CCTNS 2.0 and Criminal Procedure (Identification) Act, 2022 at NCRB Headquarters, Mahipalpur, New Delhi.
- On 23.11.2022, Sh. Sanjay Kumar Singh, Deputy Director General (OEC), NCB participated in the meeting regarding implementation of Drug Free India Campaign in border villages, organized under the chairmanship of Secretary (Border Management), Ministry of Home Affairs.
- On 29.11.2022, Sh. Sanjay Kumar Singh, DDG (OEC), NCB attended the "General Council Meeting of National Institute of Social Defence (NISD)".
- On 29.11.2022, Sh. Ritesh Ranjan, Deputy Director (Coord.), Sh. Vikash Kumar, Assistant Director (A&C) and Sh. Praneet Sharma, Superintendent (A&C) participated in the 2nd meeting of the Expert Committee for the selection of tableau proposal held at DRDO Bhawan, South Block, New Delhi.
- On 06.12.2022, a monthly review meeting was organized under the leadership of Joint Secretary (IS-II), Ministry of Home Affairs to review the schemes of NCB viz. "MANAS Helpline, Creation of National Narcotic Canine Pool and Strengthening of State Forensic Laboratories with special reference to North East India". Smt. Monika A. Batra, Deputy Director General (LAC), Sh. Vikash Kumar, Assistant Director (A&C) and Sh. Praneet Sharma, Superintendent (A&C), NCB attended the meeting.
- On 07.12.2022, 14.12.2022, 22.12.2022, 26.12.2022 & 29.12.2022, Smt. Monika A. Batra, Deputy Director General (LAC), Sh. Vikash Kumar, Assistant Director (A&C) and Sh. Pranit Sarma, Superintendent (A&C) participated in the 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th & another meetings respectively, of the Expert Committee for the selection of tableau proposal held at DRDO Bhawan, South Block, New Delhi.

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ORGANISATION

4.1 NCB CHARTER

In exercise of powers under Section 4 of NDPS Act, 1985, the 'NARCOTICS CONTROL BUREAU' was constituted with Headquarters at Delhi with effect from 17th Mar, 1986. The Bureau, subject to the supervision and control of the Central Government, is to exercise powers and functions of the Central Government for taking measures with respect to:

Co-ordination of actions by various offices, State Governments and other authorities under the N.D.P.S. Act, Customs Act, Drugs and Cosmetics Act and any other law for the time being in force in connection with the enforcement provisions of the NDPS Act, 1985.

Implementation of the obligation in respect of counter measures against illicit traffic under the various international conventions and protocols that are in force at present or which may be ratified or acceded to by India in future.

- Assistance to concerned authorities in foreign countries and concerned international organizations to facilitate coordination and universal action for prevention and suppression of illicit traic in these drugs and substances.
- Coordination of actions taken by other concerned Ministries, Departments and Organizations in respect of matters relating to drug abuse.
- On the recommendation of the Group of Ministers (GoM) on national security, NCB was transferred from Department of Revenue (DoR) to Ministry of Home Affairs (MHA) on 18.02.2003.

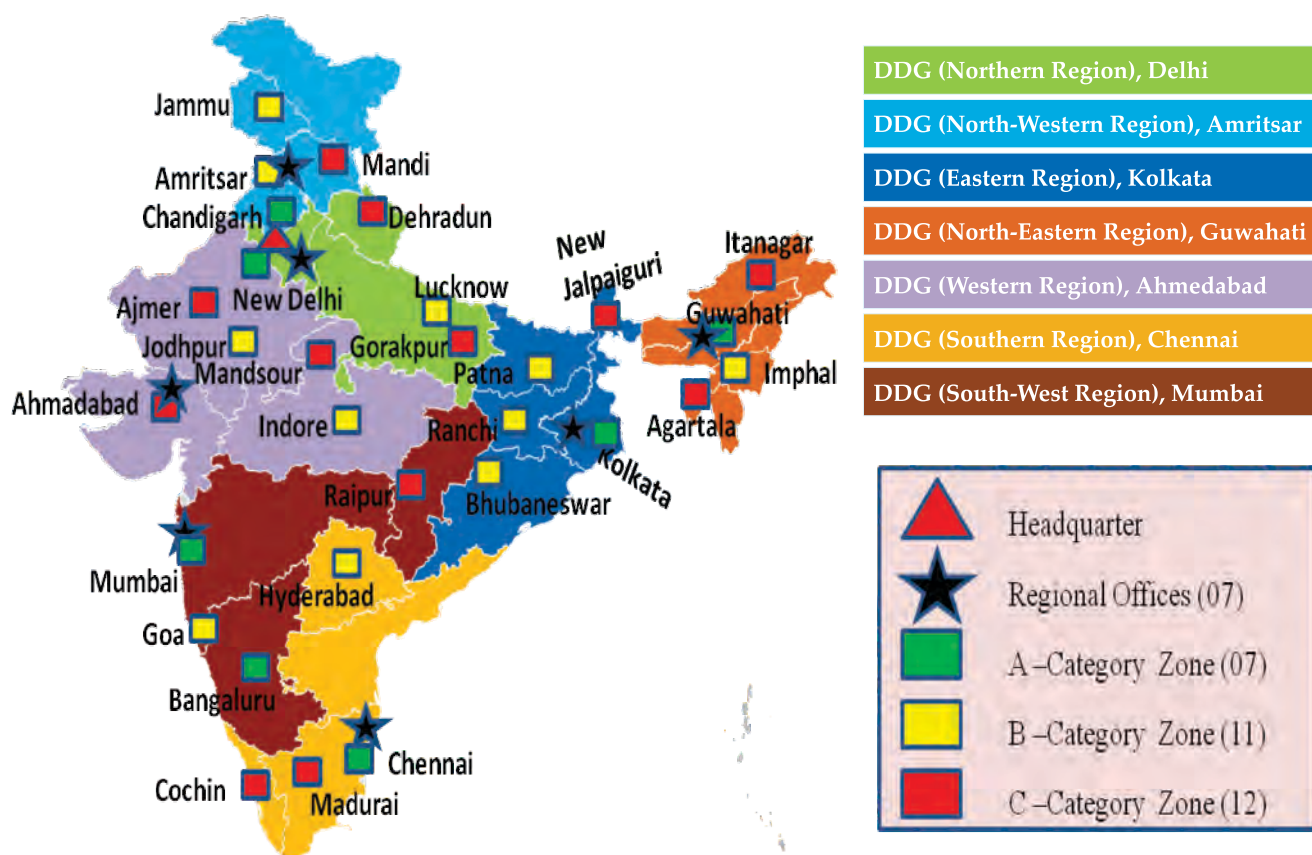
Creation of 419 new posts in NCB

- Ministry of Home Affairs (IS-II Division) vide order dated 22.07.2022 has conveyed the sanction of the President for creation of 419 (four hundred and nineteen) new posts in Narcotics Control Bureau in various cadres.
- Department of expenditure, Ministry of Finance vide their letter/order dated 16.06.2022 had agreed for Creation of the following 419 posts in Narcotics Control Bureau (NCB) in Ist Phase.
- With this expansion of first phase, NCB total number of NCB Zonal Units will be increased from 13 to 30 with up-gradtion of 12 existing sub-zones and creation 05 new zones at Itanagar, Agartala, Siliguri, Gorakhpur and Raipur.
- Also with this expansion, number of Regional DDG offices has been increased from existing 03 (Delhi, Mumbai & Kolkata) to 07 with establishment of new Regional DDG offices at Amritsar, Ahmedabad, Chennai and Guwahati.
- Further, 111 posts proposed for creation for five (05) Zones will be considered, once the infrastructure for these locations will be ready and once Ministry of Home Affairs will propose the same posts for these offices in subsequent proposal.
- Later on, 01 post of Additional Director General and 05 additional posts of Deputy Director General were sanctioned by the Government of India.
- It is expected that all the new offices will be functional in the year 2023.

Details of new post sanctioned:

Sl. No.	Name of Post	Pay Level	No. of Post s Sanctioned
	ENFORCEMENT		
1.	Additional Director General	L-15/16	01*
2.	Deputy Director General	L-14	05*
3.	Additional Director	L-13	08
4.	Deputy Director	L-12/13	06
5.	Deputy Director (Law)	L-12	01
6.	Sr. Public Prosecutor	L-11	13
7.	Public Prosecutor	L-10	17
8.	Assistant Director	L-11	18
9.	Superintendent	L-8	20
10.	Inspector (Intelligence Officer)	L-7	50
11.	Sub Inspector (Jr. Intelligence Officer)	L-6	100
12.	Surveillance Assistant	L-4	40
13.	Havaldar	L-1*	17
14.	Staff Car Driver	L-2	25
15.	Sepoy	L-1*	49
16.	Multi Tasking Staff	L-1	00
	MINISTERIAL CADRE		
17.	Administrative Officer	L-10	00
18.	Office Superintendent	L-8	04
19.	Section Officer	L-7	15
20.	Assistant	L-6	15
21.	Principal Private Secretary	L-11	00
22.	Senior Private Secretary	L-8	00
23.	Private Secretary	L-7	00
24.	Steno Grade-I	L-6	00
25.	Steno Grade-II	L-4	14
	COMPUTER / IT CADRE		
26.	System Analyst (hardware & networking)	L-10	01
27.	Programmer (IT / Software)	L-8	02
	CYBER WING		
28.	Assistant Director (Cyber)	L-11	01
29.	Superintendent (Cyber)	L-8	03

Proposed/ Existing Zones and Regional Offices of NCB



4.2 NCB ORGANISATION

The NCB was established in 1986, with a sanctioned strength of 164 and Zonal Units at Delhi, Kolkata, Chennai, Mumbai and Varanasi. Later new zones were sanctioned at Jodhpur, Chandigarh, Jammu, Ahmadabad, Indore, Guwahati, Patna and Bangalore whereas the Varanasi zone was shifted to Lucknow. Besides the office of three Deputy Director Generals (Regional) were created, one each in Delhi, Kolkata and Mumbai. Sub zones at Dehradun, Amritsar, Mandi, Ajmer, Ranchi, Bhubaneswar, Imphal, Goa, Mandsaur, Cochin, Madurai and Hyderabad have been created during last decade. At present, the sanctioned strength of NCB is 1501.

- In 2022, promotion of the following posts have taken place:-
 - (i) IO to Superintendent (01).
 - (ii) SA to JIO (14) (Through LDCE).
 - (iii) UDC to Assistant (01).
 - (iv) LDC to UDC (02).

- (v) Sepoy to Havaladar (23).
- (vi) Staff Car Driver from G-II to G-I (05)
- (vii) Staff Car Driver from Ordinary to G-II (10).
- (viii) Three (03) Assistants and 02 Lower Division Clerks were recruited in 2022 under direct recruitment quota.

Details of the posts filled by deputation in 2022 are as under:-

Post	No. of officers
i. Deputy/ Zonal Director	02
ii. Assistant Director	02
iii. Intelligence Officer	04
iv. Jr. Intelligence Officer	20
v. Assistant	01
vi. Surveillance Assistant	02
vii. Havaladar	01
viii. Sepoy	09
Total	41

4.2.1 INFRASTRUCTURE / PROJECTS DURING 2022

- Construction work of Office Complex (OC) at Indore Zone has been completed and office has been shifted in new office building complex.
- Administrative approval and financial sanction for construction of office Complexes at Dwarka for Delhi Zone and at Amritsar for Amritsar Zone have been issued.
- Construction work of office complex (OC) at Bhubaneswar Zone has been completed and the process of shifting to the new office building complex will be done shortly.
- Soil Investigation in connection with office complex (OC) at Imphal Zone and Office-cum residential Complex (OCR) at Lucknow have been completed. Drawing/LOP is being obtained.
- Construction work of Office-cum residential complex at Guwahati Zone has been started.
- Construction work of office-cum residential complex (OCR) at Ahmadabad and Chandigarh Zone has been completed and offices have been shifted in new office building complexes.

4.2.2 Glimpses of some Welfare Oriented Events organized in 2022.



4.3 MEDALS / AWARDS TO THE OFFICERS OF NCB

President's Police Medal (PPM) for Distinguished Service



SHRI SANJAY KUMAR SINGH,
Deputy Director General (OEC),
NCB HQrs., New Delhi

had been awarded with
President's Police Medal (PPM)
for Distinguished Service on the
occasion of Republic Day 2023.



Police Medal (PM) for Meritorious Service



SHRI RAKESH CHANDRA SHUKLA,
Zonal Director,
NCB Zonal Unit, Kolkata

had been awarded with
Police Medal (PM)
for Meritorious Service on the
occasion of Republic Day 2023.



“Union Home Minister's Medal for Excellence in Investigation” for the year 2022 had been awarded to the following 05 Officers of NCB .

Sl. No.	Name	Designation	Place of Posting
1.	Shri Sudhanshu Kumar Singh	Zonal Director	NCB Zonal Unit, Guwahati
2.	Shri Kuldeep Sharma	Assistant Director	NCB Zonal Unit, Delhi
3.	Shri Pankaj Kumar Dwivedi	Assistant Director	NCB HQrs., New Delhi
4.	Smt. Mehak Jain	Superintendent	Northern Regional office, New Delhi
5.	Shri M Suresh Kumar	Superintendent	NCB Zonal Unit, Chennai

Director General, NCB has awarded the following Officers & Officials with
Director's General Disc and Director's General Commendation Roll
for their commendable services / work rendered by them (for the year 2022)

Sl. No.	Name (Shri/Smt./Miss)	Rank	Place of Posting
Director's General Disc & Commendation Roll			
1.	Amit Ghawate	Zonal Director	NCB Zonal Unit, Mumbai
2.	Piyush Kumar Singh	Assistant Director	NCB HQrs., New Delhi
3.	Ravi Shanker Joshi	Assistant Director	NCB HQrs., New Delhi
4.	Rohit Srivastava	Superintendent	NCB HQrs., New Delhi
5.	T. Anil Kumar	Intelligence Officer	NCB Zonal Unit, Chennai
6.	Vijaysinh Maruti Shinde	Intelligence Officer	NCB Zonal Unit, Mumbai
7.	Deepak Kaushik	Intelligence Officer	NCB HQrs., New Delhi
8.	Vikash Sharma	Jr. Intelligence Officer	NCB HQrs., New Delhi
9.	Suraj Prakash Jaiswal	Assistant	NCB HQrs., New Delhi
10.	Shailendra Singh	Assistant	NCB HQrs., New Delhi
11.	Jubin Sam	Surveillance Assistant	NCB Zonal Unit, Bangalore
Director's General Commendation Roll			
1.	Rakesh Chandra Shukla	Zonal Director	NCB Zonal Unit, Kolkata
2.	Dilip Robidas	Assistant Director	NCB Zonal Unit, Kolkata
3.	Vikash Kumar	Assistant Director	NCB HQrs., New Delhi
4.	Kavita Rawat	Assistant Director	NCB HQrs., New Delhi
5.	Pranit Sarma	Superintendent	NCB HQrs., New Delhi
6.	Shantanu Aich	Superintendent	NCB HQrs., New Delhi
7.	Suresh Kumar Singh	Superintendent	NCB Zonal Unit, Guwahati
8.	Khemchand Pal	Private Secretary	NCB HQrs., New Delhi
9.	Trilok Chand	Private Secretary	NCB HQrs., New Delhi
10.	Piyush Kumar	Intelligence Officer	NCB HQrs., New Delhi
11.	Pradeep	Intelligence Officer	NCB HQrs., New Delhi
12.	Chander Shekhar Kr. Singh	Intelligence Officer	NCB Zonal Unit, Guwahati
13.	M Meena Kumari	Intelligence Officer	NCB Zonal Unit, Patna
14.	Raj Kumar Saw	Intelligence Officer	NCB Zonal Unit, Lucknow
15.	Rajneesh	Intelligence Officer	NCB Zonal Unit, Chandigarh
16.	Kritika Goyal	Jr. Intelligence Officer	NCB HQrs., New Delhi
17.	Santanu Guha	Jr. Intelligence Officer	NCB Zonal Unit, Guwahati
18.	Sanjeev Kumar	Jr. Intelligence Officer	NCB Zonal Unit, Jodhpur
19.	Abhishck Yadav	Assistant	NCB HQrs., New Delhi
20.	Arun Kumar	UDC	NCB HQrs., New Delhi
21.	Chandan Kumar	UDC	NCB Zonal Unit, Kolkata
22.	Malaya Kumar Rout	Surveillance Assistant	NCB Zonal Unit, Kolkata
23.	Swapnendu Panda	Surveillance Assistant	NCB Zonal Unit, Delhi
24.	Santosh Kumar Liwariya	Surveillance Assistant	NCB Zonal Unit, Jodhpur
25.	Dinesh Kumar	Driver (Special Grade)	NCB HQrs., New Delhi
26.	Rajpal	Havaladar	NCB HQrs., New Delhi

4-4 राजभाषा हिंदी

उल्लेखनीय प्रयास

संघ की राजभाषा नीति के संबंध में राजभाषा विभाग, गृह मंत्रालय द्वारा समय-समय पर जारी निर्देशों का ब्यूरो मुख्यालय एवं इसके अधीनस्थ कार्यालयों में अनुपालन कार्य किया जा रहा है। स्वापक नियंत्रण ब्यूरो मुख्यालय, उप महानिदेशक के कार्यालयों, क्षेत्रीय व उप क्षेत्रीय कार्यालयों के सभी अधिकारियों व कर्मचारियों द्वारा इस संगठन में राजभाषा के प्रयोग को बढ़ाने के निम्नांकित सार्थक प्रयास किए गए:-

राजभाषा कार्यान्वयन समिति की तिमाही बैठकें

स्वापक नियंत्रण ब्यूरो, मुख्यालय में विभागाध्यक्ष की अध्यक्षता में गठित विभागीय राजभाषा कार्यान्वयन समिति की बैठकों (वर्ष) का प्रत्येक तिमाही में आयोजन किया गया। बैठकों में हिंदी में कार्य करने और हिंदी के प्रयोग को बढ़ाने के लिए चर्चा की गई तथा इस संबंध में कार्य नीतियां बनाकर उनका कार्यान्वयन सुनिश्चित किया गया।

तिमाही, अर्धवार्षिक तथा वार्षिक प्रगति रिपोर्ट का संकलन

ब्यूरो मुख्यालय की प्रत्येक तिमाही प्रगति रिपोर्ट का संकलन करने के लिए मुख्यालय के सभी अनुभागों से आंकड़े मंगवाए गए और ब्यूरो मुख्यालय की समेकित रिपोर्ट गृह मंत्रालय तथा राजभाषा विभाग को भी भिजवाई गई। ब्यूरो मुख्यालय की वार्षिक मूल्यांकन रिपोर्ट तथा अर्धवार्षिक रिपोर्ट भी समेकित कर तैयार करके भेजी गई।

ब्यूरो मुख्यालय के सभी उप महानिदेशक के कार्यालयों, क्षेत्रीय एवं उप क्षेत्रीय कार्यालयों से राजभाषा प्रयोग संबंधी तिमाही प्रगति रिपोर्टें नियमित रूप से मंगवाई गई। उप महानिदेशक (उत्तरी क्षेत्र), उप महानिदेशक (दक्षिण-पश्चिमी क्षेत्र) व उप महानिदेशक (पूर्वी क्षेत्र) के कार्यालयों तथा क्षेत्रीय कार्यालयों की वर्ष 2022 में सभी तिमाहियों की राजभाषायी रिपोर्टों की मदवार विस्तारपूर्वक समीक्षा की गई तथा पाई गई कमियों को दूर करने हेतु सुझाव दिए गए।

हिंदी प्रशिक्षण

हिंदी शिक्षण योजना के अंतर्गत हिंदी टंकण प्रशिक्षण के लिए ब्यूरो मुख्यालय से 01 कार्मिक नामतः श्री भाला राम मेघवाल, सिपाही को नामित किया गया। केंद्रीय हिंदी प्रशिक्षण संस्थान द्वारा आयोजित अह्नलाइन गहन हिंदी कार्यशालाओं के संबंध में आवश्यक कार्रवाई की गई।

राजभाषायी निरीक्षण

स्वापक नियंत्रण ब्यूरो, मुख्यालय की ओर से श्रीमती कविता रावत, सहायक निदेशक द्वारा बैंगलुरु क्षेत्रीय कार्यालय का दिनांक 26-05-2022 को तथा उप महानिदेशक (दक्षिण पश्चिम क्षेत्र) कार्यालय तथा मुंबई क्षेत्रीय कार्यालय का दिनांक 11-07-2022 को राजभाषा नीति कार्यान्वयन संबंधी निरीक्षण किया गया। निरीक्षण के दौरान एक ओर संबंधित कार्यालयों में हिंदी में हो रहे कार्यों की सराहना की तो दूसरी ओर पाई गई कमियों को दूर करने के सुझाव देते हुए सरकारी कामकाज को अधिकाधिक हिंदी भाषा में किये जाने के लिए प्रेरित भी किया।

संसदीय राजभाषा समिति द्वारा निरीक्षण

संसदीय राजभाषा समिति द्वारा अहमदाबाद क्षेत्रीय कार्यालय, एनसीबी का दिनांक 20-08-2022 को राजभाषायी निरीक्षण किया गया जिसमें ब्यूरो की ओर से उप महानिदेशक (कार्मिक एवं प्रशासन), उप महानिदेशक (दक्षिण पश्चिम क्षेत्र), सहायक निदेशक (अहमदाबाद क्षेत्रीय इकाई) तथा सहायक निदेशक (राजभाषा) ने भाग लिया। उक्त निरीक्षण सफलतापूर्वक संपन्न हुआ।



गृह मंत्रालय द्वारा निरीक्षण

गृह मंत्रालय द्वारा बैंगलूरु क्षेत्रीय कार्यालय, उप महानिदेशक (दक्षिण पश्चिम क्षेत्र) कार्यालय एवं मुंबई क्षेत्रीय कार्यालय तथा जोधपुर क्षेत्रीय कार्यालय का क्रमशः दिनांक 23-06-2022, 12-07-2022 तथा 18-10-2022 को राजभाषायी निरीक्षण किया गया। निरीक्षण के उपरांत प्राप्त निरीक्षण रिपोर्ट पर अनुवर्ती कार्रवाई के संबंध में ब्यूरो मुख्यालय की ओर से आवश्यक निर्देश दिये गए तथा उक्त कार्यालयों द्वारा गृह मंत्रालय को अनुपालना रिपोर्ट भिजवाई गई।

मूल रूप से हिन्दी में टिप्पण आलेखन हेतु नकद पुरस्कार योजना

राजभाषा विभाग, गृह मंत्रालय की ब्यूरो, मुख्यालय तथा इसके कार्यालयों में लागू उक्त प्रोत्साहन योजना- वर्ष 2021-22 के लिए ब्यूरो मुख्यालय से 10 (दस) कर्मिकों को पुरस्कार हेतु नामित किया गया। इनमें से दो कर्मिकों को प्रथम पुरस्कार अर्थात् $5000 \times 2 = 10,000/-$ (दस हजार रुपये) तथा तीन कर्मिकों को द्वितीय पुरस्कार अर्थात् $3000 \times 3 = 9000/-$ (नौ हजार रुपये) तथा पांच कर्मिकों को तृतीय पुरस्कार अर्थात् $2000 \times 5 = 10,000/-$ (दस हजार रुपये) की राशि प्रदान की गई।

पुस्तकालय में हिन्दी पुस्तकों की खरीद

ब्यूरो मुख्यालय के पुस्तकालय में हिन्दी पुस्तकों की खरीद के लिए निर्धारित 50% का लक्ष्य प्राप्त करते हुए वर्ष 2022 में निर्धारित लक्ष्य के तहत पुस्तकों की खरीद की गई।

हिन्दी पखवाड़ा एवं हिन्दी दिवस

ब्यूरो, मुख्यालय व सभी क्षेत्रीय कार्यालयों में 14 सितंबर से 29 सितंबर, 2022 के दौरान हिन्दी पखवाड़ा का आयोजन किया गया। ब्यूरो, मुख्यालय में हिन्दी पखवाड़ा, 2022 के दौरान चार प्रतियोगिताओं (हिन्दी निबंध, हिन्दी टिप्पण-आलेखन, राजभाषा हिन्दी सामान्य ज्ञान तथा हिन्दी श्रुतलेखन प्रतियोगिता) का आयोजन किया गया। इन प्रतियोगिताओं में कुल 44 प्रतिभागियों ने भाग लिया तथा कुल 20 प्रतिभागियों को पुरस्कृत किया गया।



14 सितंबर, 2022 को हिन्दी दिवस के उपलक्ष्य पर माननीय गृह मंत्री एवं गृह सचिव के हिन्दी संदेश अह्नलाइन प्रेषित किए गए तथा साथ ही, महानिदेशक महोदय द्वारा एक अपील जारी की गई जिसमें ब्यूरो मुख्यालय व सभी अधीनस्थ कार्यालयों में अधिकारियों व कर्मचारियों को इस दौरान अधिक से अधिक कार्य हिन्दी में करने के लिए निदेश दिया गया।

हिन्दी कार्यशालाएं

ब्यूरो मुख्यालय में दिनांक 22-02-2022, 15-06-2022, 22-09-2022 तथा 21-12-2022 को हिन्दी कार्यशालाओं का आयोजन किया गया। इन कार्यशालाओं में ब्यूरो मुख्यालय के कर्मिकों सहित उप महानिदेशक, उत्तरी क्षेत्र तथा क्षेत्रीय निदेशक, दिल्ली क्षेत्रीय कार्यालय के कर्मिकों ने भी भाग लिया।





इन कार्यशालाओं में सरकारी कामकाज हिंदी भाषा में किए जाने के लिए प्रतिभागियों को प्रोत्साहित किया गया एवं इस संबंध में राजभाषा नीति के संबंध में सरल व रोचक ढंग से व्याख्यान हुआ। कार्यशालाओं के आयोजन में यह ध्यान रखा जाता है कि हिंदी कार्यशालाओं में बुलाए जाने वाले वक्ता तथा उनको दिया जा रहा विषय दोनों ही प्रतिभागियों के लिए उपयोगी सिद्ध हो सकें।

नगर राजभाषा कार्यान्वयन समिति (दक्षिण दिल्ली-२) की बैठक

नगर राजभाषा कार्यान्वयन समिति की दिनांक 20 मई, 2022 एवं 01-12-2022 को अध्यक्ष कार्यालय केंद्रीय विद्युत प्राधिकरण द्वारा गूगल मीट के माध्यम से आयोजित बैठक में ब्यूरो मुख्यालय की ओर से श्री विजेंद्र सिंह, उप निदेशक (प्रशासन) द्वारा भाग लिया गया। नराकास की इस बैठक में लिए गए निर्णयों के संबंध में अनुवर्ती कार्रवाई की गई तथा अनुवर्ती कार्रवाई की रिपोर्ट समयबद्ध प्रेषित की गई।

दिनांक 14 एवं 15 सितंबर, 2022 को गुजरात (सूरत) में आयोजित दो दिवसीय अखिल भारतीय राजभाषा सम्मेलन में सहायक निदेशक (राजभाषा) एवं वरिष्ठ अनुवाद अधिकारी द्वारा भाग लिया गया। दिनांक 03-11-2022 को अमृतसर में आयोजित एक दिवसीय क्षेत्रीय राजभाषा सम्मेलन एवं पुरस्कार वितरण समारोह में सहायक निदेशक, अमृतसर क्षेत्र, स्वापक नियंत्रण ब्यूरो द्वारा भाग लिया गया।

स्वापक नियंत्रण ब्यूरो के हिंदी-अंग्रेजी अनुवाद संबंधी महत्वपूर्ण कार्यों का निष्पादन

राजभाषा अधिनियम की धारा 3 (3) के अंतर्गत यथापेक्षित द्विभाषी रूप से जारी किए जाने वाले कागजातों का हिंदी अनुवाद उपलब्ध करवाया गया।

ब्यूरो के विभिन्न पदों के भर्ती नियमों, कार्यालय आदेशों, मानक प्रपत्रों आदि का हिंदी रूपांतर उपलब्ध कराया गया। गृह मंत्रालय से संबंधित विभिन्न प्रकार की सामग्री का हिंदी अनुवाद उपलब्ध कराया गया।

भारत सरकार के राजभाषा विभाग द्वारा निर्धारित लक्ष्यों और केंद्र सरकार की राजभाषा नीति के अनुसरण में ब्यूरो मुख्यालय एवं इसके अधीनस्थ कार्यालयों में कार्यान्वयन तथा अनुवाद संबंधी सभी अपेक्षित कार्यों को समयबद्ध संपन्न किया गया।

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LEGAL SECTION

Legal Section in NCB HQrs. functions under the Additional/Deputy Legal Adviser and the DDG (Legal, Awareness & Capacity Building) to assist NCB HQrs as well as NCB Regions and Zones in all legal matters. The following are the some of the important functions carried out by the section:

- **PROCESSING OF SLP PROPOSALS:** Legal section processes the SLP proposals of NCB Zones received against the orders of Hon'ble High Courts in Supreme Court of India. The Proposals are processed through Ministry of Law & Justice. The section ensures drafting, filing of SLPs in Supreme Court in coordination with Central Agency Section, Ministry of Law & Justice.
- **MONITORING OF SLPs IN SUPREME COURT:** Legal Section monitors the SLP matters filed in Supreme Court and ensures briefing of Ld. ASsG and other panel counsels on each date of hearing. The orders received in NCB cases are forwarded to NCB zones for further action/information.
- **PURSUING OF WRIT PETITIONS IN HIGH COURTS:** Legal section also monitors the writ petitions filed in various High Courts where NCB is a party. Timely filing of counter affidavit and briefing of Panel counsels are also ensure.
- **VETTING OF LEGAL DOCUMENTS:** Legal Section also vets all legal documents including applications, petitions, complaints, replies/counter affidavit etc to be filed in various courts.
- **TENDERING OF LEGAL OPINION:** The Additional/Deputy Legal Adviser as a representative of Ministry of Law and Justice tenders opinion in all legal as well administrative matters of NCB HQrs/Regions/Zones/Sub Zones placed before him. Legal Section also provides opinion for filing of appeal to High Court to NCB Zones of northern region where no branch secretariat of Ministry of Law & Justice exists.
- **DRAFTING AND CIRCULATION OF NCB CIRCULARS/SOPs:** The Legal section also tasked with drafting of important circulars and SOPs on Legal Matters.
- **APPOINTMENT OF SPPs IN NCB:** Legal Section also look after the entire process of appointment of SPPs starting from seeking the vacancies, publication, and taking up with Ministry of Law & Justice.
- **MONITORING OF PERFORMANCE OF SPPs:** Legal Section also monitors the performance of SPPs and places before the competent authority for issuance of appropriate directions in the matter.
- **ANALYSIS OF ACQUITTAL CASES:** Legal Section also analyses acquittal orders of trial courts and issues necessary instructions to zone for observation.
- **CIRCULATION OF LANDMARK JUDGMENTS:** Legal Section also circulates important and landmark judgments of Hon'ble Supreme Court and High Courts to NCB Zones/Regions for their information and compliance.
- **FURNISHING OF COMMENTS ON REPATRIATION/TRANSFER OF ACCUSED PERSONS BETWEEN INDIA AND OTHER COUNTRIES:** Legal Section also furnishes comments on the repatriation and transfer of accused persons between India and other countries.
- **IMPARTING OF TRAINING ON LEGAL TOPICS:** Additional/Deputy Legal Adviser and other staff members in Legal Section are also detailed for delivering lectures on legal topics during training programs/seminars etc.

5.1 Major Judgments:

Some of the important/landmark Judgments related to NDPS matters during 2021 & 2022 are as under:

Sr.No.	Year	Title of the Case	Citation	Excerpt
1.	2021	Gurdev Singh v. State of Punjab	Criminal Appeal No. 375 of 2021	Hon'ble Supreme Court observed that the persons dealing in narcotic drugs play an instrumental role in causing the deaths of the young, innocent people who are most vulnerable to drug addiction. Therefore, while awarding the sentence or punishment to the accused in the case of the NDPS Act, the poverty of the accused or the consideration that he was the sole earner in his family could not lighten his punishment/sentence. But, the quantity of narcotic substance recovered would be a relevant factor for imposing punishment higher than 10 years under Section 32B of the NDPS Act.
2.	2021	Boota Singh v. State of Haryana	Criminal Appeal No. 421 of 2021	Hon'ble Supreme Court in this case observed that a private vehicle would not fall within the expression "public place" used in Section 43 of the NDPS Act. In this case, the drugs were recovered from the accused while they were in a jeep at a public place.
3.	2021	Union of India through Narcotics Control Bureau, Lucknow v. Md. Nawaz Khan	Criminal Appeal No. 1043 of 2021	Hon'ble Supreme Court observed that the bail to an accused under the NDPS Act could be granted only if there were reasonable grounds to believe that the accused was innocent and that he was unlikely to commit any offense while being released on bail.
4.	2022	Narcotics Control Bureau v. Mohit Aggarwal	Criminal Appeal Nos. 1001-1002 of 2022	Hon'ble Supreme Court in this case summed up that the expression "reasonable grounds" used in clause (b) of Sub-Section (1) of Section 37 would mean credible, plausible grounds for the Court to believe that the accused person is not

				guilty of the alleged offence. For arriving at any such conclusion, such facts and circumstances must exist in a case that can persuade the Court to believe that the accused person would not
				have committed such an offence. At the stage of examining an application for bail in the context of the Section 37 of the Act, the Court is not required to record a finding that the accused person is not guilty. The entire exercise that the Court is expected to undertake at this stage is for the limited purpose of releasing him on bail. Thus, the focus is on the availability of reasonable grounds for believing that the accused is not guilty of the offences that he has been charged with and he is unlikely to commit an offence under the Act while on bail.
5.	2022	The State Of Himachal Pradesh V. Nirmal Kaur @ Nimmo	2022 SCC ONLINE SC 1462	Hon'ble Supreme Court has decided <i>the</i> issue and it has been held that once it is found that the seized material contain 'morphine' and 'meconic acid' it is sufficient to establish that the seized material comes within the definition of Section 2(xvii) of the NDPS Act.
6.	2022	Intelligence Officer, Thiruvananthapuram V. Naushad K.K.	CrI.A. No.- 001726-001726 / 2019	Hon'ble Supreme Court has held that there is no cavil to the issue that the judicial pronouncement now settles the issue in " <u>Hira Singh & Anr.</u> Vs. Union of India & Anr." reported as 2020 SCC Online SC 382 opining that the decision of this Court relied upon in the impugned judgment- " <u>E. Micheal Raj V. Intelligence Officer</u> , Narcotic Control Bureau, (2008) 5 SCC 161" is no more good law and in determining as to what is the quantity, the neutral substance quantity is not to be ignored. The aforesaid being the position, there is little choice with us but to allow the appeal and uphold the sentence as imposed by the Trial Court of 10 years. Though we do realize the travesty of the situation arising from prolonged pendency of the present appeal where the impugned judgment is of vintage 28.3.2007 i.e. 15 years old. We do note statement of learned counsel for the respondents that he is not even in touch with the two respondents concerned despite all endeavors.

National Drug Enforcement Statistics (Provisional) as On 31-12-22

		2018	2019	2020	2021	2022*
1. SEIZURE OF VARIOUS DRUGS IN KG. WITH NO. OF CASES						
Opium	Seizure	4,307	4,488	5,212	5,161	3,805
	Cases	1,175	1,494	1,626	1,884	2,187
Morphine	Seizure	20	125	11	131	129
	Cases	105	192	78	208	2,863
Heroin	Seizure	1,258	3,231	3,838	7,197	5,410
	Cases	7,748	10,841	9,122	12,634	17,317
Ganja	Seizure	3,91,275	3,42,045	5,81,644	8,12,545	7,18,376
	Cases	22,477	27,234	27,281	34,829	52,299
Hashish	Seizure	3,911	3,572	6,643	4,197	3,495
	Cases	3,089	3,316	3,112	2,933	3,255
Cocaine	Seizure	35	66	19	364	218
	Cases	103	134	82	120	157
Methaqualone	Seizure	101	49	10	15	57
	Cases	21	20	12	14	38
Ephedrine	Seizure	337	686	841	325	1,001
	Cases	18	27	20	23	32
Acetic Anhydride	Seizure	9,717	214	121	24,265	333
	Cases	4	2	2	3	2
ATS	Seizure	431	1,774	1,357	387	1,224
	Cases	40	77	94	120	157
2. PERSON ARRESTED						
a) Nos of Person Arrested including Foreigners		60,156	74,620	73,030	93,538	1,26,516
b) Nos of Foreigners Arrested		335	436	299	593	777
3. ACTION TAKEN AGAINST PERSONS INVOLVED IN DRUG TRAFFICKING						
a) Nos of person prosecuted		52,083	76,819	44,892	63,029	84,404
b) Nos of person convicted		21,446	30,151	10,666	12,428	26,304
c) Nos of persons acquitted		6,360	7,923	3,749	4,520	5,580
4. ACTION TAKEN UNDER PITNDPS(NDPS) ACT, 1988						
a) Nos of Detention orders (PITNDPS Act, 1988)		0	0	10	21	22
b) Nos of persons Detained		0	0	7	15	17
5. DESTRUCTION OF NARCOTICS DRUG YIELDING PLANTS						
a) Poppy Plant Area (in Acres)		10,819	10,386	10,769	11,027	13,796
b) Cannabis Plant Area (in Acres)		8,476	22,809	21,559	34,866	26,266
6. DESTRUCTION OF ILLICIT MANUFACTURING FACILITIES						
NAME OF FACILITY	DRUGS SEIZED					
Heroin	Heroin(Kg)	0	320	491	1,106	278
	Morphine(Kg)	0	28	0	0	0
	Morphine (lit)	0	0	136	356	0
	Opium(Kg)	0	0	0	36	3
	Acetic Anhydride(Kg)	0	0	0	0	0
	Other Substances(Kg)	0	3	52	165	186
	Nos of facilities detected	0	6	2	4	3
	Nos of persons arrested	0	0	0	7	4
Methaqualone	Methaqualone(Kg)	0	0	0	0	0
	Anthranilic acid(Kg)	0	0	0	0	0
	N-acetyl anthranilic acid(Kg)	0	0	0	0	0
	Other Substances(Kg)	0	0	0	0	0
	Nos of facilities detected	0	0	0	0	0
	Nos of persons arrested	0	0	0	0	0

* Provisional Data

National Drug Enforcement Statistics (Provisional) as On 31-12-22

		2018	2019	2020	2021	2022*
NAME OF FACILITY	DRUGS SEIZED					
ATS	Amphetamine(Kg)	0	0	0	0	0
	Methamphetamines(Kg)	0	0	0	0	0
	Methamphetamines(Ltrs)	0	0	0	0	0
	Ephedrine/Pseudo-Ephedrine powdered form(Kg)	0	0	0	0	662
	Ephedrine/Pseudo-Ephedrine Tablets(Kg)	0	0	0	0	0
	Ephedrine/Pseudo-Ephedrine Tablets(Nos)	0	0	0	0	0
	Other Substances(Kg)	0	0	0	0	5,200
	Nos of facilities detected	0	0	0	0	1
	Nos of persons arrested	0	0	0	0	2
Ketamine	Ketamine(Kg)	256	529	0	0	0
	Toluene(Ltrs)	0	0	0	0	0
	Acetone(Ltrs)	0	0	0	0	0
	Di-ethyl ether(Ltrs)	0	0	0	0	0
	Other Substances(Ltrs/Kg)	0	0	0	0	0
	Methamphetamine (Kg)	13	0	0	0	0
	Nos of facilities detected	1	2	0	0	0
	Nos of persons arrested	4	3	0	0	0
Multi Drug Facilities	Heroin(Kg)	0	0	0	0	0
	Morphine(Kg)	0	0	0	0	0
	Opium(Kg)	0	0	0	0	0
	Cocaine (Kg)	0	0	0	0	0
	Methamphetamine(Kg)	0	0	0	0	0
	Ephedrine/Pseudo-Ephedrine powdered form(Kg)	0	0	560	5	0
	Methaqualone(Kg)	0	0	0	0	0
	Acetic Anhydride(Kg)	0	0	0	0	0
	Anthranilic acid(Kg)	0	0	0	0	0
	Ketamine(Kg)	0	0	0	0	0
	Mephedrone(Kg)	2	0	359	5	1,528
	Di-ethyl ether(Ltrs)	0	0	0	0	0
	Others(Kg)	163	0	16	91	75
	Nos of facilities detected	1	0	3	3	6
	Nos of persons arrested	1	0	4	16	30
Fentanyl HCL	Fentanyl HCL (Kg)	11	0	0	0	0
	Nos of facilities detected	1	0	0	0	0
	Nos of persons arrested	3	0	0	0	0
7. BUSTING OF ILLICIT INTERNET PHARMACIES						
Internet facilities dismantled	Psychotropic Tablet(Nos)	63,771	0	0	0	0
	Tablets(Kg)	3	0	0	0	0
	Nos of facilities detected	2	0	0	0	0
	Nos of persons arrested	5	0	0	0	0
8. DISPOSAL OF SEIZED NARCOTICS DRUGS AND PSYCHOTROPIC SUBSTANCE						
Opium		840	1,815	1,442	815	861
Morphine		8	2	0	20	116
Heroin		363	613	6,742	490	1,163
Ganja		45,285	59,469	98,111	57,129	6,84,558

Hashish	1,500	1,279	606	742	2,928
Cocaine	6	25	2	10	7
Methaqualone	23,528	0	0	0	4
Ephedrine	558	753	307	141	5,275
Acetic Anhydride	2,620	11,955	0	55	302
Amphetamine	32	5	2	13	2,000
9. FORFEITURE OF PROPERTY					
a) Value of property Forfeited (Rs.)	0	0	0	84,91,044	0
Nos of Cases	0	0	0	3	0
b) Value of property Frozen (Rs.)	9,50,85,893	1,67,35,982	4,51,11,078	30,98,79,766	17,05,62,173
Nos of Cases	33	24	8	33	33

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10. AGENCY WISE NUMBER OF SEIZURE	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022*
All India	49,450	57,867	54,758	68,144	1,02,769
Narcotics Control Bureau	424	385	412	684	521
Directorate of Revenue Intelligence	83	78	77	97	126
Custom and Central Excise	16	12	4	139	185
Central Bureau of Narcotics	28	35	38	44	64
Police	47,785	56,087	53,591	66,692	1,01,294
Excise	1,114	1,270	636	488	569
Others	0	0	0	0	0
11. AGENCY-WISE BREAK-UP OF QUANTITY SEIZED (IN KG)					
A. NARCOTICS CONTROL BUREAU (NCB)					
Opium	305	394	1,018	445	192
Morphine	4	24	2	76	18
Heroin	300	137	343	1,052	676
Ganja	29,528	26,312	42,422	55,883	45,850
Hashish	640	563	615	404	697
Cocaine	26	38	4	3	31
Methaqualone	0	6	6	8	13
Ephedrine	115	281	88	130	92
Acetic Anhydride	9,651	17	21	215	281
ATS	73	1,439	490	75	353
B. DIRECTORATE OF REVENUE INTELLIGENCE (DRI)					
Opium	2	7	0	0	0
Morphine	2	0	0	0	0
Heroin	31	237	201	3,388	916
Ganja	44,364	35,580	38,149	41,419	25,538
Hashish	290	303	118	230	77
Cocaine	3	1	5	322	138
Methaqualone	81	0	0	0	10
Ephedrine	5	0	753	185	670
Acetic Anhydride	0	0	0	0	0
ATS	13	136	79	74	272
C. CUSTOM AND CENTRAL EXCISE					
Opium	0	1	0	0	5
Morphine	0	0	0	0	0
Heroin	2	534	0	222	202
Ganja	187	0	0	2,801	879
Hashish	2	0	0	32	3

Cocaine	0	5	3	4	38
Methaqualone	14	34	0	2	3
Ephedrine	0	0	0	0	49
Acetic Anhydride	0	0	0	0	0
ATS	4	1	0	9	7
D. CENTRAL BUREAU OF NARCOTICS (CBN)					
Opium	20	153	361	63	65
Morphine	2	1	0	0	1
Heroin	3	2	2	10	1
Ganja	0	176	18	0	375
Hashish	4	4	0	0	0
Cocaine	0	0	0	0	0
Methaqualone	0	0	0	0	0
Ephedrine	0	0	0	0	0
Acetic Anhydride	0	0	0	24,050	0
ATS	0	0	0	0	0

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E. STATE POLICE	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022*
Opium	3,980	3,931	3,832	4,653	3,542
Morphine	13	100	8	55	110
Heroin	913	2,308	3,279	2,507	3,581
Ganja	3,15,756	2,79,326	5,00,765	7,12,087	6,45,529
Hashish	2,976	2,701	5,909	3,531	2,718
Cocaine	7	22	8	36	11
Methaqualone	6	9	4	5	31
Ephedrine	95	395	0	10	160
Acetic Anhydride	66	197	100	0	52
ATS	340	139	742	152	478
F. STATE EXCISE					
Opium	0	3	0	0	0
Morphine	0	0	0	0	0
Heroin	8	13	13	19	33
Ganja	1,440	650	291	356	205
Hashish	0	1	0	0	0
Cocaine	0	0	0	0	0
Methaqualone	0	0	0	0	0
Ephedrine	123	10	0	0	30
Acetic Anhydride	0	0	0	0	0
ATS	0	59	46	76	115
G. OTHERS					
Opium	0	0	0	0	0
Morphine	0	0	0	0	0
Heroin	0	0	0	0	0
Ganja	0	0	0	0	0
Hashish	0	0	0	0	0
Cocaine	0	0	0	0	0
Methaqualone	0	0	0	0	0
Ephedrine	0	0	0	0	0
Acetic Anhydride	0	0	0	0	0
ATS	0	0	0	0	0

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Nationality wise- Foreigners arrested during the year 2022*			
S.No.	Nationality	Total persons arrested	Persons arrested by NCB
1.	Afghanistan	11	8
2.	Angola	1	0
3.	Australia	1	0
4.	Bangladesh	63	0
5.	Belize	1	0
6.	Brazil	3	2
7.	Bhutan	1	0
8.	Bolivia	4	3
9.	China	1	0
10.	Congo	4	1
11.	Cote D Ivoire	1	0
12.	Ethiopia	4	1
13.	France	5	0
14.	Gabon	2	0
15.	Gambia	1	0
16.	Germany	1	1
17.	Ghana	10	0
18.	Greece	1	1
19.	Guinea	3	0
20.	Ivory Cost	4	0
21.	Iran	8	8
22.	Indonesia	8	0
23.	Kenya	16	3
24.	Latvia	1	0
25.	Liberia	3	0
26.	Malawi	1	0
27.	Myanmar	45	0
28.	Nepal	175	7
29.	Nigeria	139	13
30.	Oman	1	0
31.	Pakistan	14	1
32.	Russia	4	1
33.	Seirra Lione	2	0
34.	Singapore	2	1
35.	Srilanka	2	2
36.	South Africa	7	6
37.	Suriname	2	0
38.	Tanzania	13	3
39.	Uganda	54	4
40.	U K	1	1
41.	Zambia	2	1
42.	Zimbabwe	5	1
TOTAL		627	69

*Provisional Data(As per Form-F reported to this Bureau)

State-wise seizure of drugs all over India by all DLEAs in the Year 2022 (In Kg/No./Litre/Blots/Bottles)*

2022	ACETIC ANHYDRIDE (In Kg)	ATS (In Kg)	COCAINE (In Kg)	CODEIN E (In Kg)	CODEIN E (In Litre)	CBCS (In Litre)	EPHEDRINE/ PSEUDOEPHEDRINE (In Kg)	GANJA (In Kg)	HASHISH (In Kg)	HASHIS H OIL (In Kg)	HEROIN (In Kg)	KETAMINE (In Kg)	LSD (In Blots)
ANDAMAN & NICOBAR	0.00	19.46	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	40	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
ANDHRA PRADESH	0.00	0.01	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	99580	0.01	20.88	0.69	0.00	0
ARUNACHAL PRADESH	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3342	0.00	0.00	4.65	0.00	0
ASSAM	0.00	31.99	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	67825	0.00	0.00	133.94	0.00	0
BIHAR	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	23023	150.31	0.00	31.13	0.00	0
CHANDIGARH	1.00	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	96	23.79	0.00	209.05	0.00	0
CHHATTISGARH	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	28127	0.25	0.00	0.52	0.00	0
DNHDD	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	4	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
GOA	0.00	0.05	0.33	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	222	7.72	3.16	0.39	0.00	0
GUJARAT	0.00	223.78	53.97	0.00	0.00	91.10	0.00	12839	933.97	0.00	741.59	0.00	0
HARYANA	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	661.75	13583	218.16	0.00	64.92	0.00	0
HIMMACHAL PRADESH	0.00	0.00	0.01	5.70	0.00	0.00	0.00	163	362.10	0.00	11.41	0.00	1
JAMMU & KASHMIR	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1274	573.84	0.00	239.65	0.00	0
JHARKHAND	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	26.00	0.00	6605	0.04	0.00	7.21	0.00	0
KARNATAKA	277.15	5.95	8.33	0.00	0.00	0.00	20.04	8279	17.99	20.21	49.82	0.00	10
KERALA	0.00	2.50	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.00	2.48	3729	2.30	6.23	441.57	0.00	658
LADAKH	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
MADHYA PRADESH	52.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	24546	11.48	0.00	49.53	0.00	0
MAHARASHTRA	0.00	206.01	89.28	0.00	0.00	444.50	4.62	15994	67.55	0.00	163.37	1.87	167
MANIPUR	0.00	254.55	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	118.00	5136	0.00	0.00	629.50	0.00	0
MEGHALAYA	0.00	0.77	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	5040	0.00	0.00	11.35	0.00	0
MIZORAM	0.00	332.30	0.00	0.00	0.00	100.80	59.33	306	0.00	0.00	81.79	0.00	0
NAGALAND	0.00	8.90	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2418	0.00	0.00	13.83	0.00	0
NEW DELHI	2.75	24.59	51.64	0.00	0.00	0.00	13.28	4764	92.60	0.00	449.09	0.00	0
ODISHA	0.00	0.00	0.40	4.30	0.00	7.63	0.00	184109	0.00	0.00	66.99	0.00	0
PUDUCHERRY	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	61	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
PUNJAB	0.00	0.00	0.19	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2032	72.67	0.00	1614.74	0.00	0
RAJASTHAN	0.00	0.00	0.04	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	9603	14.66	0.00	80.65	0.00	0
SIKKIM	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2	0.00	0.00	0.47	0.00	0
TAMIL NADU	0.00	111.82	7.37	0.00	0.00	0.00	100.79	8961	52.38	7.34	12.17	0.00	0
TELANGANA	0.00	0.00	5.36	0.00	0.00	0.00	20.51	31694	0.41	45.68	0.42	0.00	314
TRIPURA	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	84576	0.00	0.00	7.74	0.00	0
UTTAR PRADESH	0.00	0.00	0.11	0.00	0.00	366.05	0.00	45519	654.25	0.00	87.30	0.00	0
UTTARAKHAND	0.00	0.05	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1233	238.21	0.00	21.22	0.00	0
WEST BENGAL	0.00	1.00	0.50	344.55	2921.89	23.33	0.03	23647	0.14	0.00	182.94	1.00	0
Total	332.90	1223.75	217.63	354.55	2,921.89	1,059.39	1000.82	718376	3,494.79	103.50	5,409.65	2.87	1150

LSD (In Kg)	MDMA (In Kg)	MEPHEDRONE (In Kg)	MESCALINE (In Kg)	METHAQUALONE (MANDRAX) (In Kg)	MORPHINE (In Kg)	OPIUM (In Kg)	POPPY HUSK & POPPY STRAW (In Kg)	INJECTI ON (In No.)	CBCS (In Bottle)	TABLET S OF ALL TYPES IN KGS	TABLETS OF ALLTYPE IN NO.	Total cases	Total Arrested
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	26	0.00	375	52	74
0.08	0.05	0.03	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	0	0.60	0	1405	3350
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	17.91	1	15	0	0.41	2500	299	541
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	19.15	326.77	3	0	301882	0.56	5281488	2907	4753
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	38.80	2480	944	58259	2.00	52420	1176	1837
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.34	5.47	28.22	457	1723	0	0.00	16904	204	224
0.00	0.03	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.33	0	25498	16762	0.00	567946	1164	1756
0.00	0.04	0.19	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	0	0.00	0	4	9
0.10	1.01	0.04	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	0	0.00	107	160	194
0.00	0.01	325.58	0.00	0.00	0.00	11.48	13120	0	8402	102.49	9444	516	849
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	346.77	12938	0	0	52.74	727402	3820	5025
0.00	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.01	34.55	19765	28	750	0.00	31736	1518	2215
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	4.20	0.00	3.24	17250	757	17635	0.00	257782	1857	2755
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	201.77	25179	54	4156	0.00	140317	446	648
0.18	46.27	0.00	0.00	4.90	0.00	12.55	8	0	36	0.45	2000	5076	6884
0.00	7.10	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.60	0	280	0	0.13	838	26918	29527
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	0	0.00	1450	3	3
0.00	6.29	3.52	0.00	0.00	0.28	235.84	66927	20	94430	218.33	58283	4836	6082
2.79	0.11	2506.96	0.04	30.33	0.10	5.88	21564	0	88198	19.37	23772	12786	11400
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	515.70	3250	0	39952	328.51	490451	503	643
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.64	0	0	3443	0.00	14672	118	243
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.01	0	0	0	1.04	0	781	1129
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	86.75	0	0	4524	0.00	437900	211	291
0.01	1.13	0.00	1.76	1.66	0.00	83.29	243	2385	0	4.31	564644	1343	1573
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	11.86	1024	0	0	0.00	0	2507	3521
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	0	0.00	0	141	273
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.50	0.00	864.89	45829	28688	6525	0.00	5673464	12423	16831
0.00	0.21	10.14	0.00	3.99	0.05	686.20	165011	531	9838	0.00	1488522	3738	4515
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	178	0.00	11439	44	68
0.59	0.04	0.00	0.10	0.56	0.00	0.00	206	0	0	0.00	60	584	588
0.00	0.17	25.37	0.00	0.00	0.00	4.35	11	140	0	1.94	132	1281	3036
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	174913	0.00	220212	627	768
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	10.00	48.35	212.41	2129	552	0	34.60	148172	10273	10732
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	17.98	70	17506	0	0.00	148098	1455	1760
0.00	0.18	0.00	0.00	0.00	55.18	54.79	892	12861	490223	34.78	924092	1593	2419
3.74	62.67	2,871.83	1.90	57.49	128.59	3,804.57	398356	91982	1320132	802.27	17296622	102769	126516

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