Ministry of Home Affairs- Major Achievements, significant Developments and important events for the month of September, 2016

The 11th meeting of the Empowered Committee on Border Infrastructure (ECBI) was held on 5th Sept,2016 under the Chairmanship of Cabinet Secretary. Various important decisions relating to Border Infrastructure were taken.

- 2. Indo-Nepal Home Secretary level talks were held during 8-9 September, 2016.
- 3. A Meeting of Steering Committee was held on 09.09.2016 under the Chairmanship of Secretary (BM) to review construction of Indo-Nepal Border Roads (UP,Bihar,UKD and Assam) and effective border management and progress of roads construction at Indo-China Border.
- 4. Special Secretary (IS) held meeting on 23.9.2016 to suggest modalities for granting of Scheduled Tribe status to six communities in Assam.
- 5. Meetings were held to review the implementation of Bodo Accord and implementation of Memorandum of Settlement signed with United People's Democratic Solidarity (UPDS) & Dima Halam Daogah (DHD) on 16.9.2016 and 23.9.2016 respectively.
- 6. 190.65 crore was released to all the States/ UTs. except Delhi and Puducherry under Central Victim Compensation Fund (CVCF) Scheme as One Time Grant.
- 7. A Judicial Colloquium on Human Trafficking was conducted in Rajasthan on 25.09.2016.
- 8. Sanction for release of Rs. 2.8 crore under Investigative Units for Crime Against Women (IUCAW) Scheme was issued for supporting setting up of Units in Dadra Nagar Haveli, Puducherry, Mizoram and Bihar.
- 9. One Indian prisoner from UK was brought to India under transfer of sentenced person agreement with UK.
- 10. A total amount of Rs. 69.62 crore was released to four states i.e. Odisha, Uttrakhand, Manipur and Mizoram in respect of Modernisation of State Police Forces (MPF) scheme till September, 2016. The meetings of High Powered Committee (HPC) to consider and approve the State Action Plan proposals of States of Andhra Pradesh, Punjab, Karnataka, Maharashtra and Telangana were held during the month.
- 11. Out of Budgetary provision, the budget estimate for the financial year 2016-17 for CCTNS is Rs. 250 crore. An amount of Rs.184.93 crore was released to the

State/UTs and Central agencies till end of September, 2016. Under the plan head an amount of Rs.8403.06 lakh was released to 20 States/UT during the month.

- 12. Around 446 new Police Stations were included in CCTNS Project. For technically non-feasible sites, BSNL has been asked to explore alternate type of connectivity.
- 13. Out of Budgetary provision, the budget estimate for the financial year 2016-17 for National Emergency Response System (NERS) Wing is Rs.136 crore. An amount of Rs. 24 crore was released to the Government of Delhi till the end of the month.
- 14. On 21.9.2016, approval of the competent authority has been conveyed for raising of 5 Rapid Action Force (RAF) Bns. in CRPF by converting 5 existing CRPF General Duty Bns. and abolishing one Group Centre in CRPF at a tentative cost of Rs.378.43 crore.
- 15. 42 Coys of CAPFs were deployed in various States (Karnataka, Arunachal Pradesh and Goa) for law and order duties. 31 Coys of CAPFs were deployed in various states (UP, Telangana, Delhi and Gujarat) for law and order duties as well as festivals.
- 16. Meetings were held during the month at the level of Additional Secretary (LWE) on Bastariya Battalion, to finalize Annual Work Plan for 2016 -17 under the Security Related Expenditure Scheme for LWE affected States and to review the progress of various schemes/progammes M/o Agriculture and Farmers Welfare in LWE affected States.
- 17. An amount of ₹ 111.49 crore was released to 9 LWE affected States on 28.09.2016 to complete reimbursement for period from 01.04.2014 to 31.03.2015.
- 18. During the month of August, 06 advisories were issued to the State Governments/ CAPFs to sensitize them to counter the LWE activities in LWE affected areas.
- 19. The Hon'ble President assented to two State Bills namely, the Registration (Gujarat Amendment) Bill, 2016 and the Industrial Disputes (Haryana Amendment) Bill, 2016 during the month.
- 20. One mercy petition of death row convict was decided and disposed of during September, 2016.
- During the month sanction for prosecution for filing charge sheets against 2 accused persons was accorded under the Unlawful Activities (Prevention) Act, 1967 in cases relating to terrorist activities and seizure of Fake Indian Currency Notes in the country.

- 22. Under ACC Vacancy Monitoring System (AVMS), Divisions are taking necessary action for updating the status relating to ACC posts.
- 23. The Scheme of updation of National Population Register (NPR) is under progress in States/UTs. The field work for seeding of Aadhaar number in NPR database has been completed. The data entry of corrections/modifications has started in 20 States/UTs and the same is under progress.
