

Ministry of Home Affairs-Major Achievements, significant Development and important events for the month of December, 2023.

Hon'ble Union Home Minister presided over the signing of a Memorandum of Settlement (MoS) on 29.12.2023 between Government of India, Government of Assam and representatives of United Liberation Front of Assam (ULFA). As per agreement, ULFA has agreed to abjure the path of violence, surrender all arms/ammunition, disband their armed organization and join the peaceful democratic process as established by the law and uphold the integrity of the country. A Special Development Package of Rs. 5,000 crore (Rs. 3,000 crore by Gol and Rs. 2,000 crore by Govt. of Assam) will be provided over five years for various developmental initiatives/projects in the State of Assam.

2. Meeting of High Level Committee was held under the chairmanship of Hon'ble Union Home Minister on 12.12.2023 for approving central assistance to the State of Gujarat Cyclone (Biparjoy) and Himachal Pradesh (Cloud Burst/ Flood land slide) to the tune of Rs.971.97 Cr (Rs.633.73 Cr for Himachal Pradesh and Rs.338.24 Cr for Gujarat).

3. National Crisis Management Committee (NCCM) had met on 01.12.2023 and 03.12.2023, under chairmanship of Cabinet Secretary, to review preparedness of state governments and Central Ministries/Departments for impending cyclone at "Michaungã in Bay of Bengal. The State Governments of Tamil Nadu, Andhra Pradesh, Odisha, and Puducherry were assured of assistance from the central agencies.

4. On 14.12.2023, Union Home Secretary held the meeting of the Sub-Committee of National Executive Committee (SC-NEC) for considering the proposals of Expansion and Modernization of Fire Services for the States of Andhra Pradesh, Manipur, Meghalaya, Telangana and UP.

5. On 18.12.2023, Union Home Secretary reviewed the LWE scenario and Ops preparedness of the State of Chhattisgarh.

6. On 07.12.2023, Special Secretary (Internal Security) held a review meeting of the Committee to study the best practices in the world of transport security. Further, on 15.12.2023, she held a meeting of the Task Force Committee on fratricide & suicide in CAPF, ARS & NSG.

7. A meeting was held on 15.12.2023 under AS (PM) with GeM authorities, ITBP and Assam Rifles Officers to discuss the proposals of ITBP & Assam Rifles for exemption from mandatory procurement of free dry/fresh ration items through GeM portal for the year 2024-25. Further on 28.12.2023, AS, PM held a meeting to review procurement of various items by CAPFs through KVIC under Phase -I and Phase-II of procurement.

8. A presentation on Special Session Cyber Security: Emerging Challenges was held during the 3rd National Conference of Chief Secretaries on 27.12.2023.

9. Muslim League Jammu Kashmir (Masarat Alam faction)/MLJK- MA was declared as an 'Unlawful Association' under Section 3(1) of the Unlawful Activities (Prevention) Act (UAPA) 1967 vide notification dated 27.12.2023.
