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**Maldivian Delegation led by Mr. Ali Nazeer, Hon'ble MoS, Home, Govt. of Maldives,
at the BPR&D Hqrs., New Delhi, April 9, 2021**



From the DG's Desk

The Bureau of Police Research and Development has been attracting foreign delegations for exploring possibilities of collaboration in the field of capacity building for Law Enforcement Agencies. The latest exchange in this direction took place during the 1st Meeting of the India – Maldives Joint Working Group on Counter Terrorism at the BPR&D Hqrs., in April, 2021. Discussions also took place between the BPR&D and the National Police Academy of Cambodia, for establishing cooperation in the area of Police training.

During the quarter, **Police Vigyan** along with two issues of the **Indian Police Journal** were brought out by the Special Police Division.

Focus on Yoga has been increasing in the wake of the deadly pandemic, COVID-19. The Bureau made elaborate arrangements for vaccination of the staff and also arranged special Yoga Sessions to strengthen their immune system.

It is hoped that trainees will be able to physically join activities on the campus soon. All the training centres, under the BPR&D, have found innovative ways, in the meantime, of engaging more and more police and prison personnel through webinars and on-line lecture series. A good number of community awareness programmes have also been organised virtually, where students, especially girls, have been encouraged to participate.

As we go to the press, remembering our former DG, late N.C. Joshi, who passed away on the 20th of May, 2021, we also have to cope up with the painful loss of late Anurag Tankha, IG/Director, Admn. & SPD, at the BPR&D Hqrs., who left us for ever, on the 19th of July, 2021.

(V S K Kaumudi)

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1st Meeting of the India-Maldives Joint Working Group on Counter Terrorism

The **1st Meeting of the India-Maldives Joint Working Group on Counter Terrorism**, was organized at the Bureau of Police Research & Development, on April 09, 2021. The meeting deliberated on different facets of Capacity Building, Bilateral Cooperation, Multi-lateral and Regional Cooperation and other issues of mutual interest. Mr. Ali Nazeer, the Hon'ble Minister of State for Home Affairs, Maldives, graced the function, along with 12 other high ranking delegates from Maldives. Officers of the Ministry of External Affairs, G.O.I., also participated. A holistic presentation, flagging the context and capabilities of the Bureau, was made by the Divisional Heads. Mr. VSK Kaumudi, Director General, BPR&D, thanked the Maldivian delegation for their visit and hoped the Joint Working Group would foster capacity building and promote institutional linkages between the two countries. ●



DG, BPR&D, honouring the Leader of the Delegation, Mr. Ali Nazeer, Hon'ble Minister of State for Home Affairs, Maldives

JUNE 2021

Collaboration between BPR&D and Cambodia

June, 2021
New Delhi

A virtual coordination meeting with the Ambassador of India in Cambodia, and the Director and senior officers of the National Police Academy, Cambodia, was held to lay the ground work for training of senior Police Officers of the Cambodian Police, on a variety of professional subjects, including Cyber Security, Counter-Terrorism, Digital Forensics, Forensic Investigations, etc.

Collaboration with foreign partners under the Indian Technical & Economic Cooperation (ITEC) Programme of the MEA is being spear-headed by Sh. Neeraj Sinha, ADG, BPR&D, who is also incharge of the Training Division. ●

APRIL-MAY 2021

Publication of Indian Police Journal

The Indian Police Journal (IPJ) has been published since 1954, initially by the Intelligence Bureau and, since the creation of the BPR&D in 1970, by the latter. DG, BPR&D, released the October-December, 2020, edition, on 12.04.2021 and the Jan.-March, 2021, edition on 27.05.2021. Sh. Shashi Kant Upadhyay, DIG, SPD, Sh. Neeraj Sinha, IG, Trg., Sh. Santosh Mehra, ADG, Sh. V.S.K. Kaumudi, DG, BPR&D, Sh. Karuna Sagar, IG, Mod., Smt. Anupama N. Chandra, IG, R&CA, are seen below. ●



April-May, 2021
New Delhi

CENTRAL ACADEMY FOR POLICE TRAINING
LECTURE SERIES 2021
YOUTH TO COUNTER TERRORISM
21 MAY 2021

SPEAKER
SHRI MANISH SHANKAR SHARMA,
IPS, ADG PHQ BHOPAL, MP

- MASTER IN INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS & PUBLIC POLICY
- EXPERTISE IN INTERNATIONAL SECURITY & COUNTER TERRORISM
- SPECIAL RECOGNITION BY THE CONGRESS OF THE USA
- THE EASE OF DOING BUSINESS AWARD

MAY 2021

CAPT, Bhopal: Virtual Lecture Series

21 May, 2021
New Delhi

A new academic initiative, i.e., virtual Lecture Series has been started by the CAPT, Bhopal. The first event was held on 21 May, 2021, wherein Shri Manish Shankar Sharma, IPS, ADG, MP Police, delivered a lecture on "Youth to Counter Terrorism". More than 500 police officers and youths from different walks of life participated in the event. ●

The second event under the lecture series was conducted at the CAPT, Bhopal, on the International Day against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking, on the 26th June, 2021. Shri Brij Bhushan Mishra, IPS, DG (Retd), NCB, delivered a lecture on **"Drug Abuse and New Trends in Illicit Trafficking"**. Over 500 police officers, including personnel from the Narcotics Control Bureau, attended the online lecture organized by the CAPT. ●

JUNE, 2021

International Day against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking



26, June 2021
New Delhi

The NCR&IC, a unit under the I4C Scheme of the MHA, established at the BPR&D Hqrs, launched a Monthly Webinar Series for Law Enforcement Agencies (LEAs) on Cyber Security and Digital Forensics. The first webinar in the series on **"Emerging Cyber Security Challenges"** was conducted on June 30, 2021. The objective of the Webinar was to provide an interactive session for Law Enforcement Agencies on emerging cyber crimes, new techniques and methodologies for investigation, modern day challenges and prevention. Dr. Madan M. Oberoi, IPS, Executive Director, Technology & Innovation, INTERPOL, Sh. Venkata Satish Guttula, Director, Security, Rediff. com India Ltd., and Prof. Sandeep Shukla, Joint Coordinator, C3i Center, Department of Computer Science & Engineering, IIT, Kanpur, delivered talks on **Combatting Cyber Crime – Trends, Issues, Role of INTERPOL, Anatomy of Phishing Attacks and Cyber Security as a National Security Issue**, respectively. About 400 officers from different States, UTs, CAPFs and CPOs, participated in the Webinar. ●

JUNE 2021

National Webinar on Emerging Cyber Security Challenges



30 June, 2021
New Delhi

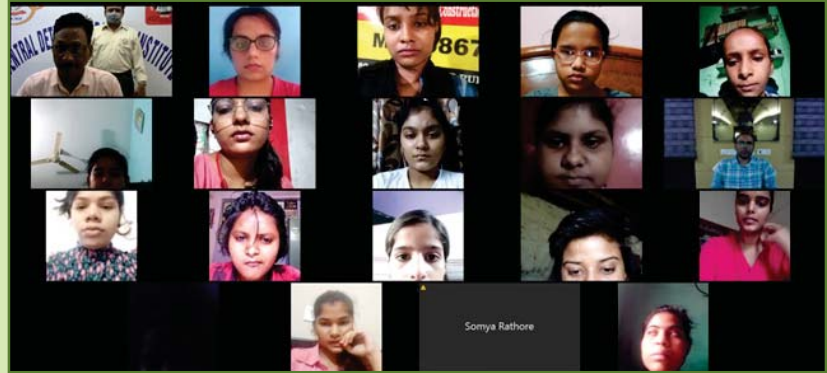
Sh. Neeraj Sinha, ADG, BPR&D, giving Inaugural Address during the Webinar on Emerging Cyber Security Challenges.

JUNE, 2021

CDTI Ghaziabad: Woman Safety Webinar

17 June, 2021
New Delhi

Central Detective Training Institute, Ghaziabad, organized **Woman Safety Webinar**, on 17.06.2021, in which girl students from schools and medical colleges participated. The purpose of the webinar was to spread awareness about woman safety and cyber crime targeting women. ●



Sh. Pawan Kumar Srivastava, Director, CAPT, Bhopal, addressing the participants during a webinar.



APRIL-JUNE, 2021

CAPT Webinars

CAPT, Bhopal, has conducted 34 online training programs, including 06 webinars, during April-June, 2021. A total of 2705 officers from various state police forces, correctional services, prosecution department and CAPFs were trained in these online training events.

JUNE 2021

National Webinar on Cancer: Prevention, Management and Control

25 June, 2021
Bhopal

A national webinar on **"Cancer: Prevention, Management and Control"** was held on June 25, 2021, at the BPR&D Headquarters, New Delhi. Two eminent speakers of the country, namely, Prof. K S Gopinath, HCG Hospital, Bangalore, and Prof. Lalit Kumar, AIIMS, New Delhi, delivered talks on various important aspects of Cancer and addressed the queries of the participants. A total of 140 Police Officers from States/UTs, CAPFs and CPOs attended the webinar. ●

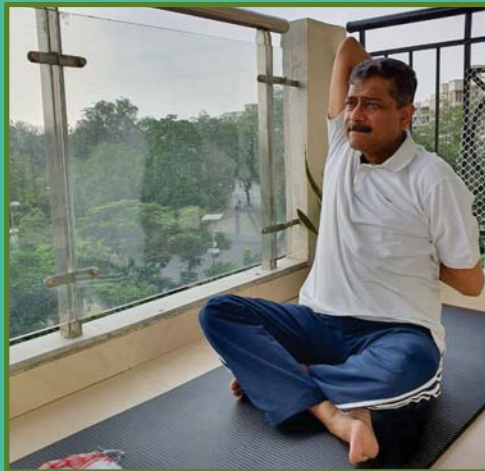


Sh. Neeraj Sinha, ADG, BPR&D, delivering the Inaugural Address

INTERNATIONAL DAY OF YOGA | *Yoga for well-being*

On the 21st June, 2021, the International Yoga Day was observed by BPR&D Officers and Staff on the theme "Yoga for well being". BPR&D organized Yoga classes for its personnel to improve breathing and recovery of the immune system, from 07.06.2021 onwards.

DG, BPR&D, seen during yoga



Yoga at Workplace

A video on "Yoga at Workplace", produced by the Modernization Division, BPR&D, for reducing stress levels, was shared with various Police organizations in the States/UTs, CAPFs, CPOs. Dr. Anju Dhawan, Senior Faculty Member, Psychiatry, AIIMS, dwelt upon the concept in the video.



Sh. Kranthi Kumar Gadidesi, Director, CDTI, Hyderabad, doing yoga on the International Yoga Day 2021

Yoga Session was conducted for the staff of CDTI, Ghaziabad. The focus was on post COVID recovery.



CDTI Ghaziabad

The staff of CDTI, Kolkata, celebrated the International Day of Yoga by strictly maintaining the COVID-19 norms.

Sh. Abhay Kumar Mallick, Dy. S.P., Admn., along with the staff at CDTI, Kolkata



JUNE 2021

CDTI, Chandigarh

CDTI, Chandigarh, conducted 11 courses and a National level Webinar for SHOs in this quarter, in which a total of 374 officers (351 Police officers, 14 judicial officers and 09 Prosecutors) participated. Twenty-four Community Awareness Programmes were conducted for students/teachers and other groups. Yoga Session was also conducted for the staff of the CDTI, to deal with post-COVID complications. ●

Smt. Rani Bindu, Director, CDTI, Chandigarh, delivers Welcome & Inaugural Speech to the participants of the Webinar held on 28.4.21 on 'Cyber Crime & Its Challenges' for SHOs.



22 June, 2021
New Delhi



Dr. L.S. Rana, Guest Faculty, delivers lecture on 'Investigation of Organized Crime'.



Ms. Minakshi Thakur, Yoga Faculty, teaches Yoga for Managing Post-COVID Complications

13 online Courses, 2 Workshops, 01 Conference and 02 Webinars were conducted during the quarter, in which 418 Officers, including 06 Prosecutors, were imparted training. An exclusive course for Woman Police Officers on **Self-Development & Conflict Management, Capacity building for Woman Police Officers, Work-life Balance, Leadership, Professional Skills, etc.**, was conducted during this period. As part of Awareness Programmes, a Webinar on **"Cyber Crime & Cyber Security"** was conducted exclusively for the CISF, in which 44 personnel of CISF participated.

Apart from training activities, beautification of the campus was taken up. Around 300 saplings, comprising of fruit and flower bearing plants and crotons, were planted on the eve of the Environmental Day. ●



Plantation drive on the eve of the World Environmental Day on June 5, 2021

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CDTI, Hyderabad

April - June, 2021
Hyderabad

APRIL 2021

National Level Architectural Design Idea Competition for Jails

23 April, 2021
Jaipur

The Valedictory Ceremony of the “National Level Architectural Design Idea Competition for Jails” was organised by the Mod. Division, on the 23rd April, 2021, at the BPR&D Hqrs., New Delhi.

The top two entries in the National Level Competition were awarded the first and the second prizes of Rs. 4 lakh, and Rs. 2.5 lakh, respectively, by the DG, BPR&D. Sh. Karuna Sagar, IG/Dir., Modernisation, introduced the prize winners after explaining the modalities of the competition. ●



Chief Guest, Shri Somesh Goyal, IPS, DG, Prisons, Himachal Pradesh, delivering the inaugural address.

APRIL, 2021

7th All India Police Housing Conference

April, 2021
New Delhi



DG, BPR&D, IG/Dir., Modernisation, and other senior officers of BPR&D releasing the Proceedings of the 7th All India Police Housing Conference, held on 23 April, 2021, at the BPR&D Hqrs.

JUNE 2021

MoU with the Haryana Institute of Public Administration (HIPA)

8 June, 2021
New Delhi

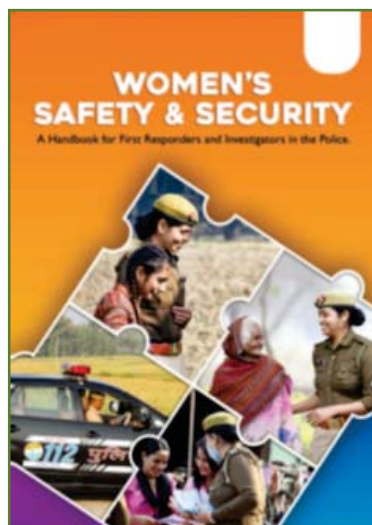
BPR&D signed an MoU with the Haryana Institute of Public Administration (HIPA), Gurugram, Haryana, on 08.06.2021, for undertaking a research study titled **"Training Needs Analysis (TNA) for Correctional Administration & Prisons for Capacity Building Initiatives"**.

The thrust of the project is to infuse professionalism and sensitivity in the officers and personnel of the Prisons & Correctional Services, through appropriate training.

Objectives of the study are as follows:

- To identify the prevalent levels of Knowledge, Skills, and Attitudes of officers/ personnel of Prisons & Correctional Administration and identify competency gaps among target groups.
- To provide detailed information on the training needs for further development of capacities of Correctional Administrators at each level.
- To outline recommendations for addressing training needs within the priority areas.
- To provide road map for future Capacity Building Initiatives.

The project is being supervised by Smt. Anupama Nilekar Chandra, IG/ Director, Research & Correctional Admn, BPR&D. ●



Copies of the publication, titled **"Women's Safety & Security - A Handbook for First Responders and Investigators in the Police"**, released by the Union Home Secretary, during the Inaugural Session of the Webinar on **"Woman Safety with Sensitivity"**, on the occasion of the International Women's Day, 2021, (March 08, 2021), have been shared with all the States / UTs / CAPFs / CPOs. The Handbook quintessentially aims at bringing about an attitudinal and behavioral change for the better, at the cutting-edge levels, i.e., investigators and constabulary and enhancing the skill-set of the Police across the country, to combat crime against women. ●

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Women's Safety & Security - A Handbook for First Responders and Investigators in the Police

23 June, 2021
New Delhi

JUNE, 2021

Community Policing Resource Center

23, June 2021
New Delhi

The National Police Mission has completed the project **"Community Policing Resource Center ('Aapke Liye' or 'For You') – An Update"** and circulated the report to all States/ UTs. It deals with various aspects of Community Police Resource Centres with the twin objectives of (a) providing police services to citizens at one place, and (b) winning over the trust of the community. The vision of the project is to enlist whole-hearted collaboration of the community, by providing them a platform to communicate and collaborate with the police and seek services across the board. To reach this goal, it is proposed to have institutionalized mechanisms at different levels of police administration. ●

**ब्यूरो की छमाही हिंदी पत्रिका
'पुलिस विज्ञान' का प्रकाशन**

माननीय प्रधानमंत्री जी की अध्यक्षता में, दिनांक 29 सितंबर, 1978, को संपन्न हुई हिंदी सलाहकार समिति की बैठक में निर्णय लिया गया था कि ब्यूरो द्वारा प्रकाशित की जा रही अंग्रेजी पत्रिका के साथ-साथ हिंदी प्रकाशन भी आरंभ किया जाए। तदनुसार, सितंबर, 1982, में "पुलिस विज्ञान" नाम से हिंदी पत्रिका का प्रथम अंक प्रकाशित किया गया। पत्रिका में पुलिस, जेल प्रबंधन, न्यायालयिक विज्ञान, आदि, से संबंधित विषयों पर उत्तम लेख प्रकाशित किए जाते हैं। पत्रिका के प्रथम अंक के प्रकाशन से लेकर अब तक कुल 143 अंक प्रकाशित हो चुके हैं। ब्यूरो के महानिदेशक, श्री वरुण सिंधु कुल कौमुदी, द्वारा पत्रिका की अंक संख्या-143 का विमोचन, ब्यूरो के वरिष्ठ अधिकारियों की उपस्थिति में, दिनांक 12 अप्रैल, 2021, को किया गया। ●

12 April, 2021
New Delhi



BPR&D SsP Promoted as DIsG



Ms. Rani Bindu, IPS, Director, CDTI, Chandigarh



Sh. Kranti Kumar Gadidesi, IPS, Director, CDTI, Hyderabad



Farewell was organized on 27.05.2021 for Shri Santosh Mehra, IPS, ADG, BPR&D, who was transferred, on promotion, to the post of Director General (Investigation), NHRC, New Delhi

Central Detective Training Institute, Jaipur

The **Central Detective Training Institute (CDTI), Jaipur**, was established on the 16th January, 2012. It is a national training institute under the administrative control of the Bureau of Police Research and Development, MHA.

In September 2017, CDTI, Jaipur, was declared as the Centre of Excellence on New Age Crimes, Crimes involving Antiques & Wildlife, Intellectual Property Rights, CBRN, Crypto-Currency, Investigation of Dark Web, etc.

The institute had been functioning since 2012, from the Kendriya Sadan Parisar, Sector-10, Vidhyadhar Nagar, Jaipur.

E-inauguration of the new campus of the CDTI was done by the Hon'ble Minister of State for Home, Sh. G. Kishan Reddy, on the occasion of the Golden Jubilee of the Foundation of the BPR&D on the 28th Aug., 2020. The CDTI is now functional at its new campus. ●



ADIEU!



Late Shri N. C. Joshi was born on the 2nd June, 1946, in the Almora District of U.P., now in Uttarakhand. With a Master's Degree in Maths from the Lucknow University, he went on to join the Indian Police Service in the year 1970 and was allotted to the Himachal Pradesh cadre. Shri Joshi served in the state as SP and, later, as IGP, Additional DGP (Law and Order) and DG (Vigilance). While on Central deputation, he was Deputy Director/Joint Director, SPG, from 1987 to 1997. He also served in the SSB during 1976-'82. Shri N.C. Joshi was decorated with the IPM (1988) and PPM (1994). Shri N.C. Joshi joined as Director General, Bureau of Police Research and Development, on the 25th January, 2005, and, in that capacity, superannuated from service on the 30th June, 2006.

Shri N.C. Joshi, IPS (Retd.), breathed his last on the 20th May, 2021. He is survived by his wife, Smt. Shakuntala Joshi, and two sons, Mr. Kunal Joshi and Mr. Hemant Joshi.

He was a regular at the BPR&D functions. He is fondly remembered by his colleagues and associates.



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