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- 5. Building Police as a Professional Service for People.
- 6. Fostering Cooperation and Coordination among State & Central Police Organisations for Common Vision.

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RESEARCH

Police Act Drafting Committee (PADC)

BPR&D had inducted Dr. Arvind Verma, Professor, Indiana University (USA), former IPS Officer and Smt. Rina Mitra, IPS (MP: 83), IG, CID, Bhopal as consultants for generating inputs for matters under consideration by Police Act Drafting Committee (PADC) constituted by govt. of India. Inputs, so far, given by them reflect their comprehensive understanding of Police working in democratic societies and complexity of Indian Society. They have given the following comments:

"For all police practitioners and researchers the drafting of a new police act for the country is a momentous event. After many years and concentrated efforts the government agreed to set up a committee to propose a new police act for the country. We are grateful to DG, BPR&D for giving us such a wonderful opportunity to participate in designing a new police system for India and making it into a professional organization that works with the people for achieving their democratic aspirations. DG, BPR&D, Dr. Kiran Bedi is herself engaged in rejuvenating the organization and making police research a vehicle for change. It has been a rewarding experience for us to witness her efforts and have the opportunity to be part of intense interactions and debates that she has initiated. We have been privileged to have worked with her and other eminent scholars, police officers and personalities during this time period."

TRAINING

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Vertical Interaction Course for IPS and other senior Police Officers organized at National Industrial Security Academy, CISF, Hyderabad from 28th August to 2nd September 2006 on the theme "Disaster Management." In this course 21 officers have participated.

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- (ii) Vertical Interaction Course for IPS Officers organized at Hamdard University, New Delhi from 4th to 9th September 2006 on the theme "**Policing and Minorities.**" In this course 25 officers have participated.
- (iii) Following courses for IPS Officers are likely to be organized very shortly:

S. No.	Name of the Institute	Theme	Schedule			
1.	Institute for Defence Studies & Analysis	Strategic and Security issues relating	2-7 Oct.,			
	IDSA, JNU Campus, New Delhi.	to the Country	06			
2.	Institute for Integrated Learning in	ed Learning in Human Resource Management – Issues				
	Management, Lodhi Road, New Delhi.	relating to recruitment of appropriate	06			
		personnel for Police				
3.	School of Criminal Justice Administration,	Criminal Justice System: Improving	6-11Nov.,			
	The West Bengal National University of	its Effectiveness	06			
	Juridical Science ,Salt Lake City, Kolkota.					
4.	Institute of Social Sciences,	Insurgency/Unrest-underlying Socio-	6-11Nov.,			
	8 Nelson Mandela Road, New Delhi	Economic, Political and other causes	06			
5.	Railway Staff College,	Crime & the Safety on Railways	13-17			
	Lalbaug, Vadodara.		Nov., 06.			
6.	Institute of Management Technology,	Management of Personnel	13-18			
	Raj Nagar, Ghaziabad		Nov.06			
7.	Continuing Education Programme,	The Role of Technology in Crime and	20-25			
	Indian Institute of Technology, Mumbai.	Crime Prevention	Nov. 06			

Courses for Middle Level Police Officers

Central Detective Training School, Chandigarh, Hyderabad and Kolkata had conducted following courses during the month of August 2006 for the benefit of Investigating Officers of the rank of ASI to Dv. S.P. of State Police Forces, Central Police Forces and other Services. Details as follows:

S. No.	Name of the Course	Level	of	Dura-	Chandi-	Hydera-	Kolkata
		Participation		tion	garh	bad	
1.	Advanced Course on	SI/ASI (below	45	13	15.5.06 to	19.5.06 to	
	Scientific Investigation	years of age)		weeks	11.8.06	15.9.06	
2.	Course on Investi-gation of	Dy.SP/Insp/SI		5 days	21.8.06 to		
	Homicide Cases				25.8.06		
3.	Course on Investi-gation of	Insp/SI		5 days	28.8.06 to		
	Motor Train Accident cases				01.9.06		
4.	Course on Investi- gation of	Dy.SP/Insp/SI		10 days			31.7.06 to
	Terrorist Crime and Post Blast						11.8.06
	Investigation						
5.	Course on Investigation of	Dy.SP/Insp/SI		10			21.8.06 to
	Economic Offences			days			01.9.06

BPR&D has been coordinating specialized training courses at the training Institutions of BSF, CRPF, CISF, ITBP and Assam Rifles for the personnel of State Police Forces and other Central Police Forces. Following courses coordinated with the Central Police Forces during the month:

(a) Unarmed Combat Course at CTC-I, CRPF, Neemuch (MP).

- 3.7.2006 to 12.9.2006

(b) Karate Course at ITBP Academy, Mussoorie.

(c) Anti-Terrorist & VIP Protection Commando Course at ITBP Academy, Mussoorie.

(d) Judo Course at BTC, ITBP, Bhanu

(e) Weapons & Tactics Course at CSWT, BSF, Indore.

(f) Bomb Disposal Course at TC&S, BSF, Hazaribagh.

(g) Counter-insurgency and Commando at TC&S, BSF, Hazaribagh.

(h) Integrated Industrial Security Course at NISA, CISF, Hyderabad.

3.4.2006 to 23.9.2006

7.8.2006 to 9.10.2006

21.8.2006 to 11.11.2006

- 17.7.2006 to 30.9.2006

28.8.2006 to 7.10.2006

- 3.7.2006 to 26.8.2006

- 7.8.2006 to 19.8.2006

II - DEPUTATION OF POLICE OFFICERS ABROAD

- A group of 18 Senior Police Officers from various States/Central Police Forces were nominated by the Government of India in ATA- 5737, India VIP Protection Course held at Louisiana State Police Academy, Baton Rouge, USA from August 7-25, 2006. Briefing of the nominated Officers was arranged by BPR&D on 3rd August 2006. These officers would replicate the course on return from USA for their officers of the rank of Inspectors, Sub-Inspectors, Head Constables and Constables. These Officers would also prepare training material (précis) in their regional languages.
- (ii) A group of 18 Senior Police Officers from various States and Central Police Forces also nominated by the Government of India in ATA-5062, India Senior Crisis Management (SCMC) course organized from 21-26, August 2006 at Washington D.C., USA. Briefing of the nominated Officers was arranged by BPR&D on 18th August 2006. Shri Pranav Sahay, IG, CDF, Western Zone, Mumbai was the team leader for the course and Shri R.C. Arora, IG/Director (R&D) represented BPR&D. The important topics covered during this Seminar are as under:
- i) Trends in International Terrorism
- ii) National Security and Anti-terrorism Policy.
- iii) International Accords on Combating Terrorism.
- iv) US Policy Development for Combating Terrorism.
- v) Policy and Procedures for conducting Crisis Management.
- vi) Crisis Management Organization and Functions.
- vii) Emergency Preparedness and Crisis Management.
- viii) Department of Defense Guest Speaker Military Response to Terrorism.
- ix) Crisis communications- Maintaining Public Support During Crisis.
- x) Department of Homeland Security Guest Speaker Response to Nuclear Threats.
- xi) Crises Action Planning.

Two case studies and one Desk Top exercise was also covered during this Seminar.

III - TRAINING OF FOREIGN POLICE OFFICERS IN INDIA

BPR&D coordinated training of 43 Sri Lankan Police personnel on "Maintenance of Public Orders" during the month of August 2006.

IV - WORKSHOPS/SEMINARS

Gender Sensitisation - (i) BPR&D coordinated 3-day workshop on "Gender Sensitisation and Prevention of Violence against Women" at National Institute of Public Co-operation and Child Development, New Delhi-110016 on 26-28 July, 2006, for Police Officers of the rank of Superintendent of Police and Deputy Inspector General of Police.

Anti-Trafficking in Persons — (ii) BPR&D has been organizing workshop cum seminar on **"Trafficking in Persons and Role of Police"** to sensitize Police Officers of the rank of SHOs/ACP/Dy.S.P. of the State Police Forces. Workshop cum Seminar have been organized at (a) S.K. Police Academy, Udhampur and (b) Rajasthan Police Academy, Jaipur on 28th August 2006.

PRISON & CORRECTIONAL ADMINISTRATION

1. REGIONAL WORKSHOP ON PRISON REFORMS

BPR&D organized one of the regional workshops in collaboration with the Directorate of Prisons, Uttar Pradesh at Sampurnand Jail Training Institute, Lucknow on 19th August, 2006 on Draft National Policy Paper prepared on *Prison Reforms and Correctional Administration* with a view to have a professional feedback from NGOs and Social Organizations actively involved in prison programmes.

2. PRISON VISIT

Dr. Kiran Bedi, Director General, BPR&D accompanied by Sh. A. K. Srivastava, Joint Secretary (CS), MHA; Sh. Sanjay Baniwal, Deputy Director; and Dr. B. V. Trivedi, Assistant Director, BPR&D visited Tihar Prisons to study various treatment programmes being run at Tihar Prisons for different category of prisoners on 25th August, 2006 in the forenoon. The visit is lead to start of "seeing is learning" (SIL) training programme for Prison Officers at Ttihar.

UP COMING EVENTS

DG, BPR&D suggested that BPR&D should celebrate BPR&D RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT WEEK from 18th to 26th December,2006. The theme of the week will be RESEARCH.

WHAT IS NEW

Police Medal for Meritorious Service



Shri Sanjay Baniwal, IPS, (AGMU1989) has joined BPR&D as DIG/Dy. Director (Development) on 22nd November, 2005. Prior to his posting in BPR&D, he was DIG (Trg.) in Mizoram. In befitting recognition to his consistently outstanding dedication to duty and excellent record in the service, the President of India has conferred Police Medal for Meritorious Service to Shri Sanjay Baniwal on the occasion of the Independence Day, 2006.

2. Shri Jai Prakash joined CRPF as a Constable in 1971. He joined Bureau of Police Research & Development(BPR&D) on deputation in 1981 and given proforma promotion as Lance Nayak. By dint of his hard work he earned his promotion to the rank of Head Constable in 1997. In befitting the recognition to his dedication to duty the President of India has conferred Police Medal for Meritorious Service to Shri Jai Prakash on the occasion of the Independence Day, 2006.



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