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**BORDER SECURITY FORCE SEIZED 350 GRAMS LIGHT BROWN COLOUR  
POWDER SUSPECTED TO BE HEROIN IN THE BORDER AREA OF BOP  
ATROSIYA EX 04 BN BSF UNDER BERHAMPORE SECTOR DISTRICT  
MURSHIDABAD**

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1. Keeping in view the vulnerability of Border from smuggling point of view **Shri P S R Anjaneyulu, IPS**, Inspector General BSF South Bengal Frontier has issued operational guidelines to further strengthen Border domination so as to effectively check the menace of smuggling and other activities of Anti National Elements on South Bengal Border with Bangladesh. Accordingly field Commanders have been ensuring implementation of these instructions to maintain extra vigil on border to thwart the attempts of smugglers / Anti -National Elements. Tactical operations are being mounted to foil the attempts of the smugglers.
2. On 13<sup>th</sup> Feb 2017, a specific information was received by NCB regarding movement of smugglers along with consignment of Narcotics near Border area of BOP Astrosiya ex-04 Bn BSF under Police Station Lalgola, Distt-Murshidabad. On receiving the information, a joint operation was planned and launched with NCB Kolkata and troops of BOP Atrosiya ex-04 Bn BSF in the general area of Bhagwangola (Railway Station). During operation, the joint ops party apprehended 03 suspected persons from Platform No.01 of Bhagwangola Railway Station. On search of the apprehended persons appx 350 gms light brown colour powder suspected to be Heroin recovered from their possession.

After preliminary questioning they revealed their identity as (i) Md Khairul Islam, age appx 45 years, S/O-Ajjur Rahman, Village- Miradpur, PO-Laskarpur, PS- Lalgola, Dist- Murshidabad(WB), (ii) Obaidul Rahman, age appx 33 years, S/O- Yunush Ali, Village- Miradpur, PO- Laskarpur, PS- Lalgola, Dist- Murshidabad(WB). (iii) Ajmer Saikh, age appx 40 years, S/O- Manjur Saikh, Vill- Fakirpara, PO- Lalgola, PS- Lalgola, Dist- Murshidabad(WB). The apprehended Indian nationals and seized item are in the custody of NCB Kolkata for further investigation.

3. During this year BSF South Bengal Frontier has seized total 9.450 KGs of Narcotics and has apprehended 08 Narcotics smugglers.

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