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**BSF SEIZED FICN OF FACE VALUE OF Rs. 92,000/- OF 2000  
DENOMINATION IN THE AREA OF ADM BASE GULABGANJ OF 24  
BN BSF UNDER SECTOR MALDA**

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 ensure 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 22.08.2017, specific information was received regarding smuggling of FICN in the area of Adm Base Gulabganj of 24 BN BSF, Sector Malda. The received information was further developed and Spl operation was planned and carried out by troops of SHQ Malda and 24 BN BSF on three suspected places Near Baliadanga More, Sarda More towards Kalichak Road and Gulabganj to Kalichak Road. At about 1630 hrs, Special Ambush party present near Sarda More observed one suspected person coming through link road Sarada More to Kalichak. The ambush party challenged him to stop but he tried to run away. A scuffle took place in between Special Ambush party and FICN Racketeer. However, the ambush party succeeded to apprehend the FICN Racketeer. On search of the apprehended person, the ambush party recovered 01 bundle of new Currency notes of Rs 2000 denomination suspected to be FICN of face value of Rs.92,000/- (in denomination of Rs.2000x46 notes) from his possession which were kept in his trousers. During Search following items werealso recovered:-

- a) 01 PAN Card
- b) Election Commission Card
- c) Genuine Currency Rs. 2110/-

On preliminary questioning he revealed his identity as Rasid (25 yrs), s/o Abdul Malak, Vill- Baliadanga Ansari Para, PO- Baliadanga, PS - Kaliachak, Distt- Malda (WB). The apprehended persons and seized FICN have been handed over to Police Station Kaliachak for further legal action.

3. During this year, BSF South Bengal Frontier has seized **FICN of face value of Rs.36,96.000/-** and has apprehended 06 FICN smugglers.

**Note:- BSF Press Release can also be accessed on [www.sb.bsf.gov.in](http://www.sb.bsf.gov.in)**

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