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BSF PARTY SEIZED FAKE INDIAN CURRENCY OF FACE VALUE Rs. 1,94,000/- IN THE AREA OF BOP SABDALPUR 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 smugglers.
- On 04th Feb' 2018, information was received regarding smuggling of 2) FICN in the area of border out post Sabdalpur of 24 Bn BSF under Police Station Baisnabanagar, Distt Malda which was to be trafficked/ circulated through Kamat/Khumberia link road towards Gulapgunj, Kaliachak. After receiving the information special ambush was planned and laid by troops of BOP Sabdalpur and BSF team Farakka. At about 2330 hrs, ambush party observed that one suspected person was coming from village Kamat on Motor cycle. Immediately ambush party challenged him to stop and tried him. On being challenged by BSF ambush party, suspected to detain slowed down his motorcycle and immediately turned miscreant motorcycle towards village Kamat. During this course of action, one packet fell down however and miscreant manage to escape from the spot by taking advantage of fog and darkness. After thorough search of the area, ambush party recovered one packet (bundle) which was wrapped with plastic. On opening the packet ambush party found 01 bundle of new currency notes numbering 97 of 2000 denomination having face value of Rs.1,94,000/-. Seized Fake Currency notes have been handed over to PS Baishnabnagar for further legal action.

3) In the year 2018, BSF South Bengal Frontier has seized FICN of face value Rs. 4,68,000 (including this seizure) and apprehended 01 Indian smuggler.

Note: - BSF Press Release can also be accessed on www.sb.bsf.gov.in

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