



HEADQUARTERS SOUTH BENGAL FRONTIER BSF KOLKATA



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BSF APPREHENDED 01 INDIAN NATION AND SEIZED 8.8 KGS OF SILVER ORNAMENTS APPRX VALUE RS.3,62,560/- AND 60 BOTTLES OF PHENSEDYL IN AREA OF BOP GOBINDPARA OF 113 BN BSF UNDER SECTOR KRISHNANAGAR

1. On 2nd Dec' 2018, on a specific information regarding smuggling of Silver Ornaments from the area of BOP Gobindpara of 113 Bn BSF under Sector Krishnanagar, a special operation was conducted by troops of 113 Bn BSF ahead of Indo-Bangladesh Border road (IBBR), in general area of BOP Gobindpara. At about 2030 hours, the operation party of BSF observed suspicious movement of 03 miscreants in bamboo bushes inside India coming towards the IBBR. Immediately the operation party challenged them to stop. On this, the miscreants started running. However, the BSF operation party managed to apprehend one miscreant along with two plastic bags containing following items :-

- (i) Silver Anklet 374 Nos weighting 4.850 kg
- (ii) Silver balls weighing 680gm.
- (iii) Long Chain 02 Nos Weighting 01 kg.
- (iv) Silver Bangles small 143 Nos Weighting 1.940 kg.
- (v) Sindur dani 17 Nos Weighting 330 gm.
- (vi) 60 bottles phensedyl, worth Rs.8,415/-

Total weight of Silver ornaments 8.800 kg.@ 41200/ kg = Rs.3,62,560/-

Total Seizure Value **Rs.3,70,975/- (including Phensedyl)**

2. On preliminary questioning, the apprehended person revealed his identity as Sapan Pramanik (32 yr), S/O-Chitt Pramanik, Vill- School Para, Gobindpur, PS-Krishnaganj, Distt-Nadia. The apprehended Indian

National and seized items have been handed over to Police Station Krishnaganj for further legal action.

3. BSF succeeded to foil attempts of silver smuggling by maintaining extra vigil on border. During this year, BSF South Bengal Frontier has seized 111.068 Kgs of Silver (including this seizure) of approx value Rs.42,33,714/- alongwith apprehension of 04 smuggler.

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

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