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7TH ALL INDIA POLICE HOUSING CONFERENCE



Shri Durga Shanker Mishra, Secretary, Housing and Urban Affairs, Govt. of India, giving Valedictory Address



DG, BPR&D, giving the Welcome Address



Inaugural Address by Shri P.K. Gupta, CMD, NBCC.



From the DG's Desk

The BPR&D Bulletin was launched in the latter half of 2019. The objective was to keep all our partners and stakeholders in different parts of the country updated on various activities of the organisation in pursuit of its mandate to serve the interests of both the Police and the Correctional Administration departments, which are two vital pillars of the criminal justice system. While the first is charged with the tasks of prevention and detection of crime, the second is expected to work towards reforming the deviant elements placed in their custody.

August, 2020, saw the culmination of the 50th year of the founding of the Bureau of Police Research & Development. Time has come to take a fresh look at its role for the future. BPR&D would like to acquire a modern outlook and welcome to its fold experts from various fields so that it plays a meaningful role in transforming the Police as also carrying forward the reforms in Prisons and Correctional Administration.

Among the various publications brought out by the BPR&D, **Data on Police Organisations (DoPO), 2020**, stands out, as it is the first time that this document could be brought out in the same year. As part of the 50th Anniversary celebrations, a **Golden Jubilee Souvenir** was published along with a compendium on the best practices on handling of COVID - **Indian Police Response to COVID-19 Crisis**. A **Postal Special Cover** and **My Stamp** were also issued to commemorate the Golden Jubilee of the BPR&D. The **Student Police Cadet (SPC) Programme** got its **website**. All the Research Projects, completed between 2016 and 2020, were summarised in the **Golden Jubilee Edition of the National Police Research Repository**.

As we march ahead in the new year, let us leave behind the sufferings of the year 2020, caused mainly by COVID-19. We look forward with fresh hope and renew our resolve to live up to the trust of the citizens and serve the nation as frontline warriors and dedicated policemen.

Jai Hind !!!


(V S K Kaumudi)

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7TH ALL INDIA POLICE HOUSING CONFERENCE

The **7th All India Police Housing Conference** was organized on the 08th & 09th December, 2020, at the BPR&D Hqrs., New Delhi, through video conferencing.

There were a total of 7 Sessions in this Conference, viz., Inaugural Session, followed by four Technical Sessions, Panel Discussion and, finally, the Valedictory Session. 15 lectures were delivered in the 4 Technical Sessions on the themes of Architectural Planning, Construction of Multi-storey Residential Quarters, Building Services, Tender Procedures and Maintenance

and Repair of Police Infrastructure. **Shri P.K. Gupta**, Chairman-cum-Managing Director, NBCC (India) Ltd., inaugurated the Conference on the 8th December, 2020, and the Valedictory Address was given by **Shri Durga Shanker Mishra**, Secretary, Housing and Urban Affairs, Govt. of India, on the 9th December, 2020.

A Panel Discussion also took place with three expert panelists, which was moderated by DG, BPR&D. 16 resolutions were adopted as the take away of the Conference.

Data on Police Organizations (DoPO) as on 1-1-2020

The BPR&D has been publishing the Data on Police Organizations (DoPO) since 1986. This is the first time in the history of BPR&D that the DoPO, for a particular year, has been released in the same year itself. General disruption of schedule on account of COVID-19 is well

known. On the directions of the MHA, the data was rechecked with all the States/UTs/CAPFs and CPOs. The worthy Home Secretary and the Addl. Secretary (IS) spent considerable time on the presentation on this edition of DoPO.



DG BPR&D releasing the DoPO as on 01.01.2020, on 29 December, 2020, in the presence of Sh. Karuna Sagar, IG(Mod), Sh. Tajender Singh Luthra, IG(NPM), Sh. Shashi Kant Upadhyay, DIG(SPD)

POLICE COMMEMORATION DAY

Police Commemoration Day is observed on the 21st October every year to honour the supreme sacrifice of police personnel for the nation. It was on this day in 1959 when CRPF led a saga of valour and sacrifice in the inaccessible and inhospitable terrain of Hot Springs in Ladakh. BPR&D Officers and staff paid tributes to the martyrs on the occasion.

Shri Pawan Srivastava, IPS, Director CAPT, along with staff paid homage to Martyrs on Police Commemoration Day, 2020. A wreath-laying ceremony with two minutes of silence was observed.

A Cycle Rally was conducted on the 31st Oct., 2020, in association with the Bhopal Cycling Community, to mark the Police Services Flag Day. The Cycle Rally was flagged off at the Shaurya Smarak, Bhopal, and concluded at the 'Martyrs Memorial', CAPT, followed by floral tributes by the cyclists at the memorial.



Shri Ambar Kishor Jha, IPS, Director, Central Detective Training Institute, Ghaziabad, paid homage to the martyrs by observing two-minute silence with the officers and staff.

Police Commemoration Day was observed at CDTI, Hyderabad, and two-minute silence was observed to pay homage to the martyrs



CDTI, Kolkata, held the Police Commemoration Day. On the occasion, the names of martyrs were read out to the assembly of officers and staff of the Institute.

The 2nd National Police Perspective Management Course for Senior Police Officers, on a wide variety of professional concerns, was held online from November 16 to 20, 2020, at the BPR&D Headquarters, New Delhi. The course explored multiple policing issues, including National Security, Intelligence, Investigation, Cyber Crimes, Dark Net, De-radicalization, Stress Management, Gender Issues, VIP Security, Issues pertaining to Police Custody, Predictive Policing and Disaster Management, among others. Several domain experts, including in-house faculty, as well as other professionals engaged the participants in lively presentations, talks and panel discussions.



Shri. V.S.K. Kaumudi, DG, BPR&D, elaborating on the 'Finer Aspects of Investigation'

NOVEMBER, 2020

2nd National Police Perspective Management Course for Senior Police Officers

November 16-20, 2020
New Delhi

SPD DIVISION



The Indian Police Journal (IPJ) is a respected publication of the BPR&D. Its first edition was published in 1954 by the Intelligence Bureau. Since the creation of BPR&D in 1970, this responsibility has been assigned to it. The Bureau has been making continuous efforts to upgrade the knowledge and skills of the police professionals and the Correctional Administration officials through well

researched articles published in the Indian Police Journal on topics of Contemporary Policing, Forensics, HR, Technology, Correctional Administration, etc. On the eve of the Golden Jubilee of the BPR&D, the Bureau published a special issue of the IPJ on Internal Security, April-June, 2020, edition, which was released by the DG on 17.11.2020.

COMMUNAL HARMONY WEEK

Communal Harmony Week was organized at the BPR&D Hqrs. from the 19th to 25th November, 2020. Officers / staff made voluntary donations, with enthusiasm, which was remitted to the Secretary, National Foundation for Communal Harmony, New Delhi.

Smt. Rani Bindu Sachdeva, IPS, Director, CDTI-Chandigarh making a donation.



Staff of BPR&D HQ making a donation to the National Foundation for Communal Harmony



DECEMBER 2020

Release of News Bulletin

1 December, 2020
New Delhi

The Special Police Division, in the process of capturing the events and activities of the Bureau, released the BPR&D News Bulletin (July-Sept. 2020, edition) on 1.12.2020. This edition consists of the activities undertaken by the Bureau and its outlying units to celebrate the Golden Jubilee of the founding of the BPR&D.



Meetings of the Committee on Establishment of the Modus Operandi Bureau (M.O.B.) convened on 10.11.2020 and 15.12.2020, through VC.



Shri Santosh Mehra, ADG/Chairman M.O.B. presiding over the meeting.

OCTOBER 2020

Community Policing for Youth

22 October, 2020
New Delhi

A sub-group meeting on the project, "Community Policing for Youth", was organized on October 22, 2020, through video conferencing. The draft project report was presented during the meeting. Suggestions for more detailed description of College Police Cadets (CPC), including a programme for school drop outs and the need for robust institutional mechanism, were taken up.

A meeting on the project, "GRP Help App and Crime Free India", was organized on October 29, 2020, through video conference. The project involves application based complaint registration, crime investigation and further follow up in the Railways. A team of BPR&D and NCRB would study the process for nationwide roll out of the project.

OCTOBER 2020

GRP Help App and Crime Free India

29 October, 2020
New Delhi



NOVEMBER 2020

National Level Conference on Student Police Cadet Programme

18 November, 2020
New Delhi

A national level Conference of the Nodal Officers of the Student Police Cadet Programme was organised on the 18th November, 2020, at the BPR&D Hqrs. The purpose was to introduce the newly made SPC website and to ascertain the progress of the SPC Programme in various States and UTs. During the Conference, detailed discussions were held on achievements, problems in implementation and the way forward for the SPC program.

OCTOBER 2020

Safe City Indicators

14 December, 2020
Kolkata

The final presentation on the project, "Safe City Indicators" was held on Dec 14, 2020. The project aims at developing the parameters for safe cities. During the presentation, several suggestions were made on various dimensions relevant to the project. The project report is likely to be finalized soon.

A presentation on E-Beat App by Shri Vineet Kumar, SP, Chandigarh, in connection with the project "Strengthening the Beat System" was organized at the BPR&D Hqrs on October 9, 2020. The sub-group further met on Dec 14, 2020. The project has been completed and circulated to States/UTs.

The project involves detailed analysis of beat policing system in India and recommends IT and IT-enabled enforcement equipment. The project can minimize the paper work of the beats under police stations and help in database update on real time basis. The project will also strengthen police-public partnership and overall law enforcement.

NOVEMBER 2020

Strengthening the Beat System

9 October, 2020
New Delhi

CAPT staff distributed usable clothes for about 300 people from underprivileged families ahead of Diwali festival at its Community Hall on 12, Nov., 2020. Director, CAPT, distributed sweets to the staff and conveyed Diwali greetings on behalf of the DG BPR&D.



NOVEMBER 2020

Distribution of Usable Clothes at CAPT

12 November, 2020
Bhopal

The report of the Project, "CAWCH – Crime Against Women – Check & Halt (Prevention Strategies)", was completed. The project involves the use of technology, creation of infrastructure and procedures for prevention of crimes against women. It visualizes creation of environment for safety and better living for women. The project report has been circulated to DGPs and IGPs of all States/UTs.

OCTOBER 2020

CAWCH: Crime Against Women-Check & Halt (Prevention Strategies)

29 October, 2020
Kolkata



During this quarter, our CDTIs, conducted, 61 online courses in which a total of 1670 personnel were trained in multiple domains, including Investigation of Cyber Crime, Use of Technology in Prison Administration, Collection and Preservation of Digital Evidence, Woman Safety, CBRN Warfare Cases, Disaster Management, Investigation of Smuggling of Antiques & Other Art Objects, Investigation of Traffic Accident Cases & Traffic Management, Investigation of Crypto Currency & Dark Web Cases, Investigation of Cyber Crime Cases, Investigation Abroad/ Mutual Legal Assistance Treaty (MLAT)/LR, Investigation of Crime against Children (NCPDR), Collection & Preservation of Digital Evidence, Training Programme for Investigators on 'Woman Safety', Prevention of Atrocities against SC/ST/ Weaker Sections, Handling of CCTV Footage and DVR Forensics, among others.

OCT.-DEC 2020

Online Courses and Webinars conducted at CDTIs

A virtual Training of Trainers on GIS Applications was organised for a select team of BPR&D officials from Nov 2 to 13, 2020, at the Space Technology Application Centre (STAC), BPR&D Hqrs, with active collaboration of the Advanced Data Research Institute (ADRIN), a wing of ISRO. The course included customised GIS software for Border Operations (BOPS), Counter Insurgency/Militancy/ LWE Operations (COPS), Urban Operations (UOPS) and Crime Mapping Analysis & Prediction System (CMAPS), for enhancing the effectiveness and efficacy of ground operations in various terrains and blended threat environment.

NOVEMBER 2020

Virtual Training of Trainers on GIS at STAC

2-13 November, 2020
New Delhi

DECEMBER, 2020

Project on "Investigation Techniques"

11 December, 2020
New Delhi

The final report of the project, "Investigation Techniques: Preparation of Guidelines for Investigation of Crimes against Women" was presented on the 11th Dec., 2020.

Suggestions/comments received on the Project Report were taken up for incorporation in the report. The project involves creation of SoPs and checklists for Investigating Officers, to enable them to improve the quality of investigation work associated with crimes against women.

DECEMBER 2020

स्वच्छता पखवाडा

1-15 दिसंबर, 2020
गाज़ियाबाद

केंद्रीय गुप्तचर प्रशिक्षण संस्थान, गाज़ियाबाद, में दिनांक 01.12.2020 से 15.12.2020 तक स्वच्छता पखवाडा मनाया गया जिस क्रम में दिनांक 04.12.2020 को संस्था के निदेशक, श्री अम्बर किशोर झा, द्वारा सभी अधिकारियों और कार्मिकों को स्वच्छता शपथ दिलाई गई तथा ऑनलाइन ट्रेनिंग के दौरान प्रशिक्षुओं को स्वच्छता सम्बंधित विडियो फिल्म दिखाई गई।

CAPT, Bhopal, has successfully conducted 28 online training events, including online courses and webinars in the last quarter of the year 2020. A total of 1827 officers from various state police forces, correctional services, prosecution department and CAPFs participated in these online training events.

OCT.-DEC 2020

Online Courses and Webinars at CAPT

October - December, 2020
Bhopal



A special TV program, "Shahadat", on Doordarshan MP channel, featuring Sh. Pawan Srivastava, Director, CAPT, was telecast on the Police Commemoration Day, 21 Oct. During this 30 min TV program, the Director, CAPT, talks about sacrifices of policemen, challenges and the contribution of policemen to the society.



OCTOBER 2020

TV program "Shahadat" on Doordarshan MP

21 October, 2020
Bhopal



Farewell to Sh. Om Parkash, DIG, on his repatriation to his parent cadre



Farewell to Sh. Sudhir Kumar, DIG,
on his repatriation to his parent cadre



Farewell to Sh. A K Vidyarthi, SP, on his repatriation to his parent cadre



Farewell to Sh. Devbrat Negi, SP, on his repatriation to his parent cadre



Farewell to Sh. Fakhir Chand Bisht, MTS, on his retirement



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