

PRESS NOTE
Imphal, the 17th June 2026

- I. The overall law-and-order situation in the state during the last 24 hours was normal.
- II. On 17.06.2026, security forces recovered, inter alia, the following during intensive search operations at multiple locations (Leilon Vaiphei, Leilon Khunou, L. Munlui and Konsakhul villages) within the jurisdiction of Leimakhong-PS, Kangpokpi district:
- i) 11 (eleven) 12 bore SBBLs,
 - ii) 294 (two hundred ninety four) live rounds ammunition of 12 bore gun,
 - iii) 02 (two) packages of gun powder,
 - iv) 34 (thirty-four) empty cases of 12 bore ammunition, and
 - v) 06 (six) Bullet proof vest.

Thirty bunkers, outposts and strategic camp sites found in the vicinity of these villages were dismantled.

Four individuals were also detained during the operation for further verification.

- III. Intelligence based combing, cordon and search operations are being carried out extensively to nab those involved in extortion and criminal activities in the state:
1. On 16.06.2026, security forces arrested an active cadre of SOREPA, one Loukrakpam Ibungo Meitei alias John (42) of Irom Meijrao Maning Leikai, Imphal West district from Kongpal Iranpham Thongkhong under Porompat-PS, Imphal East district.
 2. On 16.06.2026, security forces arrested an active cadre of KCP (MFL), one Heikrujam Hitler Meitei @ Rishi (18) of Ningthoukhong Kha Leikai, Ward No. 6, Bishnupur district from Kongba Laishram Leikai area under Porompat-PS, Imphal East district.
- IV. On 17.06.2026, security forces destroyed an unauthorised Check Post and a bunker at S. Nabil village and Loilamkoi village under Churachandpur-PS, Churachandpur district.
- V. On 17.06.2026, security forces destroyed 04 (four) Morcha/bunkers at different locations under Saikul-PS, Kangpokpi district: two bunkers each at Thingphai Village and at C. Kholen Village.
- VI. Movement of **300** vehicles carrying essential items along NH-37 has been ensured. Strict security measures are taken up in all vulnerable locations and security convoy is provided in sensitive stretches in order to ensure free and safe movement of the vehicles.
- VII. A total of **116** Nakas/Check points were installed in different districts of Manipur, both in the hills and the valley.
- VIII. Appeal is made to public not to believe in rumour and be vigilant of false videos. The veracity of any circulation of unfounded videos, audio clips etc. may be confirmed from the number-9233522822 of Central Control Room. Moreover, there are possibilities of many fake posts being circulated on social media. It is hereby cautioned that uploading and circulation of such fake posts on social media will attract legal action with consequences. Further, appeal is made to public to return the looted arms, ammunition and explosives to the police or nearest security forces immediately.


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