

PRESS NOTE
Imphal, the 2nd July 2026

- I. The overall law-and-order situation in the state during the last 24 hours was normal.
- II. Security forces continue to conduct search operations and area domination in the fringe and vulnerable areas across districts resulting in recovery of arms and ammunition:
1. On 02.07.2026, security forces recovered from the foothills of Kumbi Setupur near Kumbi Sagolpat under Kumbi-PS, Bishnupur district, the following:
 - i. 01 (one) M-16 Rifle with magazine,
 - ii. 01 (one) 9mm Pistol with magazine,
 - iii. 03 (three) S&W guns,
 - iv. 01 (one) Pompl,
 - v. 05 (five) Pompl bombs,
 - vi. 04 (four) No. 36 HE hand grenades,
 - vii. 32 (thirty two) live rounds ammunition,
 - viii. 03 (three) INSAS magazines and
 - ix. Other miscellaneous items.
 2. On 02.07.2026, security forces recovered from the general area of Chaljang village in Joup under Molcham-PS, Chandel district, the following:
 - i. 01 (one) AK 56 Assault Rifle,
 - ii. 05 (five) Magazines,
 - iii. 10 (ten) Single Bore Rifles,
 - iv. 05 (five) Baofeng Radio Sets with Chargers and
 - v. 02 (two) 12 mm Gauge Shotguns.
 3. On 02.07.2026, Manipur Police recovered from Wakha Ching area under Porompat-PS, Imphal East district, the following:
 - i. 02 (two) .32 Pistols,
 - ii. 01 (one) 12 Bore Pump Action S&W,
 - iii. 01 (one) Double Barrel gun,
 - iv. 01 (one) Single Barrel Gun,
 - v. 05 (five) 36 Hand Grenades,
 - vi. 03 (three) Hand Grenade Detonators,
 - vii. 01 (one) Lathode shell,
 - viii. 02 (two) 2" Mortar HE Bombs,
 - ix. 05 (five) Tube Launchers,
 - x. 02 (two). 32 Pistol Magazines,
 - xi. 86 (eighty six) live rounds ammunition,
 - xii. 20 (twenty) Barrel Cartridges,
 - xiii. 09 (nine) 7.62mm Empty cases, and
 - xiv. Military fatigues consisting of jackets and boots.
- 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 01.07.2026, security forces arrested an active cadre, a s/s Private of PREPAK, one Sorokhaibam Donjao Meitei @ Taibang (44) of Heikrujam Maning Leikai, Nambol-PS, Bishnupur district from Nagamapal Kangjabi Leirak area, Imphal West district.

2. On 01.07.2026, security forces arrested an active cadre of RPF/PLA, one Athokpam Joychandra Singh alias Ibungcha (45) of Nongpok Sanjenbam Kambong Pat, Imphal East district from Sanjenbam Khullen area under Lamal-PS, Imphal East district.
- IV. On 01.07.2026, Manipur Police arrested from Kelshampat area an accused person in a FIR registered at Imphal-PS related to house-breaking and theft of fifteen (15) bags of rice from Kelshamthong High School godown, one Walkhom Michael Singh (24) of Yarou Bamdiar Makha Leikal under Nambol-PS.
Investigation is underway to verify his involvement in other similar cases of burglary and to recover the stolen items.
- V. On 02.07.2026, security forces destroyed 02 (two) bunkers each at Thoyee village/Mahadev Top and Jalenbung village under Litan-PS, Ukhrul district.
- VI. In observance of Rashtriya Ekta Diwas, 2026, 6th India Reserve Battalion organised a 5 kms run today from Khurai Salanthong to the battalion headquarters, Pangel. The run was followed by a cleanliness drive wherein officers and personnel of the battalion took active participation. The event concluded with distribution of awards to the winners of the 5 kms run and other personnel who contributed to planting of saplings in the battalion compound and its maintenance.
- VII. Movement of **369** 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 to ensure free and safe movement of the vehicles.
- VIII. A total of **113** Nakas/Check points were installed in different districts of Manipur, both in the hills and the valley.
- IX. 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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