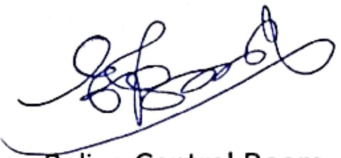


PRESS NOTE
Imphal, the 25th July, 2026

- 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 25.07.2026, security forces recovered from Akham-Lamdeng stretch under Lamsang-PS, Imphal West district, the following:
 - i. 02 (two) modified .303 Rifles,
 - ii. 04 (four) bolt action single barrel guns,
 - iii. 04 (four) 9 mm pistols,
 - iv. 01 (one) Chinese hand grenade and
 - v. 15 (fifteen) barrel cartridges.
 2. On 25.07.2026, security forces recovered from Shangkai village and Mongkot Chepu village and its surrounding area under Litan-PS, Ukhrul district, the following:
 - i. 01 (one) Local made pompi gun,
 - ii. 01 (one) 12 bore rifle,
 - iii. 09 (nine) live rounds ammunition of different calibers, and
 - iv. Home-made improvised mortar shell and IED.
- 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 24.07.2026, security forces arrested an active cadre of KYKL from Wangoo Sandangkhang area under Wangoo-PS, Kakching district, one Moirangthem Gandhi alias Loingamba Singh (19) of Chairel Khongnang Leikai, Kakching district.
 2. On 25.07.2026, Manipur Police arrested an active cadre of KCP (City Meitei), one Yaikhom Abhinash Meetei alias Naoba alias Abi (26) from Kongpal Khongkham Leikai under Porompat-PS, Imphal East district.
 3. On 25.07.2026, Manipur Police arrested from Thoubal Bazar two active cadres of UNLF (P) involved in recruitment of cadres:
 - i) Mutum Seitaraj Singh alias Samlang (31) and
 - ii) Thounaojam Rakesh Meitei alias Amuba alias Pangeingakpa (35).A Maruti Suzuki Swift car was seized from the duo.
- IV. On 25.07.2026, during a raid at a workshop- Highway Auto Care Workshop- at Patsoi Lamkhai along NH-37, security forces recovered 30 soap cases of Brown Sugar weighing 346 grams from a Pajero (MN07D-3481) stationed at the workshop. The co-owners of the workshop have been arrested:
 - i) Sheikh Salauddin (46) of Odisha, and
 - ii) Chongtham Anilkumar Singh (38) of Patsoi Part-IV.
- V. In continuation of an ongoing investigation of a FIR case under ND&PS Act registered at Churachandpur-PS, Manipur Police on 24.07.2026 arrested one Mrs. Zengaihniang (56) of Gouchinkhup Veng, New Lamka, Churachandpur district. A sum of Rs 28,78,400 suspected to be proceeds from drug-related crime was recovered. The arrestee is involved in sending huge amount of money to suspected beneficiaries of drug trade in Myanmar. Five cash registers and a cash-counting machine were also recovered.

- VI. Following registration of FIR case at PGCI-PS regarding the theft of a Mahindra Bolero (AR-28-0126), Manipur Police recovered the stolen vehicle from Churachandpur town area.
- VII. Movement of **412** 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 **112** 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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