PRESS NOTE
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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.

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 02.09.2026, based on reliable intelligence corroborated by 31 AR, CDO/Imphal East arrested Yensembam Rajesh Meitei @ Abung @ Khana (28) from Lamlong Bazar, Imphal East.

   He had impersonated himself as a member of KCP (MFL) and extorted money from a shop at Konung Mamang in the name of the outfit.

2. On 02.09.2026, based on input corroborated with 33 AR, a team of CDO-IW conducted search operation at Ghari Awang Leikai and arrested an active member of UNLF (K), namely Yengkokpam Malemnganba Meitei (29) @ Motu S/o. Y. Shamu Singh of Charangpat Mamang Leikai, Thoubal District, for being involved in extortion activities.
   Recovery:
   i. One Mahindra Bolero white in colour bearing registration no. MN06LB 9916
   In the follow up action, two active members of UNLF (K) were also arrested, namely:
   (1) Salam Tomba Singh (22) @ Tondonba S/o. S. Ibomcha Singh of Khabam Bamdiar Mayai Leikai, Imphal West District
   (2) Konsam Vivek Meitei (21) S/o. K. Homendro Singh of Charangpat Maklang Mayai Leikai, Thoubal District.

IV. On 02.09.2026, based on reliable intelligence corroborated by 28 AR, CDO/Imphal East arrested two drug peddlers from Thoubal Phoudel, Thoubal District:
1. Akoijam Sushil Meitei @ Inaoton (43) and
2. Thoiba Nameirakpam @ Ibungo (31).
Seizure: 22.4 kg of Ganja (Cannabis) and two mobile phones.

V. On 02.09.2026, a joint team of Jiribam District Police, CRPF and AR intercepted a truck (AS 01 LC 7631) at Makha Basti, Jiribam and recovered 10.8 Kgs of Brown Sugar/Heroin which was kept concealed in the roof portion of the truck.
The driver, Azahar Hussain @ Monu, S/o (L) Babul Hussain, of New Khairabad F.V., Lalpani, Cachar, Assam, was arrested.

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 to ensure free and safe movement of the vehicles.

VII. A total of **110** 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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