

PRESS NOTE
Imphal, the 29th September, 2026.

- I. The overall law-and-order situation in the state during the last 24 hours was normal.
- II. A pipping ceremony was held today at Police Headquarters, Manipur, to mark the promotion of Ms. Diksha Langthasa, IPS and Shri Jay Barange, IPS to the rank of Additional Superintendent of Police (Addl. SP).

The rank badges were pinned by Shri Mukesh Singh, IPS, Director General of Police, Manipur and the ADGP (L&O) Manipur.

On promotion, Ms. Diksha Langthasa, IPS has been posted as Addl. SP (L&O) Chandel while Shri Jay Barange, IPS has been posted as Addl. SP(L&O), Imphal West

The DGP congratulated both officers and conveyed his best wishes for their new assignments.

- III. A farewell programme was organized today at Police Headquarters, Manipur, in honour of Shri Th. Krishnatombi Singh, MPS, SP Railways, on the occasion of his voluntary retirement from service.

The programme was attended by the Director General of Police, Manipur and senior officers of Manipur Police. During the event, a bouquet, lengyan and memento were presented to Shri Th. Krishnatombi as a mark of appreciation for his dedicated service and contributions to the department.

Addressing the gathering, the DGP thanked Shri Th. Krishnatombi for his long, dedicated and distinguished service to Manipur Police, and for his valuable contributions to the State and the Nation. He conveyed his best wishes for a healthy, happy and fulfilling retired life.

- IV. Security forces continue to conduct search operations and area domination in the fringe and vulnerable areas across districts.

- V. 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 28-09-2026, a joint team of CDO/Imphal East and Security Forces conducted operation at Sanjenbam Khunou and arrested one active member of KCP (Nongdrenkhomba) namely Waikhom Hero Meetei @ Ibomcha (23).

He was involved along with other cadres of the outfit in the kidnapping of a woman from her residence at Top Awang Leikai earlier.

He is being handed over to Lamai PS for further legal action.

2. On 28-09-2026, teams of Special CDO Unit, Khabeisoi arrested Waikhom Sena (24) yrs S/o Waikhom Sanayaima of Luwangsangbam Mamang Leikai, Lane No. 7, Imphal East District, an active member of NRFM who was publishing and drafting articles on behalf of NRFM on social media and dailies, and involved in unauthorised money transaction. He is also President of Manipur Student Federation (MSF), Imphal East.

The following recoveries were made from his residence:

- (i) Rs. 2,67,500/- (535 nos. of Rs. 500 denomination) extorted money,
(ii) One Apple MacBook, used for drafting articles/press releases of the organisation.

3. On 28-09-2026, CDO-Bishnupur arrested one active member of NRFM namely Md. Islaouddin @ Ibosana (55) S/o (L) Md. Jaheruddin of Lilong Mairan Khun from Lilong Tairen Makhong for involvement in recruitment of new cadres.

4. On 28-09-2026, a joint team of CDO-Thoubal and Security Forces launched search operation in general area Nungbrang.

During the search, one active member of RPF/PLA namely Thangjam Jayenta Meitei @ Thoi (45) S/o Th. Kuber of Nungbrang Awang Leikai, Imphal East District, who was providing logistic support to RPF/PLA, was arrested.

He has been handed over to Nongpok Sekmai-PS for further necessary action.

- VI. Cyber Crime Police Station, Manipur registered an FIR for posting obscene and derogatory remarks against a woman on Facebook.

During investigation, the perpetrator, identified as Shri Paonam Dhaneshwor (58) yrs S/o (L) P. Kulla Singh of Khurai Kongpal Sajor Leikai, Imphal East District has been arrested.

Investigation of the case is in progress.

Citizens are advised to refrain from posting or sharing obscene, or objectionable content on social media platforms that may cause harassment, humiliation or harm to the dignity and reputation of individuals.

- VII. On 28-09-2026, based on reliable intelligence, a joint team of Imphal East District Police, Security Forces and YADAM conducted an anti-narcotics operation at Nongmeibung under Porompat PS, and arrested two persons, both residents of Kwakta:

1. Md. Ayub Khan (24),
2. Md. Tomba (30).

Seizure:

- (i) 12 soap cases containing suspected Heroin No. 4 weighing 157 grams (net)
- (ii) One Maruti Suzuki Van bearing Regd. No. MN01CS-3664.

- VIII. On 28-09-2026, a team of Porompat PS located an abandoned A-Star car bearing Regd. No. MN01W-9822 at Kshetrigao Sabal Leikai.

During search, 12 soap cases containing suspected heroin powder weighing 327 grams (net) were recovered from a bag kept on the rear seat of the vehicle.

The seized contraband and vehicle have been taken into custody for further legal action.

- IX. On 28-09-2026, a team of CDO-Kakching detected 40 boxes of Beer cans at Pallel Maning Leikai area from an individual namely Shanker Singh (43 yrs) S/o Ram Nirekhan Singh of Rajwara Ghorasahan, East Champaran, Bihar, A/P Molnoi, Tengnoupal District, which were kept concealed inside Maruti Van (MN07D-1743).

- X. On 29.09.2026, Tamenglong District Police intercepted 260 litres of Illegal DIC Liquor along Tamenglong - Khongshang Road under Tamenglong PS.

- XI. On 25-09-2026, Bishnupur District Police arrested one drug peddler namely Munna Chesam (27) S/o Md. Yakub of Kwakta Ward No. 8 from Nachou Panthong Makha Leikai along with five soap cases containing suspected heroin powder weighing approximately 60 grams.

The following articles were also seized:

- (i) One Maestro Scooter, white colour, B/No. MN01AM-0169
- (ii) One TVS Jupiter Scooter, B/No. MN04H-2707
- (iii) One mobile phone.

- XII. Movement of **150** 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.

- XIII. A total of **111** Nakas/Check points were installed in different districts of Manipur, both in the hills and the valley.

XIV. 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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