PRESS NOTE

Hyderabad, June 24, 2025 – A crucial high-level coordination meeting was held today to finalize arrangements for Muharram in Hyderabad. The meeting, chaired by Sri C.V. Anand IPS, DG and Commissioner of Police, Hyderabad, brought together Shia community religious leaders, other community members, and officials from various government departments.

During Muharram, particularly on the 10th day of Ashura, Shia Muslims observe mourning to commemorate the martyrdom of Imam Hussain and his followers. This observance includes a large mourning procession (Matam), with thousands of Shia Muslims participating. This year, Muharram is expected to fall on July 6 or 7, 2025, depending on the crescent moon sighting. The procession traditionally begins at Bibi-ka-Alam, Dabeerpura, and proceeds through Ettebar Chowk, Kotla Aliza, Panjesha, Miralam Mandi, Charminar-Gulzar House, Purani Haveli, Darulshifa, concluding at Masjid-e-llahi, Chaderghat.

The Meeting Held at the Salarjung Museum, the meeting included comprehensive reviews of security, traffic management, and other essential arrangements. Officials from departments such as GHMC, R&B, Waterworks, Electricity, Medical & Health, Fire Services, Nehru Zoological Park, and the Telangana Waqf Board provided their insights and feedback.

Sri C.V. Anand IPS emphasized that the Police Department, in close coordination with all other departments, has taken proactive measures to ensure the Muharram Bibi-ka-Alam procession is conducted peacefully. He assured that sufficient vehicle parking facilities and traffic diversion plans would be implemented to prevent any inconvenience for participants. He also detailed the deployment of All Police Stations crime teams, police platoons, and She Teams to maintain order and deter any untoward incidents, particularly eve-teasing. Drawing from past experiences, the Commissioner affirmed that all efforts are being made to prevent any issues this year. He also pledged that concerns raised by community members during the meeting would be addressed in coordination with relevant departmental officers.

Regarding the elephant that participates in the procession, the Commissioner advised that it should be brought 2-3 days prior to the event to ensure it is well-rested. He stressed the importance of maintaining a safe perimeter around the elephant during the procession, ensuring people do not approach it too closely. Organizers were also advised to have a veterinarian and tranquilizer readily available to handle any unforeseen circumstances.

Senior officers from the Traffic Department will be on-site to closely monitor the traffic diversion plan and the procession's movement. Additionally, senior officials will oversee the procession at the ground level, with the entire route being continuously monitored via CCTV cameras from the Command Control Centre, TGICCC, Banjara Hills, in coordination with all departmental officers.

The meeting was attended by Smt. Sneha Mehra, IPS, DCP, South Zone; Sri Mirza Riaz ul Hasan Effendi, MLC; Sri Zafar Hussain, MLA, Yakutpura; Sri Mir Zulfikar Ali, MLA, Charminar; DCsP special branch, traffic, Technical and religious heads Dr.Moulana Nissar Hussain, Sri.Najjaf Ali Shoukat, Sri.Mujtaba Markaji Anjuman, Sri.Syed Azmathullah hussain ,Chairman Wakf Board ,Moulana Syed Waheeduddin Hyder Jaffri, Sri Raghuprasad Addl.Commissioner, GHMC other key officials.

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MARKET POLICE apprehended 18 members of a dacoit gang AND RECOVERRED around ₹ 43 LAKHS CASH & about 59 grams of gold.

FACT OF THE CASE:

Market Police have registered a case based on a dacoity complaint filed by Sri Hariram, resident of Bowenpally. The complainant reported that a known person, Radheshyam, offered him a deal for purchasing 1 KG of gold at a 5% discount on the market rate, on the condition of payment in liquid cash. Initially, the complainant was introduced to a group of five unknown persons. Later, Radheshyam and Rambabu visited the complainant's office to verify the availability of the liquid cash and confirmed the same to their associates over the phone. Subsequently, four unknown individuals entered the premises, posing as officials from the SOT Rachakonda Commissionerate. One among them identified himself as Keshavulu and displayed ID card. These individuals then assaulted the complainant and took away bag along with the mobile phones of the complainant, Rambabu, and Radheshyam, while issuing threats. They fled the scene using a car and two bikes.

Details of Accused arrested:

- A-1: Chandra Shekar Verma, S/o N. Ramakrishna Raju (38), Krishna District, AP
- A-2: Nagaraju Kumar Verma, S/o N. Ramakrishna Raju (33), Krishna District, AP
- A-4: Bodduju Praveen Chary, S/o Late Satyam (26), Srisailam, AP
- A-5: Meesala Keshavulu, S/o M. Veera Swamy (33), TGSP Constable, Nagar Kurnool, AP
- A-6: Bollepally Vijaya Sekhar Raju, S/o Hanuma Raju (45), Nalgonda District, TG
- A-7: Rehni Vinod Kumar @ Vinay, S/o R. Hari Lal (36), Chandanagar, Lingampally
- A-9: Bhukya Rambabu Naik, S/o Nageshwar Rao (23), Jagadgirigutta, Medchal-Malkajgiri
- A-10: Sunkaripally Bhanu Prakash, S/o S. Vishnu Murthy (22), Kukatpally, Hyderabad
- A-11: Shaik Nabi @ Shahrukh Khan, S/o Late Shaik Khader (24), Reinbazar, Yakutpura
- A-12: Kella Uma Mahesh, S/o Prasad (24), West Godavari District
- A-13: Mantri Venkatesh, S/o Laxmi Narayana (49), Uppal, Medchal-Malkajgiri
- A-16: Radheshyam Mundada, S/o Kamal Kishore Mundada (26), Rasoolpura, Secunderabad
- A-17: N. Tirumalesh @ Tony, S/o Late N. Anjanna (28), Mahabubnagar District

- A-18: Tanga Dinesh Sai, S/o Late Srinivasa Rao (31), Manikonda, Hyderabad
- A-19: Roshan Sunil, S/o Thomous (27), Yapral, Balajinagar, Medchal-Malkajgiri
- A-20: Geedi Aravind, S/o Late G. Dashrath (21), Yapral, Medchal-Malkajgiri
- A-21: Yerolla Rajesh, S/o Late Y. Shiva Lingam (30), Yapral, Medchal-Malkajgiri
- A-22: Chepuri Surender @ Chinnu, S/o C. Ramulu (26), Jawahar Nagar, Medchal-Malkajgiri

Details of Accused Absconding:

A-3 Suresh, A-8 Teja, A-14 Srikanth, A-15 Sai Baba, A-23 Auto Baba @ Babloo, A-24 Ashok, A-25 Pasha, A-26 Bhaskar, A-27 Mahesh, A-28 Farooq.

SEIZURES MADE:

- 1. Net cash of ₹43,21,200/-
- 2. Gold ornaments weighing 57.193 grams worth approx. 6L
- 3. One Swift Dzire car
- 4. One Kia Carens car
- 5. Four two-wheelers
- 6. 23 mobile phones

MODUS OPERANDI:

A-1 and A-2, who are brothers, devised a plan to impersonate gold traders offering gold at a 5% discounted rate to lure victims with large amounts of liquid cash. Their actual intent was to stage a robbery during the transaction. A-2 contacted A-3 Suresh, who claimed to have connections in Pot Market. Upon Suresh's confirmation, A-1 and A-2 decided to go ahead. A meeting was held at Blue Sea Hotel on 18.06.2025 with members A-1 to A-15 to finalize the plan. Later, A-2 and others met the complainant and convinced him of the legitimacy of the gold deal. A-15 even showed an online account balance to build trust. Subsequently, Rambabu and the complainant went to his office to verify the cash, and the location was shared with the robbers. Following the plan, A-5 (Keshavulu) along with A-6, A-7, and A-8 arrived at the location posing as police officers, seized the cash and mobile phones, and fled. While escaping, Keshavulu handed over the cash to Rambabu, who then left on a bike with Bhanu (A-10).

During their escape, four individuals from a separate "Vehicle Recovery Team" (A-19 to A-22) who recognized Bhanu's bike as an EMI default vehicle intercepted them at Trimulgherry, searched the bag, found the cash, and robbed it under threat of false police

action. After learning about this incident, A-1 confronted Bhanu and others. A-13, Venkatesh, then summoned local associates who detained and assaulted Bhanu and others at Ghatkesar.

INVESTIGATION PROGRESS:

Through the examination of over 100 CCTV cameras and witness statements credible information, the investigation revealed the involvement of two distinct criminal groups:

The original dacoity gang who executed the fake gold deal and robbed the complainant.

A secondary group reportedly a vehicle seizure team, who robbed the original robbers.

SUPERVISION:

The swift detection and recovery were accomplished by Sri V. Ramchander, SHO, Market PS, Sri Shakeer Ali, DI, SIs Shiv Shankar, N. Giridhar, Smt. K. Mamatha, Lakshminarayana of Ramgopalpet and staff of Crime Teams under the close supervision of Ms. Rashmi Perumal, IPS, DCP, North Zone, Sri P. Ashok, Addl. DCP, North Zone, Sri S. Saidaiah, ACP, Mahankali Division,

APPEAL TO THE PUBLIC:

The public is hereby cautioned not to fall prey to fraudulent schemes promising gold or other commodities at unusually low prices. Please verify any such claims thoroughly and report suspicious activities to the police immediately to help prevent such crimes.

Ms Rashmi Perumal, IPS

Deputy Commissioner of Police

North Zone, Hyderabad City.

ANTI-DRUG AWARENESS PROGRAMME CONDUCTED AT Sultan-ul-Uloom Junior College, Banjara Hills, HYDERABAD

Today i.e. on 24-06-2025, the Hyderabad Narcotics Enforcement Wing (H-NEW) conducted an Anti-Drug Awareness Programme at Sultan-ul-Uloom Junior College, Banjara Hills, Hyderabad to educate the students on the dangers of Narcotics substance and to promote a drug-free lifestyle.

During the programme, Sri Y.V.S. Sudheendra, Dy.Commissioner of Police, Task Force/H-NEW, addressed the gathering and enlightened the students about the harmful effects of drug abuse and how to stay away from such influences in educational institutions. The DCP explained how drug abuse ruins students' bright futures and highlighted the legal consequences they may face. Additionally, the DCP advised students not to fall prey to drugs and to avoid friendships that promote substance abuse.

In this programme Dr.Anupama Koneru, In-Charge and the Principal and management of Sultan-ul-Uloom Junior College, Banjara Hills appreciated the initiative of Hyderabad Narcotics Enforcement Wing (H-NEW), stating that such programmes are crucial in empowering students to make informed decisions, understand the consequences of drug abuse, and build healthy lifestyles.

The Hyderabad Narcotics Enforcement Wing (H-NEW) reaffirmed its commitment in conducting regular awareness drives in educational institutions to safeguard youth from the menace of drugs and to make Hyderabad a Drug free city.

In this programme Sri S. Bala Swamy, Inspector of Police, Hyderabad Narcotics Enforcement Wing (H-NEW) and his team Sri Satyanarayana, Inspector of Police, Hyderabad City Security Council (HCSC) are also participated.

Deputy Commissioner of Police,
Commissioner's Task Force,
Hyd. Narcotics Enforcement Wing
Hyderabad.

Dated: 24-06-2025

PRESS NOTE

As per the instructions of Jt. Commissioner of Police, Traffic, Hyderabad City Traffic Police of North and West zones have conducted special drive against drivers of school buses and autos from 18-06-2025. During this Drunk and Drive on 18.6.2025 while conducting vehicle checking at Maitrivanam Junction we have caught a person by name Y.Shiva Reddy S/o Anji Reddy Age:35 yrs, who was driving the bus of Sri chaitanya School, SR Nagar bearing number AP09 TA 4290 under the influence of Alcohol with BAC of 202 mg/100 ml of Blood. upon which a case was registered against him. Today i.e. 24.6.2025 the said person was produced before the Honorable court along with chargesheet. Wherein the Honble court has awarded him a punishment for (2) days imprisonment and sent him to chanchalguda Jail.

The Hyderabad Traffic police will continue this special drive for safety of school children and request the parents and school managements to check the bus and auto drivers before sending their children to school.

(RAHUL HEGDE, B.K., IPS.,)

Dy. Commissioner of Police,

Traffic-1, Hyderabad.

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