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**Press Release**



A delegation of Ex-Servicemen pinned a special flag on Hon'ble Lt Governor, Admiral D K Joshi PVSM, AVSM, YSM, NM, VSM (Retd.), to mark the "Armed Forces Flag Day" at Raj Niwas on 7<sup>th</sup> December, 2017. As a token for appreciation for the role of the Armed Forces in safeguarding the country, the Lt Governor also donated for Armed Forces Flag Day fund. Since 1949, Armed Forces Flag Day is observed every year on December 7.

## **Celebration of Home Guard Raising Day**

The Andaman & Nicobar Home Guard Organization celebrated its Raising Day at Drill Hall, Police Lines on 06/12/2017. An impressive ceremonial parade consisting of 04 platoons of the Home Guards

(including one platoon of Lady Home Guards) headed by Shri Naveen Kumar, Assistant Commandant/IRBn as Parade Commander was held, in which Ms. Nuzhat Hassan, Director General of Police, A&N Islands took the salute of the ceremonial parade. Around 300 Police personnel of A&N Police/IRBn and Home Guards personnel were present to witness this grand event.

Addressing the gathering, the chief guest lauded the services rendered by the Home Guard personnel. The Home Guard Voluntary Organization was established in the country in the year 1962 and in Andaman & Nicobar Islands, the same was established on 10/10/1965 for use in emergencies and for other purpose in the Union Territory. Presently, the Home Guards are being deployed at various units under A&N Police for Law & Order, Traffic Management and other multifarious duties. Besides, Home Guards are being deployed at various vital installations like VSI Airport, ISPW, District Jail, Special Bureau, PBMC, Juvenile Home, etc.

During this function, the Director General of Police congratulated and presented the Hon'ble President's Home Guard Medal for Meritorious Service to HG(R)/221 M.V. Prasannakumar, which was awarded to him on the eve of Republic Day-2016. The Chief Guest concluded the speech by expressing best wishes to all Home Guard personnel. The Raising Day celebration was held under the supervision of Ms. Usha Rangnani, Commandant, A&N Home Guard Organization.



## **Three days short course on Leadership and Management**

The Police Training School, A&N Islands organized a three days course on "Leadership and Management" recently for in-service Police personnel from the rank of Police Constable to Inspector under the overall supervision of Smt. Usha Rangnani, Principal, PTS. The main objective of the course is to upgrade the skills of Police personnel and to enhance the proficiency in their respective field. During the training programme Shri K. Michal Raj, DANIPS, Vice Principal, PTS, Shri Ravinder Rao, Managing Director, A&NCB, Port Blair, Smt. Shanti Murgesan, In-charge One Stop Centre, Directorate of Social Welfare, Port Blair, Dr. Sheetal Anup, Asstt. Professor, ANCOL, Shri V.Sridharan, Guest Faculty, ANCOL, Inspector R.K. Sharma, Inspector Stalin N.S., Anti Corruption Unit, Inspector Abita Bachan, SI D.K.Seal of PTS Prothrpur delivered lectures on the topics like - objectives and Importance of leadership and management, situation analyses and assessment, principles of leadership and management in law enforcement, managing of attitudes from negativity & developing and maintaining good relations, management competencies and self management, management on ethics, communication and negotiations, leadership on problem solving & decision making, concept of change and risk management, leadership tips on time management. Altogether, 18 Police personnel of various Police Stations/Units participated in the training programme. The course was coordinated by Inspector R.K. Sharma, PTS under the supervision of Shri. K. Michal Raj, DANIPS, Vice Principal, PTS.