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NIA Chargesheets one More Top Leader in CPI (Maoist) Revival Attempt Case

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The National Investigation Agency (NIA) on Thursday chargesheeted one more accused in the CPI (Maoist) revival attempt case involving top leaders of the banned terrorist outfit.

The supplementary chargesheet filed today before the NIA Special Court, Ranchi (Jharkhand), has named Sabyasachi Goswami @ Pankaj @ Ajay @ Kishore @ Vikash @ BKS @ Bikash Da @ Babu, a resident of district North 24 Pargana (West Bengal), under various sections of IPC and UA(P) Act.

NIA investigations had revealed arrested accused to be a Central Committee Member (CCM) of the CPI (Maoist). Sabyasachi, who was active in Assam and West Bengal region, was among several top Maoist leaders, across India, against whom NIA had registered the instant case RC-01/2022/NIA-RNC.

As per NIA investigations, Sabyasachi was actively propagating the ideology of CPI (Maoist) and promoting its activities. He had several criminal cases registered against him in various police stations of West Bengal and Assam and also at the NIA branches in the two states. The accused was involved in recruiting new cadres and collecting money from former ERB secretary and Polit Bureau member Prashant Bose for the purpose.

NIA had, earlier in February this year, chargesheeted Prashant Bose and four other top leaders cadres and sympathizers of CPI (Maoist) in the case, in which investigations are continuing.