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NIA Chargesheets 17 Accused, Including 16 Absconders, in Chhattisgarh CRPF Camps Attack Case

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The National Investigation Agency (NIA) on Friday chargesheeted 17 accused, including 16 absconders, in the 2024 case of attacks on CRPF camps by CPI (M) terror operatives armed with automatic weapons and BGLs in Chhattisgarh

One of the chargesheeted accused is under arrest and identified as Sodi Baman @ Deval. The absconders include 2 Central Committee Members (CCM), 2 Special Zonal/ State Committee Members (SZC/SCM) and other top cadres of PLGA BN No. 01, Telangana State Committee and Pamed Area Committee.

The chargesheet filed today before NIA Special Court at Jagdalpur has charged all of them under various sections of IPC, Arms Act, Explosive Substances Act, and UA(P) Act.

The case RC-01/2024/NIA/RPR relates to the attack on CRPF new camp at Dharmavaram and two adjacent CRPF/CoBRA camps at Chintawagu and Pamed in District Bijapur, , on 16th January 2024. The attackers had attempted to loot weapons and other belongings of security forces from the camps. Twelve CRPF personnel at Dharmavaram CRPF camp, which was set up on 17th December 2023, were injured in the attack.

NIA had taken over the case from the local police on 9th February 2024 and registered it against 21 named and 250-300 unknown armed cadres of proscribed terrorist organization CPI(Maoist).

Investigations revealed that the chargesheeted accused had been involved in the recruitment of youth, as part of a criminal conspiracy to wage war against the democratically elected Government of India. They were in possession of prohibited arms, ammunition and explosive materials, and had organised and attended conspiracy meetings. They had also established training dummy camp as replica of the target camp, imparted training and given motivational speeches to their armed cadres to carry out an armed rebellion, besides conducting recce of the said camps and executing the final attacks.

Further investigations in the case are continuing.