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## **NIA Press Release**

NIA Chargesheets 5 more Maoist Operatives in 2024 Chhattisgarh Arms Recovery Case

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The National Investigation Agency (NIA) has chargesheeted five Maoist operatives in the February 2024 Chhattisgarh arms recovery case.

Anish Khan @ Annu Khan, Anil Kumar Netam, Jaysing Hidko, Raghvueer Jain and Shailendra Kumar Baghel @ Golu have been identified as Over Ground Workers (OGWs) including one supplier, for the banned terror organisation, CPI (Maoist). All of them were active cadres of the Kuyemari Area Committee of the terror outfit.

NIA, in its supplementary chargesheet filed before the Special Court, Jagdalpur, has charged them under various sections of IPC, Explosives Substances Act and UA(P) Act.

The counter-terror agency had earlier, in August 2024, chargesheeted two armed cadres of CPI (Maoist) - Vinod Awalam and Ashu Korsa.

NIA investigations revealed that Anish Khan had supplied explosives substances to CPI (Maoist) cadres in the forest area of village Aalparas, which were later recovered. The other accused chargesheeted today had provided shelter and logistics support to the Maoist cadres for carrying out a fatal attack on security forces around Mujalgondi village in Kanker district.

Investigations in the case RC- 04/2024/NIA/RPR are continuing as part of NIA's efforts to scuttle the Maoist outfit's terror agenda.

