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One accused arrested in NIA Case RC-03/2016/NIA/GUW

On 12.07.2017, the NIA has arrested one accused (i) Rabichand Siaram s/o Sairom Ahanbi Singh r/o H. No. 79, Yamhem leikei, Uripok, Imphal (West), in NIA case RC-03/2016/NIA/GUW (killing of Ex-chairman, PREPAK).

2. The NIA had re-registered this case on 29.11.2016, u/s 302/448/34 of the Indian Penal Code, Sec. 25(1C) of the Arms Act and Sec. 20 of the Unlawful Activities (Prevention) Act, 1967, related to killing of Shri Ningombam Sanjit Singh @ Nongdrenkhomba, Ex-Chairman of PREPAK and his driver Leishangthem Sanjit Singh on the intervening night of 21st and 22nd June, 2016 inside the quarters No. 3 Type-II of 7th Battalion, Manipur Rifles, Khabeisoi.
3. During the course of investigation, it was revealed that absconding accused Urikhinbham Budhichandra @ Budhi @ Poirei Singh, Publicity Secretary of PREPAK (a banned organisation by Govt. of India, active in State of Manipur) had sent the weapons to the killers through one unknown person. After extensive technical analysis, this unknown person was identified as Rabichand Siaram.
4. The accused will be produced in the Special NIA Court, Imphal on 13.07.2017 and the NIA will seek for his police remand.
