



**National Investigation Agency**  
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## **PRESS RELEASE**

### **NIA officers decorated with Police Medals for their sincere contribution, on the eve of 70<sup>th</sup> Independence Day.**

On the eve of 70<sup>th</sup> Independence Day, **Sri Alok Mittal, IPS, (HY-93)**, Inspector General, National Investigation Agency, have been conferred with the President's Police Medal for Distinguished Service, for his excellent and outstanding contribution to the duties during his career.

2. Born on the Haryana cadre of IPS, Sri Mittal is on deputation to this Agency, and he has successfully supervised investigation of the serious terrorism cases in the NIA. He is currently supervising the investigation of various high profile cases like ISIS/ISIL, Bharuch target killing case, Udampur terror attack case and other terror funding and high quality counterfeit Indian Currency cases in the NIA. Shri Mittal had handled one of the country's major scams i.e Fake Stamps Scam (Telgi Scam) with great success during his stint in CBI. While posted as Commissioner of Police, Gurgaon, he started the concept of a citizen centric initiative, "RAAHAGIRI" to promote the NMT(Non-Motorized Transport) infrastructure which was documented by the Ministry of Urban Development as a best practice in urban transport in the Indian cities. Shri Mittal had introduced all women PCR for the first time in the country in the state of Haryana, which proved a model for the other State Police. He also introduced Gurgaon Police Mobile App and SAMPARK portal which gathered huge appreciation from the common man. Shri Mittal has varied experience in economic & cyber crime investigations, law & order & traffic management.

3. 3 (three) Officers of the NIA, as noted below, have been awarded with the Police Medal for Meritorious Service on the eve of the Independence Day.

i) **Shri Satya Nand Pandey, SP** : Shri Pandey, Superintendent of Police, has long and varied experience in counter insurgency operations, intelligence collection, training and administration with distinction for more than 21 years as a Police officer. He has displayed various daring example of bravery and headship in Jammu and Kashmir while contributed operations in Counter Insurgency. Shri Pandey, currently on deputation to NIA from BSF, has contributed immensely to build up the human

resources, project work infrastructure and administrative protocol, as SP(Admin) in NIA. He worked very hard in supervising the constructions and infrastructure works and ensured that the project works in NIA move with fast pace. Besides, he has contributed in investigation of sensitive cases, where he has proved his worth with the same competence and success.

ii) **Shri P. Vikraman**, joined the NIA on deputation as DySP, from Kerala Police, in the year 2012. He was entrusted with the Edakkad LeT Case, investigation of seizure of 72.05 lakhs counterfeit Indian currency notes from Karipur Airport and seizure of 24.16 lakhs FICN from Nedumbassery Airport. In these cases, he charge sheeted case successfully in Special Court with solid evidence of involvement of accused persons. Due to his outstanding investigation capabilities, he was entrusted with investigation of Italian Marines Case, which he completed within target time. He was selected for the award of the best investigator in 2013 by branch head Hyderabad. While investigating the seizure of 9.75 lakhs of FICN at Nedumbassery Airport, he arrested one accused and chargesheeted the case in which the role of Aftab Badki, another Dawood Ibrahim Gang member was proved. He has earned several accolades within the department including the award of Commendation Certificate by DG,NIA, for his excellence in the field of investigation. While working in Kerala Police, he was awarded Badge of Honour for detective excellence for the detection of a series of bank robbery cases.

iii) **Shri Braj Bhushan Pathak, Inspector**, (now Dy SP in NIA) joined CISF as SI in 1988 and was promoted as Inspector in 2002. He served in many industrial establishments and carried out his duties in the field of intelligence, security and fire-fighting. He also served in CBI at ACB, Dhanbad from 2005 to 2010 during which he investigated regular cases of trap, DA, forgery and cheating. He also remained attached with SIT, Ahmedabad during 2011-12 for investigation of cases of financial frauds. Working in NIA since 2012, he has traveled extensively to collect the evidences in investigation with relentless zeal. He was part of investigation teams of several high profile cases within NIA and his contributions were appreciated for high quality of evidence, leading to filling of several charge sheets during the period 2012-15. He is a versatile investigator with huge pool of experience and having attended 28 training programs of CBI, BCAS and other trainings related to investigation during his career. He also successfully attended 8 weeks Explosives Incident Countermeasures in USA. In recognition to his investigation works, he has been rewarded on several occasions within the NIA and he was decorated with NIA DG's Commendation Disk in 2015.



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