



NIA Conducts Searches at Multiple Locations in Andhra Pradesh and Telangana in CPI Maoist Encounter Case of Bastar, Chattishgarh (RC-01/2021/NIA/RPR)

Today (18.11.2021) NIA conducted searches at 14 locations in seven districts of Telangana and Andhra Pradesh viz Hyderabad, Rachkonda, Medak, Prakasam, Vishakhapatnam, Vijaywada and Nellore in connection with RC 1/2021/NIA/RPR.

2. The case relates to the exchange of fire on 28.07.2019 between the cadres of CPI(Maoist) and a combined team of local district Reserve Guard, Special Task Force and CRPF, resulting in the killing of six Maoists and one civilian. A FIR No. 179/2019 was registered in this regard at PS Nagarnar, District Bastar, Chattisgarh. NIA had re-registered the case as RC 1/2021/NIA/RPR on 18.03.2021 against the accused persons namely Sanju @ Pandu Punem, Laxman, Munni, Dashari and 30-40 unknown others.
3. During the searches conducted today several incriminating documents, Maoist literature and digital devices have been seized.
4. Further investigation in the case is continuing.
