



## **NIA Files Charge-sheet Against an Accused in Tamil Nadu Ansarullah Case (RC-16/2019/NIA/DLI)**

Today (25.05.2022), NIA filed Supplementary Charge-Sheet against an accused person, Divan Mujipeer @ Divan S/o Mydeen Abdul Kader, r/o Tirunelveli, Tamil Nadu u/s 120B of IPC and section 13 of UA(P) Act, 1967.

2. The case pertains to criminal conspiracy hatched by accused persons and their associates, who had pledged to the violent extremist ideology of proscribed terrorist organizations including Al-Qaeda and ISIS and had formed a terrorist gang namely Ansarullah while being in UAE and in India. They had recruited likeminded youth in to their fold besides conducting religious classes with the intention of waging violent jihad for establishing Islamic rule in India. NIA had earlier filed a charge-sheet against 11 accused persons on 08.01.2020 in this case.
3. During investigation, the chargesheeted accused Divan Mujipeer @ Divan was found to have conspired with co- accused persons namely, Mohammed Ibrahim, Mohammed Sheik Maitheen, Meeran Ghani and Gulam Nabi Asath at UAE to form an extremist religious group, namely Ansarullah with an intention to establish Islamic rule in India especially in Tamil Nadu through violent Jihad. They had circulated a magazine named Thozhan for propagating extreme Jihadi ideologies of ISIS and Al Qaeda.
4. Further investigation in the case continues.

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