



NIA files Chargesheet against 3 persons in the case relating to seizure of arms, ammunition and explosives at Omalur area, Salem District, Tamil Nadu (RC-33/22/NIA/DLI)

2. Today (11.11.22), NIA filed a Charge Sheet against 3 arrested accused persons in the Omalur PS Arms case. The case related to the recovery of two country made Pistols, ammunition, gun powder, etc. from the 2 accused during vehicle checking near Puliyampatti division. The duo were inspired by LTTE, a proscribed terrorist organization, and wanted to create an organization similar to the LTTE with the aim to wage an armed struggle against the Government. The case was registered at Omalur Police Station of Salem District, Tamil Nadu vide FIR in Cr.No 302/2022 dated 19.05.2022 and was later re-registered by NIA as RC-33/2022/NIA/DLI.
3. The details of the accused charge-sheeted today are as follows:
(i) Naveen @ Naveen Chakaravarthy M
r/o Salem District, Tamil Nadu
(ii) Sanjay Prakash J
r/o Shevapet, Salem District, Tamil Nadu
(iii) A. Kabilar @ Kabilan
r/o Salem, Tamil Nadu.
4. Investigations have established that the 3 accused persons had conspired and associated themselves with LTTE (Liberation Tigers of Tamil Eelam), a proscribed outfit and created an organisation, called "World Tamil Justice Court" (WTJC). They had made plans to attack people who work in quarries, crushers and TASMAL liquor shops by using illegal firearms, lethal weapons and explosive substances and also cause destruction to property.
5. Investigations have also revealed that they had chosen to strike on 18th May of 2022, which marks the Mullivaikkal Remembrance Day, observed by Sri Lankan Tamil people and supporters of LTTE to pay homage to those who died in the Sri Lankan Civil War. The accused believed that these terrorist acts would spread terror among the people and send a strong message to the general public and Government that an LTTE type organization had been successfully revived and resurrected in Tamil Nadu.
6. Further investigations in the case are in progress.
