



**National Investigation Agency**  
Ministry of Home Affairs, Govt. of India



**Arrest by NIA in 532 Kgs Heroin Seizure Case**  
**(NIA Case RC-18/2019/NIA/DLI)**

Today (09/08/2019), NIA arrested one accused Tariq Ahmad Lone (28) S/o Late Abdul Majeed Lone r/o Village Phalmarg, PS Willgaon, District Kupwara, J&K in 532 Kgs Heroin Seizure Case.

2. This case (No. RC-18/2019/NIA/DLI) has been registered u/s- 120B, 121A, 122 of IPC, sec. 17, 18, 18-B & 20 of Unlawful Activities (Prevention) Act and sec. 8, 16, 17, 18, 23, 24, 29 and 32 (B)(e) of NDPS Act., in connection with seizure of 532 Kg. of heroin and 52 Kg. of mixed narcotics on 29.06.2019 at Integrated Check Post (ICP) Attari and interception of two persons namely Gurpinder Singh, an Amritsar based trader and Tariq Ahmed Lone, a drug trafficker from Handwara, J&K. The involvement of an international drug racket based in Pakistan as well as in Afghanistan has come to light.
3. This is a case of narco-terrorism having national and international implications involving different terror groups wherein Narco consignments are allegedly being smuggled from across the international border for funding. The case is being investigated to unearth international Narco-terror linkages in order to pre-empt various terror modules operating to spread terror in the Indian hinterland.
4. Tariq Amhed Lone was produced before the Special NIA Court, Mohali, Punjab on 09/08/2019 and he was remanded to NIA custody for 08 days.

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