Press Release

Central Reserve Police Force

CRPF signs MoU with National Law University

Close on the heels of signing an MoU with the IIM, Rohtak to equip its officers with managerial skills, CRPF today inked yet another MoU with the National Law University, New Delhi. The MoU aims at sensitizing the trainee officers of the Force on various functional aspects of the law of the land. CRPF, being the lead Force for maintenance of internal security of the country, often experiences close brushes with various legal issues. The MoU is expected to stand the officers in good stead in addressing the nuances of legal concerns especially during operations. The MoU was signed by Sh. Rajeev Rai Bhatnagar, D.G, CRPF and Prof. Ranvir Singh, Vice Chancellor, National Law University, New Delhi.

Signing the pact at the CRPF head quarters, Sh. Bhatnagar underscored the importance of law and said that proper interpretation of law is equally important. Reiterating that the police officers operate within the parameters of the law, the Director General hoped that the partnership with the NLU will give the officers of the Force a good grounding in the legal domain. Referring to the two successive MoUs signed by CRPF in a span of two months, first with the IIM, Rohtak and now with the NLU, New Delhi, Sh Bhatnagar said that such partnership with various institutions will hone the professional edge of the officers of the Force. Sh. Bhatnagar termed the MoU as a great beginning with the belief that it would prove to be a game-changer. On the other hand, Prof. Singh hailed the MoU as an academically rich partnership with CRPF.

As per the terms of the agreement, the NLU, New Delhi will design modules on legal subjects ranging from CrPC, IPC, IEA to gender sensitivity and protection of the interest of the weaker sections and minorities for the benefit of the Officers. The programme will span over 36 days culminating in the award of 'Certificate programme in Law Subjects' to the trainee officers.

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