## More success for CRPF: 34 Maoists surrender In Andhra Pradesh

Relentless operations by CRPF in the LWE affected regions of the country not only act as a strong deterrent to Maoists but also result in their neutralization and recovery of arms and ammunition which are vital for their sustenance. Additionally, the Security Forces resolutely persuade the Maoists to abjure the path of violence and facilitate their return to the mainstream.

Such continuous efforts resulted in a major success for the Security Forces when 34 Maoists surrendered before 141 and 234 Bn CRPF and Andhra Pradesh Police officials in Alluri Sitharama Raju District of Andhra Pradesh. Kilo Indu aka Bharathi aka Gemmeli Bharathi, Party member of CPI (M), Pedabayalu- Korukonda Area Committee along with 33 militia members surrendered with the Arms and explosives.

2.In Bijapur, Chhattisgarh, the troops of 151 CRPF and Chhattisgarh Police detected an IED weighing 10 kg about 1.5 km from the Pamed CRPF camp. The IED was demolished in situ, observing the security protocols.

3. In another operation based on intelligence input, the troops of 196 Bn CRPF and Chhattisgarh Police apprehended a Maoist named Kowasi Muiya, Militia Comdr of RPC Galgam from the forest area of village Ittaguda under PS Usur.