

PRESS RELEASE

ANF SEIZED 794.836 KGS DRUGS VALUING US\$ 47.763 MILLION IN 21 OPERATIONS ARRESTED 24 PERSONS INVOLVED IN DRUG TRAFFICKING AND IMPOUNDED 7 VEHICLES

Anti Narcotics Force Pakistan seized **794.836** Kgs narcotics valuing US \$ **47.763** Million internationally, arrested **24** culprits and impounded **7** vehicles while conducting **21** counter-narcotics strikes throughout the country. The seized drugs comprised **135.376** Kg Heroin, **624.700** Kg Hashish & **34.760** Kg Amphetamine (Ice).

ANF Punjab, Punjab Rangers Kasur handed over an accused person **Muhammad Zulfiqar alias Japha** resident of Kasur to Police station ANF Lahore with recovery of **1.900 Kgs Heroin** alongwith **Motorcycle and 1x 30 Bore Pistol without magazine**. In another operation Police Station Faisalabad raided near Motorway Toll Plaza Faisalabad intercepted a **Toyota Corolla Car** and recovered **39.600 Kgs Hashish** which was concealed in secret cavity in back seat of the seized car. Accused **Sohail Naz Butt** resident of Lahore was arrested on the spot. In third operation, ANF Lahore intercepted a suspected consignment from international Couriers Service at DHA Lahore which was booked by Shahnawar Ali resident of Lahore to Australia and recovered **976 grams Heroin**, which was tactfully concealed in 20 x ladies shirts. In fourth operation, Police Station, Lahore intercepted 1 x suspected consignment from KCS Cargo Service near Faisal Movers Bus Stand Bund Road, Lahore which was booked from Islamabad to Lahore and arrested the recipient **Tahir Shahzad**. **2.500 Kg Heroin** recovered which was tactfully concealed in 9 x sweet Tin Jars.

ANF Sindh, Police Station Gulshan-e-Iqbal, Karachi conducted a raid at Quetta Bus Stop near Hascol Petrol Pump, Sohrab Goth Super Highway Karachi and recovered **6 Kg Hashish** from arrested accused **Ezat Ullah & Muhammad Wali** residents of Quetta. In another operation, Police Station Gulshan-e-Iqbal, Karachi conducted an operation at Al Asif Bus Stop Opposite Total Petrol Pump Super Highway Karachi and recovered **3 Kg Hashish** from the personal possession of arrested accused **Zia Ullah** resident of Quetta. In third operation, Police Station ANF Korangi, Karachi conducted an operation near Murtaza Chowrangi Landhi, Karachi and recovered **72 Kg Hashish** from the personal possession of arrested accused **Bilal Ahmed** resident of Pishin & **Syed Aziz Ullah** resident of Quetta.

ANF KP, Police Station Peshawar in collaboration with Bacha Khan International Airport, Peshawar (BKIAP) ANF Det apprehended 1 x accused **Muhammad Irfan** resident of District Khyber and recovered **4.760 Kg Amphetamine Ice, (Suspected Soaked)** in rubber cavity which was tactfully concealed in trolley bag of the arrested accused. The accused was travelling from Peshawar to Bahrain. As follow up of the case 2 x facilitators **Muhammad Karim & Senab Gul** resident of District Khyber were also arrested. In another operation, Police Station Peshawar in collaboration with FC (North), seized **118.800 Kg Hashish** which was kept in plastic sacks near Zerrai Check Post Landi Kotal District Khyber. In third operation, Police Station, Peshawar in collaboration with FC (North) and seized **180 Kg Hashish** which was kept in plastic sacks near general area at Shin Qamar Tirah Road. In fourth operation, Police Station DI Khan in collaboration with FC (South) seized **60 Kg Hashish** which was kept in plastic sacks near Bannu Road DI Khan. In fifth operation, Police Station Kohat in collaboration with FC (South) seized **60 Kg Hashish** which was kept in plastic sacks near Jubba CP District Kurram. In sixth operation,

Police Station Mansehra in collaboration with FC (South) seized **60 Kg Hashish** which was kept in plastic sacks, near Labarkot CP Mansehra. In seventh operation, Police Station Regional Directorate KP intercepted a motorbike near Railway Station, apprehended an accused **Ameer Ullah** resident of District Khyber and recovered **4.800 Kg Hashish** from his personal possession. The narco was being smuggled from Bara to Peshawar city. In eighth operation, Police Station Regional Directorate KP intercepted a **Hino Truck** near exit point of Peshawar Motorway, arrested 2 x accused **Dost Muhammad & Syed Abdul Wali** residents of Qilla Abdullah. During the operation **130 Kg Heroin & 30 Kg Amphetamine (Ice)** were recovered which were concealed in spare tyres and 2 x cavities of rear body of seized truck. In ninth operation, Police Station DI Khan apprehended an accused **Javed Khan** resident of Lakki Marwat during the operation and recovered **7 Kg Hashish** from his personal possession. In tenth operation, Police Station Regional Directorate KP intercepted a **Mehran Car**, apprehended 2 x accused **Aitabar Khan, Abdul Hameed** residents of District Khyber and recovered **2.400 Kg Hashish** which was tactfully concealed in driving side door of seized car.

ANF Rawalpindi, Police Station ICT conducted an operation near 26 number Bus Stop, Islamabad and recovered **1.200 Kg Hashish** from personal possession of accused **Tahir** resident of Charsadda. In another operation, Police Station Regional Directorate Rawalpindi intercepted a **Suzuki Mehran Car** at Motorway Link road Islamabad, recovered **3.300 Kg Hashish** and apprehended 2 x accused **Muhammad Waheed & Qaisar Mehmood** residents of Rawalpindi. In third operation, Police Station Regional Directorate, Rawalpindi apprehended an accused **Nida Muhammad** resident of Quetta and recovered **5.500 Kg Hashish** at Link road Motorway Islamabad. In follow up the case, **Faiz Muhammad** resident of South Waziristan Agency was also apprehended from Ganj Mandi Chowk near Raja Bazar Rawalpindi. In fourth operation, Police Station Regional Directorate Rawalpindi during routine checking at Motorway Link road, Islamabad, apprehended an accused **Fazal** resident of District Khyber and recovered **1.100 Kg Hashish**. In follow up the case another accused **Baghdad** resident of Mardan was also arrested alongwith a **Rickshaw**.

All cases have been registered at respective ANF Police Stations under CNS Act 1997 and further investigations are underway.