





INDIAN COAST GUARD MONTHLY REPORT August, 2023



'यत्र तत्र सर्वत्र... भारतीय तटरक्षक'

INDIAN COAST GUARD FACT SHEET

Subject		Current Year	Since Inception
Search and Rescue effort	Lives Saved at Sea	609	11,970
	Missions undertaken	87	3822
	Ship Sorties	184	4810
	Aircraft Sorties	44	3009
	Total Sorties	228	7819
MEDEVAC	Persons Evacuated	14	441
Aid to Civil Authorities	Lives Rescued	67	13,088
	Operations	23	550 (Since 2009)
	Exercises	13	243 (Since 2009)
Coastal Security (Since 2009)	Community Interaction	1343	12,362 (Since 2009)
	Security Drill 'Sajag'	22	376 (Since 2014)
	Marine Police Trained	1427	10,424
Anti-Poaching Apprehension	Foreign Fishing Boats	05	1,602
	Foreign Fishermen	45	13,595
	Value of Fish Catch	00	₹ 24,56,84,855/-
	Nationality of Foreign Crew		Pakistan, Sri Lanka, Taiwan, China, Myanmar, Indonesia, Iran, Malaysia, France, Bangladesh, Thailand, South Korea, North Korea, Philippines
Shepherding of IFBs Across	Indo-Pak IMBL	265	33,946 Boats (Since Oct 2007)
	Indo-SLN IMBL	39	12,786 Boats
	Indo-Bangladesh IMBL	52	1012 Boats
Anti Smugalina	Vessels Interdicted	03	163
Anti Smuggling & Narcotics Control (ASNC)	Crew Apprehended	11	1020
	Value of Contraband	₹ 465.34 Cr.	₹ 15,330.42 Cr
Disaster Relief Oper	rations		45 (since May 1999)
Oil Spill Incidents	Incidents Reported		94 (Indian Waters) + 03 (02 Sri Lanka & 01 Mauritius)
	Responded by ICG		94 (Indian Waters) + 03 (02 Sri Lanka & 01 Mauritius-MV Wakashio)
	Capitation Charges Received	₹ 8,23,36,520.00	₹ 32,54,79,126.18



INDIAN COAST GUARD MONTHLY REPORT

INTRODUCTION

- 1. Indian Coast Guard came into existence in accordance with the Coast Guard Act, 1978 with the motto "वयम् रक्षामः" (Vayam Rakshamah) which translates from Sanskrit as "We Protect". ICG's mission is to ensure safety, security and law enforcement at sea, Search & Rescue services and Protection of the Marine Environment etc.
- 2. On 07 Aug 23, ADG S Paramesh, PTM, TM appointed as Additional Director General of Indian Coast Guard.
- 3. India is celebrating 77th year of Independence. During this "Amritkaal", Indian Coast Guard celebrated **'Har Ghar Tiranga'** campaign by distributing national flags amongst fishermen, local coastal population and took pride in unfurling the Tiranga at sea to spread message of Unity and Patriotism. August is one of the core monsoon months. ICG efforts during this month have been covered in this report.

SEARCH & RESCUE COOPERATION WITH FOREIGN MARITIME AGENCIES COASTAL SECURITY MISCELLANEOUS



MEDIA COVERAGE

MAJOR OPERATIONS

A. Seizure of 130 Kgs Raw Cucumber from Uchipulli Sea Shore, North Mandapam (Tamil Nadu).

On 01 Aug 23, ICGS Mandapam received an intelligence input on likely transshipment of illegal contraband north of Mandapam. ICG team was deployed for surveillance. Meanwhile, ICG Mandapam RIB on patrolling was also diverted towards Uchipulli sea shore area for providing back up to the station team. On reaching the spot, the team found 06 gunny bags containing raw Sea Cucumber at the sea shore of Uchipulli Sea Shore, North Mandapam (Tamil Nadu). The Sea Cucumber was seized by the ICG team and handed over to Forest Department for further necessary action. The estimated commercial value of the consignment is approximately Rs. 57.17 Lakhs.



Seizure of 130 Kgs Raw Cucumber

B. Apprehension of IFB MA Durga.

On 14 Aug 23, CGDHQ-8 received an intelligence input regarding indulgence of Indian fishing boat in smuggling activity. On 15 Aug 23, a joint operation was carried out by ICG, CISF(HDC), SIB & Customs and identified an IFB MA Durga near Brindabanchak, Sunrise point beach. On reaching the spot, the team found 590 Bags of Areca/Betel Nuts. The estimated commercial value of the consignments is approximately ₹309.76 Lakhs.





Seizure of 590 Bags of Areca/ Betel

A. Drifting of NIO Research Vessel Sindhu Sadhana off Goa.

On 26 Jul 23, MRCC (Mumbai) received an email from Master of Research Vessel Sindhu Sadhana regarding request for towing assistance view vessel having propulsion failure. On receipt of information, ICGS Sujeet on area patrol was diverted for rendering assistance. Additionally, ICGS Varaha was also diverted to provide assistance to distressed vessel. In challenging and inclement weather conditions, ICGS Sujeet safely towed the distressed vessel to Mormugao harbour and saved 36 lives which included 08 scientists.





Drifting of NIO Research Vessel Sindhu Sadhana

B. SAR Efforts for Man Over Board Ex-Indian Fishing Boat - B Gouri.

On 28 Jul 23, ICG Ship C-145 on area patrol sighted 03 persons floating at sea and in distress at position around 15 nm South-East of East Island, Diglipur. ICG Ship C-145 rescued all three personnel embarked onboard and provided first aid. The crew ascertained that the boat was flooded and subsequently sunk due to adverse sea. Thereafter, the ICG Ship disembarked the rescued crew at Diglipur harbour.





Embarkation of crew Ex-IFB B Gouri



C. SAR Efforts for Flooding onboard Indian Fishing Boat (IFB) - Mariyam.

On 29 Jul 23, MRSC Kochi received information distress due to hull damage in IFB Mariyam with 08 crew. On receipt of the information, ICGS Arnvesh on area patrol was diverted to render necessary assistance. ICG ship Damage Control (DC) team carried out temporary repair and arrested the flooding. Thereafter, IFB was safely brought to Munambam fishing habour Kochi (Kerala) under escort of ICG Ship.





SAR Efforts for flooding onboard Indian Fishing Boat – Mariyam

D. Medical Evacuation of patients at Male (Maldives) by Indian Coast Guard helicopter.

On 09 Aug 23, MNDF requested for medical evacuation of a 36 years old female Maldivian national (Hawwa Abdulla). The patient was evacuated from Gan to Male for further medical management at IGM Hospital, Male. The timely assistance saved one precious life.





Medical Evacuation of patients by Indian Coast Guard helicopter

E. Medical Emergency onboard MV Evelyn Maersk.

On 13 Aug 23, MRSC, Vizhinjam received a call from Denmark flagged MV Evelyn Maersk regarding medical emergency onboard. A 55 years old Filipino patient (Mr. Gilbert) was reported unconscious and having difficulty in breathing (probable cardiac arrest). On receipt of the information, ICG Ship C-427 was deployed for medical evacuation and evacuated the patient safely. The ship entered Vizhinjam harbour along with the patient at 2345 h on 13 Aug 23. Thereafter, the patient was handed over to local agent for further medical management at NIMS Hospital, Trivandrum.





Medical Evacuation onboard MV Evelyn Maersk

F. Medical Evacuation of patients at Male (Maldives) by Indian Coast Guard helicopter.

On 13 Aug 23, MNDF requested for medical evacuation of a 44 years old Maldivian national (Mr. Hassan Seed) diagnosed with decompression sickness requiring treatment by medical specialist. The patient was evacuated from Kooddoo to Male for further medical management at IGM Hospital, Male. The timely assistance saved one precious life.





Medical Evacuation at Male, Maldives



G. Medical Emergency onboard MV Dong Fang Kan Tan No.2.

On 16 Aug 23, MRCC Mumbai received information regarding medical emergency onboard Panama flagged MV Dong Fang Kan Tan No. 2 in position 124 N miles South-West of Prongs Lt, Mumbai. 24 years old Chinese national (Mr. Yin Weignyang) was reported suffering from chest pain/ symptoms of cardiac arrest and requested urgent evacuation. Considering the criticality of the patient ICG ALH Mk-III from CGAE Porbandar was launched staging through CGAS Daman. ICG Ship Samrat on area patrol was diverted to support evacuation through ICG ALH considering the prevalent weather conditions. Further, CG ALH evacuated the patient from the vessel at 0145 h and landed Daman at 0255 h on 17 Aug 23. The patient was safely handed over to medical team arranged by local agent for further clearance / medical management.





Medical Emergency onboard MV Dong Fang Kan Tan No.2.

COOPERATION WITH FOREIGN MARITIME AGENCIES

A. ICG participation at SEACAT Exercise at Singapore.

Comdt Ronald Gangmei (0720-L) participated in the Multinational Maritime Security & Domain Awareness Exercise SEACAT (Ashore Phase Only) conducted by the U.S. Navy in Singapore from 14-17 Aug 23.



Group Photograph

B. Signing of Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) between Philippine Coast Guard and Indian Coast Guard.

In a significant step towards bolstering the bilateral cooperation between India and Philippines Indian Coast Guard has signed a MoU with Philippine Coast Guard (PCG) on enhanced maritime cooperation. The MoU was signed by DG Rakesh Pal, Director General Indian Coast Guard and CG Admiral Artemio M Abu, Commandant, PCG at the Coast Guard Headquarters, New Delhi on 22 Aug 23. Both sides held their first bilateral meeting on maritime issues.





Signing of Memorandum of Understanding

Prior to signing of MoU, the Philippine Coast Guard high level delegation also visited Goa on 21 Aug 23, to witness the operational capabilities of the Indian Coast Guard Ships and Aircraft under "Atmanirbhar Bharat". During the visit, the delegation was also provided with a Customer



COOPERATION WITH FOREIGN MARITIME AGENCIES





Bilateral talk with PCG delegation

Demonstration Flight on the Indian Coast Guard Advance Light Helicopter MK-III. The delegates also visited Indian Coast Guard Ship Sujeet which is made by Goa Shipyard Limited.



Customer Demonstration flight at Goa



Visit on ICGS Sujeet at Goa

C. 5th Regional/ Zonal Commanders Meeting between Indian Coast Guard (ICG) and Bangladesh Coast Guard (BCG).

5th Regional/Zonal Commander meeting was conducted on 28 Aug 23 through video conference. Commander Coast Guard Region North East led ICG delegation participated in the meeting with Bangladesh Coast Guard (BCG) Zonal Commander led BCG delegation. The meeting emphasized on various regional issues and set forth the agenda for upcoming ICG-BCG High Level Meeting tentatively scheduled in Oct 2023.





5th Regional/ Zonal Commander meeting



COASTAL SECURITY

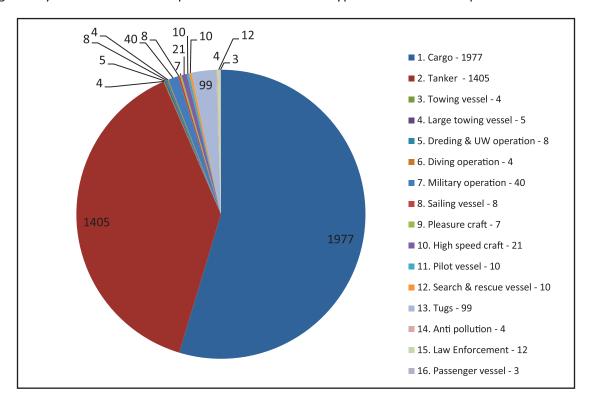
A. Coastal Security Exercise and Operations.

Under-mentioned Coastal Security Exercise and Operations have been conducted towards heightened coastal security in coordination with Marine Police, Customs, CISF, Fisheries, Forest and other stakeholders for enhancing coastal security mechanism:-

SER	Name of Exercise/ Operation	Conducted By	Dates
(i)	OP-Chaukas-02/23	Regional HQs (E), Chennai	24-28 Jul 23
(ii)	OP-Sentinel-04/23	Regional HQs (NE), Kolkata	25-27 Jul 23
(iii)	OP-Trigger	Regional HQs (W), Mumbai	13-16 Aug 23
		Regional HQs (NW)	
		Gandhinagar	
(iv)	OP-Sentinel-06/23	Regional HQs (E), Chennai	14-16 Aug 23
		Regional HQs (NE), Kolkata	
(v)	OP-Sentinel-07/23	Regional HQs (NE), Kolkata	16-17 Aug 23
(vi)	OP Varchasva	Regional HQs (E), Chennai	22-30 Aug 23

B. Surveillance by CSN.

CSN network has monitored 7,270 AIS contacts in the month of Aug 23. A total of 5,921 vessels were investigated by ICG ROS. The traffic pattern in AoR based on type of vessels is as depicted below:-

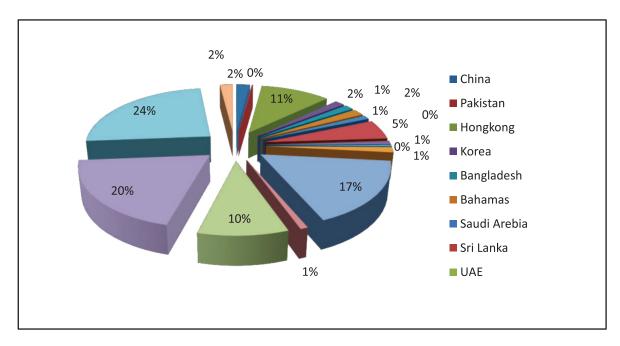


Traffic pattern in AoR based on type of specific vessels



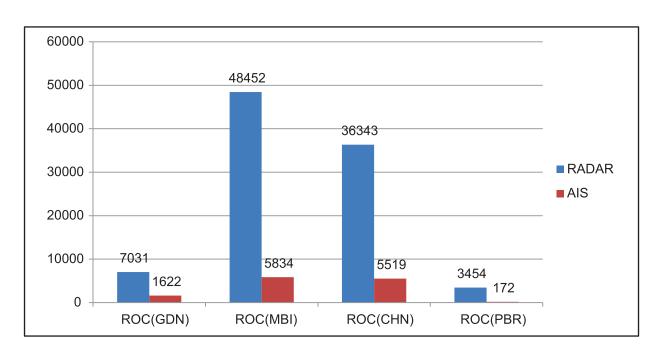
COASTAL SECURITY

Chart Title



The vessels operating in AoR based on flag are as shown on the chart

Number of Ships and Crafts identified at ROCs - Aug 23



Number of contact detected at Remote Operating Centres in Aug 23



MISCELLANEOUS

A. Portal-Purchase via GeM.

The purchase made through GeM portal during the month of Jul 23 was ₹ 20,68,21,937.46 (Rupees Twenty Crore Sixty Eight Lakh Twenty One Thousand Nine Hundred Thirty Seven and Forty Six Paisa only).

B. Status of Public Grievances:-

No. of Public Grievances redressed during the month	No. of Public Grievances pending at the end of the month	
_	26 (Under Process)	

C. Review Meeting on ALH MK-III Operations.

On 27 Jul 23, a review meeting on ALH MK-III Operational conclave to brainstorm for Sea-air Operational analysis to achieve wider area of coverage under the ambit of sustained maritime security conducted at CGHQ with participation of Operation and Aviation components of all Regions of Indian Coast Guard.





Review Meeting on ALH MK-III Operations at CGHQ

D. DGICG Call on with Hon'ble President.

On 09 Aug 23, DG Rakesh Pal, PTM, TM, Director General Indian Coast Guard accompanied by Mrs Dipa Pal, President Tatrakshika called on Smt. Droupadi Murmu, Hon'ble President of India. Briefed about the role and functions of Indian Coast Cuard including additional responsibility of maritime & coastal security of India.







Interaction with Hon'ble President



MISCELLANEOUS

E. Visit of Secretary (Border Management).

On 17 Aug 23, Shri Atal Dulloo, IAS, Secretary (Border Management) visited Indian Coast Guard District Headquarters (DHQ-1) at Porbandar for review of Coastal Security mechanism. Further, the officer visited State Coastal Security Operations Centre (SCSOC), ICG Off Shore Patrol Vessel ICGS Sajag and Air Enclave..





Visit of Secretary (Border Management)

F. 19th Maritime States Development Council (MSDC) Meeting.

On 18-19 Aug 23, 19th MSDC meeting held at Kevadia Gujarat. MSDC was chaired by Shri Sarbananda Sonowal, Hon'ble Cabinet Minsiter Of Ports, Shipping And Waterways & Ministry of Ayush. Indian Coast Guard delegation led by IG MV Pathak, PTM, TM Deputy Director General (Ops & CS) participated in the meeting.





19th Maritime States Development Council (MSDC) Meeting

MISCELLANEOUS

G. District Commander Conference.

On 23 Aug 23, Indian Coast Guard Region (East) conducted the District Commander Conference at Chennai under the chairmanship of IG AP Badola, PTM, TM. Issue related to Operational, Human Resource, Administrative, Work and Maintenance aspects of units in the Region were discussed.





District Commander Conference

H. Keel Laying Ceremony of FPV Ships at Goa.

On 25 Aug 23, Sh. Giridhar Aramane, IAS, Defence Secretary laid the keel of four Coast Guard Fast Patrol vessels at Goa Shipyard Ltd. Goa. DG Rakesh Pal, PTM, TM, Director General Indian Coast Guard, congratulated Sh. BK Upadhyay, CMD and all staff members of GSL for their dedicated efforts.





Keel Laying Ceremony of FPV Ships at Goa



Indian Coast Guard 🦈

भारतीय तटरक्षक क्षेत्रीय मुख्यालय (उत्तर पूर्व) को आज आयोजित नगर राजभाषा कार्यान्वयन समिति (कार्यालय-4), कोलकाता की तीसरी बैठक में संघ सरकार की राजभाषा नीति के सर्वोत्कृष्ट कार्यान्वयन हेतु प्रथम पुरस्कार से सम्मानित किया गया। महानिरीक्षक इकबाल सिंह चौहान ने पुरस्कार ग्रहण किया।





PMO India and 9 others

8:48 pm · 26 Jul 23 · 4,761 Views



Indian Coast Guard 🦈

DG Rakesh Pal, PTM, TM, #DGICG calls on Admiral R Hari Kumar, PVSM, AVSM, VSM, ADC, Chief of Naval Staff today and discussed various measures to enhance synergy among two services and collaborative efforts towards maritime safety and security addressing contemporary issues.





PMO India and 9 others

6:03 pm · 28 Jul 23 · **10.1K** Views



Indian Coast Guard @

@IndiaCoastGuard

ADG KR Suresh, PTM, TM, Coast Guard Commander (Western Seaboard) calls on DG Rakesh Pal, PTM, TM, #DGICG today at @IndiaCoastGuard Hq, #NewDelhi and briefed upon the West Coast preparedness to mitigate emerging challenges & basing of additional assets based on threat matrix.





Indian Coast Guard 🧇

@IndiaCoastGuard

@IndiaCoastGuard Ship Sujeet successfully attended to a distress situation & averted the potential threat of grounding, when rescued a research ship of #NIO that suffered engine failure & was drifting close to #Karwar, with 08 esteemed scientists & total crew of 36 onboard.



PMO India and 9 others

7:12 pm · 27 Jul 23 · 12.6K Views



Indian Coast Guard 🕏

@IndiaCoastGuard Ship C-145 sighted 03 men at the mercy of rough seas 15 miles from #Diglipur Harbour, #Andaman & #Nicobar.Exhausted fishermen from sunken boat FB P Gauri were rescued in adverse sea conditions, provided necessary medical care &brought ashore for further management





PMO India and 9 others

10:57 pm · 28 Jul 23 · 6,890 Views



Indian Coast Guard 🦈

@IndiaCoastGuard

ADG S Paramesh, PTM, TM, Coast Guard Commander (Eastern Seaboard) calls on DG Rakesh Pal, PTM, TM, #DGICG today at @IndiaCoastGuard headquarters, #NewDelhi and briefed about the preparedness of units in the east coast including progress on major ongoing works projects.







Indian Coast Guard

@IndiaCoastGuard

ADG S Paramesh, PTM,TM appointed as Additional Director General of @IndiaCoastGuard #ADGCG at Coast Guard Headquarters #CGHQ, #NewDelhi. Prior assuming the duties of #ADGCG, the flag officer was carrying out the duties of Coast Guard Commander (Eastern Seaboard) at #Visakhapatnam





Indian Coast Guard @ @IndiaCoastGuard

@IndiaCoastGuard

@IndiaCoastGuard signed
'Memorandum of Understanding'
#MoU with IndusInd Bank for the
salary accounts of #ICG personnel.
The MoU was signed today at
Coast Guard Headquarters,
#NewDelhi. The salary account has
been tailor made for Coast Guard
Officers and Enrolled Personnel.



PMO India and 9 others

9:26 pm · 08 Aug 23 · **2,781** Views



Indian Coast Guard 🦈

@IndiaCoastGuard

To elevate and strengthen maritime safety, @IndiaCoastGuard District Hq #WestBengal conducted a Maritime Search & Rescue Workshop for all stakeholders and concerned agencies on 09-10 Aug at #Haldia. Various aspects of safety at sea, latest technologies & ideas were also shared.



PMO India and 9 others

7:36 pm · 10 Aug 23 · **2,718** Views



Indian Coast Guard 🧇

@IndiaCoastGuard

Standard Bye-Laws for @IndiaCoastGuard Kindergartens incorporating detailed guidelines on administration and general functioning of school were released by Mrs Dipa Pal, President Tatrakshika at #Noida on 03 Aug. #CGWWA #Education #Kindergarten #Knowledge #School #Children





PMO India and 9 others

1:58 pm · 04 Aug 23 · 4,073 Views



Indian Coast Guard

@IndiaCoastGuard

DG Rakesh Pal,PTM,TM,#DGICG accompanied by Mrs Dipa Pal, President Tatrakshika called on Smt Droupadi Murmu,Hon'ble President of India. Briefed about the role & functions of @IndiaCoastGuard including addl. responsibility of maritime & coastal security of #India. @rashtrapatibhvn





PMO India and 9 others

12:17 pm · 10 Aug 23 · 5,602 Views



Indian Coast Guard 🧇

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@IndiaCoastGuard Regional
Hq (#Andaman & #Nicobar)
conducted its 15th District
Commanders' and Works
Conference at #PortBlair on 10 &
11 Aug. Discussions on maritime
surveillance, SAR,pollution &
disaster response, coastal security,
capacity-building and infra.
projects were held





PMO India and 9 others

10:49 pm · 11 Aug 23 · 3,298 Views



Indian Coast Guard 🦈

In a swiftly coordinated medical evacuation,@IndiaCoastGuard saved a Filipino citizen (Mr

Valid Ola Gilbert,55 yrs). He had collapsed and required immediate hospitalisation onboard MV Evelyn Maersk at 110 Nm off Kochi.

#WeProtect #SAR #SavingLife #Sea #MaritimeSafety #ArabianSea





PMO India and 9 others

4:12 pm · 14 Aug 23 · 3,897 Views



Indian Coast Guard

@IndiaCoastGuard

Multinational Southeast Asia Cooperation and Training (SEACAT) Exercise-23 has commenced at #Singapore today. 20 nations are participating in this year edition. @IndiaCoastGuard made a maiden participation by deputing an officer at #Singapore.





PMO India and 8 others

6:15 pm · 14 Aug 23 · 1,916 Views



Indian Coast Guard 🦈

To celebrate the 77th

Independence day, @IndiaCoastGuard Ship C-440 during Joint Coastal Patrol off #Chennal spread the message of #HarGharTiranga, the message of Unity and Patriotism to fishermen at sea.

#AazadikaAmritMahotsav #HarGharTiranga #MeriMatiMeraDesh





PMO India and 9 others

7:15 pm · 14 Aug 23 · 1,481 Views



Indian Coast Guard 🦈

Celebrating 77th Independence Day, @IndiaCoastGuard Ship Vajra organized #HarGharTiranga campaign with dedicated involvement of all personnel while on active patrolling in the Gulf of Mannar on 13 Aug. #AzadiKaAmritMahotsav





PMO India and 9 others 6:00 pm · 14 Aug 23 · **1,324** Views

Indian Coast Guard 🦈

DG Rakesh Pal, PTM, TM, Director General @IndiaCoastGuard calls on Shri Pankaj Jain, IAS, @Secretary_MoPNG . Discussed issues on Offshore Safety & Security and Coast Guard preparedness during severe weather conditions. @PetroleumMin @SpokespersonMoD



PMO India and 9 others



Indian Coast Guard 🐡

@IndiaCoastGuard

@IndiaCoastGuard Ship Sarang based at #Chennai conducted tiranga rally on boats to promote #HarGharTiranga as part of 77th Independence Day celebrations. #AazadikaAmritMahotsav #MeriMatiMeraDesh





PMO India and 9 others

8:00 pm · 14 Aug 23 · 2,254 Views





Indian Coast Guard 🐡

@IndiaCoastGuard

@IndiaCoastGuard Ship Vikram while undertaking surveillance in #Lakshadweep group of Islands celebrated 77th Independence Day today. National Flag was also flown underwater.

#HarGharTiranga #AzadiKaAmritMahotsav #MeriMaati_MeraDesh



PMO India and 9 others

8:46 pm · 15 Aug 23 · 2,037 Views



Indian Coast Guard 🕏

@IndiaCoastGuard

Shri Mauvin H Godinho, Hon'ble Minister for Transport, Industries, Panchayat Raj and Protocol, Secretariat, Govt. of Goa and Mandeep Singh, TM, P/Adh(AH) have inaugurated the 'Type V' Married Accommodation building at @IndiaCoastGuard Enclave, Chicolna #Goa on 16 Aug.





PMO India and 9 others

11:43 am · 17 Aug 23 · 2,789 Views



Indian Coast Guard 🦈

Inspector General AP Badola, PTM, TM, Commander Coast Guard Region (East) visited @IndiaCoastGuard Station #Kakinada today. The flag officer reviewed the operational capabilities and shore-based logistics support of the station.





PMO India and 9 others



Indian Coast Guard 🐡

In a daring operation,

@IndiaCoastGuard #ALH MK-III evacuates a #Chinese national from MV Dong Fang Kan Tan No 2 around 200 Km mid-sea amidst challenging night conditions & extreme weather. Patient was reported chest pain &cardiac arrest symptoms.

#SAR #ArabianSea #MaritimeSafety



8:36 am · 17 Aug 23 · 30.6K Views



Indian Coast Guard 🦈 @IndiaCoastGuard

महानिदेशक राकेश पाल, पीटीएम, टीएम, महानिदेशक @IndiaCoastGuard ने माननीय गृहमंत्री श्री अमित शाह से शिष्टाचार भेंट की, और समुद्री सुरक्षा और समकालीन सुरक्षा चुनौतियों से निपटने के लिए तटीय सुरक्षा और भारतीय तटरक्षक की तैयारियों के बारे में जानकारी दी।

@DefenceMinIndia @HMOIndia

Translate post





Indian Coast Guard @

@IndiaCoastGuard

@IndiaCoastGuard Ship Vikram while undertaking surveillance in the #Lakshadweep group of Islands sighted a turtle entangled in fishing nets.

Immediately Rescue team launched for rescue. The #Turtle was rescued and released into the sea.



PMO India and 9 others

8:16 pm · 17 Aug 23 · 2,820 Views





Indian Coast Guard 🦈

Shri Atal Dulloo, IAS, Secretary (Border Management) MHA visited @IndiaCoastGuard Dist Hq-15 (North #Gujarat). Further, interacted and reviewed Coastal Security with #ICG & other stakeholders and embarked #ICG Hovercraft for firsthand overview at





PMO India and 9 others

10:10 pm · 17 Aug 23 · 3,535 Views



Indian Coast Guard 🦈

DG Rakesh Pal, PTM, TM, DG @IndiaCoastGuard visited HOs. Coast Guard Commander (Western Seaboard) #Mumbai. During his maiden visit, #DGICG interacted with #ICG personnel and reviewed operational preparedness & ongoing infrastructure projects.



PMO India and 8 others

9:49 pm · 18 Aug 23 · **4,069** Views



Indian Coast Guard 🐡

@IndiaCoastGuard

CG Adm Artemio M Abu, Commandant #Philippine Coast Guard #PCG undertook Customer Demonstration Flight onboard @IndiaCoastGuard ALH MK III at #Goa in coordination with M/s Hindustan Aeronautical Limited. @coastguardph @HALHQBLR





PMO India and 8 others

7:32 pm · 21 Aug 23 · 10.6K Views



Indian Coast Guard 🐡

DG Rakesh Pal, PTM, TM, Director General @IndiaCoastGuard paid a courtesy call to the Hon'ble Governor of #Maharashtra. Various operational facets & recent string of achievements by the Coast Guard (especially in #Maharashtra) including safety of fishermen at #Sea were briefed.





PMO India and 9 others

9:38 pm · 18 Aug 23 · 2,984 Views



Indian Coast Guard 🦈 @IndiaCoastGuard

19th Maritime States Development Council #MSDC meeting chaired by Sh. Sarbananda Sonowal, Hon'ble Cabinet Minister of Ports, Shipping and Waterways & Ministry of Ayush, was attended by @IndiaCoastGuard delegation headed by IG MV Pathak, PTM, TM





PMO India and 9 others

8:22 pm · 19 Aug 23 · 3,593 Views

at #Kevadia, Gujarat today.



Indian Coast Guard 🦈

@IndiaCoastGuard

CG Adm Artemio M Abu, Commandant #Philippine Coast Guard #PCG visited Goa Shipyard Limited #GSL to see the #Indian shipbuilding industry and @IndiaCoastGuard ship production.

@coastguardph





PMO India and 9 others

8:42 pm · 21 Aug 23 · 12.8K Views





Indian Coast Guard

Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) between ICG and PCG for enhancing maritime cooperation has been signed by the DG Rakesh Pal, PTM, TM, Director General @IndiaCoastGuard and CG Admiral Artemio M Abu,

and CG Admiral Artemio M Abu, Commandant, Philippine Coast Guard #PCG at the Coast Guard Hq, #NewDelhi. (1/2)





PMO India and 9 others

7:14 pm · 22 Aug 23 · 5,903 Views



Indian Coast Guard

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@IndiaCoastGuard Region (East) conducted the District Commanders' Conference under the chairmanship of IG AP Badola, PTM, TM at #Chennai today. Issues related to Operational, Human Resource, Administrative, Works and Maintenance aspects of units in the #Region were discussed.





PMO India and 8 others

8:41 pm · 24 Aug 23 · **2,764** Views



Indian Coast Guard 🦈

@IndiaCoastGuard

India's Success story continues to mesmerize world on "चंदा मामा tour के, Not दूर के..!"

#Chandrayaan3 has successfully soft-landed on the moon ?!

@IndiaCoastGuard congratulates @isro for the remarkable success. Proud moment for India's ⇒ space program.

वन्दे मातरम्..जय हिन्द



Post your reply





Sh. Giridhar Aramane, IAS, Defence Secretary laid the keel of four Coast Guard Fast Patrol vessels #FPV at @goashipyardltd, #Goa. DG Rakesh Pal, PTM, TM, Director General @IndiaCoastGuard, congratulated Sh. B K Upadhyay, CMD & all staff members #GSL, for their dedicated efforts.



PMO India and 8 others

8:19 am · 26 Aug 23 · 2,006 Views



The Hindu 28-07-23



Coast Guard rescues NIO vessel off Karwar coast

The Indian Coast Guard on Thursday averted a potential environmental disaster as it rescued the research ship of the National Institute of Oceanography (NIO), RV Sindhu Sadhana, that suffered engine failure and was drifting close to Karwar, with 36 people onboard, including eight scientists. The vessel was drifting at a speed of 03 knots and was approximately 20 nautical miles from the land, the Coast Guard said in a statement. "The situation was critical as the NIO was carrying valuable scientific equipment and was carrying valuable scientific equipment and research data. Moreover, the proximity of the ship to the ecologically sensitive Karwar coastline posed an imminent threat of grounding, which

> पजाब केसरी 28-07-23

कोस्ट गार्ड ने जहाज में फंसे आठ वैज्ञानिकों, 36 क्रू सदस्यों को बचाया

मुंबई, (पंजाब केसरी): कोस्ट गार्ड ने तेजी से कार्रवाई करते हुए राष्ट्रीय समुद्र विज्ञान संस्थान (एनआईओ) के एक अत्याधुनिक शोध जहाज पर सवार आठ प्रमुख वैज्ञानिकों और 36 क्रू सदस्यों को बचाया है। एक अधिकारी ने गुरुवार को बताया कि जहाज कारवार तट के पास बह गया था जहाज, 'आरवी सिंधु साधना' के इंजन में खराबी के कारण वह खतरनाक तरीके से कर्नाटक में कारवार तट की ओर बह रहा था और संभावित पर्यावरणीय आपदा पैदा कर सकता था। लगभग 20 समुद्रो मील की दूरी पर फंसा संकटग्रस्त जहाज तीन समुद्री मील प्रति घंटे की यति से कारतार तट की ओर आ रहा था जब कोस्ट गार्ड को एसओएस सिगनल गति से कारतार तट की ओर आ रहा था जब कोस्ट गार्ड को एसओएस सिगनल मिला। एक अधिकारी ने कहा, स्थिति गंभीर थी, क्योंकि एनआईओ के इस अत्याधुनिक अनुसंधान पोत पर मूल्यवान वैज्ञानिक उपकरण और अनुसंधान डेटा थे। इसके अलावा, पारिस्थितिक रूप से संवेदनशील कारवार तटरेखा के पास जहाज आने से उसके जमीन से टकराने का खतरा पैदा हो गया था जिससे एक बडा तेल रिसाव हो सकता था। एक उच्च प्राथमिकता वाले बचाव अभियान में कोस्ट गार्ड की एक विशेष टीम के साथ अत्यधिक उन्नत जहाज को क्षेत्र में भेजा गया। कठिन माँसम की स्थिति का सामना करते हुए कोस्ट गार्ड ने आरबी सिंधु साधना को कारवार के नाजुक पारिस्थितिकी तंत्र में फंसने से रोकने के लिए सुरक्षा के उपाय भी किए।

> **Hindustan Times** 02-08-23

ICG rescues Research Vessel RV Sindhu Sadhna



ICG successfully averted a potential environmental disaster recently when they rescued a research ship of the National Institute of Oceanography that suffered en-

gine failure and was drifting perilously close to Karwar, with eight esteemed scientists and total crew 36 on board. The name of the vessel is RV Sindhu Sadhana.

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आइसीजी ने समुद्र में फंसे जहाज से आठ विज्ञानियों सहित 36 लोगों को बचाया

क्षण्या है दे भारतीय ताटरांशव (आसरीजी) ने समुद्र में संसे अनुसंभाव जाताज में गुरुवार को आठ विष्ट्र विद्यालय स्थान के सारण जाताज कर्नातंत्र के क्षण्या कराताज कर के सारण जाताज कर्नातंत्र के क्षण्या कराताज कर के सारण जाताज कर्नातंत्र के क्षण्या कराताज कर राष्ट्रीय समुद्र विद्यालय स्थान के जाताज कर के सारण जाताज कर्नातंत्र के क्षण्या कराताज कर के सारण जाताज कर के सारण के सारण कर के सारण के सारण कर के सारण के



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नई दिल्ली। भारतीय तटरक्षक बल ने राष्ट्रीय समुद्र विज्ञान संस्थान



(एनआईओ) के एक अनुसंधान जहाज को बचाया। इसके इंजन में खराबी आ गई थी। इस बचाव कार्य में जहाज पर सवार आठ प्रतिष्ठित वैज्ञानिक और कुल 36 चालक दल को भी सरक्षित तरीके से बचाया गया। यह इंजन में

दिक्कत के बाद यह कारवार के करीब खतरनाक तरीके से बह रहा था। आरवी सिंधु साधना नामक जहाज का इंजन तीन समुद्री मील की गति से खराब हो गया और संकट संकेत प्राप्त होने पर वह जमीन से करीब 20 समुद्री मील दूर पहुंच गया। इसके परिणामस्वरूप एक बड़ा तेल रिसाव हो सकता था। इससे समर्दी पर्यावरण में विनाशकारी प्रदेषण होने का भी खतरा बन गया था।

> **Hindustan Times** 11-08-23

S Parmesh takes charge as Additional **Director General at Coast Guard HQs**



S Parmesh took charge as the Additional Di-rector General Coast Guard at Coast Guard

Headquarters, Delhi. The Flag Officer was at the helm of the Coast Guard Region (East), Coast Guard Region (West) and Coast Guard Commander (Eastern Seaboard) before assuming Additional Director General Coast Guard. The Flag Officer is an alumnus of the National Defence College, New Delhi and Defence Services Staff College, Wellington.



Times of India 16-08-23

President awards medals to **Coast Guard personnel**

The President of India has awarded President's Tatrakshak Medal (PTM) and Tatrakshak Medal (TM) to Indian Coast Guard personnel for their act of conspicuous gallantry, exceptional devotion to duty and distinguished/ meritorious service on the occasion of the Independence Day 2023. The President's Tatrakshak Medal (Distinguished Service) was awarded to IG Manoj Vasant Baadkar. Tatrakshak Medal (Gallantry) was awarded to Comdt(JG) Anurag Shukla (0853-M) and Sultan Singh, P/Nvk(P). Tatrakshak Medal (Meritorious Service) was awarded to DIG Manoj Bhatia, DIG KR Deepak Kumar, and Deobrat Kumar Mishra, P/Adh(RP).

> नवभारत टाइम्स 18-08-23

कोस्ट गार्ड ने चीनी नागरिक को बचाया



समंदर में दिल का दौरा पड़ा था।

च पीटीआई, नई दिल्ली: भारतीय कोस्ट
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> नवोदय टाइम्स 23-08-23

>> भारतीय तटरक्षकों ने फिलीपींस से किया समझौता

न्हं दिल्ली : भारतीय तटरक्षकों ने फिलीपींस के साथ समुद्री सहयोग बढ़ाने के लिए उसके तटरक्षक बल के साथ मंगलवार को एक समझौता ज्ञापन पर हस्ताक्षर किए। इसका मकसद क्षेत्र में सुरक्षित, संरक्षित और स्वच्छ समुद्र मुनिश्चित करना है। रक्षा मंत्रालय ने यह जानकारी दी। भारतीय तटरक्षक बल के महानिदेशक राकेश पाल और फिलीपींस तटरक्षक के कमांडेंट सीजी एडिमरल आर्टेमियो एम अबू ने दिल्ली में तटरक्षक मुख्यालय में समझौता ज्ञापन पर हस्ताक्षर किए। मंत्रालय ने एक बयान में कहा कि दोनों पक्षों ने कई समुद्री मुद्दों पर अपनी पहली द्विपक्षीय बैठक की। बयान के मुताबिक, भारत और फिलीपींस के बीच द्विपक्षीय सहयोग को मजबूत करने की दिशा में एक महत्वपूर्ण कदम के तहत भारतीय तट रक्षक ने समुद्री सहयोग बढ़ाने के लिए फिलीपींस तट रक्षक (पीसीजी) के साथ एक समझौता ज्ञापन पर हस्ताक्षर किए हैं।

नवोदय टाइम्स 18-08-23

समुद्र में फंसे चीनी को निकाला

नई दिल्ली : भारतीय तटरक्षक बल ने तत्परता दिखाते हुए बुधवार मध्यरात्रि अरब सागर में एक समुद्री पोत के चालक दल में शामिल बीमार चीनी नागरिक को प्रतिकृल परिस्थितियों में सुरक्षित बचा लिया। चीनी नागरिक अनुसंधान पोत एमवी डोंग फैंग कॉन टैन नंबर 2 के चालक दल का सदस्य है। जब यह पोत मुंबई से लगभग 200 किलोमीटर दूर अरब सागर में था तो चीनी नागरिक को दिल का दौरा पड़ गया। मुंबई में समुद्री बचाव समन्वय केंद्र को जब चालक दल में शामिल यिन वेडगयांग को दिल का दौरा पड़ने की जानकारी मिली तो उसे तत्काल चिकित्सा सहायता देने का निर्णय लिया गया।

> The Tribune 18-08-23

Coast Guard to aid of Chinese who suffered cardiac arrest

Jaipur: Indian Coast Guard has successfully conducted medical evacuation of a Chinese national from a Panama flagged research vessel around 200 km in Arabian sea off Mumbai on the intervening night of August 16-17. Yin Weigyang onboard the vessel had cardiac attack and required urgent medical attention. TNS

> The Pioneer 23-08-23

India, Philippines' coast guards ink MoU to enhance relations

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The first ever little and the maritime agencies signify dedication in strengthening the proton in the security of the provisions of MoU by sharing best practices, conducting joint exercises and enhancing training collaborations. The implementation of this MoU will go a long way in exhancing hilateral maritime cooperation between the two nations for ensuring safe, secure and clean seas in region





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