



ODISHA POLICE
SECURITY WING, SPECIAL BRANCH
BHUBANESWAR

Police Circular Order No. **3 6 9 / 2017**

Sub:- Creation of dedicated Range Level Bomb Detection and Disposal Squads (BDDS) and District Level Anti Sabotage Check Teams (ASCT) along with requirement of security gadgets for the teams, duties and responsibilities.

(A). Bomb Detection and Disposal equipments are being purchased in regular basis from 1984 and issued to all the districts/ establishments with instructions to use the same by utilising the services of trained Police Personnel as and when required, but Office Order for creation of Range Level Bomb Detection and Disposal Squad and District Level Anti-sabotage Check Team have not been issued so far in this regard.

In view of above, BDD Squad in each Range level i.e. Koraput, Berhampur, Sambalpur, Rourkela, Cuttack, Balesore, Angul and Commissionerate Police, Bhubaneswar – Cuttack will function at the Range Hdqr. Districts by redeploying existing trained police personnel of districts for the time being under the direct supervision of Dist. Ss.P. The team will attend Bomb threat calls and other duties as mentioned below within the range as per direction of Range Is.G.P. / D.Is.G.P.

Similarly, A.S. Check Team is to be functioned in each district by redeploying existing trained Police personnel of the districts for the time beings, so that there will be no problem for anti sabotage check duty at district level during visit of VIP/ other Protectees and different functions/special occasions. In case of detection of any suspected object by Dist. A.S. Check Team the range level BDDS can be mobilised to handle the situation till arrival of State BDDS of Security Wing of State Special Branch under Intelligence Organisation of Odisha Police Hdqrs. at Bhubaneswar.

(B). (I) REQUIREMENT OF MAN POWER FOR RANGE LEVEL BDD SQUAD/ A.S. CHECK TEAM.

As per guidelines of Ministry of Home Affairs, Govt. of India, New Delhi Letter No.. II-18015/16/07-ANC-II dated.19.09.2007 each Bomb Detection and Disposal Team should be managed by 10 Police Personnel with basic minimum qualification is Intermediate in Science.

1. Team In-charge-01
2. Technician- Trained on first hand maintenance of equipment-01
3. Bomb Detector Members for detection of Explosive devices-04
4. Bomb Disposal members for handling and disposal of Bomb-02
5. Dog Handler-01
6. Driver-01

Accordingly, each Range Level BDD team should have following 08 trained personnel to manage the duty.

1. Team In-charge-01
2. Technician-Trained on first hand maintenance of equipments-01.
3. Members for Detection of Explosive devices (Search Party)- 02.
4. Bomb Disposal Members (RSP) for handling and disposal of IED/Bomb-02.
5. Dog Handler with Sniffer Dog-01
6. Driver-01

(B). (ii) REQUIREMENT OF EQUIPMENTS FOR RANGE LEVEL BDDS-CUM-ANTI-SABOTAGE CHECK TEAMS.

1. Explosive Detector-01
2. Non-Linear Junction Detector-01
3. Mine Sweeper-01
4. Hand Held Metal Detector-01
5. Search Light-01
6. Extension Search Mirror-01
7. Prodder-01
8. Search Tool Kit-01
9. Explosive Sniffer Dog-01
10. Door Frame Metal Detector-01
11. Under Vehicle Search Mirror-01
12. Wire & Cable Locater-01
13. Buster Contraband Detector-01
14. Electronic Stethoscope-01
15. Optical Fiberscope-01
16. Radiation Detector-01
17. Real Time Viewing System (RTVS)-01
18. RSP Tool Kit – 01
19. Bomb Blanket – 01
20. Bomb Basket – 01
21. Blasting Machine – 01
22. Explosive Accessories.
23. Remote Operated Wire Cutter(ROWC)-01
24. Disrupter-01
25. Hook & Line Set-01

(B). (iii) DUTIES OF RANGE LEVEL BDD TEAM

- In addition to normal duties of anti-sabotage check at district range headquarters, they will also attend IED/Bomb Threat call at range level to neutralise the seized/recovered IEDs/Bombs.
- On getting requisition from respective district SsP of range, the range level BD team will immediately rush to the Police Station of concerned district to diffuse/ disposal off seized IEDs/Bombs with the assistance of local anti-sabotage check team.
- In case failure to defuse /disposal of seized IEDs/Bombs/Explosive materials by the range Level BD Team, the State level BDDS will attend on getting requisition from concerned district S.P or Range IsGP / DisGP.
- Daily maintenance of BDD gadgets.
- Assist the state level BDD Team to organise the Refresher's of course Training at Range Level.
- They will issue certificate against disposal of seized Explosive required by the Investigating Officer of the case after defused /disposal of seized Explosive as per provision of law.

(C). (i) REQUIREMENT OF MAN POWER FOR DISTRICT LEVEL A.S.CHECK TEAM (OTHER THAN RANGE HDQR DISTRICTS).

Each district Anti-sabotage Check team should have the following 06 training personnel to manage the district Anti-sabotage check duty.

1. Team In-charge-01
2. Technician-Trained on first hand maintenance of equipments-01.
3. Members for Anti-sabotage Check- 02 (Hav /Const.)
4. Dog Handler with Sniffer Dog-01
5. Driver-01

(C). (ii) REQUIREMENT OF EQUIPMENTS FOR DIST. LEVEL A.S. CHECK TEAM.

1. Explosive Detector-01
2. Non-Linear Junction Detector-01
3. Mine Sweeper-01
4. Hand Held Metal Detector-01
5. Search Light-01
6. Extension Search Mirror-01
7. Prodder-01
8. Search Tool Kit-01
9. Explosive Sniffer Dog-01
10. Door Frame Metal Detector-01
11. Under Vehicle Search Mirror-01

12. Wire & Cable Locater-01
13. Buster Contraband Detector-01
14. Electronic Stethoscope-01
15. Optical Fiberscope-01
16. Radiation Detector-01
17. Bomb Blanket – 01
18. Bomb Basket – 01

(C). (iii) DUTIES OF DISTRICT LEVEL ANTI-SABOTAGE CHECK TEAM.


- To conduct Anti-sabotage Check at Helipad. Route and alternative route, places of stay/Circuit House/IB, Meeting places, Carcade etc during the visit of VIP/VIPs to district.
- To conduct anti-sabotage check during Road Opening Party (ROP) in advance during movement of VIP and mobilisation of Police forces for operation.
- Installation of DFMDs and HHMDs at place of function where VIP addresses the gathering and during observation of important festivals.
- If any suspected articles are detected by the district Anti-sabotage check team, they will perform the following primary task
 - Cordon and evacuate the area with the assistance of Local Police.
 - Intimate nearest range BDDS team immediately for RSP (Rendering Safe Procedure).
 - All possible safety measures be taken like Buttressing, baffling and venting.

(D). PROCEDURE FOR USE AND MAINTENANCE OF SECURITY GADGETS.

- i. A separate room should be provided for storage of such sophisticated and costly equipments board having multi plugs and switches should be available in the room for regular charging of equipments.
- ii. A Log Book should be maintained by the In-charge. The batteries of the equipments should be discharged at regular interval while not in use and re-charged as per guidelines of User's Manual. It should be reflected in the Log Book with signature of the in-charge. The Log Book should be put up before R.I. regularly and once in a week before S.P. for perusal.
- iii. Dedicated Trained Staff should be entrusted/posted to remain in-charge of the equipments and look after proper handling and maintenance of the equipment. Responsibility should be fixed on them against mishandling, poor maintenance and loss of the equipments.
- iv. In case of damage/requirement of battery the same may be purchased from supplying Firm from the available fund of the unit.

- v. A separate Register should be maintained. Date of use of each equipment, procedure of use, total persons allowed for handling of these equipments etc. should be reflected in that register and should be put up before RI of Police once in a week and before S.P. once in a month.
- vi. In case of any defect arises on function of any equipment, the Technician of the supplying Firm should be contacted immediately without taking any steps for repair of same locally. In case of any repair or replacement of components, the required cost will be borne by districts from the appropriate heads.
- vii. Limited trained/technical Police Personnel should be allowed to handle these equipments for proper use to get better result in field and to avoid damage.

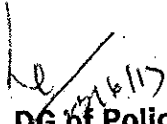
The PCO will come into force from the date of issue and suppresses any circular in this regard if issued earlier.


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**Director General of Police,
Odisha, Cuttack.**

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- Copy forwarded to the Principal Secretary to Govt., Home Deptt, Odisha, Bhubaneswar for favour of information.
- All Heads of Police Establishments of Odisha (except Home Guards / Fire Service / Vigilance) for information and necessary action.
- Addl. DG of Police (Provisioning), Odisha, Cuttack for information and necessary action.
- IT Section, S.P. Hdqrs., Odisha, Cuttack for information and necessary action.
- Establishment Section, Security Wing, Bhubaneswar for information and necessary action.
- I/c BDDS / A.S. Check Team, Security Wing, Bhubaneswar for Information and necessary action.
- I/c Executive Section, Security Wing, Bhubaneswar for information and necessary action.


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