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MAJOR EVENTS

Drug Burning Ceremony

To commemorate the International Day against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking, a Drug Burning Ceremony by Anti Narcotics Force was held on 26th June 2013 at Islamabad. Director General Anti Narcotics Force Major General Malik Zafar Iqbal, high ranking officials from Law Enforcement Agencies, Civil administration, Diplomats, Drug Liaison Officers from number of countries, Media representatives, social workers and representatives of Non-Governmental Organizations were also present on the occasion.



While addressing the gathering, Director General Anti Narcotics Force Major General Malik Zafar Iqbal, the chief guest of ceremony, reiterated the commitment of Government of Pakistan, Ministry of Interior and Narcotics Control, Narcotics Control Division and Anti Narcotics Force to fight against the menace of drugs.

Major General Malik Zafar Iqbal said that Drug Burning Ceremony held on 26th June is in relation with “International Day Against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking”, and main aim of celebrating this day in an organized manner is to create public awareness on dangers of drug abuse, and highlight efforts being put in by Law Enforcement Agencies all over the country in fight against drugs.

He stated that Pakistan is fully aware of its harmfulness and we are determined to clean our country from this menace. Especially we are committed to keep our youth which is our future, away from drug abuse. Fight against drugs is a shared responsibility both globally and domestically; therefore we need definite cooperation of international community and whole nation, under the guidance and assistance of Federal and Provincial governments. Also, drugs free Pakistan is only possible with joint cooperation of each citizen of Pakistan.

Major General Malik Zafar Iqbal said that Anti Narcotics Force is the leading Anti Narcotics Law Enforcement Agency of Pakistan, which is though small in size and is facing many challenges, yet it executes the assigned mission with full commitment, dedication, and conviction.

He said that Anti Narcotics Force remains cognizant of its responsibility to counter the drug menace through a three-pronged strategy i.e. **Drug Supply Reduction**, through invigorated and strengthened law enforcement; **Drug Demand Reduction**, through accelerated initiatives like creating mass awareness & community participation; and **International Cooperation**. Since its inception in 1995, Anti Narcotics Force has been able to achieve major breakthrough in combating the menace of drugs at national, regional and international levels. Growth of poppy in Pakistan has been drastically reduced over the years by Anti Narcotics Force with the assistance of other LEAs and international

Through concerted efforts, we have been able to eradicate major portion of poppy cultivated in the country. Resultantly, we have achieved the status of "Poppy Free State" as per standards of UNODC. This aspect has been greatly admired at various international forums.

The threat of drugs is enormous and Law Enforcement Agencies need complete support of society. Therefore, inculcating awareness amongst the General Public to reduce the Demand of Drugs coupled with provision of Free Treatment and Rehabilitation Facilities have been a priority of Anti Narcotics Force. Besides undertaking many awareness ventures, Anti Narcotics Force runs 3 Model Addiction Treatment and Rehabilitation Centre (MATRCs), where free of cost treatment is given. Since 2004, over 10000 (ten thousand) patients have been treated.

He mentioned that due to relentless efforts made by Anti Narcotics Force field tentacles all over the country, the year 2013 is going to be a record breaking year in terms of drugs seizures. During first six months; 2840 Kgs Heroin, 81295 Kgs Hashish, 4776 Kgs Opium, 104043 Kgs HCl/ Acetic Anhydride, 676 Kgs Morphine, 2750x Ecstasy tabs and 3.2 Kgs Cocaine have been seized till date. During 2013, Anti Narcotics Force has made biggest seizures of its history i.e. 1096 Kgs Heroin seized at Balochistan in single operation, 103563 Kgs mixture of HCl & Acetic Anhydride (precursor chemicals) seized at Peshawar in single operation and 81295 Kgs Hashish seized in first six months.

Today, approximately **126 tons of narcotics** are being destroyed at four different cities of Pakistan including Quetta, Karachi, Lahore and here, which includes **10911 Kg Heroin, 83457 Kg Hashish, 26453 Kg Opium, 4958 kg Morphine** and few other types of intoxicants and drugs.

Ceremony ended with the promise to continue the relentless efforts with full devotion and dedication

against the drug barons and the curse of drugs.

MAJOR SEIZURES

1500 Kg Hashish Seized at Lasbela

On 29 June 2013, Anti Narcotics Force Balochistan recovered **1500 Kg Hashish** at Lasbela.

1080 Kg Hashish Seized at Karachi

On 15 June 2013, Anti Narcotics Force Sindh recovered **1080 Kg Hashish** from a house godown at Karachi.

850 Kg Opium Seized at Panjgur

On 8 June 2013, Anti Narcotics Force Balochistan recovered **850 Kg Opium** at Panjgur.

175 Kg Opium Seized at Pishin

On 15 June 2013, Anti Narcotics Force Balochistan recovered **175 Kg Opium** from an un-attendant pajero at Pishin.

105 Kg Hashish and 554 Kg Cannabis Seized at Quetta

On 14 June 2013, Anti Narcotics Force Balochistan recovered **105 Kg Hashish** and **554 Kg Cannabis** from mountainous area at Quetta.

100.80 Kg Hashish Seized at Peshawar



On 8 June 2013, Anti Narcotics Force Khyberpkhtunkhwa recovered **100.80 Kg Hashish** from a car at Peshawar.

36 Kg Heroin Seized at Lahore

On 5 June 2013, Anti Narcotics Force Punjab

recovered **36 Kg Heroin** from a consignment of wooden frames at AllAP Lahore.

35 Kg Heroin and 562 Kg Hashish Seized at Karachi

On 8 June 2013, Anti Narcotics Force Sindh intercepted a truck and recovered **35 Kg Heroin** and **562 Kg Hashish** at Karachi.

22 Kg Heroin Seized at Islamabad

On 23 June 2013, Anti Narcotics Force Rawalpindi recovered **22 Kg Heroin** from personal possession of a passenger at BBIA Islamabad.

7.5 Kg Heroin Seized at Rawalpindi

On 18 June 2013, Anti Narcotics Force Rawalpindi recovered **7.5 Kg Heroin** from personal possession of a passenger at BBIA Islamabad.

6 Kg Heroin Seized at Peshawar



On 20 June 2013, Anti Narcotics Force Khyberpkhtunkhwa intercepted a car and recovered **6 Kg Heroin** at Peshawar.

3 Kg Heroin Seized at Peshawar

On 8 June 2013, Anti Narcotics Force Khyberpkhtunkhwa recovered **3 Kg Heroin** from a bag at Peshawar.

Foreigners arrested for drug trafficking in Pakistan during Jun 2013

Date of Arrest	Nationality	Arrests	Drug Recovered (in Kg)		
			Heroin	Hashish	Cocaine
21 Jun 2013	British	1	2	-	-
23 Jun 2013	Nigerian	1	1.30	-	-

Prosecution

- Strict and speedy disposal of narcotic cases is another mean to affect

reduction in supply and demand. Pursuing this aim, concentrated efforts have been made by Anti Narcotics Force in following manners:-

Punishment Awarded Upto 30 Jun 2013

Particulars	Numbers
Death Penalty	109
Life Imprisonment	1481
More than 10 Years RI	388
5 to 10 Years RI	1189
Less than 5 Years RI	6885
Total	10052

Legal State Upto Jun 2013

Registered Cases	Decided			Under Trial	
	Convicted	Acquitted	Final Order / Closed Cases	Dormant	Pending for trial in CNS Courts
11383	8020	1101	496	842	924

Assets Investigations state Upto 30 April 2013

No of cases

Under Investigation	78
In Appeal	85
Pending Trial	183

Value of Assets (In Million)

Assets Frozen	Rs.5249.310429 (M)
Assets Forfeited	Rs.542.487314 (M)
* Number of forfeited properties under litigation	14
* Number of forfeited properties under stay	8
Assets Realized	Rs. 65.475493 (M)

DRUG DEMAND REDUCTION

A summary covering awareness activities performed by Anti Narcotics Force during Jun 2013 is as follows:-

Summary Of Drug Demand Reduction Activities

Activities	Number
Lectures	16
Sports	24
Seminar / Workshop	19
Free Medical Camp	12
Painting Competition	3
Walk	5
Total	79

Patients Treated at MATRC during Jun 2013

Years	Quetta	Islamabad	Karachi	Total
Jun 2013	19	9	27	55

Foreign Dignitaries visit to Headquarter Anti Narcotics Force - 2013

Name	Designation	Date
Mr. Michael (Mick) Bispham	Country Manager SOCA	14 June 2013
Mr. Martin Lake	SOCA	14 June 2013
Mr. Silvia	National Research Officers, Paris pact Liaison Officer, UNODC	21 June 2013
Mr. Monahi Saad Alsubaie	Drug Liaison Officer Royal Embassy of Saudi Arabia, Islamabad	25 June 2013