

PRESS RELEASE

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Determined to uproot drug menace from the country and the world, Anti Narcotics Force Pakistan seized 742.565 Kg Narcotics, 158.060 Kg Suspected Chemical and 144.150 Kg Alcohol valuing Rs. 937.5 Million internationally, arrested 34 culprits including 5 ladies and impounded 9 vehicles while conducting 26 counter-narcotic strikes. The seized drugs comprised of 670.55 Kg Hashish, 43.9 Kg Opium, 20.005 Kg Heroin, 3.965 Kg Amphetamine (Ice), 1.5 Kg Methamphetamine (Ice), 630 Gram Cocaine, 419x Xanax Tablets, 110x Rivoril Tablets, 158.060 Kg Suspected Chemical and 144.150 Kg Alcohol.

In an intelligence based operation, ANF Quetta intercepted an unattended Parado from general area of Kasar, Tehsil Dasht, District Turbat and recovered 14 Kg Heroin from the said vehicle. The seized drug was being shifted to some unknown destination.

ANF Rawalpindi recovered 890 Gram Amphetamine (Ice) at Islamabad international Airport and arrested two persons identified as Sahib Gul and his lady accomplice namely Noor Zia both residents of Swabi. Both were proceeding to Saudi Arabia via Muscat through flight No. WY-346. In another operation, ANF Rawalpindi arrested Muhammad Imran resident of Hangu at Islamabad International Airport and recovered 590 Gram Amphetamine (Ice) which was concealed in his trolley bag. He was boarding for Jeddah by flight No EK-615. In third operation, ANF Rawalpindi arrested an accused namely Muhammad Umar Kiyani resident of Jehlum and recovered 550 Gram Hashish from his personal possession. He was arrested from Domeli Morr, GT Road Dina, Jehlum. In fourth operation, ANF Rawalpindi recovered 1.1 Kg Hashish from personal possession of the arrested accused identified as Gohar Ayub resident of Sialkot. He was arrested near Tarkai Toll Plaza main GT Road, Jehlum. In fifth operation, ANF Peshawar intercepted a motorcycle near Skyways Bus Stop, Faizabad, Rawalpindi and recovered 2 Kg Hashish & 170 Gram Amphetamine from personal possession of the two arrested accused identified as Chan Peer Shah and Aamir Farid both residents of Rawalpindi. In sixth operation, ANF Rawalpindi arrested Zahid Mehmood and his wife namely Saira Bibi residents of Rawalpindi and recovered 2 Kg Hashish from their personal possession. Both were arrested near Chungi No 26 Bus Stop, Islamabad. In seventh operation, ANF Rawalpindi arrested two lady accused namely Mehr Zari resident of Haripur and Saima resident of Nowshera and recovered 1 Kg Hashish and 2 Kg Opium from their personal possession. Both were arrested near Chungi No 26 Bus Stop, Islamabad. In eighth operation, ANF Rawalpindi arrested Ismail resident of Mardan at Islamabad International Airport and recovered 925 gram Amphetamine from his trolley bag. He was boarding for Jeddah by Flight No SV-889.

ANF Lahore recovered 500 Gram Hashish from personal possession of the two arrested accused namely Talha Irfan and Shah Rukh both residents of Multan. They were arrested near Nishat School & College, Lodhi Colony, Multan. In another operation, ANF Lahore arrested a lady accused namely Iffat Batool Gori resident of Pakpattan and recovered 630 Gram Cocaine from her hand bag. She was arrested from Daewoo Bus Terminal, Thokar Niaz Baig, Lahore. In third operation, ANF Lahore intercepted a Toyota Corolla XLI car near SA Garden, Sitara Hilal, Shell Petrol Pump Lahore-Gujranwala Road and recovered 3 Kg Heroin and 3 Kg Hashish which was concealed secret cavity of the said vehicle. Resultantly two accused namely Alamgir Khan and Andaz Ali both residents of Khyber Agency were arrested. In fourth operation, ANF Lahore intercepted a Suzuki Cultus Car and United

Motorcycle near Khanewal Toll Plaza, Lahore-Multan Road and recovered 3 Kg Heroin which was concealed in driver side door of the vehicle. Resultantly three accused namely Muhammad Sagheer resident of Khanewal, Maqsood Ahmed and Rauf Arshad both residents of Faisalabad were arrested during the operation. In fifth operation, ANF Lahore intercepted a Motorcycle at Gol Chakkar near Imporium Mall, Joher Town, Lahore and recovered 1 Kg Hashish and 2 Kg Opium from personal possession of the arrested accused namely Zubair Khan resident of Lahore.

ANF Peshawar in collaboration with FC (South) raided at dumping place located near Shorkot, Bannu Road, D.I Khan and recovered 563.2 Kg Hashish, 5 Gram Heroin 144.150 Kg Alcohol and 158.060 Kg Suspected Chemical alongwith packing material. In another operation, ANF Peshawar intercepted a Nissan Wingroad car at Pattang Chowk Stop, Ring Road Peshawar and recovered 1.390 Kg Amphetamine (Ice) which was concealed in driver side door of the vehicle. Resultantly two accused namely Khan Wali resident of Khyber Agency and Muhammad Shah resident of Peshawar were arrested. In third operation, ANF Peshawar recovered 500 Gram Methamphetamine (Ice) from personal possession of Inayat Ullah resident of Peshawar. He was arrested near Green Hotel, Saddar Peshawar. In fourth operation, ANF Peshawar arrested an accused namely Ziarat Khan resident of Swabi at Peshawar International Airport and recovered 1.9 Kg Xanax Tablets which was concealed in Dry Milk Box. He was boarding for Jeddah via Dubai through flight No EK-637. In fifth operation, ANF Peshawar recovered 1.5 Kg Opium & 600 Gram Hashish from personal possession of the arrested accused namely Imran Badshah resident of Qasur. He was arrested from a passenger bus near Motorway Toll Plaza, Peshawar. In sixth operation, ANF Peshawar intercepted Honda Vezel and Honda City cars near Bacha Khan Markaz, Peshawar and recovered 69.6 Kg Hashish and 38.4 Kg opium form secret cavities of the said vehicles. Resultantly 3 accused identified as Shah Nawaz resident of Peshawar, Abdul Khaliq and Muhammad Shahzad Khan Afridi both residents of Khyber Agency were arrested during the operation. In seventh operation, ANF Peshawar recovered 2.4 Kg Hashish from personal possession of the arrested accused namely Farman ud Din resident of Peshawar. He was arrested near Motorway Toll Plaza, Peshawar when he was travelling in a passenger bus.

ANF Karachi arrested an accused identified as Mumtaz Ali resident of Swabi at Jinnah International Airport, Karachi and recovered 950 Gram Methamphetamine (Ice) which was concealed in coconut kept in his bag. He was boarding for Damam by Flight No. GF-0753. In another operation, ANF Karachi conducted a raid at Bismillah Quetta Zamzam Hotel, Mujahid Colony, Nazimabad, Karachi and recovered 22.8 Kg Hashish which was concealed in 2x Almiras. Resultantly an accused identified as Jano resident of Karachi was arrested during the operation. In third operation, ANF Karachi arrested Asad Sultan Mehmood resident of Lahore at Jinnah International Airport, Karachi and recovered 320x Xanax Tablets (weighing 85 gram) from his trolley bag. He was boarding for Dubai by flight No EK-609. In fourth operation, ANF Karachi intercepted an Australia bound parcel from Cargo Complex located at Jinnah International Airport, Karachi and recovered 99x Xanax Tablets (weighing 12 Gram) and 110x Rivoril Tablets (weighing 18 Gram). Parcel was booked from post office Islamabad. In fifth operation, ANF Karachi arrested an accused namely Pervaiz Ahmed resident of Karachi and recovered 800 Gram Hashish and 50 Gram Methamphetamine (Ice) from his personal possession. He was arrested near Street of Haidery Masjid, Old Golimar, Karachi.

Above mentioned operations were conducted during last week and all cases have been registered at respective ANF Police Stations under CNS Act 1997 and further investigations are underway.