

Joint Nakas were established by the Police/Security Forces and during the checking, at Challa TCP, two vehicles were intercepted, driven by Rashid Ahmad Mangral S/o Mushtaq Ahmad Mangral R/o Dwaran, Uri and Syed Irfan Ali S/o Syed Abid Hussain R/o Gingal, Mahura, Uri, and on search, the Police recovered 02 Pistols, 02 Magazines, 24 Rounds, 01 Silencer, 02 Hand Grenades and an amount of Rs. 1,69000/- from the vehicles respectively; and

2. Whereas based on the above, a Case FIR No. 07/2024 under Section 7/25, Arms Act and Sections 13,16,18,23 and 39 of ULA (P) Act, was registered in the Police Station, Boniyar, and the investigation, of the case was set into motion. Subsequently, during the investigation, the offence under Section 16 of ULA (P) Act was dropped and Sections 17 and 40 of ULA (P) Act were added in the case; and

3. Whereas, during the course of investigation, the site plan of the place of occurrence and the seizure memos were prepared and the statements of witnesses acquainted with the facts and circumstances of the case were recorded under the relevant provisions of law; and

4. Whereas, during the investigation, one more person identified as Mohd Ishfaq Mir S/o Gh.Hussain Mir R/o Hajitrah, Tangdhar, Kupwara, was found involved in the commission of offence. Subsequently, the accused was also arrested in the case and during the investigation, 02 Hand Grenades were recovered at his instance; and

5. Whereas, during the investigation, it was found that the accused viz. Rashid Ahmad Mangral, was in contact with a terrorist of HM, a banned outfit, namely, Azad Saudi, through virtual mode and on his directions the accused viz. Rashid Ahmad Mangral, motivated the other two accused viz. Syed Irfan Ali and Mohd Ishfaq Mir, to work for the outfit in order to promote terrorist activities in the area; and

6. Whereas, during the investigation, it was found that the accused viz. Rashid Ahmad Mangral and Syed Irfan Ali, on the directions of terrorist viz. Azad Saudi, went to Cholan Pahadi Hilla, and procured arms/ammunition, Hand Grenades and cash to the tune of Rs 1,69000/- from an unknown person for further distribution among the terrorists. The accused viz. Rashid Ahmad Mangral, handed over 01 Pistol with Magazine, 10 Rounds, 01 Hand Grenade and cash to the tune of Rs.69000/- to the accused viz. Syed Irfan Ali and 02 Hand Grenades to

the accused viz. Mohd Ishfaq Mir, besides, retained 01 Pistol, with magazine, 14 Rounds. 01 Silencer, 01 Hand Grenade and cash to the tune of Rs.01 lac in his possession, which were later on recovered from the accused; and

7. Whereas, during the investigation, it was established that the accused viz. Rashid Ahmad Mangral, Syed Irfan Ali and Mohd Ishfaq Mir, were working as over Ground Workers (OGWs) for the terrorists particularly the terrorist viz. Azad Saudi, and were providing logistic support to him, besides under a well knit Criminal conspiracy procured arms/ammunition, Hand Grenades and cash to the tune of Rs. 1,69000/- from the said terrorist through an unknown person for further distribution among the terrorists for carrying out the terrorist activities in the area ; and

8. Whereas, the investigation, in respect of accused viz. Azad Saudi, and an unknown person who handed over the arms/ammunition, Hand Grenades and cash to the accused viz. Rashid Ahmad Mangral and Syed Irfan Ali, shall continue to ascertain their actual identity and to bring out their role/ involvement in the case and the Supplementary Charge Sheet against them would be filed in the court of competent jurisdiction ; and

9. Whereas, on the basis of the investigation, the statements of witnesses recorded and other evidence collected, the Investigating Officer, has established a *prima face* involvement of the below mentioned accused for the commission of offences punishable under Sections of the Unlawful Activities (Prevention) Act, 1967, as shown against their names:-

S.No.	Name of the accused	Offence
1.	Rashid Ahmad Mangral S/o Mushtaq Ahmad Mangral R/o Dwaran Uri, Baramulla.	13,17,18,23,39,40 ULA(P) Act.
2.	Syed Irfan Ali S/o Syed Abid Hussain R/o Gingal, Mahura, Uri, Baramulla.	
3.	Mohd Ishfaq Mir S/o Gh.Hussain Mir R/o Hajitrah, Tangdhar, Kupwara.	13,17,18,23,39, ULA(P) Act.

10. Whereas, the authority appointed by the Government under Sub-Section (2) of Section 45 of the Unlawful Activities (prevention) Act, 1967, has independently examined the Case Diary File and all the other

relevant documents relating to the case and has come to the conclusion that *prima facie* case is made out against the above accused : and

11. Whereas, after perusing the case Diary File, the relevant documents and also taking into consideration the views of the Authority appointed under Sub- Section (2) of Section 45 of the Unlawful Activities (Prevention) Act, 1967, the Government is of the view that there is sufficient material and evidence available against the above-mentioned accused for their prosecution under the provisions of law.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by Sub-Section (2) of Section 45 the Unlawful Activities (prevention) Act, 1967, the Government hereby accord Sanction for launching prosecution against the accused viz. Rashid Ahmad Mangral, Syed Irfan Ali and Mohd Ishfaq Mir, for the commission of offences punishable under the relevant Sections of ULA (P) Act, as indicated against the each accused at Para (9) above, arising out of FIR No. 07/2024 of Police Station, Boniyar.

By order of the Government of Jammu and Kashmir.

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Principal Secretary to the Government,
Home Department.