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SSB seized 303 Kgs cannabis in two different operations

New Delhi (25 July, 2017) :- On 25.07.2017 at 0330 hrs, on receiving an specific intelligence input 47th Bn SSB Pantoka(Bihar) seized 86 Kgs cannabis when it was being brought into India from Nepal. 03 smugglers were apprehended and were handed over to PS Adapur (Bihar) for further investigation alongwith seized item.

In another operation On 25.07.2017, 61st Bn SSB Balemu Arunachal Pradesh received a specific intelligence input from its own Intel Branch that some miscreants are trying to smuggle a consignment of cannabis from Boha(Arunachal Pradesh) to Mazbat(Assam). SSB personnel were able to recover 217 Kgs of cannabis concealed inside forest but the smugglers managed to flee away. The seized item was handed over to Police station Balemu for further legal action.

Smuggling of Narcotic items is one of core challenges faced by SSB on Indo-Nepal Border. It is only due to the proactive and relentless efforts of the force personnel that this year alone till date, SSB is able to make seizure of around 8,191 Kgs (Bukki-3 Kgs, Brown Sugar-3.12 Kg, Charas-258.71 Kg, Cocain-0.07 Kgs, Doda- 12 Kgs, Ganja- 7,846.68 Kg, Heroin- 6.6 Kgs, Opium-60.13 Kgs, Posta-1.22 kgs, Smack-0.229 Kgs, Morphine- 0.150 Kgs) in 196 cases of various items of Narcotics ie, Charas, Heroin, Ganja, Opium etc worth Rs/- 1,40,64,15,552/-. 197 persons have been apprehended this year so far and booked under relevant sections of NDPS.
SSB officer and Jawan of 61st Bn with seized cannabis

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