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01-34-2013

पुलिस महानिदेशक (प्रशिक्षण) का कार्यालय बिहार, पटना।

पटना, दिनांक 03/02/2015

सेवा में,

पुलिस महानिरीक्षक,  
विशेष शाखा / अप0अनु0 विभाग /  
ए0टी0एस0 / अभियान, बिहार पटना।  
सभी क्षेत्रीय पुलिस उप-महानिरीक्षक (रेलवे सहित)  
बिहार, पटना।

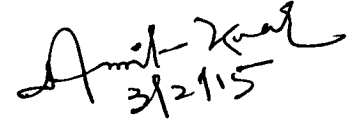
प्रसंग :- अवर सचिव (PMA) भारत सरकार गृह मंत्रालय पुलिस -1 विभाग (PMA Cell) नई दिल्ली का पत्र सं0 23011/04/2015-PMA दिनांक 20.01.2015

विषय :- **ATA 10954 (Explosive Incident Countermeasures) Training Course to be organised from 23-03-2015 to 15-05-2015 at Montross, Virginia, USA - regarding.**

उपर्युक्त प्रासंगिक पत्र द्वारा विषयांकित प्रशिक्षण कोर्स में पुलिस अवर निरीक्षक से अपर पुलिस अधीक्षक कोटि के पदाधिकारियों का मनोनयन दिनांक 06.02.2015 तक भांगा गया है। प्रति संलग्न।

कृपया उपरोक्त विषयांकित प्रशिक्षण हेतु स्वेच्छा संलग्न प्रपत्र में वायोडाटा सहित निर्धारित समय के पूर्व प्रशिक्षण निदेशालय में अविलंब भेजा जाय।

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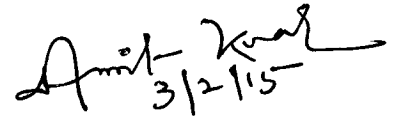


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बिहार, पटना।

प्रतिलिपि :- सभी प्रक्षेत्रीय पुलिस महानिरीक्षक, बिहार को सूचनार्थ प्रेषित।

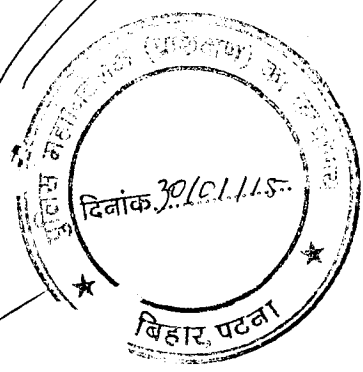
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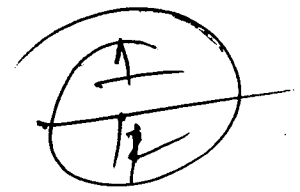
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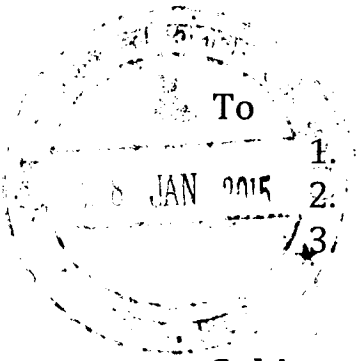


Most Urgent/Fax

No.23011/04 /2015-PMA  
Government of India  
Ministry of Home Affairs  
Police -I Division (PMA Cell)  
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North Block, Room No.14  
New Delhi, dated the 15<sup>th</sup> January, 2015



- 1. Home Secretaries -DsGP of all States/UTs
- 2. DsG- All CAPFs/CPOs/RPF
- 3. Directors-SVPNPA/NEPA

20 JAN 2015

DH (T88)

**Subject: ATA-10954 (Explosive Incident Countermeasures) training course to be organised from 23.03.2015 to 15.05.2015 at Montross, Virginia, USA - regarding.**

Sir,

MA  
28/1/15

I am directed to refer to the subject and to say that the Govt of USA vide their letter dated 5.1.2015 (copy enclosed) has offered ATA-10954 (Explosive Incident Countermeasures) training course for 15 participants to be organised in USA from 23.03.2015 to 15.05.2015. The US Embassy has also confirmed the ATA-10954 vide their letter dated 9.1.2015 (copy enclosed).

2. This seven week course is designed to provide 15 entry level law enforcement and public safety officers with skills, tactics, techniques and procedures necessary to defeat terrorist improvised explosive and incendiary devices. Digital X-ray technology and search techniques to identify, render safe, mitigate and dispose of hazardous devices and material are also taught in this course through lecture, demonstrations, and practical exercises. **Participants selected should be working in Explosive Units and they should be holding a rank from Sub-Inspector to Addl. Superintendent of Police.** Officers selected for this course should remain in their positions for a minimum of two years. **There is no financial implication on the part of Govt of India as expenditure on return air tickets / boarding / lodging / conveyance / subsistence allowance is to be borne by the Govt of USA under Anti Terrorism Assistance Programme.**

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4. The course will be taught in English with simultaneous interpretation into Hindi and all course materials will be in English.

5. The nominated officer should be clear from vigilance angle.

6. Nominating police Authorities should nominate officers with appropriate skills and work background who will actually utilize this training as course participants. They should be holding a rank from **Sub-Inspector to Addl. Superintendent of Police**. It is also requested to forward the full name (no abbreviation), rank, date/place of birth, current position, title and unit of each participant selected for this course.

7. No direct application will be entertained.

8. It is requested that nomination of two eligible and willing officers (one main & one reserve) in the rank of **SI to ASP** as per their details (enclosed Annexure-1) for the aforesaid training course may please be forwarded to this Ministry by **6<sup>th</sup> February, 2015** through their respective Home Department/proper channel.

Yours faithfully,

  
(Raman Kumar)

Under Secretary (PMA)

Tel: 011-23093443

Fax: 011-23093750

Copy to:-

1. DG BPR&D, CGO Complex, New Delhi for information and necessary action.
2. SO (IT), MHA - With the request to upload above communication on MHA website.

  
(Raman Kumar)

Under Secretary (PMA)

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**Annexure-1**

**Subject : ATA-10954 (Explosive Incident Countermeasures) training course to be organised from 23.03.2015 to 15.05.2015 at Montross, Virginia, USA**

**BIO DATA/PROFORMA**

- 1. **Name of the Officer** :
- (Complete name in capital letter,  
No Abbreviation)
- 2. **Gender** :
- 3. **Designation/Rank with Address** :
- 4. **Date of Birth** :
- 5. **Place of Birth** :
- 6. **Date of joining in Police Service** :
- 7. **Educational Qualification** :
- 8. **Present place of posting** :
- Whether working in explosive Unit** :
- 9. **Official Passport No. if any** :
- 10. **Official Passport valid/expired** :
- 11. **Address (Permanent)** :
- 12. **Address (Present)** :
- 13 **Telephone Number:**
  - a. **Office:-----**
  - b. **Residence-----**
  - c. **Mobile No.-----**
  - d. **Fax No.-----**
  - e. **E-mail address-----**
- 14. **Vegetarian/Non-Vegetarian** :
- 15. **Details of earlier ATA course attended :**  
**/foreign training attended**

**(Signature)**

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Embassy of the United States of America

New Delhi  
January 5, 2015



Mr. Subrat Pradhan  
Deputy Director (NA)  
Ministry of Finance  
Department of Economic Affairs  
Room No. 79-A, North Block, New Delhi

Dear Mr. Pradhan:

The Office of Anti-Terrorism Assistance, Diplomatic Security Service (DS/ATA), U.S. Department of State, would like to offer the following course to the appropriate Government of India (GOI) personnel:

Course: ~~(ATA-10149)~~ <sup>ATA-10954</sup> EXPLOSIVE INCIDENT COUNTERMEASURES

Duration and Dates of Course: 7 Week: March 23 to May 15, 2015

Location: **Montross, Virginia, U.S.A.**

Number of Participants: 15

Number of Reserve Participants: 5

NOTE: Please ensure that the following deadlines are met in order to avoid the cancellation of this limited and highly popular training opportunity.

**Deadline date for acceptance or declination of the Course is: February 6, 2015**

We need list of names of participants (Please provide full names of participants as per Passport or copy of passport), along with biographic forms of Participants, Official Passport and travel plan details (form attached herewith) and its approval from the Ministry of Home Affairs, positively by February 12, 2015.

Participants Diplomatic Note from CPV Division/; VISA forms DS-160 (<https://ceac.state.gov/genniv/>), prints on laser printer only; medical reports, positively by **February 19, 2015**.

The following information is provided to give you a better perspective of this course:

**1. COURSE DESCRIPTION AND OBJECTIVES:**

This seven-week course is designed to provide 15 law enforcement and public safety officers with skills, tactics, techniques and procedures necessary to defeat



terrorist improvised explosive and incendiary devices. Digital X-ray technology and search techniques to, identify, render safe, mitigate and dispose of hazardous devices and material are also taught in this course through lecture, demonstrations, and practical exercises.

This course provides participants with an understanding of basic electricity and electronics in order to identify terrorist fusing and firing mechanisms. Participants will also use digital x-ray technology to identify key components and disrupt or disable improvised explosive devices (IED). Improvised disrupter cartridge development is provided to aid participants in cost effective means for disrupting or disabling terrorist devices.

Course topics include human rights, trends in terrorism, bomb suits, disrupters, booby traps, basic electric and non-electric demolition and disposal with many field training exercises that allow ample opportunity to hone newly acquired knowledge and skills.

At the conclusion of this course, participants will be able to identify, diagnose, and impose appropriate render safe procedures and disruption techniques against mechanical and electronic IEDs; calculate blast and fragmentation distances and conduct demolition and disposal operations.

Training hours are 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday, however, these hours may be adjusted depending on local customs. Course attire is business dress for the course opening and graduation ceremonies. Business casual dress is appropriate at all other times unless otherwise specified due to the nature of the course.

## 2. PARTICIPANT CRITERIA

This course is designed for entry level personnel responsible for response, render safe and disposal of improvised explosive devices. Additionally the safe handling, transport and disposal of explosives, pyrotechnics and military ordnance is provided. Participants will be provided uniforms, personal equipment and team gear necessary to effectively respond to incidents involving IED's and other related explosive devices.

Department policy prohibits personnel assigned to an intelligence agency or a military unit from participating in any ATA training. Therefore, neither the GOI nor Post should propose such individuals for this training event. Personnel assigned to an intelligence unit within a law enforcement organization, and who support the law enforcement function of that organization is acceptable. Personnel assigned to a military unit that performs law enforcement functions are acceptable.

DS/T/ATA policy requires course participants to attend the entire course. The training value diminishes if a participant is required to perform his/her daily operational duties while attending this course. Participants who miss any

module, for whatever reason, may not be allowed to return to finish the course and may be instructed to return to their country.

DS/T/ATA programs adhere to the "train-the-trainer" methodology and the GOI is encouraged to nominate trainers and/or instructors as participants. This will facilitate India's development of a viable antiterrorism training program within its law enforcement community. Officers selected for this course should remain in their positions for a minimum of two years. **Participants selected should be working in Explosive Units and they should be holding a rank from Sub-Inspector to Additional Superintendent of Police.**

### 3. PARTICIPANT INFORMATION:

GOI is requested to forward the name, rank, date/place of birth, and current position title and unit of each participant selected for this course.

ATA requires that the GOI appoint a senior leader for the group. This individual should have the authority to maintain class order and discipline.

### 4. COURSE LANGUAGE:

This course will be taught in English with simultaneous interpretation into Hindi. All materials will be in English.

### 5. MEDICAL CLEARANCES:

Some participants in prior DS/T/ATA courses have had infectious diseases such as AIDS, malaria, or hepatitis. Participants in ATA courses are required to undergo medical screening standards and procedures for all ATA courses held in the US.

This course involves physical activities involving a potential for injury that could result in exposure to communicable and/or infectious diseases. Because of this risk and DS/T/ATA's responsibilities as described in the previous paragraph, DS/T/ATA has established the following medical standards for participants in ATA courses delivered in the US:

(a) The GOI must certify in writing that course participants are in excellent health and free of disease, illness, or other health problems that would limit their participation in this course. Absences from any portion of the course to treat pre-existing medical conditions are not acceptable and may result in the participant returning home.

(b) All participants must complete medical screening for hepatitis A, B, and C; HIV/AIDS; malaria; tuberculosis; and sexually transmitted diseases. This screening must be conducted by a visa panel physician or other local competent physician.

## 6. PARTICIPANT TRAVEL

All course participants must travel on the same flights to and from the training site. The group travel for arrival in Washington, D.C on March 21, 2015 and for departure on May 9, 2015.

Please inform the participants that travel outside of the (Training Location) area on evenings or weekends, other than travel or activities sponsored by DS/T/ATA, is prohibited.

It is advised that, in those exceptions to normal practice when a course participant is granted permission by his/her government to travel in the United States after course completion, the GOI must provide the participant's travel itinerary as well as their points of contact (including name, address and telephone number). The course participant is responsible for any costs incurred as a result of this travel.

## 7. PARTICIPANT CLOTHING:

The weather in Montross, Virginia during the months of April-May has average daytime temperatures in the 60s and 70s (DEGREES F) with average nighttime temperatures in the 40s (DEGREES F). Course attire is business dress for the course opening and graduation. Business casual dress is appropriate at all other times unless otherwise specified due to the nature of the course. Participants should bring one dress suit (or jacket and tie), suitable clothing for their free time, and appropriate recreational clothing and workout gear.

## 8. LODGING:

DS/T/ATA policy for all domestic training courses is double occupancy unless there are females or exigent circumstances that preclude this. Post must ensure course participants understand that any additional costs such as telephone calls, pay-per-view movies, or room service is the responsibility of the course participants.

## 9. PARTICIPANT STIPEND:

The Embassy will provide \$735 to each course participant as their full subsistence grant. These funds are intended to pay for the participant's incidental expenses while in training - no other funds are allotted. Meals and lodging are provided at no cost to the participants.

Please advice in writing no later than **February 6, 2015**, if the GOI accepts this course offering under the terms and requirements cited above. If you have any questions / concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me at the U.S. Embassy, telephone number 2419-8000.



With warm regards,

Sincerely,

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Senior Regional Security Officer  
United States Embassy, New Delhi

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