

NARCOTICS CONTROL BUREAU

Drug Traffickers sentenced to 03 Years Rigorous Imprisonment

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In a significant achievement, the Narcotics Control Bureau (NCB), Chandigarh Zonal Unit, has successfully secured the conviction of one accused involved in opium drug trafficking.

This case relates to seizure of 0.500 kg of opium in July 2019 by the NCB Chandigarh Zonal Unit from a house in Gandhi Nagar, Pehowa, District Kurukshetra, Haryana. NCB had arrested accused, Laeeq Ahmad, a resident of Shahjahanpur, Uttar Pradesh, who had arrived to deliver the opium to another accused at his residence. Both were apprehended at the spot.

A complaint in this matter was filed before the Hon'ble Court Kurukshetra in September, 2019. On 07.08.2025 the Hon'ble Additional Sessions Judge, Kurukshetra, convicted Laeeq Ahmed and awarded sentence of 03 years of Rigorous Imprisonment (RI), along with a fine of ₹40,000/- under the provisions of the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances (NDPS) Act, 1985.

The conviction exemplifies the NCB's commitment to accomplish the vision of DRUG FREE INDIA through proper investigation & prosecution of case.

To fight against drug trafficking, NCB seeks support of the citizens. Any person can share information related to sale of narcotics by calling on MANAS- National Narcotics Helpline Toll Free Number-1933. The identity of the informer is kept confidential.
