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AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF INDIA  
AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED ARAB EMIRATES  
ON TRAFFICKING IN NARCOTIC DRUGS  
AND PSYCHOTROPIC SUBSTANCES

The Government of the Republic of India and the Government of the United Arab Emirates, recognising the menace of the crimes related to trafficking in narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances and the hazards arising therefrom to the health and welfare of human beings and the economic, cultural and moral foundations of the society;

And inspired by the international efforts which aim to combat drug-related crimes, which found culmination in the adoption of the Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs, 1954, the Convention on Psychotropic Substances, 1971, and the UN Convention against Illicit Traffic in Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances, 1988;

And moved by the resolve to intensify their efforts in combating the menace of trafficking in narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances and their abuse, have agreed upon the following:

1. The term "Trafficking in Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances", wherever stated in this Agreement, shall mean: The crimes listed in Para A of Article 3 of the UN Convention against Illicit Traffic in Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances, 1988.
2. The two sides agreed for designation of agencies and officers through whom regular exchange of information may be effected as indicated in Appendix-1.
3. The two sides agreed that the exchange of information will be channelised through the nodal agencies and officers specified above, such an exchange of information may be extended to regional and field levels, if considered necessary at a later stage.
4. Operational intelligence may be communicated through the fastest means of communication, viz., telephone and telex.
5. Information of a detailed nature would be communicated through correspondence in order to build up dossiers in respect of smugglers, suspects, financiers, organisers, etc., and those others involved in trafficking in narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances.
6. The normal exchange would take place in the formats as at Appendices II and III.

7. Any other information of significance may be exchanged even outside the format on "as and when necessary" basis.

8. With regard to the steps to be taken by either side to identify the notorious smugglers/traffickers in narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances, and syndicates and to neutralise their activities, it is agreed that both the countries will endeavour to take firm steps in this regard.

9. The two sides agreed to exchange information on routes, new methods and means used for trafficking in narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances and the emerging trends in the field.

10. In regard to exchange of information in specific cases, maximum cooperation should be shown by both sides. In respect of specific cases of importance, priority should be clearly indicated in the communication so that such cases are pursued with the urgency that they deserve.

11. The two sides shall adopt such measures as may be necessary to enable confiscation of proceeds derived from trafficking in narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances as money laundering, and using such proceeds/property in the fight against illicit traffic and drug abuse, subject to the provisions in the national law of the respective side.

12. This Agreement valid for five years shall automatically be renewed for similar five year periods at a time unless one of the parties gives intimation of its intention of not renewing the agreement at least six months before the expiry.

13. This Agreement shall come into force from the date of exchange of diplomatic notes between the two countries, notifying the completion of constitutional requirements on each side.

14. Done at New Delhi on this the 6th January, 1994, in two originals each in the Hindi, Arabic and English languages, all texts being equally authentic. In case of divergence, the English text shall prevail.

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APPENDIX - I

NODAL AGENCIES FOR EXCHANGE OF INFORMATION  
ON DRUG TRAFFICKING AND RELATED MATTERS

Contact Official in India :

Deputy Director-General,  
Narcotic Control Bureau,  
West Block -I, Wing-5,  
R.K. Puram,  
New Delhi - 110 066.

Tel. Office: 688 5378  
688 3156

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Ministry of Interior  
( Drug Department ),  
Government of the  
United Arab Emirates,  
P.O. Box No. 398,  
Abu Dhabi.

APPENDIX - II

CASES OF DELHI TRAFFIC IN NARCOTIC PSYCHOTROPIC SUBSTANCE AND SMUGGLING

Reference :

Date :

Sender (Organization/Agency)

1. Name of the seizing Agency  
2. Type of narcotics/contraband seized  
3. Quantity  
4. Chemical Analysis Report  
5. Place of seizure  
6. Date of seizure  
7. Packing, Labelling and Trade Marks  
8. Particulars of conveyance used  
9. Name and Nationality of the custodian/  
owner of the conveyance  
10. Name of Company, Airline, Ship  
11. Mode of Concealment  
12. Route  
13. Place of production/processing  
14. Place where Narcotics/contraband obtained  
15. Origin/Source  
16. Destination  
17. Any Equipment/accessories seized  
18. Any other information

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APPENDIX - III

PROFORMA FOR REPORTING ON PERSON(S) INVOLVED  
IN NARCOTICS TRAFFICKING/SMUGGLING

(In cases implicating more than one person please  
use separate form for each)

1. Name and aliases used :
2. Father's Name :
3. Sex :
4. Age :
5. Date and Place of Birth :
6. Nationality :
7. Passport No :
8. Place/ Date of Issue :
9. Occupation :
10. Address :
11. Extent of Involvement :
12. Previous Involvements :
13. Associates :
14. Arrested/ Detained :
15. Place of Arrest :
16. Judicial or administrative measures taken :
17. Attach photocopy of the  
first page of Passport :

SUMMARY OF THE CASE

(Please indicate details of the case necessary  
for furtherance of investigation)

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