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O/of the CI Grand Bazaar  
Puducherry

Dated: 22.11.13

Minutes of the CLG Meeting held with Hotel Owners and other merchants on  
22.11.13 by 11.00 hrs at Hotel Ananda Inn chaired by SP (North)

Members of Hotel Owners Association representatives from Traders Association & Chambers of Commerce, Jewellers etc participated in the meeting. During the meeting SP (North) briefed on various issues on security and Law & Order aspects and drawn their attention on the following.


1. Speedy information is requested on suspicious movements of the customers from all representatives as they are the "EYES & EARS" of Police against prevention and detection of crimes.
2. CCTV Camera Network and Security posted should monitor / record the mode of travel and details of the vehicle of the customer / Tourists as a preventive measure.
3. CCTV setup / Installation to be powered by inverter for uninterrupted power supply.
4. Engaging rooms for gambling / drinking alcohol with or without the knowledge of owner / Manager / staffs to be prevented. It will be viewed seriously.
5. Closing of bars / restaurant by 23.00 hrs shall be ensured without fail
6. Preventive measures and creation of awareness with staffs on rescue measures against Natural / Man-made disasters / Fire fighting equipments & its rescue measure.
7. License condition on use of amplifier to be adopted and necessary permission to be obtained from jurisdictional SP if required.

The following points were the grievance submitted during the meeting.

1. The Hoteliers / Restaurant owners had requested action against unlicensed guest houses and restaurants which were functioning in various places causing illegal loss to their legal business. Moreover, they don't have any legal binding on the occupant's periodical engaged and not submitting any report to Police or Municipality. They also highlighted about the complaint lodged before Commissioner, Puducherry Municipality.
2. Traders requested to permit load carriers at Rangapillai street during day time for unloading their materials which is timely not being permitted by Traffic Police. While the Hoteliers and other representatives requested not to permit during day time as it is causing obstruction to their business and public access to shopping. It was requested with the traders not to utilize working hours/peak hours for recharging their shops and they may think on utilizing odd hours between 23.00 to 07.00 hrs and 11.00 hrs to 14.00 hrs for which a request will be submitted before SP(Traffic). It was unilaterally requested both the traders and others to adopt a amicable solution
3. More security features at all ATM Banking centers in view of the recent incident that occurred at Karnataka. It was also requested to advise Banker to install additional CCTV cameras facing roads and security persons in the respective ATM Banking centers. It was informed that a Security Review meeting will be conducted with banking sectors within in a short period and the same will be insisted for better security.
4. Traders requested to implement "Alternate Side Parking System" in Nehru Street as like the one followed in Bangalore.
5. At all roads, the Free Lefts are found encroached by footpath and street vendors. It should be cleared for free flow of traffic.

6. Tourist vehicles visiting Puducherry is facing parking problems and disturbance that have to be looked into.
7. Auto Stands shall exhibit their standard rates as same exploit tourist. They uncomfortable on hearing the exorbitant fare being charged with the inmates of the star hotels by some Auto drivers and if intervened, they request not to intervene in their business. It is also requested to initiate proposal for prepaid Auto at Bus Stand and other places to boost tourism. It was informed that a Security Review meeting will be conducted with Auto and Tempo Associations within in a short period with the assistance of Transport Department & Traffic Police.
8. Auto / Tempos parked along Anna Salai and other roads depriving the public visibility on their shop/establishment and public access to their shops. Because of which neither the shop owners nor the customers could park their two wheelers in front of their shops. They requested Police intervention to adopt some moral code for mutual solution. They added that at such Auto / Tempo stands not more than 4-5 Autos or 3-4 Tempos shall be allowed to park at a time which otherwise will cause much inconvenience. It was informed that a Security Review meeting will be conducted with Auto and Tempo Associations within in a short period with the assistance of Transport Department & Traffic Police.
9. Transport Department may be requested to implement preventive measures to have clear check and surveillance to contain plying of Theft / unlicensed vehicles and its misuse for committing criminal offences etc.,

Submitted for kind information please

  
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