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Dear

19TH INTERNATIONAL NSG SEMINAR: 13 & 14 FEB 2019

1. National Security Guard (NSG) is holding the 19th International NSG Seminar at Delhi on 13 & 14 Feb 2019. Over the two days, the seminar will focus on various challenges of terrorism facing the international community. While the first day will be dedicated to countering the growing IED menace and will be held at Manesar garrison, the second day will exclusively deal with the global terror threats and structures and strategies required to fight the scourge collectively at the national & international level and will be held at BPR&D Auditorium, New Delhi. The theme of the seminar is **"Synergised Response to the Emerging IED & Terrorist Threats"**.

2. It is my privilege to extend an invitation to you to add value to the seminar by your esteemed presence. I am enclosing the tentative schedule of the seminar for your reference. We have endeavoured to bring together a wide spectrum of foreign & domestic security experts in the hope of deriving maximum benefit from their collective wisdom for achieving our desired objectives. I sincerely hope that the seminar will be of value to you & your officers, & hence, it will give us added pleasure if you could also nominate 2-3 officers for various sessions as deemed fit. A confirmation slip is enclosed which will help us in making necessary administrative arrangements. As the list of speakers and Special Invitees is still being finalized, we will be sending the invitation card shortly with the firm programme.

3. Col Ashish Singh, Gp Cdr, Faculty of Studies (Tele No 0124-2864618, 2864620, Fax No 124-2337112) is the nodal officer for the seminar.

With best wishes.

Yours sincerely,

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Encls : As above.

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE: DAY-1
19TH INTERNATIONAL NSG SEMINAR : 13-14 FEB 2019
SYNERGISED RESPONSE TO THE EMERGING IED & TERRORIST THREATS

Ser No	Timing		Event	Chairperson/ Speakers
	From (Hr)	To (Hr)		
Day 1 (13 Feb 2019) at NSG Training Centre, Manesar				
1.	0830	0930	Registration of Participants	
	0930	1130	Inaugural Session	
2.	0930	0945	Welcome Note	IG Trg Centre
3.	0945	1000	Opening Address	DG NSG
4.	1000	1030	Key Note Address & Release of Bomb Shell	
5.	1030	1045	Gp Photo	
6.	1045	1100	Tea	
7.	1100	1110	The Year That Was	Dir NBDC
8.	1110	1130	Capacity Building Efforts by NSG & Proposed National Protocol for Trg, Equipping and Deployment of C-IED Teams	GC TTG
	1130	1340	Session 1 : Emerging IED Threats : Formulating Counter Measures	
9.	1130	1140	Introductory Remarks by the Chair	Sh JN Chaudhary, IPS, Retd
10.	1140	1205	IED Threat in LWE Area	Shri Sanjay Arora, IPS, ADG, CRPF
11.	1205	1230		Maj Rob Mortimer, UK
12.	1230	1255	Tackling the IED Menace – Army's Perspective	Col Madhu Nair, CI EDD Wg CME
13.	1255	1320	Emerging Threat of Use of Home Made Explosives by Terrorists in India	Dr BS Baswani, NIA
14.	1320	1340	Panel Discussion & Question Answer	
15.	1340	1440	Lunch	
16.	1440	1510	CIED Demo	
	1510	1720	Session 2 : Comprehensive Approach for Evolving a CIED Strategy	
17.	1510	1520	Introductory Remarks by the Chair	
18.	1520	1545	CIED Initiatives of US and Global Cooperation to Counter the IED Menace.	Dr Kirk Yeager, USA (FBI)
19.	1545	1610	Protocol for First Responder and Importance of Forensics in CIED Ops	Shri Keshav Kumar, IPS, ADG, Anti- corruption Bureau, Ahmedabad
20.	1610	1635	Training for CIED Ops : A New Perspective	Col Sunil Prem (Retd)
21.	1635	1700	CIED Equipment- Challenges and Concerns	Col GG Wagh, Retd
22.	1700	1720	Panel Discussion & Question Answers	
23.	1900 onwards		Dinner at Officers Mess, Trg centre	

Note :-A CIED Speaker from UK is earmarked as "Reserve" and will be included on confirmation from British High Commission.

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE: DAY-2
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	From (Hr)	To (Hr)		
Day 2 (14 Feb 2019) at BPR&D, New Delhi				
1.	0900	0930	Registration of Participants	
	0930	1115	Session 3 : Global Terrorism and Indian Response	
2.	0930	0940	Introductory Remarks by the Chair	Lt Gen Vinod Bhatia, PVSM, AVSM, SM(Retd)
3.	0940	1005	External Support to Terrorism in India : Recommendations for Diplomatic, Economic and Security Response	Sh Sheel Vardhan, IPS, Spl Dir, IB
4.	1005	1030	Situation in Kashmir post 2014- Contours, Trajectory & Remedies	Lt Gen S Saha, PVSM, UYSM, YSM, VSM** (Retd)
5.	1030	1055	Contours of a National CT Response Strategy	Lt Gen DS Hooda, PVSM, UYSM, AVSM, VSM** (Retd)
6.	1055	1115	Panel Discussion & Question Answers	
7.	1115	1145	Tea and Group Photographs	
	1145	1330	Session 4: Countering Terrorism : A Multi Agency Response	
8.	1145	1155	Introductory Remarks by the Chair	Lt Gen S Saha, PVSM, UYSM, YSM, VSM**, (Retd)
9.	1155	1220	Special CT Response Unit-An International Perspective	Mr David Abo, Israel
10.	1220	1245	Operational Response to CBRNe Terror Attack	Mr Gregory OMNES (France)
11.	1245	1310	Special CT Response Unit-An International Perspective	Brig Simon Urry, Dy Cdr, SAS
12.	1310	1330	Panel Discussion & Question Answers	
13.	1330	1430	Lunch	
	1430	1700	Session 5 : In Conversation- Media Strategy as a Force Multiplier	
15.	1430	1440	Introductory Remarks by the Chair	Mr Samir Saran
16.	1440	1520	Role of electronic and Print Media in National CT Effort	Mr Maroof Raza
17.	1520	1600	Terrorism on Social Media & Cyber Space : State Response & Way Ahead	Sh Sanjay Sahay, IPS, ADG Karnataka Police
	1600	1640	Measures to Keep Extremism off Social Media Platforms with Technology and Industry Cooperation	Ms Mahima Kaul, Twitter
18.	1640	1700	Panel Discussion & Question Answers	
	1700	1730	Closing Session	
19.	1700	1720	Open Forum & Recommendations of the Seminar	IG, Trg Centre
20.	1720	1750	Valedictory Address	Gen (Dr) VK Singh, PVSM, AVSM, YSM, ADC (Retd), MoS, MEA
21.	1750	1800	Vote of Thanks	DIG & CI, Trg Centre
22.	1800	1830	Tea	
23.	1830 onwards		Departure	

Note :- Reserve Topic. Suicide Attacks-Trends, Prevention and Response : Mr Prem Mahadevan Senior Advisor, CSS, Zurich.

