

PRESS RELEASE

**CENTRAL CRIME STATION BUSTS GAMBLING DEN , ARREST 09,
SEIZED OVER 01 LAKH RUPEES**

Keeping its commitment of zero tolerance against illegal activities, the staff of PS Central Crime Station conducted raid in Hathitapu area and arrested 09 gamblers.

On 13/02/2020 upon information regarding Gambling in Hathitapu near jetty a team comprising of SI Madhab Halder, SI Bisavjeet Prasad, Head Constable R. S. Yadav, Upender Singh, Sanjay Kujur, K. Venkateshwar Rao, P. Mustafa, Constable P. K. Mondal, Amos George, K. Rajendran, Mohd Imran, H. K. Yadav, and Constable G. Ravi raided the spot at around 1630 hrs. All the 09 Gamblers were arrested and Rs.1,05,680/- in cash was recovered from their possession with board money of Rs. 89,570/-. The accused were identified as Rajesh Kumar R/o Hut Bay Kichad Nallah, M. Gunashekar R/o Bhatu Basti, V. Selva R/o Garacharma, Goutham Mistry R/o Tushnabad, S. Palaniswamy R/o Lal Matti, Bidnabad, Mohd. Sameer R/o Namunaghar, V. Sajid R/o Tushnabad, Rakesh R/o Ferrargunj and Shiv R/o Bambooflat. A case under section 5/7 of Andaman and Nicobar gambling regulation 1951 was registered at PS CCS. The raid was conducted under the command of Shri Ashok Kumar, DANIPS, Dy.SP(CID) and under overall supervision of Shri Ravi Kumar Singh, IPS, SP(CID).

The Andaman & Nicobar Police is taking all possible steps in making these islands free from anti-social activity and keeping strict vigil over gamblers, smuggling and proliferation of narcotics substances in these Islands. General Public is requested to pass on credible information on narcotics substances, illegal sale of liquor, gambling or any illegal activity on the telephone numbers: 233307, 232586, 100, & 9474290250. The identity of informer will be kept secret.
