Virtual Training IVFRT (DPM,LOC, eFRRO / eFRO) & FIP For Districts & ICPs of Odisha

From 05th to 08th August' 2024

Immigration Visa Foreigner Registration Tracking system(IVFRT) is envisioned one stop-shop for all services related to Immigration, Visa, Foreigner Registration and Tracking. With enthusiastic initiation by Shri Anup Sahoo, IPS, IG of Intelligence in a meeting on IVFRT implementation in the state, it was decided to conduct training programmes for DPM, LOC, eFRRO/eFRO, FIP virtually to empower the district police team and to make the State of Odisha with cent percent IVFRT implementation within a determined time span. The training scheduled with team leaders and trainers virtually as detailed below.

S. No.	Module	Date & Time	Name of Team Leader/Trainer
Overall Coordination: S. P. Dash, Sr. Director (IT) & State Coordinator(IVFRT)			
1	DPM	05-08-2024,	Shri Shambhu Kumar, Scientist-E
		10.30AM (Monday)	Director (IT) & Team Lead
			Ms. Deepika Gupta, Scientist-C
			Dy. Director (IT) & Team member
2	LOC	06-08-2024,	Shri M Naresh Kumar, Scientist-C
		10.30AM (Tuesday)	Dy. Director (IT) & Team Lead
3	FRO /	07-08-2024,	Shri A. Ravikumar, Scientist-F
	eFRRO	10.30AM	Sr. Director (IT) & HoD
		(Wednesday)	Shri Arun Shankar, Scientist-E
			Director (IT) & Team Member
			Tarun Kumar, Scientist-D
			Joint Director (IT) & Team Member
4	FIP	08-08-2024,	Shri Ashok Kumar Agrawal, Scientist-
		10.30AM	F
		(Thursday)	Sr. Director (IT) & HoD
			Shri Mohammad Zaheen, Scientist-E
			Director (IT) & Team Lead
			Pawan Kumar Arora, SO&E "SB"
			Team Member



On 5th Aug'2024, Shri Soumendra Priyadarshi, IPS & Director (Intelligence), kick-off the training programme with a warm welcome to Shri Sahoo, IG Intelligence, Shri Ananta Charan Pati, SP Special Branch, District SSPs and participants as well as, Shri Anand Swarup Srivastava, DDG & HoG, Shri Shambhu Kumar, Director (IT) & Team Lead (DPM) and Ms. Deepika Gupta, Deputy Director (IT) & Trainer(DPM) from NIC HQ. Addressing the august gathering, he envisaged the vitality of training session were going to be conducted during these four days and acknowledged and appreciated the significant efforts of IG, Intelligence as well as Shri Dash, Sr. Director (IT), NIC, Odisha in organizing this training session with dedication and commitment to enhancing district police capabilities.

On the District Police Module (DPM) on Foreigners, he spoke that this module was envisioned during the DGP conference on 20-22 January'2023 graced by the Honourable Prime Minister and' the Honourable Home Minister. The participants must have to enhance their understanding and capabilities in managing foreigner related which data, a critical component of our national security framework. He expressed confidence that this training session will equip the district police personnel with the knowledge and skills necessary to effectively utilize the DPM, a tool developed to streamline the tracking and management of foreign nationals within their own jurisdiction. He advised the participants to gain insights into various aspects of the module, including visa details, biometric enrolment, and the tracking of overstaying foreigners along with the administrative structure and user roles, ensuring that each participant is well-versed in their responsibilities within this system.

Speaking to the participants, Shri Srivastava, HoG, NIC HQ enlighten about the MMP - IVFRT and how it is useful to foreigners to handle all their issues related to Immigration & Visa in online mode without approaching any office. He also elaborated and NIC's commitment to render the best service delivery across the country and encouraged all participants to engage actively in the training and ask questions to clear their doubts by availing excellent opportunity to learn from the expert teams on each topic.



The IVFRT – DPM was presented the training by Ms. Gupta, Deputy Director (IT) with support of Shri Kumar, Director (IT) in details starting from requirements to run the application, Registration with Form-C & Form-S, Visa details, Arrival & Departure, Biometric enrolment for identification, Travel data aiding in investigation & judicial process, Overstaying of foreigners etc.

On 6th Aug'2024, Look Out Circular (LOC) was taken up for training as per the schedule. Shri Pati, SP Special Branch welcomed the participants as well as the trainer Shri M Naresh Kumar, NIC, Hyderabad. He expressed the cruciality of the mechanism in safeguarding our national security and ensuring the orderly and lawful movement of individuals across our borders.



Presenting the IVFRT - LOC, Shri Naresh outlined the Layer 2 LOC such as basic requirements, types Of LOC Requests, types of users/roles, Nodal Officer activities, along with complete flow of LOC. He also gave light into creation or resetting of credentials of various users and communication among the users on the portal using mailbox. The training ended with vote of thanks by Shri Kamala Kanta Panda, Addl. SP-cum-Immigration Officer, Biju Patnaik International Airport, Bhubaneswar.

On 7th Aug'2024, the third day of training covered eFRRO/eFRO which is presented by the Foreigners Registration and Tracking (FRT) team. Welcoming the FRT team, Shri Pati, SP Special Branch emphasised the participants for understanding this importance module as officers entrusted with the responsibility of managing and regulating the stay of foreigners in India, as they have to adept at utilizing the tools and systems at their disposal effectively.



Initiating the presentation, Shri Ravikumar, Sr. Director (IT) described the different layers at which IVFRT and the components associated with FRT. Narrating the presentation ahead, Shri Arun, Director (IT), outlined the details of the components in eFRRO Public portal (Layer 1) and eFRRO Backend Application (Layer 2). Shri Tarun, Joint Director (IT) explained the in details of functionalities of Layer-1 as well as Layer-2. He explained the Layer-1: - EFRRO Online Portal, Form-C, Form-A, Visa services for Diplomats, FRRO/FRO Admin activities, Medical & Ayush Visa Portal and Layer-2: - Stakeholders are FRRO & ICPs (Civil Authorities), MHA (Appellant Authority). This layer facilities: - a) Data Processing facilitating Scrutiny, Verification & Approval. b) Referrals facilitating the case to higher authority. c) Carrier Liability Act (CLA) Portal Backend Processing enabling issue the Initial notice & final orders, track of CLA applications, update of the offline payment details, d) Offline entry of the old cases, access to CLA reports. e) Visa Services for Diplomats enabling foreign nationals, holding Diplomatic/Official/Service Passport and are already in India to apply for Visa, visa extension. f) Protected Area Permit (PAP)/Restricted Area Permit (RAP) Processing by Indian Mission/ Resident Commissioner. g) Death &

Adverse reporting. h) Address Intimation by Foreigners to FRRO in case they need to go outside their concerned jurisdiction for more than 8 weeks.

On 8th Aug'2024, the fourth & final day of training graced by Shri Priyadarshi, IPS, Director Intelligence, Shri Shashikant Sharma, Dy. Director General & HoG (MHA) from NIC HQ. Director welcomed Shri Sharma, DDG & HoG, Dr. Ashok Kumar Hota DDG & SIO along with the team members of FIP Shri Agrawal, Sr. Director (IT), Shri Zaheen, Director (IT), Shri Arora, SO&E "SB" and the participants from Intelligence HQ and District SSPs' Office and ICPs. He emphasised the importance of the FIP as a landmark development, reflecting our commitment to leverage technology to bolster national security and streamline administrative processes. Advising the participant to delve into the functionalities, features, and benefits of the FIP, he expressed confident that the participants will achieve the objective to equip with the knowledge and skills necessary to effectively utilize this portal, thereby enhancing the collective capacity to manage and monitor foreign nationals efficiently.



Addressing the august gathering on the closing day, Director describe the four days training sessions on different Modules of IVFRT as crucial as these are pivotal in their collective efforts to enhance the efficiency, security, and management of foreign nationals within the borders. He encouraged the participants to engage actively, ask questions which would continuously improve and refine the processes.



Question Answer Sessions on 05-08-2024 (DPM)

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Question Answer Sessions on 07-08-2024 (FRT – eFRRO/eFRO)



On each day of training session every day, the question & answer sessions were organised at the end of presentation. The participant participated overwhelmingly followed by vote of thanks by Shri Pati, SP Special Branch. Last but not the least, it is worthy to acknowledge the efforts of Mrs Priyadarshini Nayak, Inspector, Special Branch, Shri Malaya Kumar Das, Sr. Director(IT) & HoD, Shri S. K. Das, Sr. Director(IT) & VC(HoD) and Dr. A. K. Hota, DDG & SIO, without whose support, conducting this training programme may not be possible.