ORDER

Kite flying has been a passionate sport in Delhi. In view of security measures during celebration of Independence Day – 2021, it is necessary to prohibit any type of kites and lanterns flying in and around the Red Fort, Delhi with any types of threads.

The flying of kites and lanterns (called Chinese lanterns in common parlance) can pose not just a distraction and diversionary tactic for the organizers and security personnel but also can pose security threat to the Independence Day celebrations to be organized at the Red Fort. Besides it, use of loudspeaker may also create hindrance during speech of Hon'ble Prime Minister of India as well as passing necessary directions to the deployed staff.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred upon me by Section 144 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 (No.2 of 1974) read with Govt. of India, Ministry of Home Affair's Notification No. F-11036/1/2008 (i)-UTL, dated 31.10.2008 and in pursuance of directions received from Under Secretary to the Govt of India, Ministry of Defence D(Ceremonials), South Block, New Delhi vide letter No. 2(2)/2021/D(Cer) – Pt. GOI, Ministry of Defence, dated 15.06.2021, **I, Anto Alphonse, IPS, Deputy Commissioner of Police, North District, Delhi**, do hereby order that :

1. Use of loud speaker is prohibited in and around Red Fort Area between 6:30 A.M. to 8:30 A.M. during the period from 01st August to 15th August, 2021.
2. Flying kites and lanterns is prohibited from 01st August to 15th August, 2021 till the completion of celebration of Independence Day-2021 in and around the Red Fort, Delhi

As a security measure, doing so shall be punishable under section 188 of the Indian Penal Code. **This order shall come into force on 01st August, 2021 and shall remain in force till the completion of celebration of Independence Day-2021 i.e. 15th August, 2021. It shall extend to the entire area/jurisdiction of North District, Delhi.**

As this notice cannot be served individually on all concerned, the order is hereby passed ex-parte. It shall be published for information of public through Press and other media and by affixing copies on the Notices Boards of all Deputy Commissioner of Police, Assistant Commissioner of Police, Tehsil Officers of the Districts, all Police Stations concerned and the offices of the NDMC & MCD.

A. Anto
07.07.2021

(ANTO ALPHONSE) IPS
DY. COMMISSIONER OF POLICE,
NORTH DISTRICT, DELHI.

No. 38360-461 /X.Br./AC-II/North, dated, Delhi the 7/07/2021