

## PRESS RELEASE

Today on 23.03.2013, Police-Public interaction with the representatives of Resident Welfare Associations affiliated with FOSWAC was held at Traffic Auditorium, Traffic lines, Sector 29, Chandigarh. This interaction programme was chaired by Sh. Rajender Pal Upadhyaya, IPS, Inspector General of Police Chandigarh . Sh. R.S. Ghumman, SSP Chandigarh, Sh. Maneesh Chaudhary, SSP (Traffic), Sh. P.C. Sanghi Chairman, Sh. M.K. Verma, Vice Chairman, Lt. Col. J.S. Multani, General Secretary and other office bearers of FOSWAC and about 220 representatives of different RWAs were present in this meeting. The main theme of the meeting was about the law & order and traffic congestion.

Sh. P.C. Sanghi Chairman, FOSWAC in his welcome address specifically pointed out that Chandigarh Police has adopted Modern Technology and gone **Tech Savvy** in respect of '**CIPA**', modernized control rooms with automatic tracking system and Sixty Police Control Room Vehicles equipped with digital cameras for capturing law violations across the city. Besides, sometimes back, the Police had also been provided with additional Police force and at present 20 DSPS are in position. He also pointed out that the city has a compact area with 2/3<sup>rd</sup> of the population is residing in Sectors which have limited cases of the Crimes and the Police has to concentrate to check the crimes in Colonies, Slum areas and some Villages where 1/3<sup>rd</sup> population is residing. He assured full co-operation of the FOSWAC to the Police.

Sh. Maneesh Chaudhary, SSP (Traffic) informed the delegates that they are issuing Challans against the Violators irrespective of their status and their photographs are displayed on the Face-book of the Police. He further informed that they have succeeded in reducing the accidental death rates and are ahead of the figure at National level though far behind that of International Level. He further informed that they are making all efforts to remove the traffic snarls.

Sh. R.S. Ghumman, SSP, Chandigarh informed the delegates that there are many problems in the fast growing society, but in the changed circumstances, our own attitude needs a change for providing better security and safety. He advised the delegates to educate the residents in their areas to ensure the verification of servants & installation of security system in their vehicles and houses to avoid thefts. He also reminded the citizens of their duties to protect the society against evils and they should have the courage to say right to right and wrong to wrong. He assured the delegates that the Police with their co-operation will be able to check the crime.

An open interaction session was conducted and many of members raised different problems and Sh. Rajender Pal Upadhyaya, IGP in response to the problems raised by the members replied accordingly.

Sh. Rajender Pal Upadhyaya, IGP in his address appreciated the points listed by

devotion and the person who approaches either the Police Station or him either on phone or in the office will be given priority to look into his problem. He further informed that a special **E-mail id** has been created for the people to inform him about their problems or meet him in his office at any time. He also informed that urgent steps are being taken to check Drug Trafficking. He also informed that a responsible Officer has been deputed with Mobile number for 24 hours for receiving the complaints of the citizens and taking appropriate action. He assured that appropriate action will be taken on the problems listed in the memorandum and that of pointed out by the members in the meeting.

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