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MESSAGE

I am happy to know that the annual publication of National Crime Records Bureau "Crime in India 2016" is being released.

'Crime in India' publication is an important report, being published since 1953, which provides comprehensive statistics on crimes including the Crime trends, in the whole Country, covering all States/UTs. Over the years, the 'Crime in India' has become the principal reference document for accurate and reliable information on crimes and criminals, for researchers, criminologists and officials of criminal justice delivery system in the country. This data is widely used in India and abroad for academic purposes, and also by MHA/State Governments in framing Public policies.

I commend the efforts of Director, NCRB and his team in inviting online suggestions followed by National Consultation/Workshop with Directors of SCRBx/CID in March, 2017 and incorporating the suggestions received in the final report.

The CCTNS Project has made significant progress and I hope that in future NCRB will be able to utilize the electronic data and reports from the CCTNS database for compiling its annual Publication, and making it more vibrant and user-friendly.


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