

UT ADMINISTRATION OF
DADRA & NAGAR HAVELI AND DAMAN AND DIU
HOME DEPARTMENT
SECRETARIAT, DAMAN

No.1/Home/223/PITNDPS,Act-1988/2020-21/31

Dated: 08/01/2021

**THE PREVENTION OF ILLICIT TRAFFIC IN NARCOTIC DRUGS AND
PSYCHOTROPIC SUBSTANCE ACT,1988.**

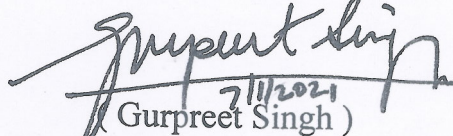
N O T I F I C A T I O N

WHEREAS, illicit traffic in narcotic drugs and psychotropic substance poses a serious threat to the health and welfare of the people and the activities of persons engaged in such illicit traffic have a deleterious effect on the national economy;

AND WHEREAS, having regard to the persons by whom and the manner in which such activities are organized and carried on, and having regard to the fact that in certain areas which are highly vulnerable to the illicit traffic in narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances, such activities of a considerable magnitude are clandestinely organized and carried on, it is necessary for the effective prevention of such activities to provide for detention of persons concerned in any manner therewith.

THEREFORE, in suppression of all earlier notifications in this regard and as per provision of Section 3 (1) of the **Prevention of Illicit Traffic in Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances (PITNDPS) Act, 1988**, the Secretary, Home, UT of Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu is hereby declared as the “**Detaining Authority**” under the said Act for the Union Territory of Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu and empowered to issue detention order with respect to any person (including a foreigner) with a view to prevent him from engaging in illicit traffic in narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances.

By order and in the name of the
Administrator of Dadra & Nagar
Haveli and Daman & Diu


(Gurpreet Singh)
Director-Cum-

Deputy Secretary (Home)
Secretariat, Daman.