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Mr Anil Rajput, Chairman, FICCI CASCADE said “I I illicit products have infiltrated everyday avenues of commerce, making their way into supply chains and consumers homes, hereby threatening manufacturers’ competitiveness, undermining consumer confidence and posing a threat to individuals’ health and safety.”

Addressing the efforts of the enforcement authorities, he said “I While smugglers and counterfeiters are exploiting the current situation by supplying illicit alternative of products, the illicit enforcement authorities in J&K have uncovered and arrested people engaged in illicit trade of ‘fakres’, copies, currency, drugs, sanitizers and much more.”

Mr Yashwanth Gujjar, Chairman, FICCI J&K State Council and MD & ICM Venture Pvt Ltd said “I Counterfeiting and smuggling are lucrative business that take advantage of netting consumers and simply exploit their financial position. An orchestrated strategy including communication, coordination and close cooperation amongst various government agencies, law enforcement officers and private sector to combat this menace is imperative.”

As cases related to smuggling and counterfeiting rise steeply since the past few months, today’s webinar was organized to discuss actionable, innovative solutions and strategies for curbing this menace. The initiative is a part of a series of such interactions which are being organized by FICCI CASCADE, across the country to highlight the problem of counterfeiting and smuggling and an adapt response from different states.
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नई दिल्ली: जम्मू-कश्मीर सरकार के उद्योग और वाणिज्य विभाग के प्रभान सचिव रंजन प्रकाश ठाकुर ने शुक्रवार को कहा कि अवैध व्यापार एक गंभीर चिंता का विषय है, जो देश की अर्थव्यवस्था को कमजोर करता है और नागरिकों के स्वास्थ्य को प्रभावित करता है। इस पर तत्काल आधार पर कार्रवाई करने की आवश्यकता है।

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