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Some of the key recommendations at the program included, capacity building in terms of skill, infrastructure and technology amongst the law enforcement agencies in improving the detection and investigation of crimes; need for additional manpower with the desired aptitude to be provided in Special cells, District Investigation Units, Economic Offences Wing who can focus exclusively on the investigation of such cases; severe extant bail provisions; non-bailable offence for repeat offenders; rigorous imprisonment and stringent monetary penalty among others. The capacity building program saw participation of several officers of West Bengal Police from Bankura, Islampur, Jagjpur, Uttar Dinajpur, Murshidabad, Medinipur, Jhargam, Siliguri, Birbhum etc.

In pursuance of its mandate, FICCI-CASCADE will continue to hold similar programs across the country in briefing enforcement agencies on procedural and enforcement issues while tackling illicit trading activities.

Prabhat Khabar

तस्करी व नकली नोटों से अर्थव्यवस्था को क्षति : एडीजी ट्रेनिंग

कोलकाता. राज्य पुलिस के एडीजी-ट्रेनिंग डॉ देवाशीष रॉय ने कहा कि नकली नोट रोकने की विभिन्न कोशिशों जैसे कि छापे या मल्टीपल पैकेजिंग तकनीक, उपभोक्ता शिक्षा के बावजूद इसका चलन बढ़ रहा है.

फिक्की कासकेड (कमेटी एगेंस्ट स्मगलिंग एंड काउंटरफिटिंग एक्टिविटीज डिस्ट्रॉइंग द इकोनॉमी) की ओर से आयोजित एक कार्यक्रम में डॉ रॉय ने कहा कि सिगरेट, अल्कोहल, ड्रग्स व फार्मास्यूटिकल्स जैसे प्रतिबंधित सामान की निर्यातित जब्ती होती है. इनकी आमद के अलावा अवैध रूप से आयातित कपड़ों आदि से बेरोजगारी और गरीबी बढ़ी है. तस्करी व नकली नोटों से अर्थव्यवस्था को क्षति पहुंचती है. फिक्की कासकेड के सलाहकार और नयी दिल्ली के पूर्व स्पेशल कमिश्नर ऑफ पुलिस अनिल राजपूत ने कहा कि देश में मुख्य सुरक्षा एजेंसी पुलिस विभाग है और अवैध कारोबारियों से वैध कारोबार को बचाने में उसकी महती भूमिका है. कोविड काल में भी पुलिस अफसरों ने इस दिशा में उल्लेखनीय कार्य किया है.