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Sub: Lodgment of prisoners in High Security Wards.

It has been found that some prisoners have been kept in High Security Wards who should have normally not been kept in such wards and similarly some have not been kept in such wards even though they qualify for the same. This is highly irregular and not in the interest of prison as well as prisoners' security.

Normally, prisoners involved in heinous offences like terrorist/seditious activities, MCOCA, NSA, PSA, involved in multiple heinous offences like robbery, dacoity, murder, kidnapping for ransom etc., habitual jail rules offenders, who are frequently involved in assaulting co-inmates in the prison, are to be kept in High Security Wards.

However, the above criterion should be coupled with the consideration whether such prisoners are threat to the security of the State/Prison or apprehend threat from other prisoners. Each case should be closely scrutinized by the Superintendent personally and only then sent to the PHQ for their lodgment in the High Security Wards.


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