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**Participation of DG FIA in the Interpol Meeting on "Smuggling and Trafficking of Afghans".**

Dr. Sanauallah Abbasi, Head of NCB-INTERPOL Pakistan/DG FIA has participated in the virtually meeting on "Smuggling and Trafficking of Afghans organized by the Secretariat General ICPO-INTERPOL Lyon today (08Sept 2021) for INTERPOL member countries especially for the neighboring countries of Afghanistan in order to discuss the issue of smuggling and trafficking of Aghans in current scenario and to make recommendations for the relevant countries as well as to protect the vulnerable women and children for becoming the victims of migration smuggling.

During the meeting, he enumerated the measures/step taken by the all relevant Government agencies and functionaries at Pak-Aghan border to check the menace of the human smuggling/trafficking. He also highlighted the legitimate assistance and facilitations to international communities coming from Afghanistan since 15 August till date.

The Secretariat General of ICPO-Interpol Lyon appreciated the role in this regard."

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