

SEIZURE REPORT VI:

The Officers of Customs Preventive Unit, Mandapam while patrolling the sea shore area near Mandapam on 23.08.2017 stopped a suspicious tricycle driven by one Shri.Ramesh, S/o.Shin Abdul and found that 75 kgs. of sea cucumbers in alive condition were concealed in the said tricycle. As the above said persons were attempting to smuggle these sea cucumbers abroad, the CPU officers detained the sea cucumbers. Immediately, the officers on obtaining permission from the Asst. Commissioner of Customs, Ramnad, handed over the same to the Forest officers at Mandapam for taking appropriate action. The Forest officers registered a case under W.L.OR.No.20/2017 and had produced before the Judicial Magistrate, Rameshwaram. As per the orders of the Judicial Magistrate, Rameshwaram, those detained alive sea cucumbers were freed into the deep sea in the presence of the officers of CPU, Mandapam and the Forest officers.

