## DETAILS OF GALLANTRY AWARDEE KIRTI CHAKRA

NAME: **SS-46926XMAJORSHUBHANG** 

Weather Posthumous : No

Award Recommended	KIRTI CHAKRA	
Year	2023	
Service No	SS-46926X	
Rank	MAJOR	GE A
Unit	THE DOGRA REGIMENT/ 62ND BATTALION THE RASHTRIYA RIFLES	
Father's Name	LATE SHRI VIMALENDU	
Mother's Name	SMT SUDHA	

#### **CITATION**

21 Apr 2022

Major Shubhang personally led his team through inhospitable, rugged and thickly vegetated terrain in extreme weather conditions to lay cordon of village Budgamdistrict on April 2022. At 0345 hours, on observing suspicious movement, Major Shubhang displayed nerves of steel to allow suspects to reach as close as ten meters, before challenging them; on which terrorists opened indiscriminate heavy small arms and Under Barrel Grenade Launcher fire injuring the officer and two personnel of his team. Undeterred Major Shubhang exhibited unparalleled valour despite sustaining gunshot wound on left shoulder and neutraliseda hard core terrorist in an intense extremely close quarter fire fight.

As the second terrorist continued to bring effective fire on his injured comrades, Major Shubhang crawled to change his position and engaged the terrorist forcing him to seek hide in a nearby house which resulted in his subsequent neutralisation. Thereafter, the injured officer evacuated the injured personnel from the operation site before being evacuated himself.

For his conspicuous bravery and stout leadership in going beyond the call of duty in face of grave and imminent danger to his men, Major Shubhang is awarded "KIRTI CHAKRA".

## DETAILS OF GALLANTRY AWARDEE KIRTI CHAKRA

#### NAME:NO3011334X NAIK JITENDRA SINGH

Whether Posthumous: No

Award Recommended	KIRTI CHAKRA	250
Year	2023	
Service No	3011334X	
Rank	NAIK	
Unit	THE RAJPUT REGIMENT/	
	44 <sup>TH</sup> BATTALION THE RASHTRIYA RIFLES	
Father's Name	SHRI GUNNAM SINGH	
Mother's Name	SMT GIRJA DEVI	

#### **CITATION**

27-28 Apr 2022

NaikJitendra Singh, since December 2021, exhibited exceptional valour and courage as lead guide in three operations resulting in elimination of seven terrorists.

On 27 April 2022, an operation was launched in Pulwama district on input of presence of two terrorists. NaikJitendra spotted the terrorists who lobbed multiple grenades towards him and tried to break cordon. NaikJitendra got hit by a splinter. Showing nerves of steel, even after getting injured, NaikJitendra crawled towards target house and eliminated one terrorist in close gunfight. Second terrorist again lobbed grenades and fired indiscriminately towards NaikJitendra causing multiple gunshot wounds to him. Realising mortal danger to his buddy and troops in cordon, NaikJitendra, displaying supreme gallantry, crawled towards the terrorist and injured him in another close gunfight. Subsequently, he fell unconscious and was evacuated to 92 Base Hospital.

For his indomitable spirit, exemplary initiative, supreme bravery and for neutralisinghard core terrorist and injuring another, NaikJitendra Singh is awarded "KIRTI CHAKRA".

#### Name: IC-77164W MAJOR ADITYA BHADAURIA

Whether Posthumous: No

Award Recommended	SHAURYA CHAKRA	
Year	2023	
Service Number	IC-77164W	
Rank	MAJOR	
Unit	THE KUMAON REGIMENT /	
	50 <sup>TH</sup> BATTALION THE RASHTRIYA RIFLES	
Father's Name	SHRI CHANDRA PRAKASH SINGH	
Mother's Name	SMT RAJ KUMARI	



#### **CITATION**

11-12 Mar 2022

On 11 March 2022, a time critical input was received regarding presence of terrorists in a village in Pulwama District (Jammu and Kashmir). Major Aditya Bhadauria as mission leader displayed exceptional leadership and tactical acumen in laying an impeccable cordon with surprise.

During evacuation of civilians from target cluster, terrorists using assault rifles engaged own troops with indiscriminate auto fire and grenades in which one civilian was injured. Major Aditya Bhadauria effectively retaliated, ensured safe evacuation of civilian and tactically readjusted the cordon to foil escape bid by terrorists.

The hiding terrorists split up and continued engaging troops while own fire was not effective on their positions. Major Aditya Bhadauria and his buddy stealthily crawled under fire towards one of the hiding terrorist. Undeterred by heavy hostile fire, he lobbed grenade which forced terrorist out from cover coming face to face with him. Exhibiting nerves of steel and raw courage, Major Aditya Bhadauria eliminated a hard core foreign terrorist in an extremely close quarter fire fight.

For displaying indomitable courage and devotion beyond call of duty under most challenging condition, Major Aditya Bhadauria is awarded "SHAURYA CHAKRA".

Name: SS-48517HCAPTAINARUN KUMAR

Whether Posthumous :No

Award	SHAURYA CHAKRA
Recommended	
Year	2023
Service	SS-48517H
Number	
Rank	CAPTAIN
Unit	THE KUMAON REGIMENT/ 13 <sup>TH</sup>
	BATTALION THE RASHTRIYA RIFLES
Father Name	LATE SHRI ASHOK KUMAR
Mother Name	LATE SMT JEET KUMARI



#### **CITATION**

11-13 May 2022

Captain Arun Kumar was leading a surveillance cum ambush team in the hills of Bandipore district on 11 May 2022 on specific intelligence regarding movement of terrorists.

On 13 May 2022 at approximately 1500 Hours, two terrorists were spotted. The officer appreciated the situation and readjusted troops in an aggressive posture to box the terrorists and deny them escape routes. On being challenged, the terrorists fired indiscriminately and took cover behind a boulder. The Officer with utter disregard to his personal safety crawled as close as five meters from the terrorists amidst intense fire. The terrorists lobbed two grenades towards a fellow officer which he avoided tactfully. He decided to momentarily expose himself confronting the terrorists in close proximity. In the fire fight at close quarters, he gallantly neutralised one terrorist. Subsequently, the officer relocated himself to acquire tactically advantageous position, took aimed shots which forced the second terrorist to expose himself leading to his neutralisation.

For displaying commendable leadership and bravery thereby eliminating one terrorist and assisting the elimination of second terrorist, Captain ArunKumar is awarded "SHAURYA CHAKRA".

#### NAME: SS-48529X CAPTAIN YUDHVIR SINGH

Whether Posthumous: No

Award Recommended	SHAURYA CHAKRA	
Year	2023	(-2
Service No	SS-48529X	7
Rank	CAPTAIN	
Unit	THE MECHANISED INFANTRY/ 9 <sup>TH</sup> BATTALION THE RASHTRIYA RIFLES	
Father's Name	COLONEL KV SINGH (RETIRED)	
Mother's Name	MRS DIVYA KANWAR	



#### **CITATION**

11-12 Apr 2022

On 11 April 2022, Captain Yudhvirled a covert surveillance and interception team based on specific intelligence regarding terrorist's movement in vehicle in Kulgam district.

On observing the suspect vehicle, Captain Yudhvir expeditiously gave pursuit and blocked escape routes of terrorists. Terrorists being cornered opened heavy volley of fire upon the officer, undeterred by terrorist fire and unmindful of personal safety, officer alongwith his buddy engaged the terrorists with effective fire. Swift retaliation forced the terrorists to seek refuge in nearby house, Officer displaying presence of mind, re-oriented his team into close cordon. Terrorists, being surrounded, attempted to escape from cordon by lobbing grenades and firing indiscriminately. Sensing danger to life of civilians and own troops, Captain Yudhvir displayed steely nerves and in an act of conspicuous bravery, crawled to likely escape route of terrorists and surprised them with spectacular dash alongwith lethal and precise fire onto terrorists from close range, thus eliminating hard core foreign terrorist.

During operation, Captain Yudhvir displayed audacious bravery, heroic courage and valour with utter disregard for personal safety, Captain Yudhvir Singh awarded "SHAURYA CHAKRA".

NAME :SS-48830N CAPTAIN RAKESH T R

Whether posthumous : No

Award Recommended	SHAURYA CHAKRA	
Year	2023	
Service No	SS-48830N	· ·
Rank	CAPTAIN	***
Unit	9 <sup>TH</sup> BATTALION THE PARACHUTE REGIMENT(SPECIAL FORCES)	1
Father's Name	SHRI T RAJ KUMAR	TO TO
Mother's Name	SMT BHAGYA D.N	



#### **CITATION**

22 Apr 2022

Honourable Prime Minister Shri NarendraModi was scheduled to visit Jammu for a Public Rally on 24 April 2022. Amid heightened security for the visit, inputs of likely fidayeen attack on rally were received.

Captain Rakesh TR, Alert Troop Commander of 9 PARA (Special Forces), was responsible for maintaining readiness to react to any terror related incident in the region. On receiving input of likely terrorist presence in Jammu district, the Alert Troop immediately got mobilized. While on the move Captain Rakesh received input of attack by terrorists on a security forces convoy, in which own fatalities were suspected. On reaching the contact site located in densely populated area, Captain Rakesh quickly spotted terrorists using a quad copter and maneuvered tactically to place a close cordon around them. On realising that they were surrounded, terrorists started firing indiscriminately to break cordon and move towards civilian area. Captain Rakesh sensing imminent danger to civilian lives, pinned down one of terrorist by bringing down heavy fire on him and then, with utter disregard to his own safety and showing nerves of steel, charged towards the terrorist and neutralized him by accurate fire.

For his sharp tactical acumen, nerves of steel and unparalleled courage under fire while eliminating one terrorist and preventing a Fidayeen attack, Captain Rakesh TR is awarded "SHAURYA CHAKRA".

### DETAILS FOR GALLANTRY AWARDEE SHAURYA CHAKRA(POSTHUMOUS)

Name:13773112PNAIKJASBIR SINGH

Whether Posthumous:Yes

Award Recommended	SHAURYA CHAKRA
Year	2023
Service No	13773112P
Rank	NAIK
Unit	6 <sup>TH</sup> BATTALION THE JAMMU
	AND KASHMIR RIFLES
Father's Name	LATE NB SUB CHARAN
	DASS, SM
Mother's Name	SMT. MAHENDRO DEVI



### **CITATION**

08 Jul 2022

NaikJasbir Singh was part of intelligence team deployed in extremely rugged and densely forested area of Jammu and Kashmir. The Non Commissioned Officer always displayed astute professionalism and high degree of intellect in analysing the input correctly.

At around 0100 hours, the alert Non Commissioned Officer observed the movement of two terrorists in Kupwara district. Exhibiting tactical composure, he patiently allowed terrorists in killing area and opened accurate and effective fire on them. In retaliation, he faced heavy indiscriminate fire from the terrorists. In a bold action, unmindful of his personal safety, displaying ingenuity, initiative, conspicuous gallantry and unparalleled bravery, he closed in with the terrorist under fire and neutralized one of them. Displaying daunting courage and devotion to duty, NaikJasbir Singh continued to engage the second terrorist, thus injuring him. In the ensuing firefight, NaikJasbir Singh sustained multiple gunshot wounds and made the supreme sacrifice in the line of duty.

Despite being grievously injured, showing utter disregard to personal safety and exceptional gallantry beyond the call of duty, he eliminated one terrorist and injured the other, for this brave act NaikJasbir Singh is awarded "SHAURYA CHAKRA (POSTHUMOUS)".

Name: NO13779485Y LANCE NAIK VIKAS CHOUDHARY

Whether Posthumous: No

Award Recommended	SHAURYA CHAKRA	
Year	2023	
Service No	13779485Y	
Rank	LANCE NAIK	
Unit	THE JAMMU AND KASHMIR RIFLES/ BATTALION THE RASHTRIYA RIFLES	3 <sup>RD</sup>
Father's Name	SHRI RAJ KUMAR	
Mother's Name	SMT SIMRO DEVI	



#### **CITATION**

06 May 2022

On 06 May 2022, on receiving specific intelligence input regarding presence of terrorists, a search and destroy operation was launched in forested area of Anantnag district, where Lance NaikVikasChoudhary was operational buddy of Major BorawakeApoorvSuhas.

Lance NaikVikasChoudhary was deployed alongwith Major BorawakeApoorvSuhas to cordon off the target area and cover likely escape route. At approximately 1500 hours, one terrorist attempted to escape and started indiscriminately firing on the cordon party taking cover of the terrain and boulders. Lance NaikVikasChoudhary with utter disregard to his personal safety, displaying tremendous courage and outstanding firing skills, crawled to a tactically superior position. Displaying presence of mind, he under the covering fire of his buddy dashed towards the terrorist and brought down effective fire, thereby neutralizing one hardcore terrorist.

For this gallant act of exceptional bravery against perilous danger, Lance NaikVikasChoudhary isawarded"SHAURYA CHAKRA".

### DETAIL OF GALLANTRY AWARDEE SHAURYA CHAKRA (POSTHUMOUS)

#### Name: NO665/SPO CONSTABLE MUDASIR AHMAD SHEIKH

Whether Posthumous: Yes

Award Recommended	SHAURYA CHAKRA	
Year	2023	According
Service No	665/SPO	
Rank	CONSTABLE	
Unit	JAMMU AND KASHMIR POLICE,	
	BARAMULLA	77 / 19
Father's Name	SUB INSPECTOR MOHAMMAD	166
	MAQSOOD SHEIKH (RETD)	
Mother's Name	SMT SHAMEEMA BEGUM	

#### **CITATION**

25 May 2022

On 25 May 2022, an input of three heavily armed foreign terrorists travelling in a vehicle was received and a Joint operation was launched in Baramulla. The terrorists were tasked to target the upcoming AmarnathYatra.

Constable Mudasir Ahmad Sheikh a seasoned soldier was prompt to identify and challenge the suspicious vehicle. Sensing imminent danger, the terrorists tried to escape. To deny any opportunity to escape he charged on to the vehicle with utter disregard to his personal safety. Displaying raw courage he dragged one terrorist out of the vehicle. The other terrorists now opened indiscriminate fire resulting in grievous injury to Constable Mudasir Ahmad Sheikh.

Despite profusely bleeding, undeterred by his wounds he continued to hold the terrorist in a hand to hand combat. In a swift response he opened a volley of fire to neutralise the terrorist. He however succumbed to his injuries on way to being evacuated. The operation led to neutralisation of three terrorists and recovery of huge cache of arms and ammunition thereby averting a major incident.

For displaying stellar gallantry, exemplary initiative, and unmatched courage while under fire, Constable Mudasir Ahmad Sheikh is awarded "SHAURYA CHAKRA (POSTHUMOUS)".