

Assistant Sub-Inspector Amin Chand, No. 343/CHG



ASI Amin Chand was born on 04.03.1946 at Village-Panyal, District-Kanga (H.P.). He had 01 brother and 06 sisters. He passed his Middle Class and joined Indian Army in Army Medical Corps. as driver on 15.06.1963 and retired from Army on 01.07.1980.

He joined the Chandigarh Police as Constable on 04.06.1981. He was promoted to the rank of Head Constable on 05.03.1986 and was promoted as ASI on 25.08.1991. He was working as Gunman to the SSP/UT, Chandigarh.

On 29.08.1991, at about 02:15 PM Shri Sumedh Singh Saini, SSP/UT, Chandigarh, left in his official car escorted by one pilot and one escorted car for his house in Sector-16, Chandigarh for the lunch from the Police Headquarters Building, Sector-17, Chandigarh. When carcade reached opposite local head office of

State Bank of India, Sector-17, Chandigarh, a powerful blast took place from an Ambassador Car No. PBL-4559 stationed on left side of road and SSP's car jumped forward and sideward due to explosion in the said Ambassador car. Gunman ASI Amin Chand and ASI Lalu Ram died on the spot. ASI Ramesh Lal sitting on rear right seat received serious injuries while SSP/UT escaped with minor injuries. Beside them eleven(11) other person including four of CRPF, two local policemen and five civilian who received injuries were also rushed to the PGI and General Hospital, Sector-16, Chandigarh. The blast was triggered off with remote control system which was evident from remote control device found near K.C. Theatre about 344 feet away from scene of explosion. None in pilot car was injured. All officials in the SSP's car and Escort car were injured.

According to the expert examination, about 5 Kgs RDX high explosive in an armour container was used as car bomb fixed at left rear seat and it was exploded by cordless remote control device manufactured in Hong Kong and distributed in Canada.

In this regard case FIR No. 334 dated 29.08.1991 u/s 302, 303 IPC, 3,4 Explosive Substance Act and 3,4 of TADA was

registered at Police Station-Central, Chandigarh on the statement of Head Constable Hari Har Singh, No. 2287/CP, PSO of SSP's Pilot Car.(Copy of FIR is attached)

During more than 10 years of his service in Chandigarh Police, he had earned 44 Commendation Certificates including, 9 CC-I with total cash of Rs 2625/-.

May the God Almighty rest the noble soul in peace!