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Hon'ble Governor Himachal Pradesh pays tribute to the Martyr of Chandigarh Police, Saheed ASI Amin Chand on 23-10-2017

October 23: The Chandigarh Police paid homage to its Martyr ASI Amin Chand in an event held at his native school, Senior Secondary School LUNJ, District Kangra, HP, on Monday. The Memorial function was presided by Sh. Acharya Devvrat His Excellency the Governor Himachal Pradesh. The memorial function was held in the presence of wife and family members of Saheed ASI Amin Chand, principal and students of SSS Lunj and several other people of the region. A special team of Chandigarh Police headed by Sh. Shashank Anand, IPS, SSP/Traffic & Security and DSP Uday Pal was also present to pay tribute to the brave soul.

The ceremony started with "Salami" given by the Police. After that a two-minute silent prayer was held in memory of the Saheed ASI Amin Chand. Addressing the gathering on the solemn occasion, Sh. Acharya Devvrat His Excellency the Governor Himachal Pradesh elaborated the supreme sacrifice made by Shri Amin Chand in the line of his duty. Stating about his earlier life he added that "ASI Amin Chand joined the Chandigarh Police as constable on June 4th, 1981 and served more than 10 years. During his service in Chandigarh Police he bestowed with 44 commendation certificates including 9 CC-1 with cash prize of Rs. 2625/-. He was martyred on August 29, 1991 in a bomb blast by some terrorists, while he was posted as driver with then SSP. Sh. Amin Chand also served

Indian Army and was decorated with five medals including Raksha Medal, SSS Medal etc.

His Excellency the Governor, Himachal Pradesh also announced the scholarship of Rs. 11,000/- from Chandigarh Police in the name of Saheed Amin Chand for Matric class topper of this school. During this solemn ceremony HE Governor Himachal Pradesh also honored family members of the slain martyr. At the end, he lauded the step taken by Chandigarh Police for remembering the martyrs by organizing such events and showcasing their sacrifice to stimulate sense of patriotism among the young generations.

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