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# Smuggled cigarettes worth Rs 44 lakh from China and Korea on way New Delhi, seized in Bengal



Siliguri, Sep 4 (UNI) Smuggled cigarettes from Korea and China, worth Rs 44 lakh, on way to New Delhi, have been seized by the Preventive and Intelligence wing of Customs officials while frisking a truck from Guwahati stashed with household goods, police said today.

The truck from Guwahati, packed with household goods, had 9,30,000 sticks (cigarette) of China and Korea make, contained in 93 cartons, the officials said. The goods were seized at Maynaguri last evening.

Investigation was on to determine the owner of the household goods, meant to deliver in New Delhi. The truck was also seized.

They said the contraband goods were smuggled in from Myanmar. Siliguri has become a corridor of smuggling of foreign goods and gold.

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