

ASSAM RIFELS RECOVERS FOREIGN-ORIGIN CIGARETTES RS 97.5 LAKH

CHAMPHAI : The troops of the Assam Rifles recovered 65 cases of foreign-origin cigarettes worth Rs 97.5 lakhs at Zokhawthar in Mizoram's Champhai district, officials were informed on Wednesday. On Tuesday, the Sergeant Battalion of Assam Rifles, in a joint operation with the Customs Department, recovered the foreign-origin cigarettes. "The Sergeant Battalion of the Assam Rifles on Feb. 14, in a joint operation with the Customs Department, recovered 65 cases of cigarettes of foreign origin worth Rs 97.5 lakhs at Zokhawthar, Champhai Dist., Mizoram," the Assam Rifles said on Twitter. The operation was carried out by a combined team of Assam Rifles and Customs Department, Champhai based on specific information. Assam Rifles, rightly christened as the 'Sentinels of Northeast' have continued their efforts against the smuggling activities in Mizoram.