

Maharashtra: Container with 63 lakh foreign cigarettes costing Rs 6.5 cr seized at JNPT; one held



The [Special Intelligence and Investigation Branch](#) seized more than 63 lakh sticks of foreign brand cigarettes with an estimated value of Rs 6.5 crore from a container at Jawaharlal Nehru Port Trust and arrested one of the masterminds, an official said on Saturday.

The examination of an [intercepted container](#) found 63,16,000 cigarettes. The consignment was seized which was attempted to be smuggled by mis-declaring it as "PP Sports Flooring" material in the import documents, an official said.

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