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First All India Police Badminton and Table tennis Cluster 2025 begins tomorrow: **CM Pinarayi Vijayan to inaugurate**

Kochi, April 10, 2025: The First All India Police Badminton and Table Tennis Cluster 2025, hosted by the Kerala Police, will be inaugurated by Chief Minister Pinarayi Vijayan on April 11 at 3 PM at the Rajiv Gandhi Indoor Stadium, Kadavanthra, Kochi. Scheduled to take place from April 11 to 15, the event is being organized by the All India Police Sports Control Board. This occasion marks the first time that badminton and table tennis are being held together as a combined cluster.

This premier sporting event will witness the participation of 1,033 athletes representing 43 teams from across the country. They include police officers from different states and union territories including Andaman Nicobar Island and from forces such as Assam Rifles, BPR&D, BSF, CISF, CRPF, IB, ITBP, NDRF, NSG, CGO, RPF and SSB. Among them are 825 men and 208 women, competing in singles, doubles, and mixed doubles categories in both badminton and table tennis.

Rajiv Gandhi Indoor Stadium has top-class facilities, with 10 badminton and 8 table tennis courts, and seats 10,000 people ensuring a world-class experience for both players and spectators.

Participants will be accommodated in schools and lodges across various parts of the district, with all necessary arrangements in place for their comfort and convenience. To ensure wide public engagement, all matches and ceremonial events will be telecast live on the official police online handles, offering viewers across the country a chance to witness the talent police personnel from different states.

Leading the organization of the cluster are ADGP Manoj Abraham as the Organising Chairman and ADGP Sreejith as the Vice Chairman, and Kochi city police commissioner Putta Vimaladithya as the Organising Secretary. A total of 16 committees—comprising senior police officials including DGP, ADGP's, IG's, DIG's and SP's have been formed to manage various aspects of the event and ensure its smooth execution.

The First All India Police Badminton and Table Tennis Cluster 2025 is not just a sporting competition, but a celebration of fitness, coordination, and national unity within the police forces, and promises to leave a lasting legacy in the history of police sports in India. The event will conclude on Tuesday, April 15 by Minister P. Rajeev. All are invited to be a part of this spectacular event.
