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Online sexual assaults against children: Special unit to coordinate investigation; inauguration will be on Sunday

A centre will come into existence on Sunday to monitor and to coordinate the investigation of online sexual assaults against children. Chief Minister Pinarayi Vijayan along with his wife Kamala Vijayan will inaugurate the new building constructed near the Armed Police Battalion Headquarters in Peroorkada on 26th January at 9:30 AM.

The centre will be under the direct control of the State Police Chief Loknath Behera and aided with specially trained police personnel to investigate the online sexual assaults against children. Manoj Abraham, ADGP, is the State Level Nodal Officer. 70 officers are working under this system. After the establishment of a group on March 2019 to curb the sexual assaults against children, 42 people who engaged in such activities have been arrested and 38 cases have been registered in this regard. Search has been conducted at around 210 places across the State.

The centre will function with the cooperation of Interpol and National Crime Records Bureau. The International Organization for missing children will also cooperate with this. The centre will be an asset for Kerala Police to curb the sexual assaults against children.
