

## **Modern Forensic equipment will help improve investigation skills of the Police so the prosecution in the court – IGP Sindh**

**Karachi, September 18, 2014:** IGP Sindh Ghulam Haider Jamali said, “Modern Forensic equipment will help improve investigation skills of the Police so the prosecution in the court”. Presiding over a high level law & order meeting at CPO, he constituted a 4 member committee to put up practical recommendations with regard to establishment of an independent DNA laboratory. The members of the committee are DIGP/South, DIGP/CIA, DIGP/East and AIG/Forensic Division Sindh. The Government of Sindh has also extended approval accordingly for the establishment of DNA Laboratory.

The meeting was also informed that “Surveillance and Intelligence” unit has been established in the special Branch to gather intelligence and to provide timely information to Police Stations/Operational police. It was further told that apart from defined duties, the intelligence unit would also monitor activities of frequent foreign visitors to Karachi & other parts of the province. “Under the rules, currently citizens of some 15 countries have to report to police on their arrival”, it was added.

The IGP also informed that Sindh Government has approved an additional 1000 acres of land for the legal heirs of Police Shuhada. “The Sindh Government has also agreed to enhance compensation money to the legal heirs of Police Shuhada from 2 million to 3 million with further proposal to enhance it up to 10 million”, IGP added.

IGP further said that Sindh government has also extended approval to recruit as many women as lady police officers for which necessary documentation was under progress.

The meeting was attended by Addl. IG Special Branch/CID, Addl. IG Karachi Ghulam Qadir Thebo, DIG H/Q Mushtaq Mahar, DIG CIA, DIG South/East/West zones & other senior officers.

