

Integrated Check Post

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Recently India and Nepal opened their second integrated check-post (ICP) on the Jogbani-Biratnagar Border

What is integrated check-post (ICP)?

It is an area along two international borders which facilitate cross border trade and movement of people

Key highlights

- The Integrated Check Post at Jogbani-Biratnagar is **built with Indian assistance to facilitate trade and people's movement** across the India-Nepal border.

The current status and details of some of the Integrated Check Posts (ICPs) along the border areas, State and UT wise are given below:

S. No.	ICP Location	State	Borders with	Current Status
1	Attari (Amritsar)	Punjab	Pakistan	Operational
2	Agartala	Tripura	Bangladesh	
3	Petrapole	West Bengal	Bangladesh	
4	Raxaul	Bihar	Nepal	
5	Jogbani	Bihar	Nepal	
6	Moreh	Manipur	Myanmar	
7	Dawki	Meghalaya	Bangladesh	under construction
8	Rupaidiha	Uttar Pradesh (U.P.)	Nepal	Approved in December, 2018.
9	Sunauli	Uttar Pradesh (U.P.)	Nepal	
10	Sutarkandi	Assam	Bangladesh	

Regulation of ICPs by Land Ports Authority of India (LPAI)

- **LPAI is a statutory body established under the Land Ports Authority of India Act, 2010.** Section 11 of the Act gives powers to LPAI to develop, **sanitize and manage the facilities for cross-border movement of passengers and goods at designated points** along the international borders of India.
- LPAI functions under the administrative control of the Department of Border Management, Ministry of Home Affairs
- LPAI was set up to **provide safe, secure and systematic facilities for the movement of cargo as well as passengers at its Integrated Check Posts(ICPs)** along the international borders of the country