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Praveer Ranjan assumes charge as DG CISF

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Indian Police Service officer Praveer Ranjan on Tuesday assumed charge as the Director General of the Central Industrial Security Force (CISF) here. An IPS officer of the 1993 batch from the AGMUT Cadre, Ranjan has been on Central Deputation since April 2024. Prior to his appointment as DG, CISF, he served as the Special Director General, heading the sensitive Airport Security sector of the CISF.

In a distinguished career spanning 32 years, he has held several key positions, including Special Commissioner of Police/ Crime & EOW, Delhi Police, DIG, CBI, and Director General of Police, Chandigarh, before he had joined the CISF on central deputation.

He is a recipient of the President's Police Medal for Distinguished Service (2016)



and the President's Police Medal for Meritorious Service (2009), and is the 32nd DG of the country's security force.

During an in-house ceremony at CISF lawns, he was accorded a ceremonial Guard of Honour at the Force Headquarters, and he later interacted with senior officers of the force.

In his address, the DG underlined his commitment to prepare the force for future challenges through modernization in operations, welfare with compassion and transparency in administration.