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## Exercise Hand-in-Hand

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- The 8<sup>th</sup> **India-China joint training exercise 'HAND-IN-HAND 2019'** with the theme of 'Counter Terrorism' under United Nations mandate is scheduled to be conducted at Umroi, **Meghalaya** from 7<sup>th</sup> to 20<sup>th</sup> December 2019.



- The aim of the exercise is to practice joint planning and conduct of counter terrorist operations in semi urban terrain.
- In **2018**, the exercise was held in **Chengdu, China**.
- The exercise **didn't take place in 2017** due to the 72-days long standoff between Indian and Chinese troops in **Doklam**.

**Source: PIB**