

BIO-DATA OF SHRI M.S. BAWA, IPS
Retd. DIRECTOR GENERAL OF POLICE, HARYANA

1	Name	Manmohan Singh Bawa
2	Father's Name	Late Dr. Harnam Singh Bawa
3	Date of Birth	08.11.1931
4	Place of Birth	Dasuya, District Hoshiarpur, Punjab
5	Education	B.A. (Hons), LL.B
6	Language fluent in	English, Punjabi, Urdu and Hindi
8	Date of joining IPS	07.10.1955
9	Important Posting	<p><u>On Allotment to Punjab</u> ASP/Amritsar, Sangrur, Gurgaon, Ambala and PAP Jullundur Cantt.</p> <p><u>On deputation to CRPF (April 1961 to 1964)</u> Asst. Commandant</p> <p><u>On return to Punjab</u> SP/CID (Crime), SP/Sangrur</p> <p><u>On Allotment to Haryana in November, 1966</u> ADIG/CID, Chandigarh. February 1969 to July 1971 on deputation to SSB as Area Organizer. SSP/Gurgaon AIG/T&T</p> <p><u>On Deputation to CRPF (August 1974 to 1982)</u> DIG/Nagaland and North-East, Guwahati, Patna Deputy Director Operations in CRPF posted in Delhi</p> <p><u>On Return to Haryana in August 1982</u> Add. IG/HAP, Haryana Director, State Vigilance Bureau DG and IGP, Haryana (31.10.85 to 05.07.86) DG/OSD Rules (01.09.86 to 25.06.87) DG/Prisons (25.06.87 to 03.11.88) DG/SVB (03.11.88 to 30.11.89)</p>
10	Medals awarded	a) Indian Police Medal for Meritorious Services b) President's Police Medal for Distinguished Services c) Kathan Sewa Medal with Bar. d) 1965 War Medal e) 1971 War Medal
11	Other distinctions conferred	The Equestrian Jaipur Gold Cup in 1956 for Best horse-rider – Show Jumping/ Tent Pegging and Standing on a galloping horse.
12	Other notable achievements	a) Selected (1958) for a Mountaineering Course-HMI – Darjeeling; accompanied 'Everester' Tenzing Norgay on an expedition to scale the Fray's peak to a height of more than 20000 ft. b) Represented CRPF team in Police Firing Competition.
13	Hobbies	Shikar – Big game/Tennis/Table Tennis/ Photography
15	Date of retirement	30.11.1989
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18	E-mail address	tripatbawa@hotmail.com
19	Family Details	Wife: Tripat Bawa (73) Daughter: Arshiya Sethi (48) Son: Ikram Singh Bawa (45) Daughter –in-law: Shobhana Singh (39) Grandson: Aman Sethi (21) Grandson: Adil Sethi (17) Grand daughter: Zoya Singh (8)
20	Post-retirement activities	Farming and experimenting with tree plantations and other new agricultural initiatives and enjoying time spent with his grandchildren.
21	Impressions about IPS career	A very noble and selfless field, which can create immense trust and a feeling of security amongst the public, if the person in uniform recognizes the responsibility that goes with the grandeur of the uniform.
22	Fond memories of the service	a) Sh. M.S. Bawa recalls with pride his role in leading the contingent that retrieved the Balakot Picket which had been forcibly taken over by the Pakistani Army in 1961. b) In December 1963, the sacred relic of Prophet Mohamed, disappeared from Hazrat Bal Mosque, Srinagar. The situation became communally-tense and he was flown in specially to contain the threat to law and order. The then Union Home Minister, Shri Lal Bahadur Shastri mentioned him in his speech of appreciation. c) Organized 3 Police Tattoos, in Jullandhar 1961, Ajmer 1964 (This was a torchlight tattoo), and Madhuban 1986. He participated in all three tattoos, with the last being special as he created a surprise opening, with flaming double tent pegs. d) In a severe flood in Mewat in 1958, he was able to help in evacuating the helpless and marooned people. e) Specially sent to Aligarh Muslim University to control communal trouble in January 1981 and was able to establish peace.
23	Advice to members of IPS	A lot of probationers are joining the Police for the glamour and power of the Police Uniform, but they must understand the spirit behind this uniform and keep in mind the responsibilities and duties that go with it. The Public comes to them when stressed and shattered by a crisis asking for justice. It is the Police that can ensure not only that justice is meted out to them, but that they have a friend in uniform during their dark hours.