

## **Police Reform Exercise in Uttar Pradesh**

## Why in News?

On April 21, 2022, Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath gave many guidelines related to police reforms in a meeting.

## **Key Points**

- In order to increase the efficiency of Uttar Pradesh ATS (Anti-Terrorist Squad), the Chief Minister has directed to prepare a proposal regarding training of its officers and jawans from agencies like US Federal Investigation Agency (FBI) and Home Land Security.
- Apart from this, the Chief Minister also gave some other instructions, the details of which are as follows-
  - Formation of UP Special Police Establishment on the lines of CBI.
  - To select and train the soldiers for the new Special Police Operation Team (Spot) of ATS, in the next 100 days,.
  - Formation of Special Task Force unit in Ayodhya in the next 100 days.
- Some decisions have also been taken regarding gender equality in police forces, such as-
  - Doubling the number of women workers.
  - Construction of pink booths near religious places.
  - To provide scooty to every female beat constable.
  - Formation of women commando team.

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