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The year 2020 drug enforcement seminar co-sponsored by Taipei and Keelung District Prosecutors Offices shed light on the current trend in crime characteristics and high-tech criminal investigations.

Responding to the New Generation Anti-drug Strategy launched by Executive Yuan, to identify the narcotic drug's manufacturers by uniting resources across multiple agencies and with zone defense, the Chief Prosecutor of Taipei District Prosecutors Office Jhang-Cin Zhou(周章欽) on the 115th working conference had instructed to host the 2020 drug enforcement seminar in order to improve investigating techniques and the sensitivity of detecting narcotic drugs-related crimes.

Sponsored by Taipei and Keelung District Prosecutors Offices, with the assist of Keelung City Field Office, Maritime Affairs Field Division, Ministry of Justice Investigation Bureau and KLC, Customs Administration, Ministry of Finance, the Chief Prosecutor of both Taipei and Keelung District Prosecutors Office Jhng-Cin Zhou(周章欽) and Li-Ling Ke(柯麗玲) led over a hundred participants of this seminar to join to the enlightening presentation gave by branch director Cing-Cin Sie(謝慶欽). Also, participants were granted to board the patrol vessel CG127(新北艦) so that they could witness and experience firsthand the danger and the difficulties of drug busts at sea. Participants were all in awe.

Later that day, at Taipei Port Customs administrating building, led by the director of Keelung Customs Arthur CW Yang(楊崇悟), vice director Yong-Chiang Dai(戴永強), and the vice president of Taiwan International Ports Corporation Su-Ru Lin(林素如), a detailed introduction of the mechanics of sea freight transport and custom clearance was delivered by customs officers. For the last stop, they went to the docks and sea freight express shipping section to learn about the process of sea freight shipping and delivery. With a basic understanding of the mechanism of sea freight shipping, participants will be able to assess possible drug-related crimes and identify problems, then ask for assistance accordingly.

To sum up, the productivity of this event was well received. Participants expressed their gratitude toward everyone involved who had donated their time and resources to help and enrich this learning experience. Participants came back with more appreciation and understanding of inter-agency cooperation and cutting-edge drug bust techniques.