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Thought for today
Loneliness comes when I forget that God is my Supreme Companion.

Last date for IGNOU Admission extended

Port Blair, Oct. 28: The last date for Fresh Admission for PG and UG Programmes (except certificate and semester-based Programmes) in Indira Gandhi National Open University's for **July 2022 session** is further extended upto **31st October, 2022**. For Online admission, please log on - <https://ignouadmission.samarth.edu.in>. For more details, visit IGNOU Website - www.ignou.ac.in or for offline admission contact IGNOU Regional Centre, Port Blair over Phone: 03192-242888, 03192-230111 or Email: reportblair@ignou.ac.in. A communication from the Regional Director, IGNOU Regional Centre, Port Blair said. - Source : IGNOU

BJP FAILS TO DELIVER ON ELECTION MANIFESTO

Rail project connecting Port Blair- Diglipur still a mirage

:: AE Correspondent ::
Port Blair, Oct 28: Despite local newspaper regularly highlighting about the rail project connecting Port Blair- Diglipur the BJP government at the central is not serious about the project. The BJP which has been always talking about the welfare of the people should seriously consider about the rail project in the islands which will be a milestone project. It may be recalled that this publication has on time and again has published news stories about the rail project will the intention that the UT administration take up the issue with the Railway Ministry. During the tenure of Prof. Jagdish Mukhi, a revival of the project was being worked out by the administration. Former bureaucrats privy to the rail line the project had revealed that the project was first taken up by the former Member of Parliament, Shri Manoranjan Bhakta as Chairman Of Railway Sub-Committee in the year 1995. The rail project was in the top most agenda in the BJP election manifesto. However, after winning the election, the BJP has forgot its manifesto and now indulged in



issues which are of less importance for the public. The general public are expecting that the BJP local unit will take the BJP local unit will take up the centre government and initiate the project at the earliest. A team of 20-25 Railway Engineers from Southern Railways visited A&N Islands. These engineers camped in the Islands for over a month and conducted the feasibility and survey if the rail project. Based on the proposal, the then Railway Ministry, Smt Mamta Banerjee also sanctioned fund for the project. The estimate for the rail project was kept at Rs 1500

MP demands for resolving long pending issues/grievances of villagers of Campbell Bay

Port Blair, Oct 28: The Member of Parliament of Andaman and Nicobar Islands, Shri. Kuldeep Rai Sharma has requested the Hon'ble Lt. Governor of Andaman and Nicobar Islands to resolve the long pending issues/grievances of villagers of Campbell Bay Gram Panchayat. In a letter addressed to the Hon'ble Lt. Governor the Member of Parliament mentioned that during his recent tour to Campbell Bay, Great Nicobar, the PRI members of Campbell Bay have met him and presented some burning issues/grievances. According to the Member of Parliament, the issues are to conduct re-survey for including families under BPL category (i.e. PHH) as no survey has been

conducted since many years and many peoples entitled to get benefits of various scheme as per their financial status are unable to avail the benefits due to non-availability of BPL (i.e. PHH) cards. To issue Smart Islander Cards in place of the existing old one by deputing concerned departmental staff. Filling up of earth at the low level revenue area (submerged land) affected due to Tsunami 2004. Timely supply of LPG cylinders to the Great Nicobar Islands at least once in every month, whereas LPG cylinders are being provided once in three months. Installation of LED lights at Mini stadium, Campbell Bay for promotion of sports and games activities of youths. Electricity connections to the newly constructed residential houses at Babu Line, Indira Nagar, Kamal Basti under Campbell Bay Gram panchayat for domestic use. Applications submitted by the individuals have been pending since the last 05 years. As of now, electricity is one of the basic needs for human beings for all purposes including children education etc., therefore, providing electricity connection for domestic use may be considered. Grant of 1/30th Pay + DA to the DRMs working in the establishments of PRI and other departments in Campbell Bay since many years. The Member of Parliament requested the Hon'ble Lt. Governor to examine and resolve these crucial issues. - Source : Media Cell, MP

Land Development of Play Ground & Cleanliness drive at near ISPW, Resident Quarters



:: Sivaraman ::
Port Blair, Oct 28: A Land Development of Play Ground & cleanliness drive headed by the former Chairperson, PBMC, Shri K. Ganeshan with Ward Councillor Smti Laxmi Ganeshan in association with PBMC was conducted at Near ISPW, Resident Quarters at Delanipur All India Radio Quarters Opposite. Due to incessant rain, the nallahs in this area were clogged with plastic and tree other waste which has been causing a lot of problems for the residents. The residents have been complaining about the clogged drain and heaps of garbage laying in the area to Shri K. Ganeshan. The former Chairperson, PBMC with the help of the Sanitary Section of the Municipal Council conducted a drive and cleaned & Land Develop of Play Ground the area. Heaps of garbage and filth were cleaned from the nallah & temporary arrangement for the Play Ground These garbage after collection were handed over to the sanitary staff for disposal.

Speech competition by Surupanjali at RGT Public Vidyalaya



Port Blair, Oct 28: A speech competition was organized by Surupanjali (Acultural Art Forum) in RGT Public Vidyalaya on 27/10/2022 on the topic "Environment and the role of students in protecting it". There were around 18 contestants which included students from class 5th to 9th standard who actively participated in the competition. The 1st prize was bagged by Umesh Aditya of class 7th and 2nd and third prize was bagged by Leon of class 5th. See... Page No. 02

Renovation of Road Side Drain with Cover Slab near Sree Ayyappa Temple



:: Revathi ::
Port Blair, Oct. 28: A Renovation of Road Side Drain with Cover Slab near Sree Ayyappa Temple headed by the former Chairperson, PBMC, Shri K. Ganeshan with Ward Councillor Smti Laxmi Ganeshan in association with PBMC was conducted at Near Sree Ayyappa Temple. Due to incessant rain, the nallahs in this area were clogged with plastic and tree other waste which has been causing a lot of problems for the residents. The residents have been complaining about the clogged drain and

Awareness cum training session by CBRN



Port Blair, Oct. 28: In light of the emerging threats to Civil Aviation Security around the globe, including the threat of Chemical, Biological, Radiological and Nuclear (CBRN) warfare, a special awareness cum training session was organised on 28.10.2022 from 1545 hrs to 1710 hrs by CISF Unit VSI AIRPORT, See... Page No. 02

NYK Ragnat conducts clean India progs



Port Blair, Oct 28: Nehru Yuva Kendra Rangat in collaboration with Mahatma Gandhi Govt. College Mayabunder was organized clean India 2.0 Programme at Mayabunder from Mayabunder Jetty to Fish Market on 27.10.2022. In which 45 See... Page No. 02

Best Wishes from.... Shri.K.Ganeshan, Ex-Chairperson PBMC & Smti. Laxmi Ganeshan, Councillor, Smti.Kavitha Udhaya Kumar, Chairperson Port Blair Municipal Council Shri. S. Shahul Hamid, Councillor, Shri. Ravichandran, Councillor



S. Balamurugan
S/o Shri Senpagaraja and Smti Eswari
Weds
A. Anantha Priya
D/o Shri M. Arjunan & Smti A. Kasthuri

Senitization prog of Industries dept on PMFME



Port Blair, Oct. 28: The Department of Industries has been implementing a Centrally Sponsored Scheme 'Prime Minister's Formalization of Micro Food Processing Enterprises Scheme (PMFME)' of Ministry of Food Processing Industries under Amanirbar Bharat Abhiyan with the objective to formulize and strengthen Micro Food Processing Enterprises by utilizing the local resources. Under the scheme, financial assistance in the form of Credit Linked Subsidy @ 35% of the project cost will be extended to the individual and group enterprises. The Department has been publicizing the scheme through different media to ensure proper dissemination and outreach across the A&N Islands. See... Page No. 02

CPI (M) rue power disruption

Port Blair, Oct 28: CPI (M) has expressed concern over the sudden increase in the frequency and duration of power disruption occurring at Port Blair and rural South Andaman during the last few days. In a letter sent to the Chief Secretary, Andaman & Nicobar Administration, Shri D. Ayyappan, Secretary, CPI (M) A & N State Organising Committee drew the attention of the Chief Secretary to the frequent disruption in the power supply occurring at Port Blair and South Andaman areas since last more than one year. However, it has been noticed that the frequency and duration of power disruption have suddenly increased during the last few days, he said in the letter. Half of the day time, there is no electricity in the Port Blair town and rural South Andaman areas. People from all walks of lives are suffering due to this increased power disruption particularly during day time. Shri Ayyappan told the Chief Secretary that various examinations in the schools for all classes of students (1st term examinations, 2nd periodical examinations and half yearly examinations) are currently underway and students find it difficult to properly attend the examinations due to the frequent power cuts. He further said that competitive examinations for Group C posts and Group B (Non-Gazetted) posts are scheduled to be held in the next month, for which thousands of candidates are preparing. Shri Ayyappan told the Chief Secretary that the See... Page No. 02

EDITORIAL

The Andaman EXPRESS

29 October 2022

Calming Putin down

That Russia is hawking its story about a Ukrainian 'dirty bomb' – India got the call on Wednesday – is being interpreted by the West as a Moscow disinformation exercise aimed at fabricating an excuse to use tactical nukes. Adding to those suspicions is Russia conducting an exercise of its strategic nuclear forces. It all looks very grim – but there's nothing that can't be rolled back even at this point. Assuming, reasonably, that talk of a nuclear threat is a huge Putinesque psychological move as he faces the serious possibility of losing occupied territory, the biggest powers – namely, the US and China – both have stakes in calming the Russian president down, even if the two superpowers are arch-rivals otherwise. China has a tremendous amount of leverage against Russia and America has the most rapidly deployable and powerful military. If the two biggies act in some kind of concert, with China cajoling and America threatening, Putin may just listen.

Even better would be if Putin gets a face-saver, one that doesn't sell Ukraine down the Moskva but does involve some sacrifice on the part of the latter. True, by principles of natural justice this is wrong. But it would hardly be the first time that cold realpolitik calculations are used to achieve cessation of conflict between two warring nations. America, after all, has advised India plenty of times that it must keep its patience with aggressor and terrorism-spawning Pakistan. Biden's all or nothing approach may be deemed necessary to appear muscular before US voters but it isn't smart policy. The theory that this is the chance to fatally weaken Putin assumes the Russian leader will watch his war machine getting run over – a very risky assumption.

Europe obviously and India, too, have a role to play. European countries hit most severely by reduced supply of Russian energy must think of the coming long winter and tell European countries that depend far less on Moscow's gas that it's time to get a little more flexible and dial down the righteous rhetoric. Perhaps, no European leader wants to be the first to say this. Germany, as the biggest economy in the continent, should take the lead. India has some leverage with Russia and it's time Delhi talks really tough with Moscow behind closed doors. Putin can be calmed down – if major powers smarten up.

AGRAWAL WILL LEAVE TWITTER WITH \$38.7 MILLION, LEAKED TEXTS DETAIL HIS FALLOUT WITH MUSK

Though reports claim Twitter's former CEO Parag Agrawal was 'escorted out' of the company's headquarters in San Francisco after entrepreneur and Twitter's new owner Elon Musk closed the deal, Agrawal will be leaving with a lucrative deal.

Among the four executives who have been fired, Agrawal himself will receive the largest payout of \$38.7 million due to the entirety of his shares and because he has been fired within 12 months of a change in control at the company. The provisions are disclosed in regulatory filings.

While Twitter's chief financial officer Ned Segal will receive a \$25.4 million payout, its chief legal officer Vijaya Gadde will get \$12.5 million. Sarah Personette, the chief customer officer, would get \$11.2 million.

Agrawal joined Twitter in 2011

when there were fewer than 1,000 employees. He became Twitter's chief technology officer in 2017 after co-founder Jack Dorsey stepped down.

Agrawal-Musk fallout

That said, Agrawal's firing does not come as a surprise as he has been at loggerheads with the Tesla CEO the recent months. A series of leaked messages reveal how soured the relationship was between them.

In March after he acquired Twitter shares, Musk met with the Twitter board, including its founder and former CEO Jack Dorsey, to discuss the company's future. Musk then announced he became Twitter's largest shareholder and accepted a seat on the company's board.

Though they initially shared a warm relationship, things went sour when the mercurial Musk shared a list of the top 10 most-followed

Twitter accounts with the caption, "Is Twitter dying?"

Agrawal messaged Musk the next day to say that the tweet wasn't helping the team. "You are free to tweet 'is Twitter dying?' or anything else about Twitter but it's my responsibility to tell you that it's not helping me make Twitter better in the

current context. Next time we speak, I'd like you to provide [your] perspective on the level of internal distraction right now and how [it's] hurting our ability to do work ... I'd like the company to get to a place where we are more resilient and don't get distracted, but we aren't there right now," Agrawal's text to

Musk read, as revealed in a court filing last month.

Musk snapped back: "What did you get done this week?" adding that he "was not joining the board. This is a waste of time."

Musk also got back to Dorsey, who replied to him that "At least it became clear that you can't work together. That was clarifying." Musk acknowledged it.

He then abandoned the board seat, threatened a hostile takeover and ultimately agreed to buy Twitter for \$54.20 per share, only to back out number of bots and spam accounts on the platform. Then in May, there was also this humiliating incident wherein Musk replied to Agrawal's long Twitter thread about spam content and how it affects user experience with a poop emoji to show his discontent.

- Source : Theweek



Russian President Putin praises PM Modi for pursuing 'independent foreign policy'

Russia has special ties with India and they have always supported each other and will remain so in the future, President Vladimir Putin has said, as he praised Prime Minister Narendra Modi for pursuing an "independent foreign policy" in the interest of his country.

Putin's remarks came at a plenary session of the Valdai International Discussion Club, a Moscow-based think-tank on Thursday.

He said Russia and India continue to cooperate in the military and technical areas.

We have special ties with India that are built on the foundation of really close allied relations for decades. We never had any outstanding issues with India, we have always supported each other and I'm positive that's how it will remain in the future as well, Russian state media RT quoted Putin as saying.

Putin's comments came more than a month after Prime

Minister Modi told him that today's era is not of war as they met on the sidelines of the Shanghai Cooperation Organisation's summit in Samarkand, Uzbekistan in September.

India has not yet condemned the Russian invasion of Ukraine and it has been maintaining that the crisis must be resolved through diplomacy and dialogue.

"PM Modi is one of those individuals in the world who is able to pursue an independent foreign policy in the interest of his country, and his people without any attempts to stop him, said Putin.

Russia has been a major supplier of military hardware to India. In October 2018, India signed a USD 5 billion deal with Russia to buy five units of the S-400 air defence missile systems, notwithstanding a warning by the US that going ahead with the contract may invite sanctions under the provisions of

Countering America's Adversaries Through Sanctions Act (CAATSA).

Putin said India has walked a great development path from being a British colony to its modern state and this has yielded significant results for the country's almost 1.5 billion people.

"It (India) attracts general respect from everyone in the world. A lot has been done in recent years under PM Modi's leadership. He is a true patriot of his country. And this concept of his, 'Make in India', is a significant effort. (India) really has progressed in its development. A great future lies ahead of it, Putin said, according to a translation of his remarks by the Russian Embassy in India.

(India) is not only the largest democracy, in a good sense of this word, but it should be proud of its growth rate, that's the basis of its progress and development, Putin added.

The Russian leader said that the economic cooperation between Delhi and Moscow is growing as well.

Prime Minister Modi asked me to increase fertiliser supplies which is crucial for Indian agriculture and we have done that, he said, adding that the supplies have been increased 7.6 times without giving details.

Putin said he believes that countries such as India not only have a great future ahead of them, but are going to have a growing role in forming global policies. His comments came ahead of External Affairs Minister S Jaishankar's visit to Moscow on November 8.

- Source : Theweek



Long Covid: How lost connections between nerve cells in the brain may explain cognitive symptom

For a portion of people who get Covid, symptoms continue for months or even years after the initial infection. This is commonly referred to as long Covid.

Some people with long Covid complain of brain fog, which includes a wide variety of cognitive symptoms affecting memory, concentration, sleep and speech. There's also growing concern about findings that people who have had Covid are at increased risk of developing brain disorders, such as dementia.

Scientists are working to understand how exactly a Covid infection affects the human brain. But this is difficult to study, because we can't experiment on living people's brains. One way around this is to create organoids,

which are miniature organs grown from stem cells.

In a recent study, we created brain organoids a little bigger than a pinhead and infected them with SARS-CoV-2, the virus that causes Covid-19. In these organoids, we found that an excessive number of synapses (the connections between brain cells) were eliminated more than you would expect to see in a normal brain.

Synapses are important because they allow neurons to communicate with each other. Still, the elimination of a certain amount of inactive synapses is part of normal brain function. The brain essentially gets rid of old connections when they're no longer needed, and makes way for new connections, allowing for

more efficient functioning.

One of the crucial functions of the brain's immune cells, or microglia, is to prune these inactive synapses. The exaggerated elimination of synapses we saw in the Covid-infected models could explain why some people have cognitive symptoms as part of long Covid.

Parallels with neurodegenerative disorders Interestingly, this pruning process is believed to go awry in several disorders affecting the brain. In particular, excessive elimination of synapses has recently been linked to neurodevelopmental disorders such as schizophrenia, as well as neurodegenerative disorders such as Alzheimer's and Parkinson's disease.

By sequencing the RNA of

single cells, we could study how different cell types in the organoid responded to the virus. We found that the pattern of genes turned on and off by the microglia in our Covid-infected organoids mimicked changes seen in neurodegenerative disorders.

This may go some way in explaining the link between Covid and the risk of developing certain neurological disorders.

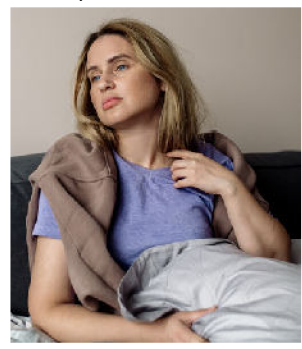
One limitation of our research is that our organoid models closely resemble the foetal or early brain, rather than the adult brain. So we can't say for sure whether the changes we noted in our study will necessarily be reflected in the adult brain.

However, some post-mortem and imaging studies report neuronal death and

reduction in grey matter thickness in Covid patients, which hints at similar instances of synapse loss caused by an infection in adults. If this proves to be a fruitful line of enquiry, we believe our findings could point to a mechanism contributing to persisting cognitive symptoms after Covid and other viral infections that affect the brain.

SARS-CoV-2 is an RNA virus and similar processes have been seen in mice infected with other RNA viruses that can also cause residual cognitive symptoms, such as the West Nile virus. From here we want to study how different drugs could inhibit the changes we saw in the infected models, hopefully paving the way towards effective treatments. In other research,

we've observed that an antibiotic called minocycline can reduce the degree to which microglia prune synapses in a dish. So we want to see if this drug can help in our brain organoid models following SARS-CoV-2 infection. (The Conversation: By Samudrata and Carl Sellgren, Karolinska Institute) - Source : Theweek



Speech competition by...

9th and Riya of Class 6th respectively. And Pallavi and Nagamahendra was given Consolation prize. The competition

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was attended by 80 students of the RGT Public Vidyalaya along with teachers and panel of judges. - Source : RGTPV

Awareness cum training...

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PORTBLAIR in the presence of Shri. V. K. RAVINDRA SHARMA, Airport Director/AAL, SH. RAJINDER SINGH, Commandant / CISF (Chief Airport Security Officer) Sh. Ajayen, ASSTT. Director/DM and Sh. Mohamad Deen, Safety Officer(DM). In this

session a special team from National Disaster Response Force (NDRF) elaborated and trained the participants (CISF, AAL, IB and Airline staff) on the course of action to be followed in case of real world scenario. - Source : CBRN

Sanitization prog...

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Since the response from the stakeholders was found to be inadequate, the Department has been conducting outreach sensitization program in different Gram Panchayats/ Villages in three Districts w.e.f. 25/10/2022. The programmes were conducted at Gram Panchayat, Sila Nagar, North Andaman, Gram Panchayat Subash Gram, North Andaman, Arong, Car Nicobar, Haddo, Ward No.1 & 2, Gram Panchayat, Sippighat Gram Panchayat, Ram Krishna Gram, North Andaman, Small Lapathy, Car Nicobar. The sensitization programme organized at Community Hall, Haddo was participated by residents of Ward No. 1 & 2. The programme was attended by Shri Abhishek Bhukal, Director of Industries in the presence of Shri. S. Shahul Hamid, Councillor, Ward No.1 and Shri. R. Someswara Rao, Councillor, Ward No.2. In his inaugural address, the Director of Industries highlighted the

scheme components of PMFME Scheme and the intervention of A & N Administration for addressing the Food Processing Sector of A & N Islands. He also appraised the participants about the Incubation Centre to be established under this scheme at an estimated cost of Rs.159.20 lakh through Fisheries Department at Marine Hill, Port Blair. With this facility, the budding entrepreneurs and aspirants willing to set up fish based enterprises may be provided with the facility to develop their own product. He encouraged the participants to avail the scheme benefits for development of their food based enterprises. The Councillors of Ward No.1 & 2 appreciated the efforts of Industries Department and motivated the participants to set up self employment ventures through different schemes & programs of the A & N Administration and Govt. of India. - Source : PMFME

COVID-19 status in A&N Islands

Port Blair, Oct. 28: One Covid positive case has been detected yesterday in A&N Islands from incoming flight passenger who arrived here yesterday tested positive. Yesterday, 15 flights with

1722 passengers arrived, out of which, 1512 passengers were vaccinated with both doses while RT-PCR test was conducted on 47 passengers and the reports are awaited.

- Source : IP&T

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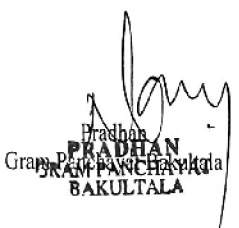
NOTICE

It is brought to notice hereby inform all the general public, youth club, club, Mandir committee, Un-unemployed co-op. society, SHG groups, shop keepers of Bakultala, please to inform that this year Gram Panchayat Bakultala will celebrate 23rd January, 2023 birth anniversary of Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose at Bakultala play ground and in the same Gram Panchayat Bakultala will organize a 07 days mela from 23/01/2023 to 29/01/2023. In this regards Gram Panchayat Bakultala will conduct a meeting for formation of Netaji Subhash Mela committee meeting held on 29/10/2022 at 4.00 PM in the premises of Durga puja community hall, Bakultala.

Hence, you are therefore request to you kindly attend the meeting and grand make it success.

Agenda of the Meeting:

1. Formation New Committee.
2. Other misc.


Pradip Pradhan
Gram Panchayat Bakultala

No. TN/DB/SD/2022-23/954
OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER
STORE DIVISION
APWD, PORT BLAIR

Dated 18/10/2022

NOTICE INVITING e- TENDERS

The Executive Engineer, Stores Division, APWD, Port Blair on behalf of the President of India, invites online item rate e-tenders (In form CPWD-8) from approved and eligible contractors of APWD or any other Govt. Department irrespective of their enlistment subject to the condition that they have experience of having successfully completed similar work of relevant magnitude of work as per CPWD Works Manual and with other GOI organization and do not have any adverse remarks for the following work.

NIT No.	: 07/EE/SD/DB/2022-23
Name of work	: Running and maintenance of Andaman House under SSD-II at Anna Nagar, Chennai during the year 2022-2023.
Sub Work	: Annual Comprehensive day to day maintenance of IEL EEL, Geysers and Pump including prevention maintenance.
Estimated Cost	: ₹ 5,77,303/-
Earnest Money	: ₹ 11,546/-
Period of Completion	: 12 (Months)
NIT No.	: 08/EE/SD/DB/2022-23
Name of work	: Running and maintenance of Andaman House under SSD-II at K.K. Nagar, Chennai during the year 2022-2023.
Sub Work	: Annual Comprehensive day to day maintenance of IEL EEL, Geysers and Pump including prevention maintenance.
Estimated Cost	: ₹ 5,77,303/-
Earnest Money	: ₹ 11,546/-
Period of Completion	: 12 (Months)
Bid Document Publishing Date	: 20/10/2022
Bid Document Download/Start Date	: 20/10/2022
Bid Submission Start Date	: 20/10/2022
Bid Submission End Date	: 10/11/2022 (10.00 Hrs).
Bid Opening Date	: 10/11/2022 (11.00 Hrs).

1. Tender ID 2022_APWD_7789_1.
2. Tender ID 2022_APWD_7800_1.
The Tender forms and other details can be obtained from the Web Site www.eprocure.andaman.gov.in

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Store Division,
APWD, Port Blair.

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ICSI Recruitment 2022 | CRC Executives post | Vacancies 40 | Last Date 27.10.2022 | Apply Online for ICSI Jobs @ www.icsi.edu

ICSI Recruitment 2022: The Institute of Company Secretaries of India invites application from eligible candidates for the post of CRC Executives. Candidates those who satisfies the eligibility norms defined by ICSI may proceed for online registration. Online application link has enabled from 13.10.2022. There are 40 vacancies to be filled for the post. The last date for the submission of online application form is 27.10.2022. Aspirants looking for Central government jobs may use this opportunity of Company Secretaries of India recruitment ICSI is going to fill CRC Executives on contract basis at Manesar. Duration of contract will be for one year & it may be extended for two years based on performance and requirement. Candidates are advised to read ICSI notification carefully before proceeding to apply online. Candidates may refer www.icsi.edu recruitment page for upcoming job notifications. Aspirants looking for more job notifications, results, admit cards, etc. may refer our daily recruitment site.

No. DB-TN/PBSD/2022-23/4684 Dated 25/10/2022

Notice Inviting e- Tender

The Executive Engineer, Port Blair South Division, A.P.W.D., Port Blair on behalf of President of India invites online Item rate bids from contractors of APWD or any other Govt. Department irrespective of their enlistment subject to condition that they have experience on executing the relevant magnitude of work as per CPWD Works Manual and with other GOI organizations in these Islands and do not have any adverse remarks.

NIT No : 91/EE/PBSD/2022-22

Name of work : Repair and renovation of Officer Barrack at Police Line Complex under PL-I Section, SD-II, PBSB, APWD, Port Blair

Estimated Cost : '19,56,610/-

Earnest Money : '39,132/-

Time of completion : 02 (Two) Months

NIT No : 94/EE/PBSD/2022-23

Name of work : Repair and Painting including replacement and barbed wire and concertina coil of observation Home at Nayagaon, Port Blair.

Estimated Cost : '14,71,978/-

Earnest Money : '29,440/-

Time of completion : 02 (Two) Months

Last date and time of submission of Bid: 07/11/2022 15:00 Hrs.

Last date and time of opening of Bid : 07/11/2022 15:30 Hrs.

The tender forms and other details can be obtained from the website <https://eprocure.andaman.gov.in>

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Dated 18/10/2022

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NIT No : 75/EE/PBSD/2022-23.

Name of work : Supply and Installation of Modular HDPE Cubical for floating jetty (Size 15.00 x 5.00 Mtr) at Rose Island, Port Blair..

Estimated Cost : '44,14,415/-

Earnest Money : ' 88,288/-

Time of completion : 45 (Forty five) Days

Last date and time of submission of Bid : 31/10/2022 15:00 Hrs.

Date & Time of opening of Bid : 31/10/2022 15:30 Hrs.

The tender forms and other details can be obtained from the website <https://eprocure.andaman.gov.in>

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HAL Recruitment 2022, Apply 25 Fitter & Other Vacancies

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ELON MUSK IS THE NEW OWNER OF TWITTER; CEO PARAG AGRAWAL FIRED

Billionaire entrepreneur Elon Musk closed the \$44-billion Twitter deal on Thursday, becoming the new owner of the microblogging site. He has also fired at least four top executives of Twitter, including its Indian-origin CEO Parag Agrawal.

Besides Agrawal, CFO Ned Segal, Head of Legal, Policy, and Trust Vijaya Gadde and General Counsel Sean Edgett have also been fired, reported Reuters. The report added that at least one of the executives who was fired was escorted out of Twitter's office.

Agrawal's exit comes as an unsurprising move, considering how he and Musk had a public Twitter fallout a few months earlier and the latter accusing the outgoing CEO of misleading him and Twitter investors over the number of fake bots.

Agrawal was appointed Twitter CEO in November last year after the social media site's co-founder Jack Dorsey had stepped down. An IIT Bombay and Stanford alumnus, Agrawal joined Twitter over a decade ago when there were fewer than 1,000 employees at the company.

Gadde was also singled out by Musk, accusing her of "left-wing bias" in content moderation decisions at the

company. Gadde was also instrumental in the decision to suspend Donald Trump's account within days of the coup at Capitol Hill.

However, Twitter, Musk and the executives have not publicly responded to the reports. This comes as Musk walked into the headquarters in San Francisco on Wednesday in a dramatic fashion with a kitchen sink. He posted a video on Twitter, sharing the caption: "Entering Twitter HQ - let that sink in!" He reportedly had been meeting with engineers and advertising executives.

Earlier in the day, Musk also took to Twitter to explain why he decided to buy Twitter. "I wanted to reach out personally

to share my motivation in acquiring Twitter. There has been much speculation about why I bought Twitter and what I think about advertising. Most of it has been wrong," he wrote.

He said his reason for acquiring it is because it is "important to the future of civilisation to have a common digital town square, where a wide range of beliefs can be debated in a healthy manner, without resorting to violence."

The closure of the deal comes after months of twists and turns after the Tesla CEO announced his intention to buy the social media giant for \$44 billion and take the company private. Musk had then said that he wanted to own and privatize Twitter because he thinks it was not living up to its potential as a platform for free speech.

However, he walked back on his word in July, opting out of the deal citing spam and fake accounts on the social media platform. He also accused the company of refusing to give him information about its spam bot accounts.

It was then that Twitter sued Musk to force him to complete the deal. The Musk-Twitter legal dispute went on trial in October, but during the trial, Musk decided to go through with his original proposal to buy Twitter for \$44 billion.

- Source : The Week



Rajnath dedicates 75 infra projects from eastern Ladakh

Defence Minister Rajnath Singh on Friday dedicated to the nation 75 infrastructure projects including bridges, roads and helpads built at a cost of Rs 2,180 crore in strategically key areas of Ladakh, Jammu and Kashmir, Arunachal Pradesh and Sikkim among others.

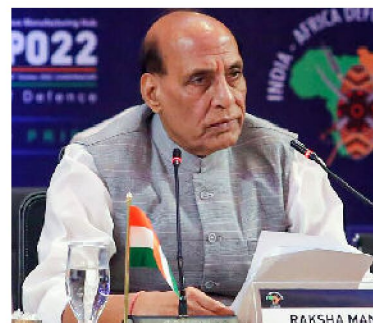
He inaugurated the projects at a function held at the Darbuk-Shyok-Daulat Beg Oldi (DS-DBO) road that provides connectivity to India's northernmost outpost of Daulat Beg Oldi in eastern Ladakh.

The highlight of the event was the on-site inauguration of 120-metre-long 'class-70 Shyok Setu' on the DS-DBO Road at an altitude of 14,000 feet, the defence ministry said.

The bridge will be of strategic importance as it will facilitate logistics movement of the armed forces. Other projects inaugurated virtually by Singh included two helpads, one each in Hanle and Thakung, in Eastern Ladakh, it said.

These helpads will enhance the operational capabilities of the Indian Air Force in the region. The rest of the projects were inaugurated virtually by Singh.

The 75 projects included 45



bridges, 27 roads, two helpads and one 'Carbon Neutral Habitat' and they are spread across six states and two Union territories.

Twenty of the projects are in Jammu and Kashmir, 18 each in Ladakh and Arunachal Pradesh, five in Uttarakhand and 14 in other border states of Sikkim, Himachal

Pradesh, Punjab and Rajasthan. Speaking on the occasion, the defence minister reaffirmed the government's commitment to ensure the progress of far-flung areas to fulfil the security needs of the country.

Singh noted that infrastructure development along with the valour of the armed forces was the main reason that helped India effectively deal with the recent situation in the northern sector, in an apparent reference to Indian military's response to Chinese PLA's aggressive behaviour in eastern Ladakh.

He termed the new 75 projects as a testament to that "resolve" and said that these bridges, roads and helpads will facilitate military and civil transport in far-flung areas of the western, northern and north-eastern parts of the country, forming a part of the "development chain".

"Lack of infrastructure development in Jammu and Kashmir for decades post independence was one of the reasons behind the rise of terrorism in the Union Territory. These internal disturbances resulted in significant decline in tourist footfall that impacted Ladakh also, as well as the entire nation," Singh said at the event.

He described connectivity with border areas as one of the focus areas of the government for the holistic development of the nation. "Now, due to the governments efforts, the region is witnessing a new dawn of peace and progress. Our aim is to continue with the development of all states/UTs of the country," Singh added. He said all the remote areas will be connected with the rest of the country soon and "together we will take the nation to newer heights of progress. BRO has a crucial role in achieving this objective".

- Source : The Week



Spain prosecutors drop charges against Neymar, others

BARCELONA: Prosecutors in Spain on Friday dropped corruption and fraud charges against football star Neymar and others accused in a trial over the Brazilian's 2013 move from Santos to Barcelona.

In a dramatic move, the prosecutor announced the "withdrawal of the charges against the accused and for all the allegations" they had faced.

Neymar, 30, had said he did not remember if he took part in record 222-million-euro transfer in the negotiations which led to an agreement sealed in 2011 with Barcelona over his transfer two years later to the Spanish side from Brazilian club Santos.

Spanish prosecutors had sought a two-year prison term for Neymar, a key member of the Brazil team that will be heading to the World Cup in Qatar next month, and the payment of a 10-million-euro (\$9.7-million) fine.

The dropping of the charges is the culmination of a years-long legal saga over Neymar's high-profile transfer to Europe.

He then joined Qatar-owned Paris Saint-Germain in a world not remember if he took part in record 222-million-euro transfer in the negotiations which led to an agreement sealed in 2011 with Barcelona over his transfer two years later to the Spanish side from Brazilian club Santos.

Neymar had been one of nine defendants on trial on corruption-related charges, among them his parents and their N&N company, which manages his affairs.

Even if he had been convicted, prison terms of two years or less are never enforced in Spain for a first-time offender. Investigators began probing the transfer to Barcelona after a 2015 complaint filed by DIS, a Brazilian company that owned 40 percent of the player's sporting rights when he was at Santos,

the club where he rose to global prominence.

The firm claims that Neymar, Barcelona and the Brazilian club colluded to mask the true cost of his transfer thereby defrauding its legitimate financial interests.

Barca said the transfer was valued at 57.1 million euros, with 40 million euros paid to N&N and 17.1 million to Santos, of which 6.8 million was given to DIS.

Spanish prosecutors believe the actual value was at least 83 million euros.

DIS is seeking to recover 35 million euros.

Neymar gave evidence earlier this month, telling the court he had done nothing illegal and that he only signed documents his father gave him.

"My father has always been in charge" of contract negotiations, he said. "I sign what he tells me to."

DIS also claims financial harm from the 2011 pre-contract agreement with Barca, claiming it had impeded other clubs from making offers and affected the value of the transfer fee.

But the player's father,

Neymar Sr, told the court the talks had been authorised by the Brazilian club at the time and that "it was Santos' responsibility" to inform DIS, and not his.

Apart from Neymar, his father and his mother Nadine Goncalves, two former Barca presidents, Sandro Rosell and Josep Maria Bartomeu, and ex-Santos boss Odilio Rodrigues Filho are among the defendants.

Neymar's lawyers insist their client is innocent, saying the 40-million-euro payment from Barca was a "legal signing bonus which is normal in the football transfer market".

Neymar is having one of his best seasons since he joined PSG and is expected to play a key role for Brazil at the World Cup in Qatar. He has scored nine league goals in 11 matches and made seven assists.

He is expected to lead the Selecao into their World Cup Group G opener against Serbia on November 24 as the South American giants begin their quest to win the trophy for the first time since 2002, and the sixth in total.

- Source : Times of India

FIH Pro League: Harmanpreet Singh named skipper of 22-member Indian hockey team

Harmanpreet Singh has been named as the skipper of a 22-member Indian hockey team for the opening games of the fourth season of the International Hockey Federation (FIH) Pro League.

Manpreet Singh, who led India to an Olympic medal last year after a gap of 41 years, will be Harmanpreet's deputy in the first leg of the Pro League.

India will start its campaign against New Zealand on October 28 and will take on Spain on October 30. The hosts will play their second match against New Zealand on November 4 and face Spain on November 6 at the Kalinga Stadium in

Bhubaneswar.

Indian coach Graham Reid emphasised increasing the leadership skills of the group, thus choosing the reigning FIH Player of the Year Harmanpreet as skipper.

The Indian team includes goalkeepers Krishan Pathak and PR Sreejesh with the support of Harmanpreet Singh, Surender Kumar, Harmanpreet, Amit Rohidas, Jugraj Singh, Mandeep Mor and Nilam Sanjeep Xess in the defence. Midfielders Sumit, Manpreet, Hardik Singh, M Rabichandra Singh, Shamsher Singh, Rajkumar Pal and Raheel. The forward line includes Mandeep Singh, Dilpreet Singh, Abhishek and



Sukhjeet Singh. - Source : Times of India

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