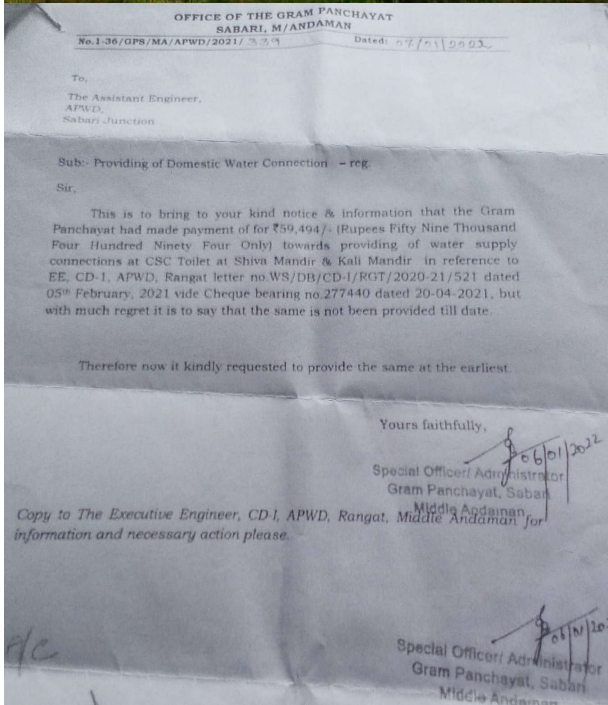


APWD CD& 1 बना स्वक्ष भारत मिशन प्रोग्राम में बाधा

आप जानते हैं कि हमारे देश के प्रधानमंत्री जी का स्वक्ष भारत मिशन प्रोग्राम पूरे देश में चलाया जा रहा है इसी के अन्तर गत हमारे दीप समूह में भी स्वक्ष भारत मिशन के अन्दर कुछ कार्य पूरा किया गया जिसमें की सार्वजनिक स्थानों पर सौचालय घर का कार्य किया गया जिसमें की सबरी ग्राम पंचायत में भी दो सौचालय का कार्य 2019 – 20 में पूरा किया गया लेकिन आज तक A.P.W.D. CD & 1 रंगत के द्वारा पाइप कनेक्सन नहीं दिया गया जिससे कि आज तक उस क्षेत्र के लोग उस सौचालय का इस्तेमाल नहीं कर पा रहे हैं इस बिसय मे वहां के पूर्व प्रधान से पूछा तो उन्होंने कहा कि हमने A.P.W.D. CD & 1 रंगत को पंचायत के द्वारा पाइप कनेक्सन का पुरा पैसा बांध दिया है लेकिन आज तक पाइप कनेक्सन नहीं मिला उसके बाद जब अभी के प्रधान से पूछा गया तो उन्होंने बताया कि पैसा बांध ने के बाद भी पाइप कनेक्सन नहीं दिया वहां के लोगों से पूछने पर पता चला कि उस क्षेत्र के सहायक अभियंता प्र



कि पिछले दो साल से पाइप APWD CD & 1 को कनेक्सन नहीं दिया इसका 59494/- रुपया जमा कर पूरा कारण सहायक अभियंता दिया है यह देख कर लगता है जो प्रधानमंत्री जी की है कि प्रशासन प्रधानमंत्री जी योजना को नहीं मानते हैं के योजना को लेकर कीतना जबकि ग्राम पंचायत ने जागरूक

भारी बहुमत से अविश्वास प्रस्ताव पारित कांग्रेस को करना पड़ा हार का सामना

बिंद्राबन । बिंद्राबन पंचायत मे सात पंचायत के सदस्यों के द्वारा प्रधान श्रीमती हिन्दू कुमारी के खिलाफ अविश्वास प्रस्ताव लाया गया था । श्रीमती हिन्दू कुमारी कांग्रेस पार्टी से है ।

प्राप्त जानकारी के अनुसार पिछले कुछ दिनों से इस क्षेत्र से जिला परिषद के सदस्य श्री वी.के.अब्दुल अजीज जो की कांग्रेस पार्टी के दक्षिण अंडमान जिला के अध्यक्ष भी थे कुछ दिनों से सासंद श्री कुलदीप राय शमाए और पार्टी अध्यक्ष श्री रंग लाल हलदर के साथ साथ चेयर मेन कैंपेनिंग कमेटी श्री भास्करन के साथ किसी विषय पर भारी अन बन चल रहा था ।

अविश्वास प्रस्ताव से पहले कांग्रेस अपनी साख बचाने के लिए पार्टी अध्यक्ष श्री रंगलाल हलदर और चेयरमेन कैंपेनिंग कमेटी श्री भास्करन ने घर घर जाकर पूरी जोर आजमाईश किये । जातिवाद का धिनौना खेल खेला गया मगर श्री वी.के अब्दुल अजीज ने समझदारी दिखाते हुए अपने समर्थकों के साथ कांग्रेस पार्टी की प्राथमिक सदस्य से त्याग पत्र दे दिया ।

20 दिसंबर 2022 को दोपहर बाद बिंद्राबन पंचायत मे विशेष ग्राम सभा आयोजित कर अविश्वास प्रस्ताव पर मतदान किया गया जिसमे 402 ग्रामिणों ने हिस्सा लिया और सभी ने अविश्वास प्रस्ताव के पक्ष मे मतदान कर प्रधान श्रीमती हिन्दू कुमारी को उनके पद से हटा दिये ।

RTE Act violated blatantly - Chief Secretary not kept in the loop

Port Blair, Dec 21, 2022: The Education department is in the worst ever state of personnel management as large number of schools is left to run without subject teachers at senior secondary level. Contrary to availability of teachers in outer schools, teachers are flooded in schools at Port Blair and several are engaged in clerical jobs at offices. Well aware of the situation the Secretary (Edn) and his team dealing with personnel management is doing nothing other than misleading islanders and the Chief Secretary of the UT Administration. Reportedly, the Secretary (Edn) dealing every transfer in the Department and has left many schools to run without teachers for board classes. At the same time the personnel management team of the department at the Directorate of Education is leaving no stone unturned to retain its favourite ones in Port Blair at office or school.

To mislead parents, students, islanders and the UT Administration an order was issued by the Directorate of Education (order no-2347, Dt. 7-

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अंडमान तथा निकोबार प्रशासन Andaman and Nicobar Administration शिक्षा निदेशालय Directorate of Education			
Dated the 07 December, 2022			
ORDER NO: 2347			
As per the guidelines of NEP 2020 and the State Institute of Education, Port Blair being the apex body for implementing various academic activities in the schools of A & N Islands, the school subject teachers as reflected in column [4], may take virtual classes for the schools mentioned in column [3] as per the details given below in the table :-			
Sl. No.	Subject (for class IX & X)	School	Head of the school responsible for taking online/ virtual class
[1]	[2]	[3]	[4]
01	English	SSS Kishori Nagar SSS CFO Nallah	Principal, GSSS Mohanpura
02	Economics (Tamil)	SSS Kapanga SSS Rangat SSS Wimberlygunj	Principal, GSSS Boys
03	Hindi	SSS Champia SSS Kamatang SSS Pahalgaoon SSS Kadamtala SSS Oralkatcha SSS CFO Nallah SSS Wimberlygunj SSS Bicutala	Principal, GSSS Boys
04	Chemistry	SSS Lapathy	Principal, GSSS, RBV
05	Economics (Bengali)	SSS Swaraj Gram	Principal, GSSS, RBV
06	Bengali	SSS Swaraj Gram SSS Pahalgaoon SSS Kadamtala SSS Rangat SSS Swadesh Nagar SSS Saliend Dweep	Principal, GSSS, RBV
07	Telugu	SSS Mayabunder	Principal, GSSS, Haddo (Telugu Med.)
08	History (Hindi / English)	SSS Bumbooflat SSS Manarghat	Principal, GSSS, Garacharma
09	History (Tamil)	SSS Kapanga	Principal, GSSS Bathu Basthi
10	Political Science (Tamil)	SSS Swaraj Dweep	Principal, GSSS, Bumbooflat
11	Economics (Hindi/ English)	SSS Wimberlygunj	Principal, GSSS, Manglutan
12	History (Bengali)	SSS Kalighat SSS Kadamtala	Principal, GSSS, Manglutan
13	Political Science (Bengali)	SSS Swadesh Nagar SSS R. K. Pur	Principal, GSSS, Manglutan
14	Biology	SSS Gol Tiry SSS Sita Nagar	Principal, GSSS Girls
15	Physics	SSS Goal Tiry	Principal, GSSS Port Blair
16	Maths	SSS Mayabunder	Principal, GSSS, Haddo

बहुसंख्यक हिन्दुओं के देश मे शमशान घाट बेहाल

पोर्ट ब्लेयर । आनार कली स्थित हिन्दू शमशान घाट इन दिनों बेहाल स्थिति मे है । प्राप्त जानकारी के अनुसार शमशान घाट के चारो तरफ झाड़ी झाकाड़ी उग जाने से शव को लाने के लिए परिजनों को बहुत ही ज्यादा कठनाईयों का सामना करना पड़ रहा है । अगर किसी गरीब व्यक्ति के घर मृत्यू हो जाता है तो उन्हें और ज्यादा कठनाईयों का सामना करना पड़ता है क्योंकि उन्हें पहले शव को दफन करने के लिए अतिरिक्त खचद कर साफ सभाई करवाना पड़ता है ।

अंडमान-निकोबार द्वीप समूह मे कई हिन्दू संगठन है मगर किसी भी हिन्दू संगठन ने इस बात का संज्ञान लेकर आनार कली स्थित हिन्दू शमशान घाट मे साफ सफाई का उचित प्रबंध करने के लिए अब तक कोई कमेटी का गठन नहीं किया है ।

नगर पालिका के तरफ से भी यहां पर साफ सफाई कैंकायोड को नहीं किया जाता है । अपने परिजनों को दफनाने आने वाले लोगो कि कहनि है की झाड़ झाकाड़ी इस कदर बढ़ गया है की खतरनाक सांपो के द्वारा डसने का डर सताता है ।

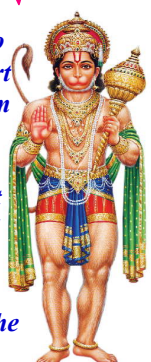
बहुसंख्यक हिन्देओं के देश मे एक शमशान घाट की देख रेख करने वाला कोई नहीं है इससे बढ़ कर शमघ्नाक बात कुछ हो ही नहीं सकता है



LORD SRI VEER HANUMAN JAYANTHI CELEBRATION

Sri Veer Hanuman Temple Trust, Aberdeen Bazar, Port Blair is going to celebrate Lord Sri Veer Hanuman Jayanthi on 23.12.2022, which will start with Sudersan Homam at 8.00 am, Abhisekh from 10.00 am to 11.30 am followed by Aarti and Annadaanam / Bhog from 12.00 am. to 3.00 pm.. And at 5.00 pm.

Lord Sri Veer Hanuman Utsava Moorthy City Procession will start from Temple and routed via Goal Ghar, Delanipur, Phoenix bay and Aberdeen Bazaar to temple. On 24.12.2022 "Pushpanjali Puja" will be performed in the temple at 5.00 pm followed by Cultural programme at 6.00 pm. All devotees are cordially invited to take part generously in the Puja celebrations and City procession of Lord Sri Veer Hanuman.





संपदकीय

Coronavirus: कोरोना के खौफ से भारत में फिर लागू हो सकते हैं ये नियम, छह बिंदुओं में समझें सरकार की तैयारी

कोरोना की नई लहर से एक बार फिर दुनिया सहम उठी है। चीन, जापान, ब्राजील, अमेरिका समेत कई देशों में संक्रमण तेजी से पांव पसारने लगा है। अकेले चीन में अगले तीन महीने के अंदर 80 करोड़ से ज्यादा लोगों के संक्रमण की चपेट में आने की आशंका है, जबकि 10 लाख से ज्यादा मौतों की भी आशंका जताई गई है। एक रिपोर्ट के मुताबिक दुनिया के 10 प्रतिशत से ज्यादा लोग अगले तीन महीने के अंदर संक्रमण की चपेट में आ सकते हैं।



ऐसे में भारत के अंदर भी संक्रमण के बढ़ने का खतरा बढ़ गया है। दुनियाभर में बढ़ रहे मामलों को देखते हुए केंद्र सरकार हरकत में आ गई है। बताया जाता है कि अगले कुछ दिनों में सरकार फिर से कुछ नियमों को लागू कर सकती है, जिसे सभी को मानना अनिवार्य होगा। आइए समझते हैं कि कोरोना के रोकथाम के लिए सरकार ने क्या-क्या तैयारियां की हैं?

किन नियमों को लागू कर सकती है सरकार?

इसे समझने के लिए हमने केंद्रीय स्वास्थ्य मंत्रालय के एक अफसर से बात की। उन्होंने कहा, श्कोरोना की हर परिस्थिति से निपटने के लिए अभी हम तैयार हैं। भारत में अभी ज्यादा खतरा नहीं है, लेकिन फिर भी ऐहतियातन हमें हर तरह की सावधानी बरतनी चाहिए। इसी को देखते हुए हम कोविड प्रोटोकॉल को फिर से लागू करने पर विचार कर रहे हैं।

एयरपोर्ट, रेलवे स्टेशन और बस स्टैंड पर रैंडम टेस्टिंगरू दिल्ली, मुंबई समेत सभी बड़े एयरपोर्ट पर रैंडम कोरोना टेस्टिंग की प्रक्रिया शुरू हो सकती है। खासतौर पर उन लोगों की जांच पर फोकस किया जाएगा, जो कोरोना प्रभावित देश से लौट रहे हैं। ऐसे लोगों की जांच होगी और अगर उनमें संक्रमण मिलता है जो जीनोम सिक्वेसिंग करके कोविड के अन्य प्रोटोकॉल का पालन किया जाएगा। इसी तरह रेलवे स्टेशन और बस स्टैंड पर भी रैंडम टेस्टिंग शुरू कराने की तैयारी है।

बूस्टर डोज में लाई जाएगी तेजीरू अब तक 23 करोड़ से ज्यादा लोगों को कोरोना वैक्सीन का बूस्टर डोज लगाया जा चुका है। अब इसकी संख्या तेजी से बढ़ाने पर सरकार फोकस कर रही है। ज्यादा से ज्यादा लोगों को बूस्टर डोज लग सके, इसलिए व्यवस्था होगी।

जिनोम सिक्वेसिंग शुरू हुईरू देश के कई लैब में जिनोम सिक्वेसिंग की प्रक्रिया फिर से शुरू कर दी गई है। यहां कोरोना मरीजों के सैंपल लाकर चेक किए जाते हैं कि कहीं संक्रमण का कोई नया वैरिएंट तो नहीं आ गया है। जिससे समय रहते बचाव के लिए कदम उठाए जा सकें।

टेस्टिंग, ट्रेसिंग और ट्रिटमेंट पर फोकसरू कोरोना के मामलों को भारत में बढ़ने से रोकने के लिए सरकार ने टेस्टिंग, ट्रेसिंग और ट्रिटमेंट वाले फॉर्मूले पर फोकस करने का फैसला लिया है। इसके अनुसार, ज्यादा से ज्यादा लोगों की जांच होगी और अगर कोई कोरोना संक्रमित मिलता है तो उसके संपर्क में आने वाले ज्यादातर लोगों की जांच करवाई जाएगी। इसके साथ ही कोरोना मरीजों का समय से इलाज कराया जाएगा।

भारत में अभी कोरोना की स्थिति क्या है?

हर रोज सबसे ज्यादा मरीजों के मिलने की सूची में भारत 51वें नंबर पर है। मंगलवार को यहां तीन नए संक्रमित पाए गए, जबकि कोई नई मौत नहीं हुई। अब तक भारत में 4.46 करोड़ लोग संक्रमण की चपेट में आ चुके हैं। इनमें 4.41 करोड़ से ज्यादा लोग ठीक हो चुके हैं, जबकि 5.30 लाख मरीजों की मौत हो गई। भारत में अभी 4.527 मरीज ऐसे हैं, जिनका इलाज चल रहा है। एक्टिव केस के मामले में भारत दुनिया में अभी 90वें स्थान पर है।

CCS seizes codeine based cough syrup, tablets & ganja; two persons arrested

Acting on a specific intelligence input received from reliable source, Police team from Narcotic Cell of CID Unit consisting of SI M.A Rasheed, Head Constable Sanjay Kujur, Constables K.Rajendran & Raja Rao intercepted two persons namely Kamal Das S/o Late Jeevan Das R/o Kamrajnagar & Sujit Biswas S/o Shri Ravi Biswas R/o Calicut at VSI Airport who had arrived at Port Blair from

Kolkata on 19/12/2022 by flight. During checking of their personnel belongings, 12 bottles of Codeine base syrup, 200 tablets of Nitrazepam (0.5 mg), 50 tablets of Nitrazepam (10 mg), 75 tablets of Alprazolam (0.5 mg) and 915 grams of Ganja which was clandestinely concealed in the bags were seized and accused persons were arrested observing all codal formalities.

A case under relevant sections of NDPS Act-1985 has been registered at PS CCS and investigation is being carried out. The general public is requested to inform about any credible information pertaining to sale or possession of contrabands or any other illegal activity on the following telephone numbers- 100, 232586, 233307, 9474290250. The identity of the informer will be kept secret.

RTE Act violated...

12-2022) directing schools in and around Port Blair to take virtual classes for schools outside Port Blair. In the name of National Education Policy, shoulder of state institute of education was used and Assistant Director (Admn-2) having nothing to do with academic activities was made the scapegoat in this Order. Since the matter is of shortfall and irregular personnel management, Secretary (Edn) too has her hands in the gloves. In this order, classes for which virtual classes are directed to be taken are mentioned as 9 and 10. But the subjects mentioned for these classes are mostly of class 11 and 12.

Investigation revealed that in all the schools mentioned in column-3 of the order, concerned subject (Column-2) teachers are not posted during the current academic session to teach students of class 11 and 12. Students of class 11 and 12 in these schools are left on the mercy of god and the Examination conducting body for subjects mentioned in Column-2. This order is intended to mislead stakeholders and the Chief Secretary. Question arises that why Post Graduate Teachers for these subjects are not posted in these schools and why the attempt is made to mislead the stakeholders and Chief Secretary through this Order?

Chief Secretary, A & N Administration being the head of the Department and holding the driver seat of teacher deployment.

In Katchal Island, GSSS Kapanga is functional without PGT- Political Science (Tamil Medium). On the other hand one PGT- Political Science (Tamil Medium) is engaged at State Project Office, Samagra Siksha for doing clerical job from past several years. Whether this teacher was appointed for teaching in school or for doing clerical job, Secretary (Edn.) may better explain.

Under the nose of Secretary (Edn), Girls School is left to run without PGT of Computer Science subject. On the other hand a PGT- Computer Science is engaged at Directorate of Education for doing clerical jobs in the legal cell.

Most neglected are the innocent students of Tribal area at Lopathy, Car Nicobar and Goal Tikry, Kamorta. GSSS Goal Tikry student are left to learn Physics and Biology in class-11 & 12 without any teacher. On the other hand 3 nos. Senior teachers of Physics subject are posted at Model school Port Blair. One of them is such that he has completed his tenure in Port Blair and never-ever crossed Ten Degree channel to serve in Nicobar District. Why he cannot be posted at GSSS Goal Tikry. A senior teacher of physics is attached with state institute of education but engaged on full time basis at Directorate of Education for clerical job. Situation is such that the establishment and personnel section of directorate will be closed in his absence. Hopefully Secretary (edn.) will be getting his service period extended on his retirement to keep the directorate of education functional.

Same is the situation with GSSS Lopathy. The school is functional without PGT of Chemistry subject. The Department of Education is least bothered about the students of these schools in tribal areas because innocent tribal people never give threat of stringent action for shortfall of teachers in schools.

There is a huge lot of mismanagement in deployment of teachers in the Department of Education. Those having good terms with higher officials of the Department are retained at Port Blair by hook or crook. "Show me the man, I will show you the rule" is being followed keeping aside transfer policy norms.

The entire personnel cell of the Directorate of Education is flooded with teachers. On papers they are posted at some or other school but their only duty is to do clerical assignment at Directorate of Education. On the other hand schools outside Port Blair are facing acute shortage of teachers. As if the Secretary (Edn) has obtained special exemption for the teachers of islands from provisions of Right to Education Act and National Education Policy.

Revamped Pradhan Mantri Fasal Bima Yojana in A&N Islands for Rabi 2022-23 season notified

Port Blair, Dec. 20 : Notification of Revamped Pradhan Mantri Fasal Bima Yojana (PMFBY) in Andaman & Nicobar Islands for Rabi-2022-23 season was circulated in which, details of notified area, coverage of risk, indemnity level, sum insured, premium rate, seasonality discipline, subsidy on premium etc. in respect of this UT were mentioned in the Notification dated 3rd June, 2021 and was uploaded in Andaman & Nicobar Administration website: www.andaman.gov.in for Kharif 2021 & Rabi 2022-23. The PMFBY scheme aims at supporting sustainable production in agriculture sector by way of:

- Providing financial support to farmers suffering crop loss/damage arising out of unforeseen events.
- Stabilizing the income of farmers to ensure their continuance in farming.
- Encouraging farmers to adopt innovative and modern agriculture practices.
- Ensuring flow of credit to the agriculture sector which will contribute to food security, crop diversification and enhancing growth and competitiveness of agriculture sector besides protecting farmers from production risks.
- Calculation of sum Insured in respect of notified crops during Kharif will be based on the scale of finance.
- The premium rates as offered by the company for the notified crops (Paddy) Kharif season has been approved by the A&N Administration.
- The seasonality discipline: Cut-off date for receipt of Proposals/enrollment of farmers (Loanee and non-loanee) under this Rabi' 2022-23 scheme is 15th January, 2023.
- Consolidated declaration of both loanee and non-loanee farmers from Bank branches (CBs/RRBs) to respective insurance companies and DCCBs for PACs within 15 days for loanee farmers and 7 days for non-loanee farmers after cut-off date.
- Uploading of soft copy of the details of individual insured farmers by commercial banks/RRBs/PACS/Intermediaries within 15 days after cut-off date for collection of premium from farmers.
- Yield data harvest within 20 days from final harvest.
- Cutoff date for Processing, Approval and Payment of Final Claims based on yield data is three weeks from receipt of yield data.
- Normal sowing & harvesting period of crops under Rabi' 2022-23 season is Sowing from 1st Oct - 15 Jan and Harvesting from 15th January - 15th April.

All farmers (loanee or non-loanee) enrolled under PMFBY will have to pay maximum 1.5% of sum insured or actuarial premium rate whichever is lower for Pulses and also 5% of sum insured or actuarial premium rate whichever is lower for horticulture crops for all vegetables under Rabi' 2022-23 season. The difference between actuarial premium rate and the rate of insurance charges payable by farmer shall be treated as Rate of normal premium subsidy, which shall be shared equally by the State Government and Central Government in the ratio of 50:50. (As per revised operational guidelines of PMFBY, farmer's premium share will be 1.5 % & 5% for Rabi'2022-23 seasons. As decided by SLCCCI of A&N Islands in its meeting held on 11.04.2022, the farmers will pay the premium rates only @ 0.5% of the Sum insured for all the notified crops for their enrollment under PMFBY which will be collected by the Nodal banks of these islands and the remaining premium share amount out of 1.5 % & 5% (i.e. 1.0 % & 4.5% of Farmer's premium) will be borne by this UT. Similarly, as the maximum farmers premium by default is 1.5% out of premium rate 5% of SI for Pulses and the farmers' premium to be borne by the farmers is 0.5%, so the U.T A & N Administration have to bear the balance 1%. Hence, the Central shares of the subsidy should be 1.75% ((5-1.5)/2), State shares of subsidy will be 2.75% (1.75+1) and also 5% out of premium rate 15% of SI for all vegetables and the farmers' premium to be borne by the farmers is 0.5%, so the U.T A & N Administration have to bear the balance 4.5%. Hence, the Central shares of the subsidy should be 5% ((15-5)/2), State shares of subsidy will be 9.5% (5+4.5).

Sailing of MV Campbell Bay postponed

Port Blair, Dec. 20 : Due to technical reasons, the scheduled sailing programme of the vessel MV Campbell Bay for Little Andaman on Dec. 21 & 23, 2022 from Port Blair and her return voyage from Little Andaman has been postponed till further notice. However, fresh date of sailing of the vessel will be announced in due course, a press release from DSS said.

THEFT CASE SOLVED PROMPTLY WITHIN 06 HOURS BY PS DIGLIPUR



The team of PS Diglipur once again cracked a blind theft case within 06 hours of registration of the case and arrested 02 accused namely Bijoy Kumar Biswas, S/o Shri. Bidhuth Biswas and Khitish Mondal, S/o Late Nikhil Mondal both residents of Krishnapuri village near Nikhil Medical, Diglipur. On 20/11/22 a theft case was reported at PS Diglipur where 03 Nos. batteries were stolen from 03 trucks parked at different locations of Diglipur. A case was registered and a team was constituted by Insp. Vikash Singh, SHO PS Diglipur, consisting of Insp. Kabita Kirtonia, PC Devsai, PC

Abubacker Siddique, PC Santosh Lal and PC Sameresh Mistry. The team immediately activated the informers and checked all available local CCTV footage and cross checked with the local garbage collectors related to suspicious movements at night. Also various scrap dealers examined & based on the quick human intelligence gathering, 02 accused were apprehended and after sustained interrogation stolen batteries were recovered which was stolen on the intervening night of 19/12/22 and 20/12/22. The accused sold the stolen batteries in a nearby scrap yard and the owner who

purchased the stolen property was apprehended. The whole exercise took place under the command of Shri Lakshya Pandey, DANIPS, SDPO Diglipur and overall supervision of Smti Geetanjali Khandelwal, IPS, Superintendent of Police, N & M Andaman District. The general public is requested to pass and share any credible information pertaining to any crime or illegal activities to their nearest police station or over phone No.100, 112 & 30192 273344. The identity of the informers will be kept secret and will also be suitably rewarded.

NOTICE INVITING e-TENDER

The Executive Engineer, E&M Division, APWD, Prothrapur, Port Blair invites on behalf of the President of India, online Item Rate tender from the eligible Contractors Andaman PWD and Non APWD Contractors, irrespective of their enlistment subject to the condition that they must have experience of having successfully completed similar nature of works in the Andaman and Nicobar Islands with Govt. Organizations and do not have any adverse remarks, for the work mentioned below:-

DB-e-Tender/E&M/DIV/PP/PB/2022-23/2631, Dated. 15th December, 2022

1. NIT No. 92/EE/E&M/22-23 Name of work: "SITC of 100 KVA Generator Set for PHC, Wimberlygunj under SD-II, APWD, Wimberlygunj". Estimate Cost: R 11,35,785/- EMD : R 22,716/- Period of Completion: 45 (Forty Five) Days. **(TENDER ID: 2022 APWD 8478 1)**

The e-tender from and other details can be downloaded from the website. The Last Date and Time of bid submission will be **30.12.2022 upto 15:00 hours.** Other details / information can be seen on website. ["https://eprocure.andaman.gov.in"](https://eprocure.andaman.gov.in)

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No. DB-TN/CD/CB/2022-23/1873
OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER
CONSTRUCTION DIVISION
APWD, CAMPBELL BAY

Dated 15/12/2022

Notice Inviting e-Tender

The Executive Engineer, Construction Division, A.P.W.D., Campbell Bay 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—

1. NIT No	: 28/EE/CD/CB/2022-23
Name of work	: A / R & M / O Water Pump sets under CD, APWD, Campbell Bay during 2022-23. SW : Replacement of old existing damaged Water Pump .Make Kirloskar pump model no. 26SR9 ,1800 RPM ,Suction and discharge of 80 x 65 mm, Total head of 106 mtr, discharge 10lps & accessories with new one at Afra bay ,GNI.
Estimated Cost	: ₹ 9,36,126/-
Earnest Money	: ₹ 18,722 /-
Time of completion	: 30 (Thirty) Days
Last date and time of submission of Bid : 28-12-2022, 12:00 Hrs. Last date and time of opening of Bid : 29-12-2022, 10:00 Hrs.	
The tender forms and other details can be obtained from the website https://eprocure.andaman.gov.in	

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CIARI conducts hands on training & distribution of inputs to augment production & management of livestock in Little Andaman

Port Blair, Dec. 20 A three-days training programme titled 'Training-cum-Field Day on Scientific Livestock Management' was organized by ICAR-Central Island Agricultural Research Institute at Haminder Bay village, Little Andaman recently. The training was organized by the Scientists of Division of Animal Science of ICAR-CIARI viz. Dr. K. Muniswamy, Dr. P. Perumal, Dr. Arun Kumar De and Dr. P.A. Bala along with Dr. Ashish Kumar, Senior Veterinary Officer, Department of Animal Husbandry & Veterinary Services, Hut Bay. A total of 80 tribal farmers rearing

different livestock species participated in the training. Captain, Shri Andrew Mosses and the Secretary, Shri Festus of Haminder Bay graced the occasion. They translated the gist of the programme in their native language and encouraged the participants to interact with the Scientists. Dr. A. K. De and Dr. P. Perumal explained about scientific management of pigs and bovines while Dr. K. Muniswamy explained about the scientific rearing of backyard chicken farming. A visit to the farmer's field and collection of biological samples was held later in the day.

Dr. P.A. Bala deliberated on strategies to feed different livestock with local feed ingredients while Dr. P. Perumal explained about sustainable goat farming. A demonstration on deworming procedure for various livestock species with anthelmintics was also done. The training programme concluded with distribution of inputs like pig feed (concentrate mixture), feed supplements and health tonics after explaining them about the use of these inputs, a press release from CIARI said.

CENTRAL CRIME STATION SEIZED CODEINE BASED COUGH SYRUP, TABLETS AND GANJA, ARRESTS TWO

Acting on a specific intelligence input received from reliable source, Police team from Narcotic Cell of CID Unit consisting of SI M.A Rasheed, Head Constable Sanjay Kujur, Constables K.Rajendran & Raja Rao intercepted two persons namely Kamal Das S/o Late Jeevan Das R/o Kamrajnagar & Sujit Biswas S/o Shri Ravi Biswas R/o Calicut at VSI Airport who had arrived at Port Blair from

Kolkata on 19/12/2022 by flight. During checking of their personnel belongings, 12 bottles of Codeine base syrup, 200 tablets of Nitrazepam (0.5 mg), 50 tablets of Nitrazepam (10 mg), 75 tablets of Alprazolam (0.5 mg) and 915 grams of Ganja which was clandestinely concealed in the bags were seized and accused persons were arrested observing all codal formalities.

A case under relevant sections of NDPS Act-1985 has been registered at PS CCS and investigation is being carried out. The general public is requested to inform about any credible information pertaining to sale or possession of contrabands or any other illegal activity on the following telephone numbers- 100, 232586, 233307, 9474290250. The identity of the informer will be kept secret.

CURB ON ILLICIT LIQUOR

MANUFACTURING IN N&M ANDAMAN

The district police of North & Middle Andaman have been conducting intensive jungle search and combing operations to crackdown on manufacturing of illicit Liquor. Adding to the spree of crackdown on illicit liquor manufacturing in the district, Police team headed by SI Deva Raju, ASI Sanjay Yadav, PC Anirudh Das, PC Mohd Safique and PC Sudash Lall conducted combing in Shyam Kund jungle under the jurisdiction of OP Bakultala. The team recovered a total of 60 tins in a total of 04 bhattis containing about 600 ltrs of fermented illicit liquor (lehan) and other bhatti materials at different location within the jungle



and destroyed the same in the jungle. The team searched for the miscreants in the jungle who had fermented the illicit liquor in bhattis but in vain. Local residents have highly appreciated the pro active efforts of police. In this fight against illicit

liquor, bootleggers & drug abuse public is requested to share information pertaining to any crime /illegal activities to police over phone No.100, 112 & 03192-273344. The identity of the informers will be kept secret and will also be suitably rewarded.

Member of Parliament Demands Central University in Andaman and Nicobar Islands

Shri Kuldeep Rai Sharma, Member of Parliament, Andaman & Nicobar Islands has demanded for a Central University in Andaman & Nicobar Islands for which he has moved a private member's bill in the Parliament on 9-12-2022 (Friday). Shri Sharma said that the Islands have a literacy rate of 86.27% which is higher than the National average of 74.04%. With such a high rate of literacy it is imperative that the islands must have a central university to provide quality secondary education to its bright young population. This will also create greater job specialization and aid in the carrying out of quality research. Shri Sharma highlighted that presently, the Institutions of higher education in the Islands are affiliated to the Puducherry Central University. Increase in the number of higher educational institutions from the lone Jawaharlal Nehru Rajkeeya Mahavidyalaya (JNRM) to three degree colleges, one medical college, one engineering college, two polytechnic, two ITIs, one

law college, one B.Ed. college, one DIET, one vocational training institute, one department of ocean studies and marine biology, one department of coastal disaster management, one nursing, one ANM in which more than 3059 students pass every year, which has necessitated the need to have a separate Central University for Andaman & Nicobar Islands. Shri Sharma emphasized that the absence of a full-fledged University in the Andaman and Nicobar Islands is depriving the local students belonging to poor or marginalized sections of the society since they have very limited higher educational opportunities in the Islands and have to travel to mainland for higher education purpose which is a costly affair and difficult to bear. In order to realize the true potential of students of Andaman and Nicobar Islands, there is an eminent requirement to establish a Central University in Andaman and Nicobar Islands. According to Shri Sharma, a Central University is necessary to revolutionize Higher Education

and to provide a level playing field to the students of the Islands in comparison with other Union Territories like Jammu & Kashmir, Ladakh, Delhi, Puducherry, Chandigarh who have their own Universities. The Central University will enable the introduction of several new courses in the field of Marine Biology, Forest, Fisheries, Tribal Culture, Environment and many others. This will also facilitate socioeconomic development of the A&N Islands and will also generate more employment opportunities for the Islanders. Shri Sharma further pointed out that Central University will provide employment to the local youths including tribals but this Central University will create an educational hub in the islands which will also generate revenue as the Islands will soon be open to South Eastern Asian countries. Students from South East Asian countries like Singapore, Malaysia, Indonesia, Thailand, and Myanmar (Burma) will come to Andaman and Nicobar Islands for higher education.

Precaution is better than cure

Ministry of Health and Family had issued necessary instructions to States and Union Territories cautioning them about the need for steps to be taken to avoid spread of Covid virus. This is in the wake of sudden spur of Covid cases in neighbouring countries. Considering the fact that the Islands are scattered and the health infrastructure here is not at par with mainland hospitals, the Administration needs to be double cautious to prevent entry of Covid to these Islands. Immediate steps to seal the entry points and making Covid test mandatory to

incoming passengers should be the first precautionary step. Restrictions on gatherings like Sunday Market will ensure the safety of the people. There should be concrete steps to avoid overcrowding at Hospitals. During the pandemic period, the then Director of Health Services through telephonic programmes through AIR and Doordarshan ensured that LIVE consultations with eminent Doctors are provided to patients of remote corners of the islands for small ailments. This helped in reducing mad rush at Hospitals. G B Pant

hospital staffs even ensured home delivery of medicines free of cost. A call centre was also operating from this referral Hospital. An earnest request to religious leaders and Hoteliers to avoid overcrowding will ensure the desired result. Apart from this, awareness campaign needs to be undertaken at the earliest to create awareness among the masses to avoid any major mishap. A separate unit to nab rumour mongers through Social Media is the need of the hour.

Water ATMs installed under MPLADS fund at Burning Ghat and Dairy Farm inaugurated

The RO Plant (Water ATM) installed at Burning Ghat at Ward No.7 under MPLADS fund of 16th Lok Sabha has been inaugurated by Shri Bishnu Pada Ray, Ex-Member of Parliament in the presence of Shri Kuldeep Rai Sharma, Member of Parliament of Andaman and Nicobar Islands and Smti. Ms Smitha R, IAS, Secretary of Port Blair Municipal Council today on 19th December 2022.

During the inauguration function, Smti. Amar Devi, Councillor, Ward No.7 of Port Blair Municipal Council, Smti. Asha, Executive Engineer (Water), PBMC, other prominent residents of the area and a large number of the general public were also present.

Similarly, the another RO plant (Water ATM) installed at Dairy Farm junction, near Lord Ganesh Temple, Ward No.9 under MPLADS fund of 16th Lok Sabha also been inaugurated by the Ex-Member of Parliament Shri Bishnu Pada Ray in the presence of Shri Kuldeep Rai Sharma, Member of Parliament of A&N Islands and Ms Smitha R, IAS, Secretary, Port Blair Municipal Council on 19th December 2022.

In the inauguration function at Dairy Farm, Shri B. Padmanabhan, Councillor of Ward No. 15, Shri Y Joga Rao, Councillor of Ward No.14, Shri V Ravichandran, Councillor



Ward No.9 of Port Blair Municipal Council, Smti. Asha, Executive Engineer (Water) PBMC, officials of PBMC besides other prominent residents of the area and a large number of the general public were present.

Addressing the gathering the Member of Parliament Mr. Kuldeep Rai Sharma said that there was a demand for making availability of safe drinking water for the commuters in these locations. Now with the installation of these Water ATMs, these will be of great use to the people visiting these areas. However, Shri Kuldeep Rai Sharma, MP requested the

Secretary, PBMC and Executive Engineer (Water) PBMC present in the functions that the PBMC need to ensure proper upkeep and maintenance of these assets created out of public fund so that the basic objective for providing safe drinking water to the general public would be fulfilled in real manner.

Both the works were carried out by the Port Blair Municipal Council being the executing agency of MPLADS work for which the long pending demand of the general public for having safe drinking water facilities at both the locations have been fulfilled.

A&N Islands team bags second place in Regional Level Red Ribbon Club Quiz Competition

Port Blair, Dec. 20 : It is a proud moment for A&N Islands, as Ms. Jace Jackson & Ms. Meharpreet Kaur Bijjan of ANIIMS who represented Andaman & Nicobar Islands in the Regional Level Red Ribbon Club Quiz competition have won the second place, out of the total 8 team from other States & Union Territories. The other teams were from Andhra Pradesh, Goa, Karnataka, Kerala, Puducherry, Tamil Nadu, and Telangana.

Regional Level Quiz Competition was conducted by National AIDS Control Organization (NACO), Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, GoI organized at Pondicherry on 16th December 2022. Team representing A & N Islands were selected through various rounds of competitions at College, Inter-college/inter-youth club and State level by Andaman & Nicobar



AIDS Control Society (ANACS). Dr. Munni Singhania, Director of Health Services congratulated the students for their good performance and encouraged them for participating in more such programmes.

Altogether, 25 teams from 13 Colleges and 9 team from 7 Youth Clubs participated and went through various rounds of quiz competitions and finally, one team was selected at State level to

participate in the Regional round held at Puducherry along with 7 other states.

The objective of organizing this competition was to provide platform to exchange information on issues associated with HIV & AIDS, taboos and myths and to channelize the power of our youth in positive direction and assess the level of IEC in the territories which is matching with the national level.

AATO delegation meets Lt. Governor, discuss various issue concerning tourism in A&N Islands



A delegation of AATO led by Shri. Mohan Vinod, President, Shri. Vivek Singh, Vice President and Shri. Saikat Biswas, Joint Secretary called on Hon'ble Lt. Governor A&N Islands Admiral D K Joshi, PVSM, AVSM, YSM, NM, VSM (Retd.) at Raj Niwas today.

The delegation discussed various issues concerning tourism industry in A&N Islands. Shri. Vinod submitted an representation to the

Hon'ble Lt. Governor requesting formation of an tourism coordination committee involving stake holders and various departments of A&N Administration. He also requested HLG to ease out registration and renewal procedure of I.V. boats, Parasailing boats and other water sports activities.

Hon'ble Lt. Governor apprised the delegation about various initiatives of Niti Ayog & A&N

Administration with regard to development of tourism in these islands. He also assured all possible assistance to tourism stakeholders in smooth operations of tourism related activities in these islands. Shri. M. Vinod expressed sincere gratitude to Hon'ble Lt. Governor for meeting the delegation amidst his busy schedule.

Member of Parliament requests Hon'ble Lt. Governor to reconstruct the entire stretch of road from Wimberlygunj to Wright Myo

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 reconstruct the entire stretch of road from Wimberlygunj to Wright Myo for the larger interest of the people of the area.

In a letter addressed to the Hon'ble Lt. Governor, the Member of Parliament said that during his recent visit to the South

Andaman region he has observed that the road from Wimberlygunj to Wright Myo is in very pathetic shape.

He mentioned that the road stretch has become almost un-motorable and after even a moderate spell of rain, the road, full of potholes, becomes too risky for two and three wheelers. The Member of Parliament mentioned that in the last few months several accidents have also taken place in the region due

to the pathetic condition of the road.

He added that a large number of students, patients, old people and ladies cross the road on a daily basis from whom the road has become a constant source of agony. Not only this, vehicle owners are complaining that their vehicles are getting heavily damaged due to such bad roads, he pointed out.



Group of Indian Defence Accounts Service (IDAS) Probationers of 2021 batch, as part of their Tri-Services Command attachment to Andaman & Nicobar Command called on Admiral D K Joshi, PVSM, AVSM, YSM, NM, VSM (Retd.), Hon'ble Lt Governor, A&N Islands and Vice-Chairman, Islands Development Agency, today at Raj Niwas.