


### Van Mahotsav

Growing tree is a living symbol of a progressive nation

Partly cloudy sky and light rain is likely over Port Blair. Maximum and Minimum temperature will be around 30°C and 25°C respectively on Wednesday 24/07/2024.

Maximum Temperature (°C) of Date: 30.0  
Minimum Temperature (°C) of Date: 25.5  
Relative Humidity (%) at 0830 IST : 086  
Relative Humidity (%) at 1730 IST : 090  
Sunrise time on 24.07.2024 (in IST): 0505  
Sunset time on 24.07.2024 (in IST): 1747  
Rainfall upto 0830 hrs of date (last 24 hrs)- in mm: 003.9  
Rainfall upto 1730 hrs of date in mm: 008.2  
Rainfall (Progressive total from 1<sup>st</sup> January 2024 upto 0830 hrs (of date) in mm: 1698.5 mm



#### Weather Report

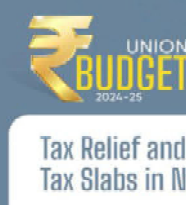
FM presents **First Union Budget of NDA Government's 3<sup>rd</sup> Term**

Govt. lists out 9 priorities for generating opportunities for all; focuses on poor, women, youth and farmers



### Union Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman during the Budget speech

Turning attention to the full year and beyond, in this budget, we particularly focus on employment, skilling, MSMEs, and the middle class. I am happy to announce the Prime Minister's package of 5 schemes and initiatives to facilitate employment, skilling and other opportunities for 4.1 crore youth over a 5-year period with a central outlay of Rs 2 lakh crore.



### Union Budget 2024-25

#### Tax Relief and Revised Tax Slabs in New Tax Regime

0-3 lakh rupees	Nil
3-7 lakh rupees	5 per cent
7-10 lakh rupees	10 per cent
10-12 lakh rupees	15 per cent
12-15 lakh rupees	20 per cent
Above 15 lakh rupees	30 per cent

- Income tax saving of up to ₹ 17,500/- for salaried employee in new tax regime

#### Income Tax Relief for around Four Crore Salaried Individuals and Pensioners

- Standard deduction for salaried employees to be increased from ₹ 50,000/- to ₹ 75,000/-
- Deduction on family pension for pensioners to be increased from ₹ 15,000/- to ₹ 25,000/-



### Union Budget 2024-25

#### Employment & Skilling

Prime Minister's Package: 3 schemes announced under "Employment Linked Incentive"

**Scheme A: First Timers**

- Direct benefit transfer of 1-month salary in 3 installments up to ₹ 15,000 to first-time employees registered in EPFO

**Scheme B: Job Creation in Manufacturing**

- Incentive to be provided directly to both employee and employer as per their EPFO contribution, in the first 4 years of employment

**Scheme C: Support to Employers**

- Reimbursement to employers up to ₹ 3,000 per month for 2 years towards their EPFO contribution for each additional employee



### Union Budget 2024-25

#### Employment & Skilling

Prime Minister's Package: Boost to Skilling

**Skilling Programme and Upgradation of Industrial Training Institutes**

- 1,000 ITIs to be upgraded in hub & spoke arrangements in 5 years
- Focus on outcome and quality in collaboration with states and industry

**Internship in Top Companies**

- One crore youth to be skilled by India's top companies in five years
- 12-month Prime Minister's Internship with monthly allowance of ₹ 5,000



### Union Budget 2024-25

#### Employment & Skilling

Special Focus on Women & Students

- Setting up of working women's hostels & creches in collaboration with industry
- Model Skill Loan Scheme to be revised to facilitate loans up to ₹ 7.5 lakh with a guarantee from a government-promoted fund; expected to help 25,000 students every year
- E-vouchers for loans upto ₹ 10 lakh for higher education in domestic institutions to be given directly to 1 lakh students every year for annual interest subvention of 3% of loan amount

New Delhi, July 23

Finance Minister, Smt Nirmala Sitharaman presented the Union Budget 2024-25 in the Lok Sabha today. The Union Budget 2024-25 has listed out nine priorities for generating opportunities for all. These priorities are productivity and resilience in agriculture, employment and skilling, inclusive Human Resource Development and Social Justice, Manufacturing and Services, Urban Development, Energy Security, Infrastructure, Innovation, Research and Development and Next Generation Reforms.

Presenting the Union Budget, Union Finance Minister announced slew of measures to give boost to agriculture, MSMEs, Manufacturing and Infrastructure sectors. While addressing, the Finance Minister said, poor, women, youth and the farmer are the key focus areas for the Government. She announced the Prime Minister's Package for employment and skilling. Under this, three schemes announced for employment-linked incentives. Under Scheme A, one month's wage to all persons newly entering the workforce in all formal sectors will be provided. Scheme B will lead to job creation in manufacturing and Scheme C will provide support to employers. She said that significant investments have been made to build robust infrastructure and over 11 lakh crore rupees for capital expenditure have been allocated to boost the infrastructure in the country. Over three lakh crore for schemes benefitting women and girls was also announced by the Finance Minister.

The Finance Minister said, recognizing the capital requirement of Andhra Pradesh, the Government will facilitate special financial support through multilateral development agencies in the current financial year and 15

thousand crore rupees will be arranged for the State. She said, new airports, medical colleges and sports infrastructure will be developed in Bihar. She said, additional allocation to support capital investment will be provided and the request of Bihar Government for external assistance from Multilateral Development Banks will be expedited.

The Minister also announced that Mudra Loans will be enhanced to 20 lakh from the current 10 lakh for those entrepreneurs who have availed and successfully paid loan under the Tarun category. She said, E-commerce exports hub will be set in PPP mode. The Minister announced that the Government will launch a comprehensive scheme for providing internship opportunities in 500 top companies to one crore youth in five years. Rental Housing with dormitory-type accommodation for industrial workers will be facilitated in PPP mode.

The Minister said, the Government will set up a critical mineral mission for domestic production and recycling of critical minerals. She said, Transit Oriented Development Plans for 14 large cities having population over 30 lakhs will be formulated. She announced the PM Awas Yojana (Urban) 2.0, housing needs of one crore poor and middle-class families will be addressed with 10 lakh crore rupees. She said, the fourth phase of Pradhan Mantri Grameen Sadak Yojana will be launched. She also said, the NPS (Vatsalya) scheme for economic security of minors will be launched.

The Finance Minister also announced to exempt three more medicines of custom duties to provide relief to cancer patients. She also

announced to reduce custom duties on gold, silver to 6 percent and that of platinum to 6.4 percent. She also proposed to increase the limit of exemption of capital gains on certain financial assets to 1.25 lakh rupees per year. To bolster the Indian startup system, she proposed to abolish the Angel Tax for all classes of investors.

On the Personal Income Tax front, two announcements were made by the Finance Minister. In the New Tax Regime, the standard deduction of salaried employees to be increased from 50 thousand rupees to 75 thousand rupees. New Tax Regime slab for taxpayers will be 0-3 lakh - Nil, 3-7 Lakh - 5 percent, 7-10- 10 percent, 10-12- 15 percent, 12-15- 20 percent and above 15- 30 percent.

**SC refuses to cancel NEET-UG 2024 Exam on grounds of paper leak and malpractices**

New Delhi, July 23

The Supreme Court today refused to cancel the NEET-UG 2024 examination on the grounds of paper leak and malpractices. A bench comprising Chief Justice DY Chandrachud, Justices

JB Pardiwala and Manoj Misra passed the order in a batch of petitions. The Court stated that there was no material to indicate that the leak was systemic affecting the sanctity of the entire exam.

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### MP calls on Speaker of Lok Sabha

Port Blair, July 23

Shri Bishnu Pada Ray, Hon'ble Member of Parliament, A&N Islands, today gave a courtesy call on Shri Om Birla, Hon'ble Speaker, Lok Sabha. While having general discussion, Shri Ray

sought ample support of opportunity from him to raise certain important issues in Parliament pertaining to the A&N Islands. Shri Birla assured Shri Ray of all possible support from his side, a press release from MP Office said.



### PS Crime & Economic Offence seizes 5.770 kgs of ganja; three persons arrested

Port Blair, July 23

Acting on a specific intelligence received from a reliable source on July 21,2024, a Police team comprising of Inspector Girish Kumar, SHO, PS Crime & Economic Offence (C&EO), SI Parvash, SI Mohd. Rahil Islam of PS Anti-Narcotics, HC/ Sanjay Kujur, HC/K. Venkateshwar Rao, PC/ N. Thangaraj and PC/K. Rajendran, PC/Srinivas Rao conducted a raid at Lamba Line opposite Divyuma Manor.

During the operation, the team seized 5.770 kgs. of ganja from the possession of Kartick Mistry , S/o Late Gourango Mistry, 69 yrs, Farmer, R/o Shantipur, Swadeshnagar, North

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CS virtually launches **'Kuposhan Mukh Panchayat'** campaign in N&M District

Nutritional kits distributed to malnourished children



### Shri Keshav Chandra, IAS

Chief Secretary & N Administration

Mayabunder, July 23

In a dedicated effort to combat malnutrition among children, the District Administration, North & Middle Andaman distributed nutritional kits to all identified malnourished children at all the three sub-divisional levels. This distribution coincided with the launch of the 'Kuposhan Mukh Panchayat' campaign by the Chief Secretary, A&N Administration, Shri Keshav Chandra, IAS through virtual mode.

During the launch event, the Deputy Commissioner, N&M Andaman, Shri Dilkush Meena, IAS, highlighted the significance of providing immediate nutritional support to malnourished



### Shri Dilkush Meena, IAS

Deputy Commissioner, N&M Andaman

children as a crucial step towards eradicating malnutrition. The distribution of these kits, which include essential vitamins, minerals, and food supplements, underscores the Administration's commitment to improving the health and well-being of the younger population. "Ensuring that our children receive the necessary nutrition is our top priority. The distribution of these nutritional kits is a tangible action that reflects our dedication to fostering a healthier and brighter future for the N&MA District," stated Shri Dilkush Meena.

For smooth

implementation of the initiative, a Standard Operating Protocol has been framed with roles and responsibilities for different stakeholders, and emphasis has been given on the roles of Panchayats and Public Representatives for implementation and

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### Fostering innovation & entrepreneurship among budding entrepreneurs

#### Directorate of Industries in collaboration with Higher Educational Institutions organizes Startup Bootcamp 2024

Port Blair, July 23

The Directorate of Industries, in collaboration with Higher Educational Institutions (HEIs), successfully organized the Startup Bootcamp

2024 in the Conference Hall of Tagore Government College of Education (TGCE). The event conceptualized under the leadership of the Director of Industries, Shri

Abhishek Bhukal was aimed at fostering innovation and entrepreneurship within the education sector. The event began with

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SC refuses to cancel NEET-UG ...

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The Court also stated that ordering a re-examination will lead to serious consequences affecting over 23 lakh students and lead to disruption of the academic schedule, causing a cascading effect in the coming years.

Fisheries Deptt. invites applications from beneficiaries for availing subsidies under PMMSY

Port Blair, July 23

Applications have been invited from the eligible Fishers/ Fish Farmers/ Fish Workers & Fish Vendors/ Fisheries Development Corporations/Self Help Groups/ Joint Liability Groups in Fisheries Sector/ Fisheries Co-operatives/ Fisheries Federation/ Entrepreneurs and Private Firms / Fish

Farmers Producers Organizations/ SCs/STs/ Women/ Differently abled persons for availing subsidies under various beneficiary oriented activities of Pradhan Mantri Matsya Sampada Yojana (PMMSY).

Interested applicants may contact Zonal Fisheries Office,

South Andaman or the nearest Fish Landing Centres/ Fisheries Sub-Stations for further details of the activities and submit applications in prescribed format alongwith relevant documents to the Zonal Fisheries Office, South Andaman/ nearest Fisheries Sub-Stations, a press release from Fisheries Department said.

24<sup>th</sup> National Certification Exam for Energy Managers and Energy Auditors to be held on Sept. 28 & 29

Port Blair, July 23

Bureau of Energy Efficiency will be conducting the 24<sup>th</sup> National Certification Examination for Energy Managers and Energy Auditors on 28<sup>th</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup> September,

2024.

Prospectus can be downloaded from [www.aipnpc.org](http://www.aipnpc.org) as per the instructions given in the website. Link to the above website are also available at [www.beeindia.gov.in](http://www.beeindia.gov.in).

The online registration has commenced from 1<sup>st</sup> July, 2024 and the last date for online registration is 31<sup>st</sup> July, 2024 at 23:59 hrs, a press release from NRSE said.



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Passengers may book their tickets from DSS e-ticketing portal (<https://dss.andaman.gov.in/eticketing>) on all days from 09.00 AM to 04.00 PM and from STARS Ticketing Counter in all working days from 9.00 AM to 04.00 PM, except on Saturday from 09.00 AM to 12.00 PM.

PORT BLAIR – MAYABUNDER & DIGLIPUR							
Sl. No.	Name of the vessel	Date & Time of Sailing	From	To	Date & Time of Return Sailing	From	To
1.	MV Campbell Bay	24.07.2024 2100 Hrs	Port Blair	Mayabunder	25.07.2024 0800 Hrs	Mayabunder	Port Blair
PORT BLAIR - LITTLE ANDAMAN							
1.	MV Campbell Bay	26.07.2024 0700 Hrs	Port Blair	Little Andaman	26.07.2024 2100 Hrs	Little Andaman	Port Blair
2.	MV Campbell Bay	28.07.2024 0700 Hrs	Port Blair	Little Andaman	28.07.2024 2100 Hrs	Little Andaman	Port Blair
Passenger tickets for the above sailings will be issued to the general public on 22.07.2024 (Monday). Passengers may book their tickets from DSS e-ticketing portal ( <a href="https://dss.andaman.gov.in/eticketing">https://dss.andaman.gov.in/eticketing</a> ) and from STARS Ticketing Counter between 09.00 AM to 04.00 PM.							

PORT BLAIR - NANCOWRY via LITTLE ANDAMAN, CAR NICOBAR, CHOWRA, TERESSA & KATCHAL							
1.	MV Bharat Seema	25.07.2024 0700 Hrs	Port Blair	Nancowry via Little Andaman, Car Nicobar, Chowra, Teressa & Katchal	28.07.2024 0500 Hrs	Nancowry	Port Blair via Katchal, Teressa, Chowra, Car Nicobar & Little Andaman

PORT BLAIR - CAMPBELL BAY & NANCOWRY							
1.	Sindhu	30.07.2024 0900 Hrs	Port Blair	Campbell Bay via Nancowry	01.08.2024 0800 Hrs	Campbell Bay	Port Blair via Nancowry

Note: Embarkation of passengers will commence 02 Hours prior to the scheduled departure time of the vessel and boarding will be closed 30 Minutes before departure time. Passengers arriving late will not be allowed to board the vessel. The vessel will sail only after completion of survey procedure which will commence on completion of embarkation of passengers for issuance of 'B' Certificate as per MS Act.

FORESHORE SECTOR: 24.07.2024 (WEDNESDAY)							
1.	MV Baratang	24.07.2024 0600 Hrs	Port Blair	Rangat via Swaraj Dweep & Long Island	24.07.2024 1200 Hrs	Rangat	Port Blair via Long Island & Swaraj Dweep
2.	MV Hut Bay	24.07.2024 0630 Hrs	Port Blair	Swaraj Dweep	24.07.2024 0900 Hrs	Swaraj Dweep	Port Blair
3.	MV Long Island	24.07.2024 0630 Hrs	Port Blair	Shaheed Dweep	24.07.2024 0845 Hrs	Shaheed Dweep	Port Blair
4.	MV Jolly Buoy	24.07.2024 0700 Hrs	Port Blair	Rangat via Shaheed Dweep, Swaraj Dweep, Strait Island, Kadamtala & Long Island	25.07.2024 0700 Hrs	Rangat	Port Blair via Long Island, Kadamtala, Strait Island, Swaraj Dweep, Shaheed Dweep
5.	MV Long Island	24.07.2024 1100 Hrs	Port Blair	Shaheed Dweep	24.07.2024 1300 Hrs	Shaheed Dweep	Swaraj Dweep
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6.	MV Kamorta	24.07.2024 1130 Hrs	Port Blair	Swaraj Dweep	24.07.2024 1400 Hrs	Swaraj Dweep	Shaheed Dweep
		--	--	--	24.07.2024 1530 Hrs	Shaheed Dweep	Port Blair
7.	MV Chouldari	24.07.2024 1430 Hrs	Port Blair	Swaraj Dweep via Shaheed Dweep	25.07.2024 0530 Hrs	Swaraj Dweep	Port Blair via Shaheed Dweep

25.07.2024 (THURSDAY)							
1.	MV Hut Bay	25.07.2024 0600 Hrs	Port Blair	Rangat via Swaraj Dweep & Long Island	25.07.2024 1200 Hrs	Rangat	Port Blair via Long Island & Swaraj Dweep
2.	MV Long Island	25.07.2024 0630 Hrs	Port Blair	Swaraj Dweep	25.07.2024 0900 Hrs	Swaraj Dweep	Port Blair
3.	MV Kamorta	25.07.2024 0630 Hrs	Port Blair	Shaheed Dweep	25.07.2024 0845 Hrs	Shaheed Dweep	Port Blair
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6.	MV Baratang	25.07.2024 1430 Hrs	Port Blair	Swaraj Dweep via Shaheed Dweep	26.07.2024 0530 Hrs	Swaraj Dweep	Port Blair via Shaheed Dweep

26.07.2024 (FRIDAY)							
1.	MV Chouldari	26.07.2024 0600 Hrs	Port Blair	Rangat via Swaraj Dweep & Long Island	26.07.2024 1200 Hrs	Rangat	Port Blair via Long Island & Swaraj Dweep
2.	MV Hut Bay	26.07.2024 0630 Hrs	Port Blair	Swaraj Dweep	26.07.2024 0900 Hrs	Swaraj Dweep	Port Blair

CS virtually launches ‘Kuposhan Mukht Panchayat’...

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awareness on the ground level, the three tier committee will ensure time to time assessment and monitoring of the initiative.

Around 2000 nutritional kits have been arranged by the District Administration under CSR contribution, 650 kits each month will be distributed to Anganwadi Workers for the identified children for next three months. Every month assessment of the children will be taken to assess the nutritional level in the child for further point of intervention specifically.

The best performing Anganwadi Workers will be incentivise under the initiative and after the end of the initiative best performing Panchayats will be awarded by the District Administration. The initiative aims to create a robust support system at the grassroots level, ensuring sustainable nutritional health for all children in the region, a press release from DC (N&MA) said.



Fostering innovation & entrepreneurship ...

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an inaugural session, during which, Smti S. Sunitha Kumari, Assistant Director (Tech) welcomed the gathering and briefed about the event. Altogether 130 students from various streams of TGCE participated in the event.

Inaugurating the event, the chief guest, Regional Manager of SBI, Shri Sidhartha Gupta emphasized on the importance of innovation and business over traditional Government jobs for the new generation. His words resonated deeply with the audience, setting a motivational tone for the event.

Other notable dignitaries who were present included the Principal of TGCE, Smti Manju Lata Rao, who encouraged students to seize entrepreneurial opportunities, and the Vice President of ACCI, Shri K. Chandrashekar, who shared his inspiring entrepreneurial journey, igniting the entrepreneurial spirit among attendees.

The key speakers of the Technical Session were Shri Rajesh Setia, TESTPAN India (Connected online via Startup India Team, DPIIT) who delivered an insightful session of his journey focusing on 'Translating Business Ideas into a Sustainable Business Sector'. Shri P.K. Ummer Farooq, Lead District Manager, SBI discussed about the Government Support and Funding for Startups and Allied Activities through Financial Institutions. Dr. Shrabani Mallick, Sr. Lecturer of CSE@Startup Head, DBRAIT delivered an activity based session on 'Developing an Entrepreneurial Mindset, Identifying Problems to solve, and Building Necessary Skills and Support Networks for Successful Startups in the Educational Sector'. Shri E. Ibrahim N. Jadwet, ACCI deliberated on 'Business Model Development and Commercialization'.

Further, Dr. T. Ganesh, Associate Professor & MBA Coordinator of Pondicherry University spoke on 'Developing Essential Startup Skills like Business Planning, Financial Management, Marketing, and Team Building'.

Success Stories of Startups was also highlighted, in which a demonstration of AR/VR technology by Shri M. Vinod and Shri Dinesh Lal of DPIIT recognized Startup namely M/s Unicornip Innovations Pvt. Ltd. captivated the audience, illustrating the practical application of innovative technologies. Shri Shahid Khan, Industries Promotion Officer proposed the vote of thanks.

The Startup Bootcamp 2024 provided a comprehensive platform for budding entrepreneurs to gain valuable insights and equip themselves with the skills necessary to launch and sustain successful startups in the education sector, a press release from Directorate of Industries said.

Spot round of admission at DBRAIT; candidates advised

Port Blair, July 23

All candidates who have paid the fees as per the published first, second and third selected list have been informed that the physical verification of documents shall be held on 26/07/2024 from 9 am onwards in the Green Building Conference hall of DBRAIT, Port Blair.

Further, the spot round of admission for the diploma in engineering and non engineering courses at DBRAIT Port Blair against the vacant seats will be held at DBRAIT Green building conference hall, Port Blair on 27/07/2024 and 29/07/2024. The candidates who have applied and did not get admission yet have been advised to attend the same as per the following schedule for spot admission.

Spot Admission Schedule		
COURSES	DATE	VENUE
FOO FPO AND DHMCT	27/07/24	DBRAIT Green Building
DIPLOMA IN ENGINEERING ALL BRANCHES	29/07/24	Conference Hall
GPD applied candidates	27/07/24	GMSSS Sita Nagar campus

The reporting time is between 9 am and 9.30 am. For any clarifications, candidates may contact mobile no.9474208696 and 9004996654 from 9 am to 5 pm on working days, a press release from DBRAIT said.

ANCA to conduct State Under-07 Chess C'ship-cum-Selection Trials on Aug.4

Port Blair, July 23

The Andaman Nicobar Chess Association (ANCA) will conduct the State Under-07 Chess Championship-cum-Selection Trials on August 4, 2024, at the ANCA Chess Centre, Dairy Farm. This event aims to select two boys and two girls to represent the Andaman & Nicobar Islands in the 37<sup>th</sup> National Under-07 Chess Championships-2024, which will be held

in Mysuru, Karnataka, from September 1 to September 5, 2024.

The players born on or after January 1, 2017, are eligible to participate in the Championship. AICF registration for the year 2024-2025 is mandatory. Players who are yet to register with AICF may do so by using the following link: <https://prs.aicf.in/new-register>.

Interested chess players who wish to participate in the State

Under-07 Chess Championship-cum-Selection Trials may submit their entries by August 1, 2024, at the Office of the Andaman Nicobar Chess Association, Dairy Farm between 10 am & 5 pm.

For registration and further details, one may contact the Office Executive, ANCA over phone no. 9933217055 or email [anchessassociation@gmail.com](mailto:anchessassociation@gmail.com), a press release from ANCA said.

PS Crime & Economic Offence seizes ...

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and Middle Andaman; C. Ummer, S/o C. Ahmed Kutty, 48 yrs, Forest Mazdoor, R/o Lillypur, Haddo. They were promptly arrested on the spot following the due legal procedure as per the new criminal laws.

A case under relevant sections of NDPS Act-1985 has been registered at PS C&EO. The entire operation took place under the command of Shri Ajay Rai, Dy.SP(CID) and under the overall supervision of Shri Mohd. Irshad Haider, IPS, SP (CID).

During the course of investigation, involvement of another accused Nippin Sarkar, S/o Late Nagendra Nath Sarkar, 54 yrs, R/o Nayasahar has been unearthed. He has also been arrested on 23/07/2024 and will be produced before the Hon'ble Court.

After thorough interrogation, it was revealed that C. Ummer and Nippin Sarkar had previously procured ganja through Kartick Mistry and a local resident of Billiground. They bought the ganja from a permanent resident of Kolkata who is the main supplier. C. Ummer and Nippin Sarkar financed the flight tickets and paid the main supplier for the ganja via online transfers. The purchased ganja was then divided among C. Ummer, Nippin, and Kartick Mistry for resale at higher prices in these Islands.

Andaman and Nicobar Police continues its relentless detection to curb illegal activities and bring those responsible for such offenses to justice following the procedures of new criminal laws.

Citizens have been urged to continue their cooperation in reporting any suspicious activities or credible information pertaining to sale or possession of contrabands or any other illegal activity on the telephone numbers- 100, 232586, 233307, 9933242204 & 9434280100. The identity of the informer will be kept secret, a press release from SP (CID) said.

Basic Life Support Providers Training Program for Trained Nurses

Port Blair, July 23

Trained Nurses Association of India (TNAI), A&N UT Branch will be organizing a Basic Life Support Providers Training Program for Trained Nurses of these Islands including Nursing Officers, Public Health Nurses, Community Health Officers, Auxilliary

Nurse and Midwives of Govt. and Private Health Institutes from 25<sup>th</sup> to 28<sup>th</sup> July, 2024 in the Conference Hall of Govt. Girls. Sr. Sec. School, Port Blair. The training programme will be inaugurated by the Director of Health Services, Dr. Suja Antony at 5 pm on July 24, a press release from TNAI, A&N UT Branch said.

Inter School Football Knockout Tournament underway at JNRM & Bathubasti Ground



Port Blair, July 23

The Inter School Football Knockout Tournament for Under-14 (Boys) of South Andaman Educational Zone is being played at JNRM Ground and Bhatubasti Ground. In the match played today at JNRM Ground, GSSS Model defeated GSSS

RBV by 2-0. In the matches played at Bhatu Basti Ground, GMS Dollygunj defeated GMS Manglutan by 3-0 while in another match, GMS Rangachang defeated GMS Mariyamman Temple by 1-0, a press release from DEO, SA said.

High waves alert for coast of A&N Islands

Port Blair, July 23

High waves in the range of 2.9 -3.3 meters have been forecasted till 23:30 hours of 24-07-2024. People have been advised to be careful while doing marine operations and near shore recreation. For further enquiries/ information, one may contact helpline of State

Emergency Operation Centre at Helpline No. 1070 & District Emergency Operation Centre at Helpline No. 1077. For any emergency/assistance at sea, call Coast Guard SAR Agency at Toll Free Number 1554, a press release from Directorate of Disaster Management said.

Firing practice by Aircraft

Port Blair, July 23

A firing practice is being carried out by the Aircraft from July 23 to 26, 2024 from 10 am to 12.30 pm. Similarly, firing practice will be carried out by the Aircraft from July 24 to

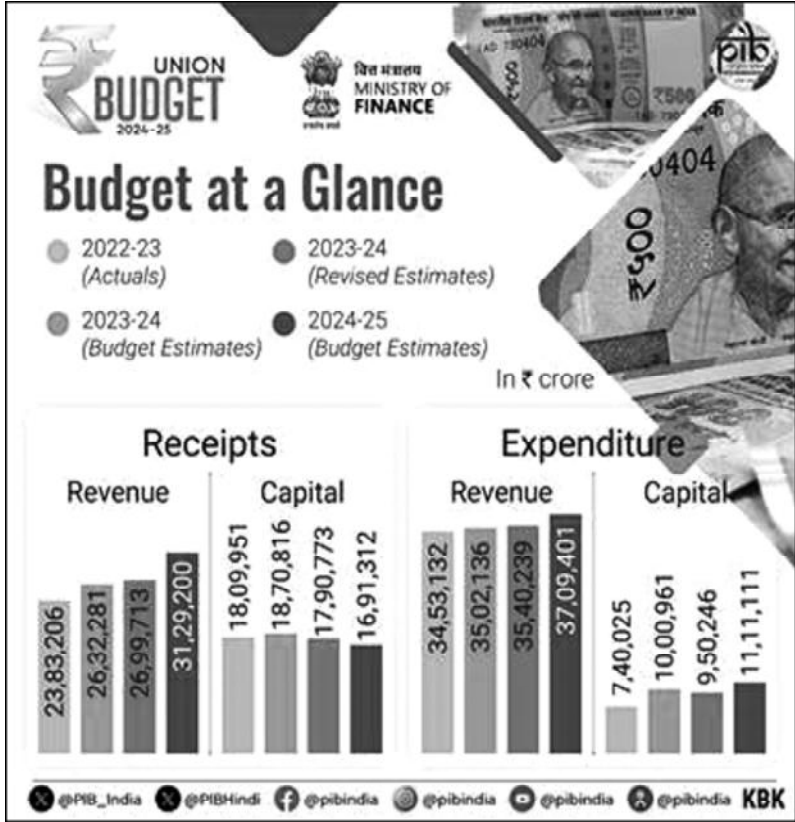
31, 2024 from 2 pm to 4 pm. All concerned have been warned to keep themselves and their vehicles/livestock away from the firing area during mentioned date and time, a notification issued by DM (SA) said.



HIGHLIGHTS OF THE UNION BUDGET 2024-25

New Delhi, July 23 (PIB)

The Union Minister of Finance and Corporate Affairs, Smt. Nirmala Sitharaman presented the Union Budget 2024-25 in Parliament today. The highlights of the budget are as follows:



Part-A

Budget Estimates 2024-25:

- Total receipts other than borrowings: Rs. 32.07 lakh crore.
- Total expenditure: Rs. 48.21 lakh crore.
- Net tax receipt: Rs. 25.83 lakh crore.
- Fiscal deficit: 4.9 per cent of GDP.
- Government aims to reach a deficit below 4.5 per cent next year.
- Inflation continues to be low, stable and moving towards the 4% target; Core inflation (non-food, non-fuel) at 3.1%.
- The focus of budget is on EMPLOYMENT, SKILLING, MSMEs, and the MIDDLE CLASS.

Package of PM's five schemes for Employment and Skilling

- Prime Minister's Package of 5 Schemes and Initiatives for employment, skilling and other opportunities for 4.1 crore youth over a 5-year period.
- 1. Scheme A - First Timers: One-month salary of up to `15,000 to be provided in 3 installments to first-time employees, as registered in the EPFO.
- 2. Scheme B - Job Creation in manufacturing: Incentive to be provided at specified scale directly, both employee and employer, with respect to their EPFO contribution in the first 4 years of employment.
- 3. Scheme C - Support to employers: Government to reimburse up to Rs. 3,000 per month for 2 years towards EPFO contribution of employers, for each additional employee.

4. New centrally sponsored scheme for Skilling

- 20 lakh youth to be skilled over a 5-year period.
- 1,000 Industrial Training Institutes to be upgraded in hub and spoke arrangements.

5. New Scheme for Internship in 500 Top Companies to 1 crore youth in 5 years

Nine Budget Priorities in pursuit of 'Viksit Bharat':

1. Productivity and resilience in Agriculture
2. Employment & Skilling
3. Inclusive Human Resource Development and Social Justice
4. Manufacturing & Services
5. Urban Development
6. Energy Security
7. Infrastructure
8. Innovation, Research & Development and
9. Next Generation Reforms

Priority 1: Productivity and resilience in Agriculture

- Allocation of Rs. 1.52 lakh crore for agriculture and allied sectors.
- New 109 high-yielding and climate-resilient varieties of 32 field and horticulture crops to be released for cultivation by farmers.
- 1 crore farmers across the country to be initiated into natural farming, with certification and branding in next 2 years.
- 10,000 need-based bio-input resource centres to be established for natural farming.
- Digital Public Infrastructure (DPI) for Agriculture to be implemented for coverage of farmers and their lands in 3 years.

Priority 2: Employment & Skilling

- As part of the Prime Minister's package, 3 schemes for 'Employment Linked Incentive' to be implemented - Scheme A - First Timers; Scheme B - Job Creation in manufacturing; Scheme C - Support to employers.
- To facilitate higher participation of women in the workforce,
- working women hostels and crèches to be established with industrial collaboration
- women-specific skilling programmes to be organized
- market access for women SHG enterprises to be promoted

Skill Development

- New centrally sponsored scheme for Skilling under Prime Minister's Package for 20 lakh youth over a 5-year period.
- Model Skill Loan Scheme to be revised to facilitate loans up to Rs. 7.5 lakh.
- Financial support for loans upto Rs.10 lakh for higher education in domestic institutions to be provided to youth who have not been eligible for any benefit under government schemes and policies.

Priority 3: Inclusive Human Resource Development and Social Justice Purvodaya

- Industrial node at Gaya to be developed along the Amritsar-Kolkata Industrial Corridor.
- Power projects, including new 2400 MW power plant at Pirpainti, to be taken up at a cost of Rs. 21,400 crore.

Andhra Pradesh Reorganization Act

- Special financial support through multilateral development agencies of Rs.15,000 crore in the current financial year.
- Industrial node at Kopparthi along Vishakhapatnam-Chennai Industrial Corridor and at Orvakal along Hyderabad-Bengaluru Industrial Corridor.

Women-led development

- Total allocation of more than Rs. 3 lakh crore for schemes benefitting women and girls.

Pradhan Mantri Janatiya Unnat Gram Abhiyan

- Socio-economic development of tribal families in tribal-majority villages and aspirational districts, covering 63,000 villages benefitting 5 crore tribal people.

Bank branches in North-Eastern Region

- 100 branches of India Post Payment Bank to be set up in the North East region.

Priority 4: Manufacturing & Services

Credit Guarantee Scheme for MSMEs in the Manufacturing Sector

- A credit guarantee scheme without collateral or third-party guarantee in term loans to MSMEs for purchase of machinery and equipment.

Credit Support to MSMEs during Stress Period

- New mechanism to facilitate continuation of bank credit to MSMEs during their stress period.

Mudra Loans

- The limit of Mudra loans under 'Tarun' category to be enhanced to Rs.20 lakh from Rs.10 lakh for those who have successfully repaid previous loans.

Enhanced scope for mandatory onboarding in TReDS

- Turnover threshold of buyers for mandatory onboarding on the TReDS platform to be reduced from Rs.500 crore to Rs.250 crore..

MSME Units for Food Irradiation, Quality & Safety Testing

- Financial support to set up 50 multi-product food irradiation units in the MSME sector .

E-Commerce Export Hubs

- E-Commerce Export Hubs to be set up under public-private-partnership (PPP) mode for MSMEs and traditional artisans to sell their products in international markets.

Critical Mineral Mission

- Critical Mineral Mission to be set up for domestic production, recycling of critical minerals, and overseas acquisition of critical mineral assets.

Offshore mining of minerals

- Auction of the first tranche of offshore blocks for mining, building on the exploration already carried out.

Digital Public Infrastructure (DPI) Applications

- Development of DPI applications in the areas of credit, e-commerce, education, health, law and justice, logistics, MSME, services delivery, and urban governance.

Priority 5: Urban Development

Transit Oriented Development

- Formulation of Transit Oriented Development plans and strategies to implement and finance 14 large cities above 30 lakh population.

Urban Housing

- Investment of Rs.10 lakh crore, including the central assistance of Rs. 2.2 lakh crore in next 5 years, under PM Awas Yojana Urban 2.0 proposed to address the , housing needs of 1 crore urban poor and middle-class families.

Street Markets

- New scheme to support the development of 100 weekly 'haats' or street food hubs every year for the next 5 years in select cities.

Priority 6: Energy Security

Energy Transition

- Policy document on 'Energy Transition Pathways' to balance the imperatives of employment, growth and environmental sustainability to be brought out.

Pumped Storage Policy

- Policy for promoting pumped storage projects for electricity storage to be brought out.

Research and development of small and modular nuclear reactors

- Government to partner with private sector for R&D of Bharat Small Modular Reactor and newer technologies for nuclear energy, and to set up Bharat Small Reactors.

Advanced Ultra Super Critical Thermal Power Plants

- Joint venture proposed between NTPC and BHEL to set up a full scale 800 MW commercial plant using Advanced Ultra Super Critical (AUSC) technology.

Roadmap for 'hard to abate' industries

- Appropriate regulations for transition of 'hard to abate' industries from the current 'Perform, Achieve and Trade' mode to 'Indian Carbon Market' mode to be put in place.

Priority 7: Infrastructure

Infrastructure investment by Central Government

- Rs. 11,11,111 crore (3.4 % of GDP) to be provided for capital expenditure.

Infrastructure investment by state governments

- Provision of Rs. 1.5 lakh crore for long-term interest free loans to support states in infrastructure investment.

Pradhan Mantri Gram SadakYojana (PMGSY)

- Launch of phase IV of PMGSY to provide all-weather connectivity to 25,000 rural habitations.

Irrigation and Flood Mitigation

- Financial support of Rs. 11,500 crore to projects such as the Kosi-Mechi intra-state link and other schemes in Bihar.
- Government to provide assistance to Assam, Himachal Pradesh, Uttarakhand and Sikkim for floods, landslides and other related projects.

Tourism

- Comprehensive development of Vishnupad Temple Corridor, Mahabodhi Temple Corridor and Rajgir.
- Assistance for development of temples, monuments, craftsmanship, wildlife sanctuaries, natural landscapes and pristine beaches of Odisha.

Priority 8: Innovation, Research & Development

- Anusandhan National Research Fund for basic research and prototype development to be operationalised.
- Financing pool of Rs. 1 lakh crore for spurring private sector-driven research and innovation at commercial scale.

Space Economy

- Venture capital fund of Rs. 1,000 crore to be set up for expanding the space economy by 5 times in the next 10 years.

Priority 9: Next Generation Reforms

Rural Land Related Actions

- Unique Land Parcel Identification Number (ULPIN) or Bhu-Aadhaar for all lands
- Digitization of cadastral maps
- Survey of map sub-divisions as per current ownership
- Establishment of land registry
- Linking to the farmers registry

Urban Land Related Actions

- Land records in urban areas to be digitized with GIS mapping.

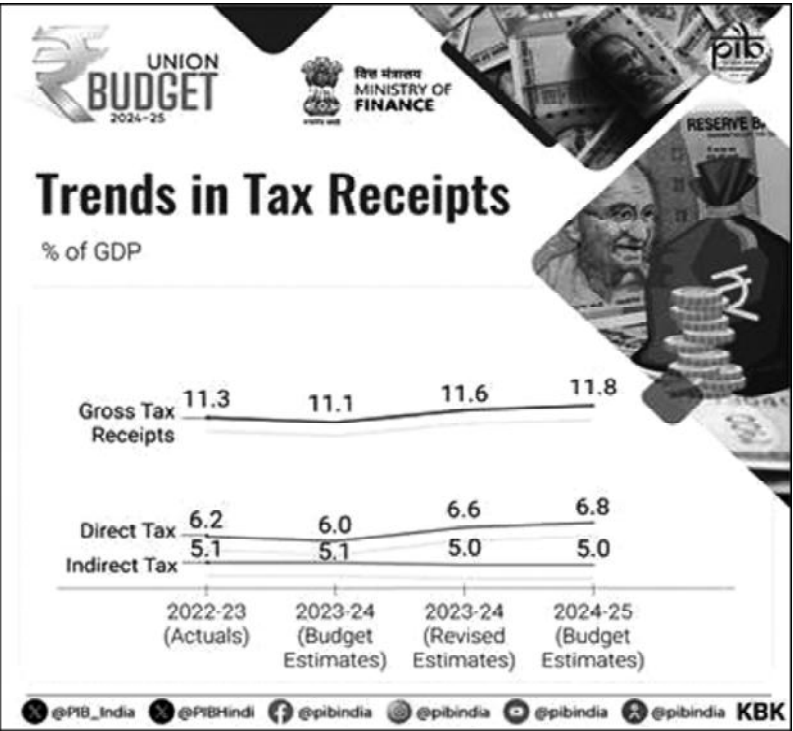
Services to Labour

- Integration of e-shram portal with other portals to facilitate such one-stop solution.
- Open architecture databases for the rapidly changing labour market, skill requirements and available job roles.
- Mechanism to connect job-aspirants with potential employers and skill providers.

NPS Vatsalya

- NPS-Vatsalya as a plan for contribution by parents and guardians for minors.

Part-B



Indirect Taxes

GST

- Buoyed by GST's success, tax structure to be simplified and rationalised to expand GST to remaining sectors.

Sector specific customs duty proposals

Medicines and Medical Equipment

- Three cancer drugs namely TrastuzumabDeruxtecan, Osimertinib and Durvalumab fully exempted from custom duty.

- Changes in Basic Customs Duty (BCD) on x-ray tubes & flat panel detectors for use in medical x-ray machines under the Phased Manufacturing Programme.

Mobile Phone and Related Parts

- BCD on mobile phone, mobile Printed Circuit Board Assembly (PCBA) and mobile charger reduced to 15 per cent.

Precious Metals

- Customs duties on gold and silver reduced to 6 per cent and that on platinum to 6.4 per cent.

Other Metals

- BCD removed on ferro nickel and blister copper.
- BCD removed on ferrous scrap and nickel cathode.
- Concessional BCD of 2.5 per cent on copper scrap.

Electronics

- BCD removed, subject to conditions, on oxygen free copper for manufacture of resistors.

Chemicals and Petrochemicals

- BCD on ammonium nitrate increased from 7.5 to 10 per cent.

Plastics

- BCD on PVC flex banners increased from 10 to 25 per cent.

Telecommunication Equipment

- BCD increased from 10 to 15 per cent on PCBA of specified telecom equipment.

Trade facilitation

- For promotion of domestic aviation and boat & ship MRO, time period for export of goods imported for repairs extended from six months to one year.
- Time-limit for re-import of goods for repairs under warranty extended from three to five years.

Critical Minerals

- 25 critical minerals fully exempted from customs duties.
- BCD on two critical minerals reduced.

Solar Energy

- Capital goods for use in manufacture of solar cells and panels exempted from customs duty.

Marine products

- BCD on certain broodstock, polychaete worms, shrimp and fish feed reduced to 5 per cent.
- Various inputs for manufacture of shrimp and fish feed exempted from customs duty.

Leather and Textile

- BCD reduced on real down filling material from duck or goose.
- BCD reduced, subject to conditions, on methylene diphenyl diisocyanate (MDI) for manufacture of spandex yarn from 7.5 to 5 per cent.

Direct Taxes

- Efforts to simplify taxes, improve tax payer services, provide tax certainty and reduce litigation to be continued.
- Enhance revenues for funding development and welfare schemes of government.
- 58 per cent of corporate tax from simplified tax regime in FY23, more than two-thirds taxpayers availed simplified tax regime for personal income tax in FY 24.

Simplification for Charities and of TDS

- Two tax exemption regimes for charities to be merged into one.
- 5 per cent TDS rate on many payments merged into 2 per cent TDS rate.
- 20 per cent TDS rate on repurchase of units by mutual funds or UTI withdrawn.
- TDS rate on e-commerce operators reduced from one to 0.1 per cent.
- Delay for payment of TDS up to due date of filing statement decriminalized.

Simplification of Reassessment

- Assessment can be reopened beyond three years upto five years from the end of Assessment Year only if the escaped income is Rs. 50 lakh or more.
- In search cases, time limit reduced from ten to six years before the year of search.

Simplification and Rationalisation of Capital Gains

- Short term gains on certain financial assets to attract a tax rate of 20 per cent.
- Long term gains on all financial and non-financial assets to attract a tax rate of 12.5 per cent.

- Exemption limit of capital gains on certain financial assets increased to Rs.1.25 lakh per year.

Tax Payer Services

- All remaining services of Customs and Income Tax including rectification and order giving effect to appellate orders to be digitalized over the next two years.

Litigation and Appeals

- 'Vivad Se Vishwas Scheme, 2024' for resolution of income tax disputes pending in appeal.
- Monetary limits for filing direct taxes, excise and service tax related appeals in Tax Tribunals, High Courts and Supreme Court increased to Rs. 60 lakh, Rs. 2 crore and Rs.5 crore respectively.
- Safe harbour rules expanded to reduce litigation and provide certainty in international taxation.

Employment and Investment

- Angel tax for all classes of investors abolished to bolster start-up eco-system..
- Simpler tax regime for foreign shipping companies operating domestic cruises to promote cruise tourism in India.
- Safe harbour rates for foreign mining companies selling raw diamonds in the country.
- Corporate tax rate on foreign companies reduced from 40 to 35 per cent.

Deepening tax base

- Security Transactions Tax on futures and options of securities increased to 0.02 per cent and 0.1 per cent respectively.
- Income received on buy back of shares in the hands of recipient to be taxed.

Social Security Benefits.

- Deduction of expenditure by employers towards NPS to be increased from 10 to 14 per cent of the employee's salary.
- Non-reporting of small movable foreign assets up to Rs. 20 lakh de-penalised.

Other major proposal in Finance Bill

- Equalization levy of 2 per cent withdrawn.

Changes in Personal Income Tax under new tax regime

- Standard deduction for salaried employees increased from Rs. 50,000 to Rs. 75,000.
- Deduction on family pension for pensioners enhanced from Rs. 15,000/- to Rs. 25,000/-
- Revised tax rate structure:

0-3 lakh rupees	Nil
3-7 lakh rupees	5 per cent
7-10 lakh rupees	10 per cent
10-12 lakh rupees	15 per cent
12-15 lakh rupees	20 per cent
Above 15 lakh rupees	30 per cent

- Salaried employee in the new tax regime stands to save up to Rs. 17,500/- in income tax.



ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ADMINISTRATION  
SECRETARIATPORT BLAIR, DATED THE 22<sup>nd</sup> JULY, 2024

## NOTIFICATION

No..... F.No.2-124/2014/R&R, In exercise of the powers conferred by Sub-Section (1) (c) of Section 48 of the Disaster Management Act, 2005 (53 of 2005) read with Section 2(s) thereof, the Lt. Governor, Andaman & Nicobar Islands hereby pleased to constitutes the Union Territory Disaster Mitigation Fund for projects exclusively for the purpose of disaster mitigation in A&N Islands in accordance with the guidelines on Constitution and Administration of the State Disaster Mitigation Fund (SDMF) based on the recommendations of the Fifteenth Finance Commission 2021-22 to 2025-26 issued by DM Division, MHA, Gol vide No. 33-02/2020-NDM-I dated 14.01.2022 annexed to this notification.

Admiral D K Joshi, PVSM, AVSM, YSM, NM, VSM (Retd.)  
Lieutenant Governor,  
Andaman & Nicobar Islands.  
By order and in the name of Lieutenant Governor

Sd/-  
Deputy Secretary (DM & RR)  
Andaman & Nicobar Administration

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## CORRIGENDUM

Counselling for admission to various UG Courses at JNRM  
(Academic Year 2024-25)

The News Item published on 17/07/2024, wherein number of seats of some UG Courses inadvertently mentioned incorrect.

Hence, it may be read as B.A Economics – 100 seats, BCA – 56 seats, BBA (T) – 34 seats, B.Sc. Maths – 56 seats & B.A Tamil – 34 seats.

For more information, kindly refer college admission portal in this regard. Inconvenience caused is regretted.

Sd/-  
PRINCIPAL

Office of the Project Director  
Andaman & Nicobar AIDS Control Society (ANACS)  
National AIDS Control Organization (NACO)

Under Ministry of Health &amp; Family Welfare, Gol

F.No. 1-4/ANACS/Appt. SACS/2023-24/384 dt 22.07.2024

## LIST OF ELIGIBLE CANDIDATES

Applications were invited from eligible candidates for appointment on Contractual Basis under NACP-V Programme in A & N AIDS Control Society vide Press release published in the Daily Telegrams on 21.06.2024.

After Scrutiny of the applications the List of the Eligible candidates is displayed in the Notice Board of A&N AIDS Control Society, Red Ribbon Building, Atlanta Point, Port Blair, and in the Official Website <https://anacs.andaman.gov.in> and also annexed below.

The eligible candidates should get their documents verified with the originals on 02.08.2024 (Friday) from 10.00 AM to 4.30 PM in the Office of the Project Director, ANACS, Red Ribbon Building, Atlanta Point, Port Blair. No TA/DA will be paid for attending the interview

The claims and objection if any may be reached by this Office on or before 31/07/2024 (Wednesday) by 4.30 PM. No further correspondence will be entertained after 31.07.2024.

For further details candidates may contact Administrative Officer, A & N AIDS Control Society @ Office No. 03192231176

The List of the Eligible Candidates for the post of Assistant Director (SI)

Application No.	Name	Father/Husband Name
985	SHRI GANESH DEBNATH	Shri Khagen Debnath

The List of the Eligible Candidates for the post of Assistant Director (BSD)

Application No.	Name	Father/Husband Name
1100	SHRI G.VENKATESWAR RAO	Late G. Naikanna

The List of the Eligible Candidates for the post of Assistant Director (Youth Affairs)

Application No.	Name	Father/Husband Name
1023	MS. ALLEM DIVYA	Shri Kanike Veerashekar

This issue with the approval of the Competent Authority.

Administrative Officer  
ANACS

I.D. No. 11143

F.No. 20-32(1)/2017/Waqf  
ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR ADMINISTRATION  
SECRETARIATPort Blair, dated the 22<sup>nd</sup> July, 2024

## PRESS NOTE

Applications are invited from amongst the interested/willing Muslim persons for nominating the 3<sup>rd</sup> member of Waqf Tribunal, which is to be constituted under section 83 of Waqf Act, 1995.

The appointment of 3<sup>rd</sup> member under Rule 46 (b) (iii) as per the A & N Islands Waqf Board (Amendment) Rules notified in the Gazette of A & N Administration, Secretariat vide Notification No. 14/2024/F.No.20-32(1)/2017/Waqf (Rev) dated 08.03.2024, stipulates as below:

**"iii. One person having knowledge of Muslim Law and Jurisprudence, who shall be a member.**

**Appointment of Members shall be made by designation except the person mentioned at sub-rule b(iii), if he is not an officer of the State Govt. shall be appointed by name for a period of 03 (three) years or still he attains the age of 65 (sixty-five), whichever is earlier."**

The application alongwith Bio-data from the interested/willing Muslim Persons for the above mentioned category should reach to the Office of Assistant Secretary (Rev/Waqf), A&N Administration, Secretariat, Port Blair within 30 days from the date of publication of the Press Note.

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Below 57 years for experience candidate  
Salary - Negotiable

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Salary - Negotiable

3. **Accounts Clerk:**

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Salary - Negotiable

- Submit resume in the School Office/e-mail along with attested copies of certificates latest by 31<sup>st</sup> July, 2024, [apsbrichgunj@awesindia.edu.in](mailto:apsbrichgunj@awesindia.edu.in).

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## REPLY OF NOTICE DATED 24.02.2024

This is to inform you all the General Public and Revenue Authorities, including Shri Kaushik Das and Smti. Jayanti Das, That, under the instructions and on behalf of my client namely Shri S. Abdul Wahab, S/o S.A. Khader, R/o Garacharma village, Port Blair Tehsil, South Andaman District. That, Shri Kaushik Das and Smti. Jayanti Das, has published the notice on the leading news paper "The Daily Telegrams" dated 24.02.2024 levelling false allegations against my said client through their Ld. Counsel. That after execution of Sale agreement Shri Kaushik Das and Smti. Jayanti Das, did not perform their part of contract as per the sale agreement, my client did not handed over the physical possession of the land to Shri Kaushik Das and Smti. Jayanti Das, because the entire sale consideration amount is also not fully paid by the buyer.

Hence, my client inform to Shri Kaushik Das and Smti. Jayanti Das including General Public along with Revenue Department that the sale agreement which was executed in favour of Shri Kaushik Das and Smti. Jayanti Das, that my client want to cancel the sale agreement dated 25.04.2019 and ready to return the said amount to Shri Kaushik Das and Smti. Jayanti Das, (buyer).

That, I on behalf of my client inform to you that did not publish such type of counterfeit notices in "The Daily Telegrams" Newspaper. After receiving of this notice, if you will publish such type of false notice in the newspaper then I have instructions from my client to take legal action against you for the harassment of my client according to law before the competent Court of Law for necessary relief of my client for all its consequences you are fully responsible including all costs.

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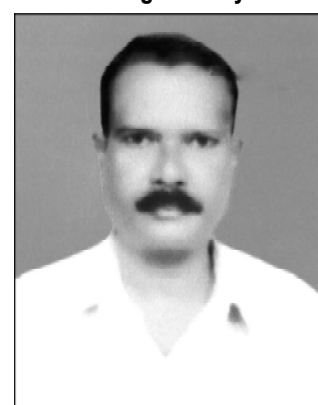
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