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Sri Vijaya Puram, Monday, September 15, 2025

Hon'ble Union Home Minister and Minister of Cooperation attends Fifth Akhil Bhartiya Rajbhasha Sammelan held in **Gandhinagar on the occasion of Hindi Diwas 2025**

Hon'ble Prime Minister lays special emphasis on preservation, promotion, and development of all Indian languages, including Hindi as the Official Language: Hon'ble HM

Sarathi translation system facilitates easy translation from Hindi to all recognized Indian languages

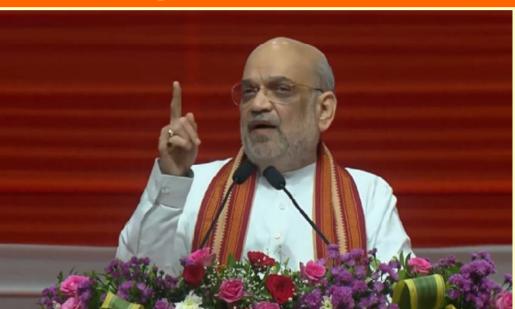
New Delhi, Sept. 14 (PIB)

Union Home Minister and Minister of Cooperation, Shri Amit Shah attended 5th Akhil Bhartiya Rajbhasha Sammelan in Gandhinagar, the capital of Gujarat, on the occasion of Hindi Diwas 2025 as the Chief Guest. Union Home Minister and Minister of Cooperation also released several publications.

While addressing the conference, the Union Home Minister and Minister of Cooperation said that Hindi is the companion of Indian languages and that there is no conflict between Hindi and other Indian languages. Shri Shah said that the biggest example of this is Gujarat. In Gujarat, scholars like Swami Dayanand Saraswati, Mahatma Gandhi, Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel, and K.M. Munshi accepted Hindi and also promoted it. He said that the coexistence of Gujarati and Hindi made Gujarat an excellent example of the development of both languages. Shri Shah said that Hindi is a part of education system of Gujarat, and because of this, the reach of Gujarat's children has expanded greatly across the country. He added that many visionary leaders taught Indian languages to communicate with each other and urged the promotion of Hindi in every state, as a result of which a person from Gujarat can go anywhere in the country and easily conduct business as well as gain acceptance.

Shri Amit Shah said that for the last five years, the Akhil Bhartiya Rajbhasha Sammelan has been held outside Delhi in different parts of the country, which has provided a very good opportunity to strengthen dialogue between Hindi and other Indian languages. He said that the experience of the past four conferences has been that such conferences provide new perspectives, energy, and inspiration. Shri Shah added that Hindi should not remain just a language of conversation and administration, but should also become the language of science, technology, justice, and policing. He added that when all work is done in Indian languages, the bonding with the people automatically

Union Home Minister said that the Sarathi translation in our languages, the Shabd Sindhu science and technology to fully harness technology, science, and justice.



Hindi to all recognized Indian languages. Shri Shah urged all state Chief Ministers to send him letters in their respective languages, assuring that responses would emphasized that the Sarathi system is equipped to translate in any language and also translate responses from Hindi into the recipient's language. He added that, in the coming days, communication through Sarathi will be in one's native language.

Shri Amit Shah said that Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj emphasized three key principles in the fight for Swaraj: Swaraj, Swadharma amd Swabhasha, all of which

Shri Shah expressed confidence that by be sent in the same language. He highlighted that this dictionary is making 539 cities across the country. Hindi more flexible, which is essential to

their potential. He highlighted an AI-powered pair of glasses showcased at the event, which will greatly assist visually impaired individuals. With these glasses, even those who are completely visually impaired can read, and whatever they read will be audible in their native language through the AI-powered system.

Union Home Minister and Minister of Cooperation said that Mahatma Gandhi used to say that Hindi is the language that keeps the nation united. He said that Sanskrit gave us the river of knowledge, Hindi carried that knowledge into every home, and mother tongues spread it to every individual.

Shri Amit Shah said that Prime Minister Modi has done a lot through technology to strengthen our local languages. He mentioned that, inspired by Prime Minister Modi, the Ministry of Home Affairs has created the Bhartiya Bhasha Anubhag under the Department of Official Language. This division will not only strengthen Hindi but also support and promote all Indian languages. Shri Shah also said that under the leadership of Prime Minister Modi, system facilitates easy translation from dictionary was created, starting with 51,000 the Department of Official Language has advanced many words and now exceeding 7 lakh words. initiatives. Over the past four years, the Official Language Committee has presented three volumes, and the fourth 2029, it will become the largest dictionary volume has also been prepared. He noted that Official in all languages of the world. He Language Committees have been established in nearly

About 3 lakh 28 thousands government employees from become a widely used spoken language. other language backgrounds have been trained in Hindi. The use of Shabd Sindhu will make Hindi In addition, 40,000 employees have been trained in typing, versatile, adaptable, and widely accepted. 1,918 in shorthand, and 13,000 in translation. He added Union Home Minister also mentioned that Prime Minister Modi has introduced JEE, NEET, and that Mahatma Gandhi made significant UGC examinations in 12 languages, which has increased contributions to the development of the the chances of success for students who study in their Gujarati dictionary, recognizing that a mother tongue. Shri Shah said that examinations for the society cannot stand tall globally without a Central Armed Police Forces (CAPFs) are now also strong native language. He added that conducted in 12 languages. He recalled that in the 1970s, are interconnected with national pride. He Hon'ble Prime Minister, Shri Narendra people used to say that Hindi was becoming a thing of said that a country where the spoken Modi has done extensive work for the the past, but today we can proudly say that the official language is not its own cannot truly welfare of differently-abled individuals. language and our Indian languages are the languages of experience freedom or pride. To foster pride Shri Shah emphasized the need to leverage the future, and they will also become the languages of

Hon'ble MP urges Centre to formulate a Policy for Regularisation of long serving DRM workers in A&N Administration

Sri Vijaya Puram, Sept. 14 Shri Bishnu Pada Ray, provided by Hon'ble Member of Administration, the perday similar to them. Parliament, Andaman & Hon'ble MP stated that Nicobar Islands, has urged there are 12,268 workers Hon'ble MP urged the past 5-25 years without 3,967 workers continue to past services for pension, any service security, be deprived of similar retirement and social security pension, or financial benefits,

performing identical MP Office said.

As per official records duties and duration of the service and working hours

In his appeal, the the Government of India currently engaged across Hon'ble Prime Minister to take an early policy various Departments in the and Hon'ble Home DPIIT-recognized decision for the Islands. These include Minister to formulate a deep-tech startup from regularisation/absorption 8,301 DRMs, 2,565 comprehensive of Daily Rated Mazdoors contractual employees, and regularisation/absorption (DRMs), Contractual and 1,402 outsourced workers. scheme for DRMs, Outsourced employees While 8,301 DRMs have contractual and outsourced working under the been granted 1/30th Pay + employees in A&N Islands the Andaman & Nicobar DA following Court as a welfare measure and Administration for the directions, the remaining recognise and count their despite benefits, a press release from

'Swasthya Nari Sashakt Parivar' campaign to be observed in Isles from Sept. 17 to Oct. 2

Series of health-oriented activities planned to strengthen women's health and family well-being

Sri Vijava Puram, Sept. 14 specialist consultations, among the community. The Swasthya Nari anaemia screening, Parivar NCD Islands alongwith the adolescenthealth check- centres and avail the with a series of sessions will be fortnight-long healthoriented activities organized across isles. campaign. women's health and materials on nutrition create family well-being.

campaign, special disseminated widely to nutrition, and the health camps with generate awareness

and healthy practices awareness

(Non- appeals to the public to campaign will be Communicable register themselves at observed in A & N Diseases) screening, their nearby health rest of the States from ups, and menstrual benefits of the free Sept. 17 to Oct. 2, 2025 hygiene awareness services during the aimed at strengthening In addition, IEC initiative is expected to about As part of the will be displayed and preventive health care, (Contd. on last page)

4th Bharat Entrepreneurship Summit 2025 held at New Delhi **Unicorniz Innovation Private Limited- startup from A&N Islands honored with Bharat Entrepreneurs Award**

Sri Vijaya Puram, Sept. 14 **Unicorniz Innovation** Private Limited, a the A&N Islands, has been honored with the **Bharat Entrepreneurs** Award (State-wise) at $4^{\,\mathrm{th}}$ Bharat Entrepreneurship Summit 2025. The summit was held vesterday at the NDMC Convention Center, Sansad Marg, New Delhi, under the theme "Ek Bharat - Udyami Bharat", India's first summit integrating the leaders. State-Level Ecosystem.

The award was Health authorities presented in recognition of the company's contribution to the entrepreneurial ecosystem. The event was graced by the Chief Guest, Shri Sardar Manjinder Singh Sirsa, Hon'ble Minister of Industries, Food & Supplies and Environment, Forest & Wildlife, Government of National Capital Territory

of Delhi, along with



several eminent "State-wise Experiences sessions

The summit featured Viksit Bharat through innovators, and experts landscape, a press Entrepreneurial multiple knowledge Emerging Technology from across India and release from Industries including and Innovation". These abroad to share insights, Department said.

Ecosystem" and "Building industry

dignitaries and thought from the Entrepreneurial together policymakers, strengthen

brought ideas, and strategies to leaders, entrepreneurial

ANPCC extends deadline for industrial units to obtain direct CTO till Oct. 31

Sri Vijaya Puram, Sept. 14 XXXIV meeting held in (Prevention and Control Environment The Andaman and May Nicobar were clearance to regularize 2025.

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without industrial units in the from the State Board. Islands have been set up (Contd. on last page)



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Passenger tickets for the sailing schedules of Foreshore Sector/Inter Island Sector vessels is being issued to the general public from 12.09.2025 (Friday) onwards.

Passengers may book their tickets from DSS e-ticketing portal (https://dss.andamannicobar.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.

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Minakshi Hooda, Jaismine Lamboria clinch **Gold at World Boxing Championships 2025**

New Delhi, Sept. 14

India's Minakshi Hooda and Jaismine Lamboria clinched gold medals at the World Boxing Championships 2025. Meenakshi Hooda defeated Nazym Kyzaibay in the 48 kg category today, and Lamboria **Jaismine** outclassed Paris Olympics silver medallist Julia Szeremeta of Poland in the 57kg final clash.



featuring six-time winner Saweety Boora. In the With their victories, champion Nikhat Zareen, Liverpool in England, Jaismine and Minakshi Sarita Devi, Jenny RL, India ended with four

Mary Kom, two-time championship held at

ioined an illustrious list of Lekha KC, Nitu Ghanghas, medals, the best-ever in an Indian world champions Lovlina Borgohain and overseas edition.

Two-Day Chess Training Prog. with GM Akash concludes successfully

Sri Vijaya Puram, Sept. 14 The two-day chess training programme with Grandmaster G. Akash, India's 66th Grandmaster and former National Champion, concluded successfully this evening at the ANCA Chess Centre, Dairy The programme began skills and deepen their valuable Exhibition (Simul), training, positional preparation, on multiple challengers interaction at once. Budding talents parents, followed by of the Islands eagerly guidance on effective Nicobar participated in the rare training methods. The Association expressed opportunity, and many day concluded with its gratitude to GM described experience of facing a where students brought the programme and Grandmaster across the their score sheets from reaffirmed board as both inspiring the previous day's simul commitment to bringing and unforgettable.

featured intensive Akash. training designed to



the game analysis session, Akash for conducting and received expert more such opportunities Today's session feedback from GM for the chess community

Players and parents release from ANCA said.

insights yesterday with an understanding of the imparted by GM Akash, electrifying game. The schedule who emphasized the Simultaneous included mental importance of discipline, where GM Akash took chess, and a special systematic improvement with in chess.

The Andaman in the Islands, a press

ITI, Dollygunj to conduct IndiaSkills - A&N Islands-2025 competition; last date for registration is Sept. 30

Sri Vijaya Puram, Sept. 14 young Islanders to bring water technology, dental Department Training, A&N Islands demonstrate will be conducting potential at the highest years. IndiaSkills - A&N level. All institutions Competitions, the competition. scheduled November Winners of proudly represent the digital construction, Islands at IndiaSkills -

National 2025. showcase their skills, industrial It is a golden technology, robot 9679577293, a press

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2025. open to candidates up to skills-2025. The last this 22 years of age. For date for registration is prestigious event will select skills such as 30th September, 2025. cloud computing, cyber participation, security, ICT network Dollygunj will provide This competition is a infrastructure, additive necessary handholding gateway for the youth to manufacturing, assistance to registered gain recognition, and technology, industry 4.0, or support, candidates step onto national and mechatronics, may contact the TCPC international platforms. optoelectronic Cell, ITI Dollygunj at

The ITI, Dollygunj, laurels to the Union prosthetics, and aircraft and maintenance, their maximum age limit is 25

> Eligible candidates 2025 and skilled young must register on the

To ensure smooth ITI design candidates. For queries opportunity for talented systems integration, release from ITI said.

Special awareness campaign for empowerment of women held



Gender

A 10 days special like Beti Bachao Beti awareness campaign Padhao, was organized by the Sensitization, Legal State Hub Empowerment Women, Directorate of Sexual Social Welfare from Reproductive Health, Sept. 2 to 12, 2025 across Empowering women various locations in through South District to create and compliance for awareness women and educate the and adolescent girl's community on important health and nutrition social, legal and health awareness related issues. The covered. concluding program was organized at A&N activities included Islands Institute of community Medical (ANIIMS) Campus, interactive discussions, Corbyn's Cove on Sept. expert talks and on empowerment through aiming to sensitize medicine & allied women, adolescent girls healthcare professional and community leaders courses'. During the about their rights, legal program, the participants protections and available were also informed government schemes. about WHL (Women This program was Helpline: 181) by the Smt. conducted under the Reshma Banu (Call guidance of Shri. Operator, WHL) and Ravinder Smt. P. Deepa Laxmi (Director, Social Welfare),

for Awareness, Women of Safety at Work Place, Andaman education, Awareness among POCSO Act, Women The campaign Sciences awareness sessions, 'women outreach programs,

informed the candidates a press release from Directorate of Social During the entire Welfare said.

Sri Vijaya Puram, Sept. 14

about POSH Act.

Hindi Diwas was observed by Botanical Survey of India, A&N Regional Centre to mark the adoption of Hindi language as Official Language of India on Sept. 14. Alongwith this, Hindi Fortnight celebrations was also inaugurated. The programme was inaugurated by Regional Head in-charge, Dr. Sudipta Kumar Das. Scientists/ Officers and staff of BSI actively participated in the programme, a press release from BSI said.

Observance of Hindi Diwas & Hindi

Fortnight by BSI

Heavy rain likely to occur in Isles

Sri Vijaya Puram, Sept. 14

Heavy rain (07-11 cm) is very likely to occur at competition, followed aspirants have been SIDH Portal at https://one or two places over A&N Islands and by the District Level urged to participate in www.skillindiadigital.gov.in/ thunderstorm with gusty wind (30-40 kmph) and a c c o u n t / lightning is very likely to occur at one or two places The competition is register?returnUrl=%2Findia- over A&N Islands on Sept. 17, 18 & 19. Due to squally weather with surface wind speed reaching 35-45 kmph gusting to 55 kmph is also very likely to prevail over Andaman Sea & A&N coast. Sea condition is also likely to be rough. Fishermen have been advised not to venture into the sea along and off Andaman Sea & A&N coast on Sept. 18, a press release from Directorate of Disaster Management

Swasthya Nari Sashakt Parivar'.....

Contd. from page 1) importance of women's health in building stronger families and societies.

Under the campaign, 'Poshan Maah' will also be observed at all Anganwadi Centres to promote nutrition, health awareness, and overall well-being of women and children. Together, these measures aim to build healthier families and empowered communities across the Country. Participation of the Private Hospitals and Healthcare Stakeholders will also be an integral part of this 'Jan Bhagidari Abhiyaan', a press release from Joint Secretary (RCH-II) / Deputy Director (FW)

ANPCC extends deadline for industrial (Contd. from page 1)

and are operational without acquiring the necessary pollution consents. This constitutes a violation of the aforementioned Acts. While a previous compliance window was provided to such units, the committee continues to receive CTO applications without prior CTE, prompting the extension. The CTO will be issued only if the industrial unit meets all applicable environmental norms. The ANPCC emphasized that no CTO applications will be entertained after October, 31, 2025 from units that failed to obtain CTE prior to establishment.

All stakeholders and industrial entrepreneurs are reminded that it is a statutory requirement to obtain CTE before establishing an industry and CTO before commencing operations. Applications for both consents must be submitted online via the portal: www.anocmms.nic.in. Failure to comply within the extended timeline will invite strict action under the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, a press release from ANPCC said.

'Nikshav Shivir' organised at Avushman **Arogya Mandir, Mayabunder**

Sri Vijaya Puram, Sept. 14 As part of the 'TB Mukt Bharat Abhivan', the District TB Centre, Dr. R.P. Hospital, Mayabunder organized a 'Nikshay Shivir' at Ayushman Arogyamandir, Mohanpur, Mayabunder, with a special focus on the vulnerable population of the remote area. During the event, the District TB Mayabunder Officer delivered an provided a bus for Community awareness session on mobilization Yojana, Nikshay Mitra, and emphasized the importance of early detection, treatment, preventive measures.

Mayabunder for X-ray along with health said.

20.09.2025 Swaraj Sri Vijaya Puram via 0530 Hrs Dweep Shaheed Dweep



The State Transport Madhava Rao, District Service and medical team.

(STS), Programme Coordinator Unit (DPC); Smt. Punyawati, of Officer (CHO); Shri R. Tuberculosis, covering participants from the Durga Rao, Senior its signs and symptoms, remote area. The Treatment Supervisor the Nikshay Poshan screening was carried out (STS); Shri Dulal Mandal, by Dr. Christina Rossity, PMDT Coordinator; Smt. DTO, Dr. Alice Bwa, Sanjitha Soreng, TBHV; Medical Officer - DTC, and ASHAs. A total of 105 timely and the supporting individuals participated in the Shivir, out of The programme was which 99 vulnerable Thereafter, the conducted in the individuals underwent Xvulnerable population presence of the District ray examination, a press was transported to Dr. TB Officer (DTO), North release from Dr. R.P. Hospital, & Middle Andaman, Hospital, Mayabunder

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Ayurveda for People & Planet

Announcing the theme for this year's celebration - "Ayurveda for People & Planet" - the Union Minister of State (Independent Charge) for Ayush and Minister of State for Health & Family Welfare, Shri Prataprao Jadhav, said, "Ayurveda is not just a healthcare system, it is a science of life rooted in the principle of harmony between the individual and the environment.

By designating 23 September as Ayurveda Day, India has given Ayurveda a global calendar identity. The 2025 theme, 'Ayurveda for People & Planet', reflects our collective resolve to harness the full potential of Ayurveda for global wellbeing and a healthier planet."

Objectives of the Ayurveda Day

- > Promote and position Ayurveda to the global forefront of healthcare
- contribute towards national health policy humans as well as plants, animals, and the and shaping national health programs
- Reduce the disease burden and associated morbidity and mortality by harnessing the Ayurveda and promote awareness of untapped potential of Ayurveda.
- Ayurveda and its holistic principles in farmers, etc.



> Explore the potential of Ayurveda to preserving the health and well-being of environment.

Enhance trust and credibility in Ayurveda through community engagement Focus on the unique strengths of among the general public, students,

Cultivate a culture of "illness to wellness" through Ayurveda for its holistic benefits.

To create awareness that Ayurveda is an evidence-based scientific medical system. About the Ayurveda Day

The History

For the first time since its inception in 2016, Ayurveda Day will be observed on a fixed date i.e. on 23 September - every year, as notified by the Government of India through a Gazette Notification issued in March 2025. Earlier, Ayurveda Day was celebrated on Dhanvantari Jayanti (Dhanteras). The decision to assign a fixed date marks a historic shift, giving Ayurveda



a universal calendar identity and enabling greater participation at the global level. (Source: ayurvedaday.org.in)

NASA rover finds potential sign of ancient life in Martian rocks

New Delhi, Sept. 14

A sample obtained by NASA's Perseverance rover of reddish rock formed billions of years ago from sediment on the bottom of a lake contains potential signs of ancient microbial life on Mars, according to scientists, though the minerals spotted in the sample also can form nonbiological through processes.

The discovery by the sixwheeled rover in Jezero Crater represents one of the best pieces of evidence to date about the possibility that Earth's planetary neighbor once harbored life.

Perseverance scientist Joel Hurowitz of Stony Brook University, lead author of the study published in the presence of life. iournal Nature, said a "potential biosignature" was detected in rock that formed was believed to have been a watery environment, between 3.2 and 3.8 billion years ago.

Acting NASA Administrator conference. Sean Duffy told a news conference that the U.S. space been exploring Jezero Crater, greigite, a mineral bearing agency's scientists examined an area in the planet's iron and sulfur. the data for a year and northern hemisphere that once concluded that "we can't find was flooded with water and have taken place shortly after fieldwork here on Earth to try remain isolated or form Soumyadipta Chakraborty, Dr another explanation, so this home to an ancient lake basin. the mud was deposited on the to understand the various clusters. While this makes Jayeta Banerjee, Indrayani very well could be the clearest Scientists believe river lake bottom. On Earth, pathways that might create them useful in biosensors Patra, Dr Puspendu Barik, and sign of life that we've ever channels spilled over the reactions like these, which features like the ones we and imaging, uncontrolled Prof. Pradhan - employed found on Mars - which is crater wall and created a lake. combine organic matter and observe in the Bright Angel clustering has posed a Evanescent Wave Cavity incredibly exciting."

the rock - a very fine-grained, material called regolith with vivianite and greigite, are the Sapphire Canyon core rusty-red mudstone - bearing its onboard instruments and often driven by the activity of sample if and when it is National Centre for Basic changes in real time. The ring-shaped resembling leopard spots and dark marks resembling poppy inside the rover. seeds. Those features may have been produced when the named Sapphire Canyon in in these settings and potential sample retrieval or (DST) - has now identified structures to form. rock was forming by chemical July 2024 from a rock called producing these new minerals even sending equipment to how to regulate this process. reactions involving microbes, Cheyava Falls in a locale as a byproduct of their Mars to do further analysis according to the researchers.

defined as a substance or from a set of rocky outcrops on found that the rock was rich look at our timing, and how we structure that may have a the edges of Neretva Vallis, an in organic carbon, sulfur, spend money better and what Hydrochloride (GdnHCl), a demonstrates how advanced biological origin but needs ancient river valley about a phosphorus and iron in its technology do we have to get more data or further study quarter of a mile (400 meters) oxidized form, rust. This samples back more quickly," before a conclusion can be wide carved by water rushing combination of chemical Duffy said. (Source: DD | Trp), an amino acid naturally unprecedented sensitivity. made about the absence or into the crater.



Mr. Nicky Fox, associate

NASA released an image of analyzing rocks and loose to form new minerals like tests can only be performed on researchers. features then collecting samples and microbes," Hurowitz told brought back to Earth for sealing them in tubes stored Reuters.

known as Bright Angel rock metabolism," Hurowitz said. A potential biosignature is formation. The sample came

TELLTALE MINERALS

Two minerals were detected administrator for NASA's that appear to have formed as can explore to try to reliable biosensors, improved process, resulting instead in Science Mission Directorate, a result of chemical reactions at a time when Jezero Crater noted that the scientists were between the mud of the these features were formed by not announcing the discovery Bright Angel formation and life, Hurowitz said, "or of a living organism. "It's not organic matter present in that alternatively, whether nature life itself," Fox told the news mud, Hurowitz said. They are: has conspired to present widely used in optical The rover since 2021 has iron and phosphorus, and of life."

"The microbes are

compounds could have NEWS quoting Reuters)

offered a rich source of energy for microbial metabolisms, Hurowitz said. But Hurowitz offered some words of caution.

"The reason, however, that we cannot claim this is more than a potential biosignature is that there are chemical processes that can cause similar reactions in the absence of biology, and we cannot rule those processes out completely on the basis of rover data alone," Hurowitz said.

Mars has not always been the inhospitable place it is New Delhi, Sept. 14 today, with liquid water on its surface in the distant past. The sample collected and analyzed by Perseverance and salts influence the clumped together into dense provides a new example of a behaviour type of potential biosignature | nanoparticles, a finding that presence of L-Trp alongside that the research community | could pave the way for more | GdnHCl | disrupted | this understand whether or not diagnostic tools vivianite, a mineral bearing features that mimic the activity | technologies because of their nanoparticles want to stick

progress on this question with optical properties change the study noted. "These reactions appear to laboratory experiments and depending on whether they Perseverance has been chemical compounds in mud formation. But the ultimate longstanding challenge for Ringdown Spectroscopy (EWstudy," Hurowitz added.

Duffy said NASA is

Scientists discover 'tug of war' in gold nanoparticles, opening path for advanced biosensors



Indian scientists have discovered how everyday introduced, molecules like amino acids nanoparticles of advanced drug delivery a systems.

unique interaction with together tightly, but the "We can make a lot of light. Their colour and amino acid keeps interfering,"

there. "We're going to look at Pradhan, the scientists Chemistry, The rover's instruments our budgets and we're going to experimented with two fresh molecules: found in proteins and linked (Source: DD NEWS)

with relaxation and sleep.

When GdnHCl was rapidly gold clusters. However, the and looser, branched structures phenomenon researchers termed Gold nanoparticles are "frustrated aggregation."

"This is like the

The team - comprising CRDS), a cutting-edge optical A team from the S N Bose technique, to monitor the Sciences, Kolkata - an method revealed that L-Trp autonomous institution stabilises guanidinium ions, under the Department of slowing aggregation and It collected the sample consuming the organic matter examining various ways for Science and Technology allowing more open, stable

> The study, published in Led by Prof. Manik the journal Analytical offers insights Guanidine fundamental nanoscience and strong salt commonly used in optical tools can probe labs, and L-Tryptophan (L- delicate processes with





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F.No.4-48(C)/2024-25/FZO/MB(II)/242 ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR ADMINISTRATION **ZONAL FISHERIES OFFICE, MAYABUNDER**

WALK-IN-INTERVIEW

The Zonal Fisheries Office, N&M Andaman, Mayabunder is going to conduct a Walk-in-Interview in the Conference Hall of The Deputy Commissioners Office, N&MA Distt., Mayabunder from 24.09.2025 to 25.09.2025 at 11.00 AM onwards for recruitment of 03 Nos. vacant post of Sagar Mitra under the Pradhan Mantri Matsya Sampada Yojana (PMMSY) of Department of Fisheries purely on a contract basis. The details for the said post are as

Tonovo.						
Essential qualification	 12th passed in the Science stream. However, preferences will be given those candidates having higher qualification. Preference may be given for the persons from local coastal fishermen village with effective communication skills in the local language. Preference will be given to the woman candidates. 					
Desirable qualification	Knowledge of Information Technology with atleast 1 year duration from a recognized institute.					
Consolidated Pay	To provide fixed incentive of Rs. 15,000/- per month.					
Date & time of the interview	24/09/2025 & 25/09/2025, Time: 11.00 AM onwards Reporting time 8.30 AM to till 10.45 AM					
Venue of the interview	Conference hall of the Deputy Commissioners Office, N&M Andaman, Mayabunder.					

All the candidates are requested to bring necessary supporting documents in original as per above mentioned eligible criteria alongwith one set of photocopy all the supporting documents and two passport size photographs on the day of

[Note: The candidates reaching the venue after the given reporting time will not be allowed to appear in the interview.]

Assistant Director of Fisheries ZONAL FISHERIES OFFICE, N&MA, MAYABUNDER

NOTICE INVITING e-TENDERS

The Executive Engineer, Panchayati Raj Institution, South Andaman Division-I on behalf of the Pradhan, Gram Panchayat, Hut Bay, Little Andaman invites online item rate tender (in CPWD form-8) from bonafide and experienced contractors for the below mentioned work. 1. NIT No. EE/PRI/SAD-I/RR/2025-26/100 Name of Work: Widening of existing Chequer tiles Footpath at Chidambaram Park Ward No. 07 under Gram Panchavat Hut Bay, Little Andaman. Estimated Cost: Rs. 45,47,170/-, Earnest Money Deposit: Rs. 90,943/-, Time of Completion: Four (04) Months, Tender Fee: Rs. 500/- & last date & time of submission

of bid: 18/09/2025 (1500 hrs.) The tender forms and other details can be obtained from the website https://eprocure.andamannicobar.gov.in.

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& time of submission of bid: 18/09/2025 (1500 hrs.) The tender forms and other details can be obtained from the website https://eprocure.andamannicobar.gov.in.

Estimated Cost: Rs. 13,85,262/-, Earnest Money Deposit: Rs. 27,705/-,

Time of Completion: Four (04) Months, Tender Fee: Rs. 500/- & last date

Fender ID: 2025 RDPRI 19904 1

I.D. No. 11774

Executive Engineer Panchayati Raj Institution South Andaman Division-I Junglighat, Sri Vijaya Puram **South Andaman**

No. e-Tender /DB/SD/2025-26/552 OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER STORE DIVISION A.P.W.D, SRI VIJAYA PURAM

Sri Vijaya Puram dated the 10/09/2025

NOTICE INVITING e- TENDERS

The Executive Engineer, Store Division, A.P.W.D., Sri Vijaya Puram on behalf of the President of India invites online item rate bids from approved and bonafide manufacturers / Startup India / Authorized Dealers subject to the condition that they have experience on supplying the relevant magnitude of items as per CPWD Works Manual and with other GOI organizations and do not have any adverse remarks for the following work.

NIT No.	:	06/EE/SD/DB/2025-26		
Name of work		Annual Requirement of material to be		
		procured by Store Division, of APWD,		
		Sri Vijaya Puram during 2025-26.		
Sub Work	:	Supply of Paint and Nail Items		
Estimated Cost	:	Rs. 12,87,900/-		
Earnest Money	:	Rs. 25,758/-		
Period of Completion	:	02 (Months)		
Bid Submission End Date	:	24/09/2025 (1000 Hrs.)		
Bid Opening Date:	:	24/09/2025 (1100 Hrs.)		

Tender ID 2025 APWD 19911 1

The Tender forms and other details can be obtained from the website www.eprocure.andamannicobar.gov.in

I.D. No. 11776

Executive Engineer Store Division APWD, Sri Vijaya Puram

R.C. No. 189/2025/DC(SA)/2087 OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER **SOUTH ANDAMAN DISTRICT**

PUBLIC NOTICE

Sri Vijaya Puram, dated the 2nd August, 2025. This is for the information of the general public that Smti. L Chander Dev Uppadhaya, S/o Late usi Ram" has requested the Deputy Commissioner (SA) for correction of his name as "L CHANDER DEV UPPADHAYA." instead of "L CHANDER DEV UPADHYA." jointly recorded in the revenue records in respect of land bearing Survey No. 50/25 measuring area 0.0260 hects. ituated at Haddo Village under Sri Vijaya Puram Tehsil.

If any person has claims and objections in the above subject matter, they shall submit their claims / objections before this Court within 15 days from the date of publication in the newspaper person or through authorized agents alongwith all relevant records.

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