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## Foundation stone for Telephone Exchange Building laid at Radhanagar **Communication & IT Minister emphasizes on importance of modern ICT technology for realization of 'Digital India'**



Havelock, Jan 1  
 The Union Minister of Communication & Information Technology, Shri Ravi Shankar Prasad today laid foundation stone for construction of a modern Telephone Exchange building at Radhanagar, Havelock. The proposed technical building shall be constructed at a newly acquired site of BSNL at Radhanagar, not far from Radhanagar sea beach. The new building will inter-alia house Submarine Cable Landing Station, besides other modern telecom facilities.  
 Addressing the gathering, the Minister underlined the importance of the use of modern ICT technology for the realization of Digital India as initiated by the Govt. of India. The function was attended by about 100 officials and public representatives. While enquiring about who among the audiences are the users of social media like Facebook, the Minister expressed satisfaction when majority affirmed about

their access to the social media. In a simple term, Shri Ravi Shankar Prasad explained how the social media is gaining importance in overall governance of Administration. The Minister underlined the importance of having modern and state of the art technology to meet the growing demands of high speed data services by the visiting tourist.  
 The Minister also encouraged the Administration of Union Territory of Andaman and Nicobar Islands to extent full support and help in building State-of-the-Art infrastructure for telecom services by BSNL in Radhanagar.  
 In the beginning of the programme, the Minister unveiled a plaque and laid foundation stone with the vedic mantra.  
 Earlier, Shri R.N. Jha, Chief General Manager, BSNL, A&N Circle welcomed the Union Minister. The PGM, BSNL Corporate Office, Shri P.K. Pandey highlighted about the ongoing activities for the expansion of satellite bandwidths.  
 The CGM, A&NI assured the Minister that BSNL is committed to improve the telecommunications/ICT services across A&N Islands.

### Islanders usher in New Year amidst fanfare

Port Blair, Jan 1  
 Festivities marked the New Year celebrations in the capital town of Port Blair and elsewhere in these Islands. People from all walks of life welcomed the New Year - 2016. They participated in different programmes in the town and its suburbs. As the clock struck 12 in the midnight signaling the

advent of New Year, people were seen exchanging New Year greetings. Young and old came out of their houses and joined the New Year revelers on the streets.  
 New Year was celebrated in a very befitting manner with dinner parties accompanied with musical bands and various modes of

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## Radhanagar Beach- a living example of success of 'Swatch Bharat Abhiyan'

Havelock, Jan 1  
 The Minister of Communication & Information Technology, Shri Ravi Shankar Prasad today lauded the facilities at Radhanagar Beach and its upkeep. The Minister said this addressing the function to lay the



foundation stone for construction of modern Telephone Exchange building at Radhanagar, Havelock.  
 The Minister stated he is extremely delighted to see the neat and clean environment of this beach and termed it as a living example of the success of 'Swatch Bharat Abhiyan' launched by the Govt. of India.

## Feeling of Nationalism very high in A&N Islands: Inderesh Kumarji

### December 30 needs to be celebrated in a broader way

DT Correspondent  
 Port Blair, Jan.01

There is no place either in the country or elsewhere in the world, where the feeling of nationalism is so high like it is in Andaman and Nicobar Islands. The people of these Islands have great feeling of nationalism, observed Shri Inderesh Kumarji, Marg Darshak FANS (Forum for Awareness of National Security), who is also the General Secretary RSS, while addressing a press conference in the conference hall of Hotel TSG Emerald View here this evening. Not much is known about the history of these Islands to the mainland people, where hundreds of freedom fighters were incarcerated in Cellular jail and had to undergo horrendous tortures safeguarding their motherland, he said.

Reiterating the need to celebrate December 30, in a bigger way, involving foreign as well as domestic tourists,



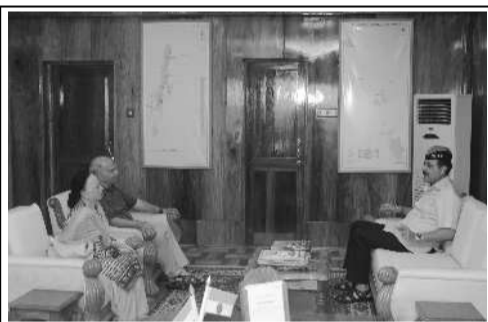
Shri Inderesh said that this will create awareness among the people about the historical significance of the Day, on which the first tri-colour was hoisted by Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose, declaring these Islands independent. He said that he had discussed the matter with the Administration. Besides, to make the Islands a place of patriotic tourism, Tourism Cells on patriotism, cultural

heritage of the Islands, national integration etc need to be developed in places like Viper Island and Cellular Jail for the benefit of foreign and domestic tourists.  
 Touching on the matter relating to renaming the Islands, Shri Inderesh said that he had met the elected representatives of local governing body like the Zilla Parishad and Port Blair Municipal Council, besides

the higher authority of the Administration and appealed to them to discuss the matter taking into consideration, people's views from all walks of life, so that the matter can be submitted to the Central Government.

Shri Inderesh also highlighted the FANS activities during 2016, which include skill development for SC/ST, other economically

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Shri Shanta Kumar, Hon'ble Member of Parliament (Lok Sabha), Chairman Committee on Public Undertakings and former Chief Minister of Himachal Pradesh, who is on a visit to these Islands called on the Hon'ble Lt Governor, Lt Gen A K Singh (Retd), at Raj Niwas on 01.01.2016.

## Lt. Governor to inaugurate 7<sup>th</sup> Public Information Campaign on Jan 3 at Ferrargunj

### Flagship programmes of Central Govt. to be highlighted

Staff Reporter,  
 Port Blair, Jan 1  
 The 7th Public Information Campaign (PIC) will be held from January 3 to 5 at Football Ground, Ferrargunj, South Andaman. Being organized by the Press Information Bureau, Port Blair, the three day Public Information Campaign is based on the theme "Sabka Sath- Sabka Vikas", a slogan devised by the Prime Minister of India, Shri Narendra Modi. This Campaign is all set to be inaugurated by the Lt. Governor, A&N Islands, Lt. Gen. AK Singh (Retd) as the chief guest on January 3, at 10.30 am at Football ground, Ferrargunj, South Andaman. The Member of Parliament, Shri Bishnu Pada Ray will be guest of honour.

Disclosing this at a press conference, the Addl. Director General, PIB, Kolkata, Shri D. Chakrabarti said that the PIC is not only a campaign but it is also a festival. The aim of organizing this campaign is to communicate the importance and benefits of the Central Government's flagship programmes and its implementation done in the Andaman & Nicobar Islands. Seminars on Banking & Financial Inclusion, Swasth Bharat- Sashakt Bharat, (Swatch Bharat Abhiyan, Beti Bacho- Beti Padhao, Mission Indradhanush) will also be organized for creating awareness and wider publicity, he added.  
 Earlier, PICs have been organized by the PIB, Port Blair at Wimberlygunj, Rangat, Diglipur, Car

Nicobar, Hut Bay and Kamorta. This time, the PIC is being conducted at Ferrargunj Tehsil the adopted village by the Member of Parliament, Shri Bishnu Pada Ray under Prime Minister's 'Saansad Adarsh Gram

Yojana'.  
 Shri VM VanoI, Nodal Officer, PIC, Ferrargunj informed that in order to project the development undertaken by the different departments of the

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### Hindrance faced by PBMC in providing civic amenities highlighted

Port Blair, Jan 1  
 The Chairperson, Port Blair Municipal Council (PBMC) alongwith few Councilors met the Chief Secretary, A & N Administration on 28th December 2015 to appraise the Administration about the hindrances faced by the Council to provide civic services to the extended part of the Council.  
 Important aspect such as delay in transfer of funds in respect of area covered by

Panchayats earlier, which has been annexed to the Council limits, subsequent to delimitation, lack of adequate manpower, handing over of Panchayat assets in these areas were discussed. Besides, the matter of allotment of land to Council for developmental purposes was also taken up.  
 The Chief Secretary, after giving a patient hearing, assured to provide all assistance, a communication from PBMC said.

## Air India to operate chartered flights on Chennai Sector

### Flight service on every Wednesdays & alternate Saturdays from Jan 6 to Dec. 31

Port Blair, Jan 1  
 Air India will operate increased frequency of chartered flights for A & N Administration on Chennai-Port Blair-Chennai Sector on every Wednesdays and alternate Saturdays (1st,3rd & 5th Saturdays) from 6th January 2016 upto 31st December, 2016. Accordingly, the flight AI-3787/3549 will depart from Chennai at 10.30 am and reach Port Blair at 12.40 pm. Similarly, the flight AI-3788/3550 will depart from Port Blair at 1.20 pm and land at Chennai at 3.35 pm. Initially, advance ticketing

will be done for the flights scheduled to operate on the following dates till March, 2016.  
 Passengers intending to travel from Port Blair to Chennai and from Chennai to Port Blair on above flights can book their tickets in advance at the Inter-Island Helicopter terminal, VIP Road, Port Blair between 09 am to 4 pm on all working days from 4th January, 2016 onwards.  
 A total of 66 General Quota tickets for the Islanders and 13 Non-Islanders tickets for travel from Port Blair to Chennai and 33 tickets for

1 <sup>st</sup> January, 2016 to 31 <sup>st</sup> March, 2016		
January, 2016	February, 2016	March, 2016
6 <sup>th</sup> January, 2016 (Wednesday)	3 <sup>rd</sup> February, 2016 (Wednesday)	2 <sup>nd</sup> March, 2016 (Wednesday)
13 <sup>th</sup> January, 2016 (Wednesday)	6 <sup>th</sup> February, 2016 (Saturday)	5 <sup>th</sup> March, 2016 (Saturday)
16 <sup>th</sup> January, 2016 (Saturday)	10 <sup>th</sup> February, 2016 (Wednesday)	9 <sup>th</sup> March, 2016 (Wednesday)
20 <sup>th</sup> January, 2016 (Wednesday)	17 <sup>th</sup> February, 2016 (Wednesday)	16 <sup>th</sup> March, 2016 (Wednesday)
27 <sup>th</sup> January, 2016 (Wednesday)	20 <sup>th</sup> February, 2016 (Saturday)	19 <sup>th</sup> March, 2016 (Saturday)
30 <sup>th</sup> January, 2016 (Saturday)	24 <sup>th</sup> February, 2016 (Wednesday)	23 <sup>rd</sup> March, 2016 (Wednesday)
		30 <sup>th</sup> March, 2016 (Wednesday)

travel from Chennai to Port Blair in each flight can be booked from the counter at Port Blair. Besides, tickets for sector Chennai to Port Blair can also be booked at the

Directorate of Shipping Services counter at Chennai, No.5 Rajaji Salai, near Custom House, Chennai, a communication received here said.

**SPORTS**

**PBL kicks off today, to experiment with Trump match**

Mumbai, Jan 01  
The revamped Premier Badminton League (PBL) commencing here tomorrow with hosts Mumbai Rockets taking on the Saina Nehwal-spearheaded Awadhe Warriors, is to experiment with a new concept - Trump match that's expected to keep the interest till the end of a tie.  
The League, revived after a gap of two years following a successful inaugural Indian Badminton League in 2013, has brought in the fresh idea in which each of the competing teams will nominate one match in each tie as their Trump Card.  
A victory by the team that picked the particular game as its Trump will provide it with one extra point but a

defeat will set it back by one point, and the intrigue generated by this new concept would keep the ties alive till the end, according to national coach Pullela Gopichand. "It's a great addition to the league to ensure that the excitement remains till the end of the tie. Two teams can nominate the same match as Trump match. This ensures that the last two matches are also important in a tie," said Gopichand here in the run-up to the League opener.  
"Even a 3-0 lead is not sufficient to win as you still can lose the tie. Spectators' interest will be kept alive. It needs to be seen how the players react to the extra pressure. Some play better under pressure and some others crack," he said.

**Vijender Singh's next bout on Feb 13**

New Delhi, Jan 01  
When most people are looking for a place to party on new year's eve, star Indian boxer Vijender Singh is running around trying to gain access to a decent gym as he gears up for his next professional contest scheduled on February 13, the opponent is not known yet but Vijender, who has won all his three pro bouts so far via knockouts, would be flying back to the United Kingdom on January 4. "The next fight is on February 13, the opponent is not known yet but I continue to train regularly. Right now I am looking for a gym to do the routine for today. It's New Year's eve so gyms seem to be closed because I guess people want to party. But I will request somebody to let me in for some time," Vijender told PTI after being turned away by a five-star facility near his home in Gurgaon. "I can't afford to take it easy. I have to be on my toes because my body cannot do without workout. So let people party, I would be in gym working out," he said. The 30-year-old's nascent pro career has been nothing short of sensational with all his wins coming in under three rounds. His first two bouts were meant to be four-round affairs, while the third one was to be a six-round contest. His next bout could be an eight-round fight but India's first Olympic and World Championships medalist prefers to keep things short and sensational. "Isn't it thrilling? It's like blink and you miss it, it's fun to fight like that. It saves me effort, the longer the bout, more the effort. Who would want to drag things? I give so much in my training that it's good that the actual contest doesn't last long," he said.



**Test for Yuvi, Harbhajan, Nehra as T20 today**

New Delhi, Jan 1  
Veterans Yuvraj Singh, Harbhajan Singh and Ashish Nehra would like to get some quality match time before the T20 series in Australia, as the National Twenty20 championship for Syed Mushtaq Ali Trophy kicks off tomorrow across four different cities. The tournament will serve the dual purpose for cricketers vying for top honours. For India internationals like comeback men Yuvraj and Nehra, along with fringe players, it will be a testing ground where they can stake claim for a berth in the team for ICC World T20 in March.  
For those plying their trade in domestic cricket, Mushtaq Ali T20 trophy will give them a platform to impress the various franchises with their skills before the big IPL auction in February.  
The BCCI, in a positive step, has decided to hold Mushtaq Ali T20 keeping the World T20 in mind.

The tournament over years had lost significance for being conducted hastily just before Indian Premier League. With auctions over, the domestic talents did not get an opportunity to land IPL contracts. Punjab skipper Harbhajan and Yuvraj will be fighting it out against Rajasthan at Kochi while Nehra, who made a comeback into the Indian team after four and half years, will be getting himself battle ready with Delhi taking on Railways.  
Itinerary  
In Nagpur (Group A) Bengal v Hyderabad; Gujarat v Himachal Pradesh; Haryana v Tamil Nadu; In Kochi (Group B): Rajasthan v Punjab; Kerala v Jammu & Kashmir; Saurashtra v Tripura; In Vadodra (Group C): Andhra v Madhya Pradesh; Assam v Baroda; Delhi v Railways; In Cuttack (Group D): Mumbai v Odisha; Karnataka v Services; Maharashtra v Uttar Pradesh.

**India ekes out a narrow win to enter final**

Thiruvananthapuram, Jan 1  
The men in blue alternated between brilliant and mediocre and sneaked out 3-2 winners over Maldives to enter the final of the SAFF Suzuki Cup football championship at the Greenfield stadium here on Thursday.  
Jeje Lalpekhlua scored a brace (34 & 65) after captain Sunil Chetri nodded in the opening goal in the 24th minute. However, two freezes by the Indian defence enabled Maldives pull two back through Nashid Ahmed (45) and Ali Amdhan (75).  
Coach Stephen Constantine made three changes from the team that won against Nepal. Jeje teamed up with Chetri up front while defender Annab Mondal and Gurpreet Singh came in for Khongjee and Subrata Paul respectively.  
Maldives made five changes in the squad that lost to Afghanistan in the last match. It started the

match with flourish, but India goalkeeper Gurpreet Singh brought off a nice save to deny Fasil Ali in the 5th minute. The Indians shrugged off their tentativeness and played with more freedom in the midfield. Holicharan Nazary, who played behind Chetri and Jeje, was again the influential player in the midfield.  
With Bikash Jaiu using the width on the left, the Indians wrested control of the match. Maldives's biggest threat, Ashfaq Ali, was tightly marked and wasn't allowed much space inside the box.  
Annab had a goal disallowed in the 12th minute when he found the net from close as the ball was relayed to him from the left flank. However, India didn't slacken and the sustained pressure saw it breach the Maldives defence in the 24th minute with Chetri heading in a cross from Narzary.

**Athletic meet of GSSS Rangachang held**

Port Blair, Jan 1  
The 47th annual athletic meet of GSSS Rangachang was held on Dec. 30 at Rangachang school playground. Smt. V. Shanthi, Pradhan, Beodnabad Gram Panchayat was the chief guest of opening ceremony while Shri Abdul Majeed, JE, APWD was the guest of honour.  
Shri Mohan Nair, Up-Pramukh, Samiti, Port Blair Tehsil declared the meet closed while Smt. Farida Bibi, ZP Member, Beodnabad Panchayat was the guest of honour. The Principal of the School, Shri N.K. Bhunia welcomed the gathering while the vote of thanks was proposed by Smt. Sangeeta, PGT.

**Athletic meet of Port Mout school**

Port Blair, Jan 1  
The 41st annual athletic meet of GSSS Port Mout was celebrated in a befitting manner yesterday at the school playground. The Pradhan, Gram Panchayat Chouldari, Shri Mohan Halder declared the meet open. The Vice Chairman, PTA, Shri C. Mohammed Kutty was the guest of honour. The Vice Principal, Smt. Lata Singh welcomed the gathering. The overall championship was won by Vikramsheela House. In the senior boys & girls events category Akash Halder of Nalanda House & Alka Kerketta of Vikramsheela House were judged individual champions respectively. The meet was declared closed by Smt. Anita Kumari, Assistant Engineer, APWD while Smt. Tabsum, JE, APWD was the guest of honour.

**Aamir returns to Pak squad**

Karachi, Jan 01  
Tainted pacer Muhammad Aamir on Friday returned to the Pakistan cricket squad for the limited-overs away series against New Zealand, completing a cycle of redemption following his spectacular fall from grace in the 2010 spot-fixing scandal.

**MORE LOCAL NEWS**

**Zonal Level Science, Maths & Environmental Education Exhibition held**

Port Blair, Jan 1  
A one-day Zonal Level Science, Maths & Environmental Education Exhibition 2015 of the Wimberlygunj Educational Zone was organized at the premises of Govt. Middle School, Kanyapuram yesterday. The exhibition was inaugurated by Shri Subir Chander, Up-Adhyaksh, Zilla Parishad (South Andaman) as chief guest. In his inaugural address, the chief guest lauded the efforts made by teachers and students to put up such a Zonal Level extravaganza which has given the children a platform to exhibit their talents in the field of Science, Maths & Environmental Education.  
Shri Sanjeeb Kumar Mondal, Zilla Parishad Member, Mithakhari also expressed his views. Miss V.K.Mariyam Bibi, Ex-Adhyaksha, Zilla Parishad, Shri Gagan Deep Singh, Zilla Parishad Member, Campbell Bay, Shri K.Manickam, Pradhan, Wimberlygunj Gram



Issue of unutilized tickets  
Port Blair, Jan 1  
The unutilized/surrendered tickets from the reserved quota for the scheduled sailing of MV Nancowry for Chennai on Jan 3, 2016 will be issued to the general public on Jan 2 from 1000 Hrs onwards at STARS Ticketing Counters, Phoenix Bay, a communication said.

to be held at Port Blair in January. Shri Gyan Sheel Dubey, Deputy Education Officer expressed happiness over the successful conduct of this gala event which is not only a platform for displaying their talents but also a moral booster for the children to come up with new innovative ideas and conception.  
The exhibition concluded with the vote of thanks being proposed by Shri O.Hassainar, AIOS/Head Master(P).

**Noble gesture by JNRM ABVP**

Port Blair, Jan 1  
The JNRM Unit of Akhil Bharatiya Vidyarthi Parishad (ABVP) mobilized Rs. Rs.103112/- for the relief fund for the recent devastating heavy rain which has caused damage to the property and people in Chennai. The amount were collected in a collection box and handed over to Dr.Anjani

Kumar Srivastava the President of ABVP A&N Islands at JNRM. The amount collected were deposited in the Account of Elaya Bharatham Seva Trust, Tamil Nadu, managed by ABVP Tamil Nadu which is exclusively working for restoration and settlement of flood victims, a communication said.

**Seminar & quiz competition by DHS**

Port Blair, Jan 1  
The Directorate of Health Services, A & N Administration will conduct various programmes at Ferrargunj School Ground as part of Public Information Campaign (PIC) to be held from 3rd to 5th January 2016. Accordingly, a seminar on the topic 'Beti - Bachao and Beti - Padhao', 'Swach Bharat Abhyan' and 'Mission Indra Dhanush' on Jan 4 from 10 am to 1 pm at community

hall, Ferrargunj.  
Similarly, a quiz contest on the topic 'Health and Life Style' will be organised on Jan 5 from 10 am at community hall, Ferrargunj. The first prize winner will get a sum of Rs.5,000/- while second and third prizes winners will get Rs.3000/- and Rs.2000/- respectively. Two consolation prizes of Rs.1000/- each will also be awarded, a communication received here said.

**Farewell accorded**

Port Blair, Jan 1  
The officers & staff of the Directorate of Transport in a simple function held yesterday at the Directorate bid farewell to Shri Sayed Alvi, Assistant Director (Admn.), who retired from service on superannuation pension. All the cheques of pensionary benefit have been handed over to him by the Secretary (Transport). Shri M.Mohammed, Superintendent of Fisheries and Shri G.Erraiah, Jr. Deck Hand of

the Department of Fisheries have attended superannuation on Nov. 30 & Dec. 31 respectively.  
Meanwhile, a simple function was arranged at the conference hall of State Institute of Education to bid farewell to Shri K. Ramachandran, GTT attached to this institution who retired on superannuation yesterday. Dr. R. Dev Das, Principal, SIE handed over the cheques relating to his retirement benefits.

**New Year celebrated onboard Makruzz**



Port Blair, Jan 1  
On the occasion of the New Year eve, Makruzz greeted all the guests and the Master of the vessel cut the ceremonial

cake. A lucky draw was also held onboard the vessel during voyage from Port Blair to Havelock, a communication said.

**WEATHER**

Partly cloudy sky. Maximum and minimum temperature will be around 31°C and 26°C respectively on Saturday 02/01/2016  
**Observational data for Port Blair in last 24 hours**  
Maximum Temperature (°C): 31.2  
Minimum Temperature (°C): 26.7  
Relative Humidity (%) at 0830 IST: 068  
Relative Humidity (%) at 1730 IST: 077  
Sunrise Time for tomorrow (in IST): 0540  
Sunset Time for tomorrow (in IST): 1708  
Rainfall upto 0830 hrs of date (last 24 hrs) in mm: 000.0  
Rainfall upto 1730 hrs of date in mm: 000.0  
Rainfall (Progressive total from 1st January 15: 0.0 upto 0830 hrs (of date) in mm

**CINEMA**

**DIVIYUM TALKIES**  
**Following is the Schedule for Week Jan 1 - 7**  
Point Break (English UA) - 1:30 PM & 7:30 PM  
Point Break (Hindi UA) - 4:30 PM  
Dilwale - (Hindi UA) - 12:00 PM & 7:00 PM  
Bajirao Mastani - (Hindi U) - 3:30 PM  
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**INTER ISLAND SECTOR:-**  
The cargo vessel MV Badam will sail for Hut Bay on 04.01.2016 (Mon) at 2000 Hrs from Haddo/Chatham Wharf and will sail for Port Blair immediately after discharging/loading of Cargo at Hut Bay.  
Note: Booking of cargo tickets for the above sailing will be done on 04.01.2016 between 0900 Hrs to 1200 Hrs at Commercial Wing. All the consigners are advised to book actual quantity of cargo to be transhipped, as no excess cargo will be allowed.  
MV Kamorta will sail for Havelock on 02.01.2016 (Sat) at 0620 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 0900 Hrs from Havelock.(Additional Service).  
MV Kamorta will sail for Havelock on 02.01.2016 (Sat) at 1400 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 1630 Hrs from Havelock. (Additional Service).  
Due to administrative reasons the scheduled sailing of MV Kamorta for Diglipur on 02.01.2016 at 0700 Hrs from Port Blair and back on the same day at 2100 Hrs from Diglipur has been cancelled. Passengers those who have already purchased their tickets for the above sailing are advised to cancel their tickets and get refunded from STARS Counters.  
MV Sentinel will sail for Car Nicobar via Hut Bay on 04.01.2016 (Mon) at 0700 Hrs from Haddo Wharf and will sail for Port Blair on 05.01.2016 (Tue) at 0800 Hrs from Car Nicobar via Hut Bay. Passenger tickets for the above sailing will be issued to the general public from 02.01.2016 (Sat) at STARS Ticketing Counters.  
02.01.2016 (SATURDAY)  
HAVELOCK & NEIL ISLAND  
MV Bambooka will sail for Havelock on 02.01.2016 (Sat) at 0620 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 0900 Hrs from Havelock.  
MV Rani Changa sail for Neil Island on 02.01.2016 (Sat) at 0630 Hrs. from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 0845 Hrs from Neil Island.  
MV Rani Changa will sail for Neil Island on 02.01.2016 (Sat) at 1100 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 1600 Hrs from Neil Island.  
MV Rani Changa will sail for Havelock on 02.01.2016 (Sat) at 1300 Hrs from Neil Island Jetty and will sail back to Neil Island on the same day at 1445 Hrs from Havelock.  
MV Bambooka will sail for Neil Island on 01.01.2016 (Fri) at 1200 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 1415 Hrs from Neil Island. (Additional Service)  
Due to administrative reasons the vessel MV Bambooka will now sail for Havelock on 02.01.2016 (Sat) at 1630 Hrs instead of 1400 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 1900 Hrs instead of 1630 Hrs from Havelock.

**Feeling of Nationalism ...**

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backward section, to enable them to become self reliant, implementation of the flagship programme of the Government, including Beti Bachao, Beti Padhao, Swachha Bharat Abhiyan.  
Shri Inderesh also answered a volley of queries to the satisfaction of the scribes.

**Lt. Governor to ...**

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Administration, altogether 30 stalls have been erected by departments of the Administration, Central Govt. Department and Defence. Through these stalls, not only development undertaken by the Administration in different fields will be projected but also the implementation of the above flagship programmes, implementation for public welfare during the last one year of NDA regime will be focused.

The queries of the public, students visiting these stalls will be explained through printed literature and by competent officials during the campaign. For entertainment, popular feature films carrying the social message will be screened in the Exhibition premises along with short details of Prime Minister's flagship programmes to give wide publicity. The details of the screening will be made available on day to day basis. Besides cultural programmes and food stalls will be made available for public.

**Islanders usher ....**

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entertainment at many places. The dignitaries of the Administration and political leaders also extended their greetings to the citizens. People also gathered at their respective religious places to offer prayers. Special prayers and night mass was observed in Churches.  
At the dawn of New Year there were bursting of crackers, shouts of joy, dance, greetings and celebrations.