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Lt. Governor leads Islanders in paying tributes to Mahatma Gandhi



Port Blair, Oct 3

The Lt. Governor, A&N Islands, Prof. Jagdish Mukhi led the Islanders in paying rich tributes to Father of the Nation, Mahatma Gandhi on his birth anniversary yesterday (Oct 2). At a solemn function held at Mahatma Gandhi Statue, Mohanpura, the Lt. Governor paid floral tribute to the Mahatma. Floral tributes were also paid by the Member of Parliament, Shri Bishnu Pada Ray, Chief Secretary, Shri Anindo Majumdar, PBMC Chairperson, Shri Eshwar Rao, PBMC Councilors, PRIs, eminent citizens, senior officers of the Administration.

A multi religious prayer was also conducted in which Holy scriptures were recited by representatives of different religions, followed by Ramdhun and prayers by teachers/students of Education Department. The Lt. Governor and other dignitaries also witnessed the spinning of Khadi on occasion.

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LG flags off 'Eco Ride' initiative by A&N Police

Port Blair, Oct. 3

Lt Governor, Prof Jagdish Mukhi flagged off an 'Eco Ride' by Tourist Police at Raj Niwas on 2nd October 2016. As part of Govt of India initiative to promote environment friendly transportation and the Lt. Governor's vision plan, Andaman & Nicobar Police has taken the initiative to facilitate tourists to promote green energy so as to maintain ecological health of these beautiful Islands.

The A&N Police is encouraging tourists and islanders to use bicycle as mode of transport in selected places free of cost. 'Eco Ride' initiative aims at facilitating tourists by enabling them to tour the tourist spots in Port Blair area on bicycle. This is a part of green initiative taken by A & N Police to keep the islands pollution free. Under this initiative, bicycles would be allotted to tourists free of cost from a fixed counter located at Marina Park. After enjoying the "Eco Ride" tourist will have to deposit the bicycle at the same counter. The counter will be manned by Traffic Police personnel. Apart from this, Tourist Police would patrol certain areas by bicycle which are frequented by tourists such as Marina, Corbyn Cove in a more eco-



As part of the Gandhi Jayanti celebrations, Hon'ble Lt Governor, Prof Jagdish Mukhi flagged off an 'Eco Ride' by Tourist Police at Raj Niwas on 2nd October 2016.



A delegation of Indian Information Service Probationers, who are on a visit to the Islands called on the Hon'ble Lt Governor, Prof Jagdish Mukhi, at Raj Niwas on 3rd October 2016.

Khadi exhibition culminates with prize distribution

First Lady calls for more usage of Khadi products by all



Staff Reporter
Port Blair, Oct 3

As part of the celebration of Gandhi Jayanti, the A&N Islands Khadi & Village Industries Board organised a series of programmes viz. Khadi Sales-cum-Exhibition

from Sept 21st to Oct 2, essay writing & drawing competitions, awareness generation on ill effect of alcohol and 'swachta abhiyan', which culminated with a valedictory function held in the conference hall of



Directorate of Industries here this morning. The First Lady of A&N Islands, Smti Prem Mukhi was the chief guest on the occasion. The Secretary Industries, Smti Rashmi Singh was also present on the occasion.

Addressing the gathering, the First Lady expressed profound happiness in being part of the valedictory programme. She said, as we celebrate the 147th birth anniversary of Mahatma

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Lt. Governor interacts with local media Outlines vision for all-round development of A&N Islands

Port Blair, Oct 3

The Administration is conscious about the needs and aspirations of the people of the Islands and is making focused and concerted efforts in taking the Islands towards the path of further development, said the Lt Governor, A&N Islands, Prof. Jagdish Mukhi while interacting with the members of the local press during his maiden press conference in the Isles at Raj Niwas yesterday. The Chief Secretary, A&N Administration, Shri Anindo Majumdar, DGP, Shri Rajesh Malik, Secretary (IP), Dr. A.K. Singla and other senior officers of the Administration were also present on the occasion.

The Lt Governor informed the scribes about the various steps being taken by the A&N Administration to strengthen all the sectors to benefit the Islands and the Islanders.

Regarding connectivity, the Lt Governor said, it is the most important sector that the Administration is focusing on. Various steps will be taken to improve connectivity in all spheres - better connectivity by air and water and internet and phone connectivity. The Administration plans to acquire 4 new ships for use in waterways leading from Port Blair. 10 smaller ships are also



being purchased for harbour ferry & other nearby Islands. As part of expansion of flight services, Indigo has started operation of flight in Kolkata-Port Blair route from 28th September, Vistara has also started its flight from Kolkata-Port Blair on 30th September. Similarly, Go Air has started flight services from Mumbai and Bengaluru to Port Blair from 1st October 2016, he said, adding that Central Govt is also being approached for subsidized fares to Andaman, akin to the subsidy structure followed for Srinagar, Leh and Ladakh and North East.

The Lt Governor expressed happiness that the Central

Govt. has given final approval to the project of undersea cable from Chennai to A&N Islands. The estimated cost of the project is Rs 1102.38 crores, including operational expenses for 5 years. The project is likely to be completed by December 2018. This would equip A&N Islands with appropriate bandwidth and telecom connectivity for implementation of e-Governance initiatives; establishment of IT and ITES Industry & e-commerce facilities. It will also enable the provision of adequate support to educational institutions for knowledge sharing, availability of job

opportunities and fulfill the vision of Digital India.

Stating that generation of green power is his immediate priority, the Lt Governor said, target for the islands is achieving 100% green power by December 2018, through alternative sources such as solar, hydro, wind, waves and LNG. Several steps in this direction have already been taken, he said. As of now, over 90% of power generated in A&N islands is through diesel. Burning diesel not only pollutes the environment, it is too costly as well, he said.

The Lt Governor informed that Raj Niwas has taken a leap in this direction. The office of

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Symposium on alcoholism held

Administration to curb consumption of liquor in entire Islands: LG

Separate Directorate of Prohibition to be established



Port Blair, Oct. 3

The Directorate of Social Welfare organized a symposium titled 'Dweep Samuh me Shrarab ek Samasya- Charcha wah samadhan' in the auditorium of the Jawaharlal Nehru Rajkeeya Mahavidyalaya yesterday (Oct.2). The Lt. Governor, A&N Islands, Prof. Jagdish Mukhi was the chief guest on the occasion, while the Member of Parliament, Shri Bishnu Pada Ray was the guest of honour. Eminent speakers from civil society organizations shared their views, besides an open-house session was also organized to seek views/

suggestions from the participants on the subject of the symposium. The function was also attended by the First Lady of these Islands, Smt. Prem Mukhi, Chief Secretary, A&N Administration, Shri Anindo Majumdar, Smt. Rupa Ray, State BJP President, Shri Vishal Jolly, DGP, Shri Rajesh Malik, Chairperson SSWB, Dr. Poonam Arora, Officiating Chairperson UTCPDR, Ms. Kiran Tigga, students and good a number of citizens.

Addressing the gathering, the Lt Governor firstly greeted the people of these Islands on the occasion of Gandhi Jayanti being the birthday of



the Father of the Nation, Mahatma Gandhi, the apostle of peace and non-violence. The Lt Governor showered all praise for the Social Welfare Department for organizing the symposium on a very

important topic concerning the Islands, enabling all to understand opinion of general public on the topic in the open-house session. The Lt Governor highlighted

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SPORTS

India beat New Zealand, dethrone Pakistan as the Number 1 side in ICC Test Rankings

Kolkata, Oct 3
India reclaimed the number one spot in ICC Test Rankings, after defeating New Zealand by 178 runs in the second Test at Eden Gardens.

With 10 wins and two draws in their last 12 matches, India have been unstoppable on home turf in a journey that began with the 1-2 series loss against England in December 2012.

In the middle of a 12-match unbeaten streak at home, there are still 11 Test matches to go in the long home-season for the hosts.

India pulled off a brilliant all-round performance to trounce New Zealand in the second Test to clinch the three-Test series with an unassailable 2-0 lead which also propelled them to the top of the ICC rankings. India has previously been at the top of the table from November 2009 to August 2011 and then briefly during January-February 2016 and in August 2016. To celebrate India's number one Test ranking, it will be presented with the ICC Test Championship mace.

India's next challenge will be to put the number one ranking



beyond Pakistan's reach and this will only be possible if it wins or draws the Indore Test.

Having entered the three-match series one point lower than Pakistan, India did not put a foot wrong at the Green Park stadium even as Kohli's bold move to go with a four-strong bowling attack surprised many.

The two Indian spinners -- Ravichandran Ashwin and Ravindra Jadeja -- got fine support from the deteriorating Green Park wicket and they both

accounted for 16 wickets.

The spin-mantira to get success at home has not changed even with the new set up under coach Anil Kumble and Kohli.

In the 2nd Test at Eden Gardens, Bhuvneshwar Kumar took a ffer in the 1st innings. Rest of the Indian bowlers Shami, Ashwin and Jadeja took 3 wickets each in the 2nd innings.

From the batting point of view, every batsman made runs in either 1st or 2nd innings excluding the openers.

Final of FMRK Football Tournament

Port Blair, Oct.3

The finals of first Forest Martyrs Rolling Knockout Football Tournament 2016 will be played between United sporting Club, Junglighat Vs Wimberlygunj zone at JNRM Football Ground on Oct. 4, 2016 at 3 pm where PCCF, A&N Islands, Dr Alok Saxena will be the chief guest, a communication said.

Outlines vision....

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The Lt Governor is powered entirely by solar when sun is shining. This will be replicated in 13 Govt buildings in the first phase. Over 70 Panchayat Bhavan will be powered by solar and more than 200 public representatives (councilors, pramukhs and zilla Parishad office bearers) will be motivated to install solar systems in their homes, by availing Govt subsidy. Besides, there are green power projects in planning stage. The foundation stone for 20 MW solar power plant at Attam Pahar has already been laid and work will commence soon. Wind and wave energy will be pursued by talking to experts, he said. The Lt Governor has also directed the Chief Secretary to explore the possibility of wind power with countries having reputation in generating such power. Land has been allotted at Chidyatapu, Manglutan, Neil and Havelock for setting up of Solar Power Plants of various capacities. All these Solar Power Plant are being created by the Govt companies, he added.

The Lt Governor announced that all the central schemes initiated by Hon'ble Prime Minister would be personally monitored by him every week so that their benefit reaches to the lowest segments of society. People of the A&N Islands are benefitted from the schemes such as Beti Bachao, Beti Padhao Yojana, Pradhan Mantri Jan Dhan Yojana (PMJDY), Digital India etc., he said.

Expressing happiness on the selection of Port Blair as a future smart city, the Lt Governor said, it will be a great boost to tourism sector. "A series of measures have been planned to make Port Blair one of the best cities in the country. While designing the smart city, priority is being given to the design and implementation of a central sewage system for the Islands, he said, also assuring that by 31st March 2017, no home in Port Blair will remain without toilets. Similarly, all homes in the entire A&N Islands will have toilets by 2018. Speaking about the 'Swachh Bharat Abhiyan', the Lt Governor said this initiative of the Hon'ble Prime Minister is being enthusiastically welcomed by the people of the Islands. Though, the A&N Islands is relatively clean compared to other cities of the country, the Administration will constantly encourage NGOs and voluntary organizations to carry out cleanliness drives to keep the city neat and clean. Efforts would be made to make the A&N Islands open defecation free.

The Lt Governor also informed the scribes about his recent meeting with the Hon'ble Prime Minister of India, Shri Narendra Modi ji, during which he apprised the PM about the status of the two bridges to be constructed over the creeks at Middle Strait and Humphry Strait. Tenders have been invited for building bridges at an estimated cost of Rs 700 crores. NHIDCL has been recently entrusted with the task of up-gradation of NH 223. The Lt Governor also expressed his gratitude to Shri Nitin Gadkari, Hon'ble Minister for Road Transport & Highways for sanctioning of the two bridges and widening the ATR road.

Speaking about higher education in A&N Islands, the Lt Governor said, he recently met the Union Minister of Human Resource Development, Shri Prakash Javadekar at New Delhi and discussed the issue of opening a Central University in the A&N Islands. "The Administration will pursue this and once approved, this will be a great boost for the education sector in the Islands", he said.

Turning to Agriculture sector, he stressed the need to improve the varieties and cultivation methods of the two traditional cash crops of A&N Islands, viz. coconut and supari. "Directions have been given to the Agriculture Department to reach out to agricultural institutions and to find ways of maximizing the production. As regard to fruits, in the Islands mainly five types of fruits are under cultivation- i.e. mango, banana, papaya, guava and chikoo. "We need to improve the varieties, and find ways to increase the yield and quality", he said adding that introduction of other varieties will also be reviewed.

Acknowledging the tremendous growth potentials of Fisheries sector, the Lt Governor said his vision is to transform the islands as the biggest exporter of fish and modernize the activity. "The senior officers have already been directed to prepare a plan for fishing in the high seas, identify the type of vessels required and the training required for our fishermen", he said.

Highlighting the steps being taken to develop the Tourism sector further, the Lt Governor said, five islands have been identified for holistic development under the new Tourism Policy- Ross & Smith, Long Island, Havelock, Neil and Little Andaman. Andaman is the only location in India with a Sea Walk, where you can walk on the sea bed with respiratory support. Scuba Diving operators are also being encouraged. Little Andaman has potential for developing water surfing which is currently being availed, he said. The Administration is also working on a proposal for introduction of ships with accommodation facility, to be moored off the islands, and permitted to sail to places of interest in the islands. Tourists arriving from the mainland can opt to stay in the ships instead of hotels. The project can be powered by private investment and could help reduce the demand for rooms during peak season.

The Lt Governor also spoke about another focus area, viz. Good governance. "In line with the vision of Prime Minister Shri Narendra Mod ji - 'Sabka Saath, Sabka Vikas', my efforts will always be to take governance to the doorstep of citizens", he said. The Lt Governor, besides meeting the public at Raj Niwas during weekly 'Public Hearing', also interacts with people at different places for getting first hand feedback. The procedure of 'Public Hearing' has also been streamlined for the benefit of the general public.

Speaking about the total ban on chewing tobacco in A&N Islands, the Lt Governor said, it has been done keeping in consideration the ill effects of chewing tobacco on health and considering that 23 other States and UT in India have banned these substances. The A&N Administration has banned all forms of chewing tobacco products, including zarda, pan masala and flavoured/ scented products with effect from 2nd October 2016.

Lt Governor has also announced an Excise Policy for A&N Islands. He said, a separate Directorate of Prohibition will be established in A&N Islands so that the directive principle as mentioned in Article 47 of the Constitution curbing the use of intoxicating drinks can be implemented in the true spirit. There would be a sustained campaign so that the people who have fallen prey to habit of alcohol and other substances can be made aware and brought to normal life from the clutches of these things, he said.

After addressing the media, the Lt. Governor also answered various queries raised by the journalists present in the press conference.

Administration to....

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some of the merits and shared his observation of the Island in a short span of time. He said, he is proud of the fact that the Islands' per capita expenditure, per capita income and literacy rate are much higher compared to any other states on the mainland. He also expressed his happiness that the people of the Islands have great faith in the Govt. Hospitals and its services. The Lt. Governor also lauded the Islands' spic and span environment beside it being a beggar free place.

Turning to the topic of the symposium, the Lt. Governor said that beyond doubt the liquor menace has ruined several families and taken several lives. The root cause of crimes, litigations and domestic violence is liquor/alcoholism, he added. "I am surprised that despite the fact that these Islands have many merits, good indicators and good people, there is addiction to liquor and high sale of liquor is prevalent in the Islands", the Lt Governor remarked.

The Lt. Governor assured the house that no stone will be left unturned to curb the consumption of liquor in the entire Islands. The Lt Governor stated that on the birthday of Mahatma Gandhi, the Administration has banned the sale of Tobacco in the entire Islands and will further ensure that tobacco consumption is completely stopped.

The Lt. Governor said, there will be two-pronged strategy to curb the liquor menace in the entire Islands. Firstly, efforts will be made to keep the new generation away from liquor consumption and secondly de-addiction camps will be organized for those who are already addicted.

The Lt. Governor said, if a person has strong will power then he can shun the use of alcohol. Giving example, the Lt. Governor said that during Navratri festival people don't take liquor and are prompt in fasting which reflects that they have will power. If such will power endures, then there is no doubt that liquor menace can also be curbed in Isles.

The Lt. Governor stated that publicity materials will be distributed among the school children and college students regarding the ill-effects of liquor. Street plays will be organized depicting the ill-effects of liquor besides opinion will be built up among all in the society to discourage alcohol, he said.

The Lt. Governor, on the occasion, also announced the setting up of separate Directorate i.e 'Directorate of Prohibition' in A&N Islands. The new Directorate will deal with such issues and will act strictly to curb the alcohol and drug menace in A&N Islands. The Lt Governor also had a word of praise for the Police for their continuous raid to curb the illicit liquor trade in Isles.

The Lt. Governor also released Information, Education and Communication (IEC) materials on the occasion having messages about ill-effects of alcohol. He also unveiled an inscription/ plaque having quote of Mahatma Gandhi which read: "Alcohol not only harms the body but also the soul".

In his address as the guest of honour, the Member of Parliament, Shri Bishnu Pada Ray said that these Islands are moving in the right direction under the guidance of the new Lt Governor and people have great hope. He said that the Lt Governor has banned tobacco products and licenses of some of the bars have been suspended. This, he said, will surely make an impact and reduce social evils in these Islands. The MP also showered all praise for 'Humane Touch', an NGO here, which took out a massive rally in support of curbing the alcohol menace in the Isles. The large participation of youth in the rally reflects that they want to get rid of this menace, he said, urging the Administration to impose a total ban on liquor. Shri Ray also suggested for screening of short films in schools and colleges about the ill-effects of drugs and alcohol. He also appreciated the helpline numbers being run by Arunodaya (Wellness Centre) for the benefit of the needy.

The speakers who presented their views on the occasion included the Resident Acharya, Chinmaya Mission, Swami Shudhananda Saraswati on 'Holistic approach to overcome drinking', Sister B.K Sharmistha, Prajapati Brahma Kumaris on 'Physical, mental and social effect of alcohol', Secretary RK Mission, Swami Amartyananda on 'How to minimize drinking alcohol' and Smt. Archana Harshie of Rashtriya Sevika Samiti on 'Role of Civil Society'.

Welcoming the chief guest and others, the Secretary Social Welfare, Smt. Rashmi Singh informed that the symposium has been organized to deliberate over the social evils and gather meaningful suggestions from the participants so that further initiatives can be taken to curb them. She also gave an overall picture of the national scenario and in the A&N Islands as well, of alcoholism and its ill-effects by giving some statistics.

In the open house session, people from different walks of life gave valuable suggestions to curb the menace of alcoholism which included opening of de-addiction camps, carrying out research and survey to know the root cause of alcoholism, stopping of local brewing of alcohol and creating mass awareness among the students about the ill-effects of alcohol.

The function concluded with the vote of thanks proposed by the Director, Social Welfare, Shri Jitendra Agarwal.

Khadi exhibition culminates

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Gandhi, we must all remember the contribution made by him in promotion of swadeshi goods, khadi spinning by Gandhiji himself and promotion of small scale and cottage industries.

She said, Khadi is skin friendly and good for our health unlike synthetic materials and also lauded the Directorate of Industries for their efforts towards promotion of small scale industries here in the Islands. The First Lady also thanked the President, Defence Wives Welfare Association, Port Blair, Smti. Seema Verma for extending marketing support to Khadi products. She exhorted the trainees of Tailoring & Embroidery, under the Directorate of Industries to come forward and explore more opportunities and to incorporate new designs in their works for better marketing.

Speaking about alcohol, the First Lady said, alcohol is a social evil and the younger generation must be sensitized about the drawbacks of alcohol. She also urged parents to educate their children about ill effects of alcohol and ensure they abstain from it. She said, yoga and meditation should be encouraged among children for their good health.

The First Lady and other dignitaries also felicitated the winners of essay & drawing competition. In the essay writing competition, M.T. Aliya from Carmel SSS, Shreyam Mishra from GSSS, School Line and S. Shashank from Khalsa Public school were awarded the first, second and third prizes respectively. In the drawing competition, G.Janisha from VKV, Blesson T. Reji from Carmel SSS and Sidharth Sundar from Anand Marg School were awarded the first, second and third prizes respectively. M.T. Aliya, also shared an excerpt from the essay written by her on the topic 'Ill effect of alcohol' / 'what I understand physical, mental and spiritual wellness'.

The First Lady also evinced interest in the Khadi products on display on the occasion.

In her welcome address, the Secretary Industries, Smti Rashmi Singh said the aim of Department of Industries is not only to promote industries alone, but also to inculcate industriousness besides providing employment opportunities to the people. She also welcomed the collaboration for promotion of Khadi & Village Industries through design and marketing by the Defence Wives Welfare Association, which she said, will create more value addition to the products.

Speaking on the occasion, the President, DWWA, Smti Seema Verma stressed on three important aspects of marketing viz. revival of cotton products in our culture, promotion of Khadi products and marketing strategy. She also suggested that students pursuing courses in fashion designing and tailoring at mainland must be invited to Isles for interaction and exchange of ideas besides tapping their potential.

The Executive Officer, KVIB, Shri Ajit Anand presented a brief report on the activities organised by the Department of Industries in connection with the 147th Birth Anniversary celebration of Mahatma Gandhi viz. display of traditional charkha along with Khadi spinning during Gandhi Jayanti celebration, Swachta Abhiyan, drawing & essay competition, awareness on ill effect of alcohol, implementation of PMEGP programmes in Isles etc.

The programme concluded with the vote of thanks proposed by the Director Industries/ Member Secretary KVIB, Shri Ashok Sharma.

LG flags off ...

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friendly manner. This move will also ensure the safety of tourists. This fleet of bicycle will help in augmenting the existing resources of local Police for ensuring the safety & security of tourists during beat patrol.

These initiatives under the guidance of Lt Governor and Director General of Police would endeavour A&N Police to promote carbon free transportation and would help to reduce carbon footprint in the islands, a communication said.

Trng on 'outcome based education' held

Port Blair, Oct. 3

A four-day training on 'Outcome based Education' was conducted by NITTTR Bhopal, for the faculty of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Institute of Technology from Sept. 27 to 30. During the training, faculty from NITTTR, covered various topics which include framing of vision, mission, program educational objectives, program outcomes, course outcomes, learning outcomes, outcome based assessment specification table which will facilitate in NBA accreditation, a communication from the Training & Placement Officers said.

WEATHER

Rain or thundershower very likely to occur at many places over Andaman & Nicobar Islands. Maximum and minimum temperature will be around 30°C and 24°C respectively on Tuesday 04/10/2016
Observational data for Port Blair in last 24 hours
Maximum Temperature (°C): 30.5
Minimum Temperature (°C): 23.8
Relative Humidity (%) at 0830 IST: 089
Relative Humidity (%) at 1730 IST: 097
Sunrise Time for tomorrow (in IST): 0508
Sunset Time for tomorrow (in IST): 1707
Rainfall upto 0830 hrs of date (last 24 hrs) in mm: 000.0
Rainfall upto 1730 hrs of date in mm: 015.0
Rainfall (Progressive total from 1st January 16: 2768.4 upto 0830 hrs (of date) in mm

CINEMA

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Following is our Schedule for Week Sept 30 - Oct 6
M.S.Dhoni - (Hindi U) - 11:00 AM, 3:00 PM & 7:00 PM
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Pink - (Hindi UA) - 3:30 PM
Thodari - (Tamil U) - 7:30 PM
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SEVASUCHNAYEIN

ALL THE SAILINGS ARE SUBJECT TO WEATHER CONDITIONS
MV Campbell Bay will sail for Campbell Bay via Hut Bay & Nancowry on 05.10.2016 (Wed) at 0800 Hrs from Haddo Wharf and will sail for Port Blair on 07.10.2016 (Fri) at 0900 Hrs from Campbell Bay via same route. Passenger tickets for the above sailing will be issued to the general public on 03.10.2016 (Mon) at STARS Ticketing Counters. Similarly booking of cargo tickets (for perishable items only) will commence from 03.10.2016 (Mon) between 0900 Hrs to 1300 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.
04.10.2016 (TUESDAY)
HAVELOCK & NEIL ISLAND
MV Bambooka will sail for Havelock on 04.10.2016 (Tue) at 0620 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 0900 Hrs from Havelock.
MV Katchal will sail for Neil Island on 04.10.2016 (Tue) at 0630 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 0845 Hrs from Neil Island.
MV Katchal will sail for Neil Island on 04.10.2016 (Tue) at 1100 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 1600 Hrs from Neil Island.
MV Katchal will sail for Havelock on 04.10.2016 (Tue) 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 Havelock on 04.10.2016 (Tue) at 1400 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 1630 Hrs from Havelock.
05.10.2016 (WEDNESDAY)
HAVELOCK & NEIL ISLAND
MV Bambooka will sail for Havelock on 05.10.2016 (Wed) at 0620 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 0900 Hrs from Havelock.
MV Rani Lakshmi will sail for Neil Island on 05.10.2016 (Wed) at 0630 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 0845 Hrs from Neil Island.
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DIGLIPUR
MV Katchal will sail for Diglipur on 05.10.2016 (Wed) at 0700 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on 06.10.2016 (Thu) at 0700 Hrs from Diglipur.
06.10.2016 (THURSDAY)
HAVELOCK & NEIL ISLAND
MV Bambooka will sail for Havelock on 06.10.2016 (Thu) at 0620 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 0900 Hrs from Havelock.
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07.10.2016 (FRIDAY)
HAVELOCK & NEIL ISLAND
MV Bambooka will sail for Havelock on 07.10.2016 (Fri) at 0620 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 0900 Hrs from Havelock.
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RANGAT & MAYABUNDER
MV Rani Lakshmi will sail for Rangat via Havelock and Long Island on 07.10.2016 (Fri) at 0630 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 1300 Hrs from Rangat via same route.

Boat owners advised

Port Blair, Oct. 3
Consequent upon notification of A&N Islands Rule 2016, no inland vessel (boat) will be permitted to play in A&N waters without a valid registration/valid certificate of survey issued by the Chief Surveyor under the said rules. All concerned have been requested to ensure the compliance of these rules. Any boat owner/operator having any query/clarification with respect to survey/registration procedure may contact Office of Chief Surveyor at Port Management Board during the working hours, a communication from the Chief Surveyor/ Harbour Master, Comdt. RK Vishwakarma said here today.