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Light rainfall likely to occur over Port Blair. **Weather Report**  
Maximum and Minimum temperature will be around 31°C and 25°C respectively on Thursday 17/06/2021.  
Maximum Temperature (°C) of Date: 31.0  
Minimum Temperature (°C) of Date: 27.5  
Relative Humidity(%) at 0830 IST: 077  
Relative Humidity(%) at 1730 IST: 083  
Sunrise time on 17.06.2021 (in IST): 0456  
Sunset time on 17.06.2021 (in IST): 1745  
Rainfall upto 0830 hrs of date (last 24 hrs)- in mm: 011.0  
Rainfall upto 1730 hrs of date in mm: 011.0  
Rainfall (Progressive total from 1st January 21 upto 0830 hrs (of date) in mm: 1081.2 mm

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## Four hours relaxation is not a freedom; people seen openly violating lockdown restrictions

## Chief Secretary directs Police to be polite but firm in dealing with vehicles without movement passes

## Freedom must not be abused, it is a matter of lives; public urged to report on unauthorized movement

Port Blair, June 16

The Chief Secretary, A&N Administration, Shri Jitendra Narain has stated that four hours relaxation is not a freedom rather it has been done taking into consideration the convenience of the people. However, many were seen openly violating the lockdown restrictions and the Chief Secretary has directed Police to be very strict but polite in dealing with vehicles which are moving on the roads without movement passes issued by the District Administration. He asked the Police to initiate challans against violators.

He said, freedom must not be abused. It is a matter of lives. He urged public to report on such unauthorized movement as people's cooperation is vital in containing the spread of the virus. People must understand that it is a pandemic time and not a time for rejoicing.

The Chief Secretary also urged the people to strictly adhere to COVID-Appropriate Behaviour and avoid unnecessary movement. "We can win the battle against COVID -19 only with the cooperation of the people", the Chief Secretary remarked.

## Detection of positive cases in Little Andaman

## Entire villages under Little Andaman Tehsil declared 'Containment Zone'

## Administration appeals to people to stick to where they are and be safe until the whole menace dies down completely in mainland

Port Blair, June 16

In view of detection of a number of COVID-19 positive cases in Little Andaman, the entire villages under Little Andaman Tehsil has been declared as 'Containment Zone', as per the guidelines issued by the Ministry of Health & Family Welfare and the Ministry of Home Affairs from time to time.

In this regard, people of Andamans and all leaders are requested not to insist, persist with

their demands to transport people. The Little Andaman and South Bay incident shows how these Islands are fragile and vulnerable to the spread of infection. The entire Administration again appeals to all people to stick to where they are and be safe until this whole menace dies down completely in mainland and in many places.

Meanwhile, the Officers deployed for containment duties in Little Andaman under

the overall supervision of Shri V.K. Jindal, Director (RD) shall ensure that only essential activities are allowed in the Containment Zone. They must maintain strict perimeter control and ensure that there is no movement of people in or out of these zones, except for medical emergencies and for maintaining supply of essential goods and services.

They will also ensure that there shall (Contd. on last page)

## Vaccination- shield against the virus

## Cumulative figure of vaccine doses administered in A&N Islands so far stands at 1,34,722

15,081 persons in the age group of 18 to 44 years vaccinated

Port Blair, June 16

The safety of the citizens is the foremost priority of the Administration, especially during this pandemic time. To shield its citizens from the corona virus, the vaccination of eligible beneficiaries is being initiated by the Administration in different parts of the Islands. Accordingly, the vaccination began with administering of



COVISHIELD vaccine for Health Care Workers followed by frontline workers and vulnerable population with comorbidities. Subsequently, the vaccination for 45 and above was initiated followed by 18 to 44

years which is currently underway.

Meanwhile, the vaccination drive is continuing smoothly in A&N Islands. As per data available, a total of 1,34,722 beneficiaries have been vaccinated (Contd. on last page)

## District Administration inspects vehicle movement at Bathubasti & Junglighat areas

## Many vehicles found on roads without e-pass; misuse of e-passes also noticed

## More than 100 challans made in a span of one hour; public warned against violation of lockdown restrictions

Port Blair, June 16

The South Andaman District Administration has taken various measures for bringing down the COVID-19 positive cases in the District. One such measure is imposition of lockdown restrictions to reduce the movement of people, so that the transmission of virus can be contained. To check the movement of people on road, under the instruction of Shri Suneel Anchipaka, Deputy Commissioner (SA), the SDM (SA), AC(S) and AC (UT) inspected vehicle movement at Bathubasti and Junglighat areas. The Revenue Officers too conducted such inspections at different locations. During the inspections by the District Administration officials, it was found that many vehicles are on the roads without



e-pass and many were noticed misusing e-passes. The violators were challaned and were given stern warning for violating the lockdown restrictions. More than 100 challans were made within a span of one hour and this shows lack of seriousness on the part of public.

The District Administration has imposed lockdown in South Andaman District for the health and safety of general public considering the surge in positive cases. The attempt was to reduce the unwanted movement of public, so as to bring down the positive cases in the District, so that COVID is eliminated from the District and

normalcy is reinstated. But, to achieve the same, the public has to follow the restrictions, adopt COVID appropriate behaviour and cooperate with the Administration in its fight against this pandemic, without which, the efforts will not be fruitful.

The DC (SA) reiterated that stringent actions will be taken against the violators and has once again requested the general public to follow the lockdown restrictions in letter and spirit and also avoid unwanted and unnecessary movement for the safety of their family and society as whole, which would definitely help the Administration in its fight against the pandemic. The special teams of Executive Magistrate and Sub-Inspectors have been deployed to monitor the vehicle movement and public have been requested to behave responsibly and follow guidelines, a press release from Deputy Commissioner (SA) said.

## DPIIT extends time period for online registration under LANIDS-2018

## Interested Industrial units urged to register online

Port Blair, June 16

The Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade, Ministry of Commerce & Industry, Govt. of India has extended the 'Lakshadweep and Andaman & Nicobar Islands Industrial

Development Scheme (LANIDS) 2018 upto 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2022.

In this regard, all the Industrial units who are willing to avail benefits under LANIDS-2018 have been requested to apply for registration in the online registration

portal of LANIDS-2018 created and hosted in the website 'http://ls1.and.nic.in/LANIDS/'. No physical application will be entertained, a press release from Directorate of Industries said.

## Media briefed on COVID -19

## COVID cases in isles can be contained only with cooperation of the people: Secretary (IP&T)

Port Blair, June 16

The Secretary (IP&T), Shri Sunil Kumar Singh addressing the media persons on COVID-19 status in the Islands held in the conference hall of IP&T here said that during the RT-PCR conducted on 281 incoming passengers who arrived here yesterday by flight, none of them were found positive. He further informed that 2 flights with 287 passengers arrived today and the RT-PCR reports are awaited. He also stated that during



the RAT conducted on 105 passengers proceeding to N&M Andaman at Ferrargunj, 2 positive cases have been detected. Disclosing about the vaccination drive, he said, that today till 3 pm, 464 beneficiaries were vaccinated in South Andaman District, out of which, 418 were in the

age group of 18-44 and the rest were above 45 plus.

The Secretary further said that with the active co-operation of the general public only, we can bring down the number of active cases in the Islands. He urged the people to follow COVID appropriate behavior, COVID

protocols while moving out of their homes and help Administration in its fight against corona virus.

The Director, ANIIMS, Dr. A K Mandal disclosed that 18 COVID positive patients are presently undergoing treatment in the Hospital. Today, 2 COVID patients were discharged. He said, out of the 18 patients, 14 patients are on Oxygen support and no patient is on ventilator, he added.

The Deputy Director, G.B Pant Hospital, (Contd. on last page)

## Tweets on COVID-19 Management by Administration

**Sayyid Ashraf** (@SayyidAshraf2) Replying to @Andaman\_Admin @MediaRN\_ANI and @jitendra\_narain  
Very happy that the number of covid victims is decreasing in our islands ... Now is the rainy season and everyone should be very careful. Do not give up vigilance against covid. Wear a mask. Keep a social distance. Avoid unnecessary trips. Get vaccine.

**S Nadiya** (@SNadiya8) Replying to @Andaman\_Admin @MediaRN\_ANI and @jitendra\_narain  
Great job covid cases are decreasing  
The credit goes to the @andaman\_admin for making strict lockdown  
And people following covid protocols.  
Wear mask... Stay Home.. Stay Safe...

**ibubul** (@ibubul26543063) Replying to @DcSouthandaman @MediaRN\_ANI and 3 others  
Excellent 🙌 all thanks to our administration for helping us through this hard time, you guys are working so hard to keep everyone safe 🙌  
So, protect yourself  
Protect your community  
Get vaccinated 🙌

**Vijay Kumar** (@Beingvijayk) Replying to @DcSouthandaman @MediaRN\_ANI and 3 others  
Really great efforts by DC Sir and A&N Admin... people's should also take responsibility and follow covid 19 rules

**Mohammed Tabraiz** (@MohammedTabraiz) Replying to @Andaman\_Admin @MediaRN\_ANI and @jitendra\_narain  
" The woods are lovely dark and deep.  
But I have promises to keep.  
And miles to go before I sleep.  
And miles to go before I sleep " So let us promise and follow the protocol and help the administration to overcome the crises for all of us .

**Shree Kumar** (@ShreeKumarH) Replying to @Andaman\_Admin @MediaRN\_ANI and @jitendra\_narain  
Relaxation doesn't mean unlimited freedom. We should understand that we are fighting a deadly pandemic and following guidelines is our only option. If possible stay at home and maintain social distancing will be of immense help to A&N Administration.Lets fight together & win.

**Nurudeenkp** (@nurudeenkp) Replying to @DcSouthandaman @MediaRN\_ANI and 3 others  
District Administration is doing everything possible to stop the havoc of Coronavirus.Getting samples from Little Andaman to start testing is a very commendable step, it shows how much effort the District administration is making on its part.

# Andaman Fights COVID 19 Use face mask & maintain 'do gaz ki doori'- Together we will fight COVID-19

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ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ADMINISTRATION  
सचिवालय/SECRETARIAT

**Health Bulletin For Containment Of**

**नोवल कोरोना वायरस रोग (COVID-19)**  
(No. 443/16<sup>th</sup> June 2021)  
COVID-19 STATUS OF ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ISLANDS AS ON 16.06.2021

> Status of Cases :

Details of Second Wave since: 01.03.2021	
Active new case in last 24 Hours	26
Discharges in last 24 hours	30
Total confirmed cases	2312
Total Discharges	2147
Total Active case as on date	100
Total Deaths	65

Cumulative since March 2020

Details	On 15 <sup>th</sup> June 2021	On 16 <sup>th</sup> June 2021	Total
Confirmed Cases	7280	26*	7306
Cured/Discharged from Hospital	7049	30	7079
Death	126	01	127

> Clinical Management of Cases :

Name of District	Isolation Beds Available	Occupied	Vacant
North & Middle Andaman	286	03	283
South Andaman	5583	97	5486
Nicobar	507	00	507
Total	6376	100	6276

# Total 02 containment zones formed in South Andaman District

> Status of Sample and Testing:

Total Samples sent till date	398852
Total Reports received till date	398852
Total Pending Reports	0
Rate of Testing Per Million	997130
Cumulative Test Positivity Rate	1.83%

COWIN 1.0

> Vaccination Status

Total population	4,00,000
Target Beneficiaries	2,81,603(Aprox)
Cumulative Beneficiaries vaccinated so far	1,34,722
Cumulative Beneficiaries vaccinated with 1 <sup>st</sup> Dose so far	1,17,231
Cumulative Beneficiaries vaccinated with 2 <sup>nd</sup> Dose so far	17,491
% of population vaccinated	29.31

> Passengers screened at VSI Airport & Haddo Wharf

Details	From 25 <sup>th</sup> May 2020 to 15 <sup>th</sup> June 2021	On 16 <sup>th</sup> June 2021	Total
Incoming Passengers			
a) VSI Airport	247077	293	247370
b) Haddo Wharf	1032	0	1032
Outward Passengers			
a) VSI Airport	259568	310	259878
b) Haddo Wharf	928	0	928

(On 16.06.2021, 287 passengers were retested by RTPCR at Airport)

24x7 CONTROL ROOM NUMBERS: 240126/ 232102 / 1077/ 1070  
(Source: Directorate of Health Services)

**NHAI makes Drone Survey Mandatory for all National Highway Projects**

New Delhi, June 16 (PIB) In order to enhance transparency, uniformity and leverage latest technology, the National Highways Authority of India, under Ministry of Road Transport & Highways has made mandatory use of drones for monthly video recording of National Highway projects during all stages of development, construction, operation and maintenance.

Contractors and Concessionaires shall carry out the drone video recording in presence of Team Leader of the Supervision Consultant and upload comparative project videos of the current and last month on NHAI's portal 'Data Lake', capturing various project related developments during

the month. Supervision Consultants shall analyse these videos and will provide their comments on the digital monthly progress reports covering various aspects of the project development. These videos will also be used by NHAI officials during the physical inspection of the projects to check the discrepancies and rectifications made on basis the earlier observations.

Additionally, Project Directors of NHAI shall undertake monthly drone survey from the date of signing of contract agreement till start of construction of the project at site and also on completion of the project. NHAI will also undertake monthly drone survey in all developed projects where NHAI is

responsible for operation and maintenance.

Since these videos will be permanently stored on the 'Data Lake', they can also be used as evidence during the dispute resolution process before Arbitral Tribunals and Courts.

Apart from this, mandatory deployment of Network Survey Vehicle (NSV) to carry out road condition survey on the National Highways to enhance quality will enhance the overall quality of the highways as NSV uses latest survey techniques such as high-resolution digital camera for 360 degree imagery, Laser Road Profiler and other latest technology for measurement of distress in road surface.

**Detection of positive cases in Little...**

(Contd. from page 1) be intensive house-to-house surveillance by surveillance teams formed for the purpose. Testing shall be carried out as per prescribed protocol. Listing of contacts shall be carried out in respect of all persons found positive, along with their tracking, identification, quarantine and follow up of contacts for 14 days (80% of contacts to be traced in 72 hours). Surveillance for ILI/SARI cases shall be carried out in health facilities or outreach mobile units.

They will also ensure that the overall implementation of the containment measures in their respective jurisdiction/by all other line departments/officials in the specified areas and compliance of any other direction issued by the District Disaster Management Authority (DDMA)/District Magistrate (SA) from time to time.

The officers will also ensure the setting up of thermal screening, sanitization facilities at the entry/exit points of the Containment Zone.

If any person is found symptomatic in the thermal screening he/she should be immediately referred to the COVID Care Centre /Home Quarantined for further management.

Any disobedience of the above orders shall invite penal action u/s 188 of Indian Penal Code, 1860 and the relevant provisions of the Disaster Management Act, 2005 against the violator(s), the Order to this effect issued by District Magistrate (SA) said.

**Vaccination- shield against the virus...**

(Contd. from page 1) so far in A&N Islands, out of the target beneficiaries of 2, 81, 603 (approx.). A total of 15,081 eligible people in the age group of 18 to 44 years have been vaccinated till date. A total of 1127 people were vaccinated today in A&N Islands. 659 beneficiaries were vaccinated in South Andaman District, out of which, 594 were in the age group of 18-44 years. In N&M Andaman, 300 beneficiaries in the age group of 18-44 were vaccinated. In Nicobar District, 168 beneficiaries were vaccinated out of which 158 were in the age group of 18-44 years.

The online registration for the vaccination is done through CoWIN portal and Aarogya Setu App. Online registration is mandatory and no on-site registration will be done and people have been advised to reach the centres as per the time schedule provided to the beneficiaries through the App. The general public have been requested to follow COVID Appropriate Behaviour while going for vaccination, a press release from DHS said.

**Media briefed on COVID -19 ...**

(Contd. from page 1) Dr. Amitabha De informed that in the three COVID Care Centres functioning in Port Blair, 2 new patients were admitted today and 2 patients were discharged. Altogether, 11 patients are presently being taken care of in these three COVID Care Centres while in COVID Care Centre Wimberlygunj, altogether, 6 patients are admitted, he said.

**Internal Complaint Committee on Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace for Secretariat Establishment reconstituted**

Port Blair, June 16 The Internal Complaint Committee on Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) Act, 2013 for Secretariat Establishment has been reconstituted to deal with the complaints of

sexual harassment of women at workplace with Ms. Veditha Reddy, Secretary (Agri./ AH&VS)/ Fisheries/ PWD) as Chairperson. Chairperson, State Social Welfare Advisory Board, Smti. Kannan Bala Mridha, Asst. Secretary (Edn), Secretariat,

Deputy Secretary (Law), Smti R. Binu, Personal Assistant will be the Members of the committee while the Assistant Secretary (Perl) will be the Member Secretary, an Order to this effect issued by Assistant Secretary (Perl) said.

**AIR to broadcast 'Face to Face' live phone-in prog. on 'ensuring cleanliness during pandemic period'**

Port Blair, June 16 All India Radio Port Blair is introducing a new live phone-in programme titled 'Face to Face' from 18.06.2021. It can be heard on every 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>

and 5<sup>th</sup> Friday of the Month. It will be broadcast from 0715 hrs to 0800 hrs. Topic of interaction in the first episode is 'Ensuring cleanliness during pandemic period'. The Secretary (PBMC), Shri Kishore Kshirsagar Lakshman will be the expert in the studio and answer queries of the listeners, a press release from AIR said.

**GeM providing increasing market access to seller groups to reinforce 'Make in India' Initiative**  
**GeM has over 6,90,000 MSE sellers and service providers onboard**

New Delhi, June 16 (PIB) Secretary, Department of Commerce, Government of India, Dr. Anup Wadhawan today said that Government e-Marketplace (GeM) is providing increasing market access to seller groups like MSEs, Women SHGs, Startups reinforcing the Make in India Initiative and Govt. of India's policy to promote local MSEs. Speaking to media, he said that presently GeM has over 6,90,000 MSE sellers and service providers onboard contributing over 56% of the total order value on GeM, which is a testament to GeM's success in not only onboarding but also engaging with the MSEs to help them participate in public procurement. The number of MSEs registered on the GeM platform has increased by over 62% since the last FY (2019-20). And this is a tremendous achievement considering that there were only around 3000 MSMEs in FY 2016-17. Since its inception in August 2017, GeM has facilitated 67.27 lakh orders worth 111,113

Crores from 18.85 lakh registered sellers and service providers for 52,275 Govt buyers. Most importantly, 6,95,432 MSE sellers and service providers have fulfilled 56.13 percent of the total order value on GeM. Recently, MSME Ministry launched a new Udyam Registration Scheme for all MSME businesses as per the new MSME policy. The new Udyam form has a provision to take consent from businesses for auto-registration on GeM portal. In order to further smoothen the seller registration process for MSEs on the portal, GeM has operationalized API integration with Udyam Registration databases and details of MSMEs, who have given their consent to share their details with GeM, are being auto imported on GeM for creation of their seller profile and notification. As on 31<sup>st</sup> May 2021, 18,75,427 vendors are registered on GeM out of which 6,98,178 are MSEs and the share of procurement from MSEs on the portal is approx. 57 percent. Providing online market access to under-

served seller groups has reinforced the "Atmanirbhar Bharat", "Vocal for Local", "Make in India" initiative and Govt of India's policy to promote local MSEs. The GeM platform has ensured effective and seamless implementation of the Make in India policy and the Public Procurement Policy for Preference to Micro and Small Enterprises. In order to provide an impetus to the Make in India initiative as part of the vision of "Atmanirbhar Bharat", and to promote local products through the "Vocal for Local" initiative, the Government has made it mandatory for all sellers on GeM to list the Country of Origin while registering new products. GeM is a dedicated platform for Startups to list their innovative products under 10 globally recognized Startup subsectors was launched on 15th November 2019. At present there are 9,980 Startups registered on GeM and 87 of these Startups have listed their innovative products on Startup Runway.

**Thunderstorm with lightning and gusty wind forecast**

Port Blair, June 16 Thunderstorm with lightning and gusty wind (speed reaching 30-40kmph) is likely to occur at one or two places over Andaman & Nicobar Islands on June 17. For further enquiries / information contact helpline of State Emergency Operation Centre at Helpline No. 1070 & District Emergency Operation Centre at Helpline No. 1077. For any emergency/assistance at sea, call Coast Guard SAR Agency at Toll Free number 1554, a press release from Directorate of Disaster Management with inputs from IMD added.



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**Net Direct Tax collections for Financial Year 2021-22 have grown at over 100% Advance Tax collections for F.Y. 2021-22 stand at Rs. 28,780 crore which shows a growth of approximately 146%**

New Delhi, June 16 (PIB)

The figures of Direct Tax collections for the Financial Year 2021-22, as on 15.06.2021 show that net collections are at Rs. 1,85,871 crore compared to Rs. 92,762 crore over the corresponding period of the preceding year, representing an increase of 100.4% over the collections of the preceding year. The net Direct Tax collections include Corporation Tax (CIT) at Rs. 74,356 crore (net of refund) and Personal Income Tax (PIT) including Security Transaction Tax (STT) at Rs. 1,11,043 crore (net of refund).

The Gross collection of Direct Taxes (before adjusting for refunds)

for the F.Y. 2021-22 stands at Rs. 2,16,602 crore compared to Rs. 1,37,825 crore in the corresponding period of the preceding year. This includes Corporation Tax (CIT) at Rs. 96,923 crore and Personal Income Tax (PIT) including Security Transaction Tax (STT) at Rs. 1,19,197 crore. Minor head wise collection comprises Advance Tax of Rs. 28,780 crore, Tax Deducted at Source of Rs. 1,56,824 crore, Self-Assessment Tax of Rs. 15,343 crore; Regular Assessment Tax of Rs. 14,079 crore; Dividend Distribution Tax of Rs. 1086 crore and Tax under other minor heads of Rs. 491 crore.

Despite extremely challenging

initial months of the new Fiscal, the Advance Tax collections for the first quarter of the F.Y. 2021-22 stand at Rs. 28,780 crore against Advance Tax collections of Rs. 11,714 crore for the corresponding period of the immediately preceding Financial Year, showing a growth of approximately 146%. This comprises Corporation Tax (CIT) at Rs. 18,358 crore and Personal Income Tax (PIT) at Rs. 10,422 crore. This amount is expected to increase as further information is received from Banks. Refunds amounting to Rs. 30,731 crore have also been issued in the F.Y. 2021-22.

**More than 26 crore 19 lakh COVID vaccine doses administered across country so far**

New Delhi, June 16

India has crossed a major landmark with administration of more than 26 crore COVID vaccine doses to the beneficiaries so far. The Union Health Ministry informed that more than 28 lakh vaccine doses were given in the country in the last 24 hours. Out of this, nearly 24 lakh beneficiaries were vaccinated the 1st dose whereas over four lakh beneficiaries received their 2nd dose of the vaccine. The cumulative figure of vaccine doses administered under the largest vaccination drive in the country now stands at over 26 crore 19 lakh.

The Health Ministry confirmed that so far over four crore 58 lakh doses of the vaccine have been given to people in the age group of 18 to 44 years. Nearly 14 lakh beneficiaries in this age group received their first jabs yesterday whereas nearly 60 thousand others were given their second dose. The Ministry said, more than 10 lakh beneficiaries in the age group of 18-44 years have already received their first dose of COVID vaccine in the States of Bihar, Jharkhand, Delhi, Gujarat, Haryana, Karnataka, Maharashtra, Madhya Pradesh, Rajasthan, Tamil Nadu, Kerala,

Telangana, Uttar Pradesh, Odisha and West Bengal. So far over 21 crore people in the country have received their first dose of the COVID vaccine whereas nearly five crore have been fully vaccinated with both the required doses. Union Health Ministry said, vaccination is an integral part of the comprehensive strategy of

the government for containment and management of the pandemic, along with Test, Track, Treat and COVID Appropriate Behaviour. The Liberalised and Accelerated Phase-3 Strategy of COVID-19 vaccination has come into force from 1st of last month. (Source: india.gov.in)

**Govt. simplifies registration process for MSMEs**

New Delhi, June 16

The Government has simplified the registration process for the Micro, Medium and Small Enterprises, MSMEs. Now only PAN Card and Aadhaar will be required for registration of MSMEs. This was announced by the Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Minister, Shri Nitin Gadkari. Addressing a webinar yesterday, Shri Gadkari has said there is a need to impart training to small units in the fields of entrepreneurship and other related aspects. Assuring full support to the MSME industry by the Government, he expressed hope that banks and Non Banking Financial Companies would come

forward to provide support to small businesses.

The Minister said, MSMEs contribute significantly in the economic and social development of the country by fostering entrepreneurship and generating huge employment opportunities. He said the vision of MSME aims towards building a supporting ecosystem for this sector to enhance their contribution towards a five trillion dollar economy. He said, in order to boost the economic activities of MSMEs, the Government had announced a special incentive package of 20 lakh crore rupees under Aatmanirbhar Bharat Abhiyan. (Source: india.gov.in)

**Prices of Edible Oils begin to decline and bring relief to consumers**

**Decline up to almost 20% in certain categories**

New Delhi, June 16 (PIB)

Edible oil prices in India are showing a declining trend across a wide array of oils. As per the data from Department of Consumer Affairs, over the past month, the prices of edible oils are now coming down. In some cases, the decline is by as much as nearly 20%, as shown in prices in Mumbai. The price of Palm Oil was Rs 142 per kg on May 7, 2021 now it came down to Rs 115 per kg, a drop of 19%. The price of Sunflower Oil was Rs 188 per kg on May 5, 2021 now it came down to Rs 157 per kg, a drop of 16%. The price of Soya Oil was Rs 162 per kg on May 20, 2021 now it came down to Rs

138 per kg in Mumbai, a drop of 15%. In the case of Mustard Oil, the price was Rs 175 per kg on May 16 now it came down to Rs 157 per kg, a drop of nearly 10%. While the price of Groundnut oil was Rs 190 per kg on May 14, 2021 now it came down to Rs 174 per kg, a drop of 8%. The price of Vanaspati was Rs 154 per kg on May 2, 2021 now it came down to Rs 141 per kg, a drop of 8%. It may be noted that Prices of edible oil prices are dependent on a complex set of factors which also include international prices, domestic production. As the gap between domestic consumption and production is high, India has to import a significant amount of edible

oil. Government is working on a series of mid- and long-term measures to resolve the issue on a permanent basis. The measures will contribute towards making India AtmaNirbhar in Edible Oils, which is key ingredient in cooking of food in India.

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**COMMON YOGA PROTOCOL FOR INTERNATIONAL DAY OF YOGA**

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<b>Loosening Practices</b>	 Alert Posture	 Forward & Backward Bending	 Right and Left bending	 Right and Left Twisting	 Neck Rotation	 Trunk Twisting					
<b>YOGASANAS</b>	 Knee Movement	 Standing Postures	 The Tree Posture	 Hands to Feet Posture	 Hands to Feet Posture	 Half Wheel Posture					
<b>TRIKONASANA</b>	 Triangle Posture	<b>Sitting Postures</b>	 Auspicious Posture	<b>Bhadrāsana</b>	 Vajrasana	 Half Camel Posture	<b>ŚAŚĀNKRĀSANA</b>	 Hare Posture			
<b>VAKRĀSANA</b>	 Spinal Twist Posture	<b>Prone Postures</b>	 Cobra Posture	<b>Śabdhāsana</b>	 Crocodile Posture	<b>Sūprine Postures</b>	 Bridge Posture	<b>Parānāthāsana</b>	 Wind Releasing Posture		
<b>ŚAVĀSANA</b>	 Dead Body Posture	<b>kapalabhati</b>	 Kriya	<b>Prāṇā Yama</b>	 Alternate Nostril Breathing	<b>Bhṛāṅgārjūnāsana</b>	 Sukhasana	<b>Bhṛāṅgārjūnāsana</b>	 Meditative Posture	<b>Sambhavi Mudra</b>	 Meditative Posture

**JOIN US FOR YOGA DEMONSTRATION ON 21<sup>ST</sup> JUNE, 2021 AT 7:00 AM FROM YOUR HOME WITH FAMILY MEMBERS**

Directorate of Health Services and Andaman & Nicobar State AYUSH Society,  
Andaman & Nicobar Administration

**COVID-19: Maintain safe distance from anyone who is coughing or sneezing.**

**Setting up of Eco Tourism Resorts in A & N Islands**



Andaman and Nicobar Islands Integrated Development Corporation Limited (ANIIDCO), on behalf of the A & N Administration is engaged in development of sustainable eco - tourism projects in the Union Territory (UT) of Andaman & Nicobar Islands (India).

As part of this endeavour, ANIIDCO invites Request for Qualification (RFQ) Applications from interested developers to undertake Development, Operation and Maintenance of following Projects through Design, Build, Finance, Operate and Transfer (the "DBFOT") on Public Private Partnership (PPP) basis:

- Lalaji Bay, Long Island, Eco - Tourism Resort - 220 Keys
- Smith Island, Eco - Tourism Tents and Tree Houses - 70 Keys
- Aves Island, Eco - Tourism Tents - 50 Keys
- Shaheed Dweep, Eco - Tourism Resort - 120 Keys

The detailed invitation for RFQ can be downloaded from website <http://aniidco.and.nic.in> (under "Announcements") or [www.andaman.gov.in](http://www.andaman.gov.in) (under "What's New"). A Pre - Application Conference will be held at 3.00 pm on 14.07.2021 through video conference. Last date for submission of RFQ applications is 25.08.2021.

A Draft Concession Agreement (DCA), prepared only for the purpose of initial understanding of the interested developers, is available on the website of ANIIDCO <http://aniidco.and.nic.in> or [www.andaman.gov.in](http://www.andaman.gov.in). The project specific DCAs will be issued to shortlisted bidders at the RFP stage.

For further details, please contact:  
**General Manager (Projects),**  
ANIIDCO Ltd., Vikas Bhawan, Port Blair, Andaman & Nicobar Islands, India, Pin - 744101,  
E-mail: [aniidco@gmail.com](mailto:aniidco@gmail.com)

Managing Director  
ANIIDCO

**AFFIDAVIT**

I, Maneesh Kumar Singh, S/o Shri Ramesh Chandra Singh, R/o Nayagaon, Port Blair, South Andaman, do hereby solemnly affirm and say as follows:

- That Aradhya Singh is my son, who born on 01.08.2013.
- That now I intend to change the name of my son from Aradhya Singh to Arnav Singh.
- That, henceforth for all purposes the name of my son shall be read as ARNAV SINGH instead of ARADHYA SINGH.
- That the abovestated are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

DEPONENT



**5th HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO DHANVIN**

On 17th JUNE 2021  
S/o Late K. Karthick and K. Divya  
R/o Anarkali  
**Best Wishes from:**  
R. Kathiresan (Nana),  
K. Chandra (Nani),  
Sushma (mausi), all family & friends.

**QUOTATION NOTICE**

No.1-1/Garbage Vehicle/GPSB/FG/2020-21/29, dated 4-6-2021


Gram Panchayat Shoal Bay, South Andaman invites sealed quotations duly signed & super scribed with tender No., date and addressed to Special Officer, Gram Panchayat Shoal Bay from co-operative societies, Truck operators, labour supply agency and other agencies dealing with public sanitation services for carrying out the work" Transportation of segregated waste by mechanical transport (for an average lead of 5 Kms.) from all wards of GP Shoal Bay to SLWM Cluster, Write Mayo, Kalatang (Work includes labour charges for loading and unloading of garbage and cluster charges, if any)".

Last date for the receipt of the quotations is **29th June 2021 at 10:30 AM** and quotations should be submitted with EMD of **Rs. 5,000/- (Rupees Five Thousand Only)** in favour of Panchayat Secretary, Gram Panchayat Shoal Bay. The sealed quotation will be opened on the same day at **11:45 AM**. Further details can be obtained from the Office of the Gram Panchayat Shoal Bay.

Unique No. 57591  
ID NO. 7839

Special Officer  
Gram Panchayat Shoal Bay

**Safety Tips on Monsoon Preparedness**  
(For Cyclone, Heavy Rain, Water Logging, Flash Flood etc.)



- Listen to radio or TV weather reports for warning & advice and be alert.
- Identify safe shelters in your area. These should be cyclone resistant and also find the closest and safe route to reach them.
- All your family members should know the safe routes to nearest shelter/raised pucca buildings.
- Keep your emergency kit and basic food supply, medicines, torch and batteries etc. ready in waterproof bags. Drink preferably boiled water. Keep your food items covered.
- Doors, windows, roof and walls should be strengthened/checked before the cyclone season through retrofitting and repairing. Store adequate foodgrains and water in safe places.
- If your area is flood-prone, consider suitable flood resistant building materials.
- Do not let children and pregnant woman remain empty stomach.
- Put furniture, clothing and valuable items etc. on a higher platform so that they can be shifted safely/easily.
- Do not use electrical appliances, which are in flood water.
- Do not go into water of unknown depth and current.
- Do not allow children to play in, or near flood water.
- Do not venture into the sea if so advised. Stay Indoors under the strongest part of the house/if not moved to the cyclone shelter.
- Remain indoors until informed that weather has improved.
- In case of cyclone alert, do not go out, till officially advised that it is safe. If evacuated, wait till advised to go back. Use the recommended route to return to your home. Do not rush/panic.
- Be careful of broken/uncovered power lines, damaged roads and houses, fallen trees etc.
- Be careful of snakes, as snake bites are common during floods.

(Source: Directorate of Disaster Management A&N Administration)

**TO LET**

1 BHK Rent Room at School Line, Ranchi Basti, 24 hours Water.  
Contact: 9933276417, 9679573305

**TO LET**

2 BHK RCC Flat, Fully Tiled, 24 hrs. Water at Nayagaon.  
Contact: 9679572662, 9679500449

**CONSTRUCTION**

All kinds of Building Plans & Construction, Extensions & Part Construction, Repair & Maintenance.

**M/s NEEV**  
75, JN Road, Haddo, Port Blair.  
Ph. 9733661890, 9434287520

**TO LET**

2 BHK Room for rent behind ANIIDCO Petrol Pump, Goal Ghar, Port Blair, Rent Rs.17,000/-  
Contact: 9933444444 / 9932457444

**OBITUARY**

The Officers and Employees of the Executive Engineer, South Andaman Division, Electricity Department, Port Blair mourn the sudden demise of **Shri. S. Chandra Sekhar Rao**, Regular Mazdoor attached to this division on 16/06/2021 at Mainland. We convey our heartfelt condolences to the bereaved family.


May the Almighty God give eternal peace to the departed soul and give courage to the bereaved family to bear this irreparable loss.

Executive Engineer (SA)

**1st Death Anniversary**  
On 17.06.2021

While your loved one may no longer walk on this green earth, the days that they lived and the people they touched will stay in our memories forever.

Inserted by: Father- K. Someshwar Rao, Mother- K. Ratnalu, Wife- Rupawati, Brother- Kumar Swamy, Bhabi- Preonka Halder, Kids- K. Drisha, K. Sharan, all family members & friends.



**K. Mohan Rao**  
(Police Constable)  
DoB: 08.09.1991 DoD: 17.06.2020

**SHRADH CEREMONY**  
on 18-06-2021

**Late Shri Sohan Lall**  
Retired Assistant Director (Administration)  
A & N Administration,  
S/o Late Mohan Lall, Dairy Farm

I express my sincere gratitude to all my relatives, friends and well-wishers, who stood with us during the time of grief and paid condolence on the sad demise of my beloved husband, who left us for his heavenly abode on 04.06.2021.

I cordially invite all the well-wishers, family members and friends to attend the **Shradh Ceremony on 18.06.2021 (Friday)** at our residence at Dairy Farm near P.S. Mill, Port Blair between **1200 noon and 1500 hours.**

Inserted by: Smti. Kamini Kumari (Wife) and family



**ANDAMAN & NICOBAR STATE CO-OPERATIVE BANK LTD.**  
HEAD OFFICE, PORT BLAIR

Port Blair, dated the 14th June, 2021

**NOTICE**

WHEREAS, Shri VARGHESE K V, Manager, Shaheed Dweep Branch has informed that he requires three (03) months extraordinary leave to take care of his child.

AND, WHEREAS, he is absenting unauthorized from his duties w.e.f. 09.03.2021 till date without any further intimation to the Competent Authority, showing irregularity and negligence towards Bank's duty which implies to misconduct as per Rule.

NOW, THEREFORE, he is hereby given an opportunity to report for duty at his actual place of duty that is Shaheed Dweep Branch immediately and submit his justification that why action should not be taken against him for such misconduct.

His reply should reach within 15 days from the date of publication of this Notice, failing which it will be presumed that he has nothing to say in this matter and necessary action shall be taken under the relevant Rules.

Sd/-  
Managing Director

**TO LET**

3 BHK Flat, 24 hrs. water supply, individual parking, available for Rent at Sukhram Colony, Garacharma, Port Blair.  
Contact No. 9474218335 / 9679561986

**FOR REPAIR**

All Color TV, LCD, LED Monitor, Set Top Box etc. [Ganga Electronic, Garacharma: 9933261960 / 9531809120

**TO LET**

One BHK, fully tiled, open / big kitchen, separate electric meter, separate tap connection, double toilet at Shadipur. Call: 7063940711

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

The New India Assurance Company Limited  
CIN No. 166000MH1919GOI000526  
Divisional Office 712900, Anna Nagar  
Mangalam Building, Second Floor  
F-46, First Main Road (Near Chintamani)  
Anna Nagar(E), Chennai 600102  
Ph. No. 044-23456841

Our Micro Office at Diglipur (712904) functioning at 1st Floor, Above Axis Bank, Opp. Govt. Senior Secondary School, Subashgram, Diglipur-744202 will be closed w.e.f. 30th June, 2021. The Policy Holders, Agents and others are requested to contact our Branch Office (712901) at below mentioned address for insurance requirements:

The New India Assurance Company Limited  
Ferzand Ali New Market, 1st Floor  
Opp. Netaji Club, Babulane, Port Blair 744101  
Ph. No. 03192-246166/246466

Senior Divisional Manager  
Anna Nagar Divisional Office


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**10th Death Anniversary**  
On 17/06/2021




**Shri. Sahadevan**  
"We always remember your absence in our life"  
Inserted by:- All family members and relatives

**SHRADHANJALI**

I express my sincere gratitude to all my relatives, friends and well wishers, who stood with us during the time of grief on the untimely demise of my beloved husband **Shri RAMA RAO**, who left us on 05/06/2021.

A Small Ceremony will be held at Home on 17/06/2021 in a simple way due to prevailing pandemic.

Inserted by: Kavita Kumari (Wife) and Rahul (Son)



**SHRI RAMA RAO**  
Retd. Technical Asstt.  
Text Book Bureau