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Govt will continue to take important economic decisions, says PM Modi

Gandhinagar, Oct 22 Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi has asserted that the process of taking important decisions regarding economic reforms will continue. He was addressing a public gathering in Dahej, Gujarat, after inaugurating development projects worth several crores. The Prime Minister said, financial stability will be maintained while undertaking reforms. Shri Modi said, his government will take all necessary steps to increase investments for economic development. Shri Modi said the economy is on track and is going in the right direction after

hardcore decisions for economic reforms. He further added that many economists have unanimously agreed that the fundamentals of the economy are strong. Earlier, Shri Modi inaugurated the first phase of ambitious Roll-on Roll-off ferry service between Ghogha and Dahej in Gujarat. Shri Modi said, it will connect Saurashtra and South Gujarat, saving time and fuel. With the opening of the 615-crore rupee ferry service, the distance between Saurashtra and South Gujarat regions could be covered in less than an hour via sea route, which takes almost a day by road. For the development of Marine field, Prime



The Prime Minister, Shri Narendra Modi interacting with the children on the board, during his maiden voyage via Ghogha-Dahej Ro-Ro Ferry Service, in Gujarat on October 22, 2017.

Minister Shri Narendra Modi announced that government is planning to build Maritime University and Maritime Museum in Lothal. The Prime Minister said, the Sagar Mala project alone will provide

around one crore jobs. He said, without proper connectivity, the economic development of a nation slows down. He said, the government is focusing on port infrastructure. The Prime Minister then undertook a journey to Dahej from Ghogha on the ferry along with Divyang

children. Shri Modi also dedicated to the nation Sarvottam Cattle Feed Plant at Ghogha in Bhavnagar district. He said, the government attaches great importance to the dairy sector. He urged people to explore opportunities in animal husbandry.

President of India appreciates Dr. Sonkar's research work

Port Blair, Oct 22

Dr Ajai Kumar Sonkar, a pioneer in Black Pearl culture from A&N Islands, met the President of India, Shri Ram Nath Kovind at Rashtrapati Bhawan, New Delhi recently. During his meeting, Dr Sonkar briefed the President about his recent studies and research mission. Dr Sonkar informed the President about Bivalve mollusc, a small pearl oyster which purifies 30 to 100 million gallons of water each day, and can retain particles as small as 2 micron and accumulates heavy metal from the water.

Impressed by Dr Sonkar's research mission, the President showered all praise and congratulated Dr



Sonkar for his research works and motivated him to propagate, share and popularise his findings among new generation. As per the advise of the President, Dr. Sonkar is planning technological demonstrations of marine pearl culture of Andaman

Islands before the students in different parts of the country and shall organise training programmes which will open opportunities for the youngsters to make their career in this unique sector, a communication received here said.

BJP State President meets Defence Minister



Port Blair, Oct 22

A delegation of Bharatiya Janata Party led by its State President, Shri Vishal Jolly met the Union Defence Minister Smti Nirmala Sitharaman, during her recent visit to the Isles and put forth some demands for the benefit of Islanders. These included establishment of one more

Kendriya Vidyalaya, establishment of a Sainik School at a suitable location in Andaman and increasing the quota for the children of civilians for admission in two existing Kendriya Vidyalayas in Port Blair. The Defence Minister assured the delegation that the issues will be taken into

consideration and necessary guidance and instruction will be given to the appropriate authorities. The PBMC Chairperson, Shri Indra Pal Singh, UP-Udhyaksh, Zilla Parishad South Andaman, Shri Gadadhar Mazumdar were also present during the meeting, a communication said.

PMLA: Banks to now match original IDs with photocopies

New Delhi, Oct 22

The Government has made it mandatory for banks and financial institutions to check the original identification documents of individuals dealing in cash above the prescribed threshold, to weed out the use of forged or fake copies.

The Department of Revenue in the Finance Ministry has issued a

gazette notification making an amendment to the Prevention of Money-laundering (Maintenance of Records) Rules.

The new rule now requires the reporting entity to compare the copy of officially valid identification document so produced by the client with the original and recording the same on the copy.

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GSTN launches excel-based offline tool to file initial GSTR-3B returns

New Delhi, Oct 22

Goods and Services Tax Network (GSTN) has launched an excel-based offline tool for businesses to file initial GSTR-3B returns. GSTN, in a statement in New Delhi, said that taxpayers can download the offline utility from the GSTN portal and after filling in the data the file can be uploaded on GST portal. After uploading of the

return to the GST Portal, the taxpayer has to preview the form, complete formalities like submit, offset the liability and file their GSTR-3B Return using digital signature or electronic verification code. GSTN CEO Shri Prakash Kumar said this facility will provide an opportunity to the taxpayer to verify details of GSTR 3B before filing and minimise chances of error.

Govt permits banks to sell more small savings schemes

New Delhi, Oct 22

The government has authorised all public sector banks and three private banks to accept deposits under various small savings schemes like National Savings Certificate (NSC), recurring deposits and monthly income plan. According to the Government's notification,

the private banks are ICICI, HDFC and Axis Bank. So far, public sector banks were allowed to receive subscription under Public Provident Fund, Kisan Vikas Patra-2014, Sukanya Samridhi Account, Senior Citizen Savings Scheme-2004.

Increased outlets for selling small savings (Contd. on last page)

BMS delegation meets Social Welfare Director

Port Blair, Oct 22

A delegation led by Shri. V. Meyyar, State President, Bharatiya Mazdoor Sangh (BMS) along with office bearers of Anganwadi Karmachari Sangh (affiliated with BMS) met the Director Social Welfare in the Directorate of Social Welfare recently and discussed the issues of enhancement of honorarium & implementation of other schemes which includes

the social security scheme of Govt. of India in respect of anganwadi workers and helpers working under Social Welfare Department of this UT Administration. The delegation further informed about non-disbursement honorarium to the Anganwadi workers who have conducted house hold survey since December, 2013. The Director has assured to look in to the matter, a communication said.

Amphibious demonstration held by Andaman Nicobar Command



Port Blair, Oct 22

As part of the 17th Command Raising Day of Andaman and Nicobar Command, an Amphibious Demonstration was conducted at Corbyn's beach today. Hundreds of school children, NCC cadets and general public witnessed the event. Maj Gen PS Sai, Chief of

Staff, Andaman & Nicobar Command as chief guest witnessed the demonstration. Co-ordinated operation undertaken by all four Components Army, Navy, Air Force and Coast Guard, a unique feature of this Command, was showcased. The demonstration included

operation at sea, air, land and commenced with fly past by the Indian Coast Guard Chetak carrying the ANC flag. The assault landing capabilities of Landing Craft Utility were also showcased along with slithering operation by Ghatak Platoon at Snake (Contd. on last page)

Banks to provide funds at 7% to women SHGs under DAY-NRLM: RBI

New Delhi, Oct 22

The Reserve Bank of India has said banks will provide funds to women self help groups, SHGs, in rural areas at 7 per cent under the Deendayal Antyodaya Yojana - National Rural Livelihoods Mission (DAY-NRLM) in the current fiscal.

The central bank recently issued the revised guidelines on interest subvention scheme under

DAY-NRLM, as received from the Ministry of Rural Development for implementation by 21 public sector banks and 19 private banks. All women SHGs will be eligible for interest subvention on credit upto 3 lakh rupees at 7 per cent per annum. Banks will be subvented to the extent of difference between the Weighted Average Interest Charged and 7 per

cent subject to the maximum limit of 5.5 per cent for the year 2017-18. The notification said subvention will be available to banks on the condition that they make SHG credit available at 7 per cent per annum. The Ministry of Rural Development in consultation with state governments will harmonise State specific (Contd. on last page)

Isles' students participate in India International Science Festival

Port Blair, Oct 22

In the recently held India International Science Festival (IISF) 2017, a team of two teachers R.Murgeshwari from Navy Children School (NCS) along with two students Hosang-Nirek N. Chauhan - Std. IX, Pranati A. Shendye - Std. IX and Vijay Laxmi from Saraswati Sishu Vidya Mandir (SSVM) Pathurgudda along with four students Saraswati Pathania, Simran Kishen, P.Anthra and B.Anuska, all from class IX, participated and represented the A&N Islands. The IISF was held at Chennai during Oct 13 - 16, 2017 at IIT Madras, Anna University, Central



Leather Research Institute (CLR), Structural Engineering Research Centre (SERC) and National Institute of Ocean Technology (NIOT), jointly organised by the Ministry of Earth Sciences, Ministry of Science and

Technology and Vijnana Bharati (VIBHA) Anna University and Govt. of Tamil Nadu. The Minister of Science & Technology, Earth Sciences and Environment, Forests & (Contd. on last page)

South Andaman Police recovers banned tobacco products

Port Blair, Oct 22

Tobacco contrabands were seized by the staff of PS Humfrygunj from Sippighat and in this connection two persons were handed over to the Food Safety Officer. As part of the ongoing drive against banned tobacco product, intelligence was developed and on Oct 11, 2017 on receipt of credible information, a police team reached Sippighat and stopped the suspicious

person and checked his Scooty and recovered 30 Tobacco Packets, Bagban 69 (40 Grams Each). This team was led by SI G.N Murthy, PC/1588 Gourango Pandey & PC/1876 Mintu Kumar Dey. Again on Oct 15, on a tip off, a police team led by Inspector K. Binoj, SHO PS Humfrygunj along with PC/1876 Mintu Kumar Dey and PC/1483 Sital (Contd. on last page)

Gold falls to Rs 30,650

New Delhi, Oct 21

Gold fell 100 rupees, to 30,650 rupees per ten grams at Delhi's bullion market, today, on weak demand from jewellers. But silver gained 50 rupees, to 40,850 rupees per kilo on scattered enquiries from industrial units. Silver coins remained unchanged, at 74,000 rupees for buying 100 pieces.

Nature Camp organised for students Need to protect Isles' rich biodiversity highlighted

Port Blair, Oct. 22

A nature camp was organized for the SPICE (Spread Peace Improve Conserve Environment) team of Carmel Sr. Sec. School, Port Blair by the Andaman & Nicobar Environment Team (ANET), North Wandoor in collaboration with Andaman Chronicle recently.

At ANET, the students were briefed about the rich biodiversity of the Andaman & Nicobar Islands by Mahira Kakajiwala, Education Officer, ANET. The students were made to understand about the need to protect and conserve the



natural wealth. A power point presentation was also made in which different species of plants and animals; both endemic and introduced were shown and discussed. Different aspects of eco tourism were also highlighted.

Later the students visited the Marine Interpretation Centre at Wandoor Jetty to understand the environment they are living in. This was the second nature camp organized by Andaman Chronicle for school students in collaboration with ANET.

SPORTS

**Asia Cup Hockey 2017:
Dominant India beat Malaysia
2-1 in final to clinch title**



Dhaka, Oct 22
India on Sunday put in yet another impressive performance by beating Malaysia 2-1 in the final to win the Asia Cup Hockey 2017 at Maulana Bhasani Hockey Stadium in Dhaka. Manpreet Singh-led India, who remained unbeaten in the tournament, started on a positive note and dominated till the very end to win their third Asia Cup title. India were off to a flyer as SV Sunil and Ramandeep Singh combined to give India an early lead in the third minute.

Lalit Upadhyay doubled India's advantage as he scored a superb field goal in the 29th minute. Malaysia, who had lost to India 2-6 in the league match, struck back in the final quarter to reduce India's lead but the latter managed to hold on to their advantage till the final whistle. Earlier, India beat Pakistan 4-0 in their third Super 4s match to enter the final of the Asia Cup 2017. The sixth ranked India, who just needed a draw to seal a place in summit clash, produced a superlative

performance after the change of ends to pump in four goals -- three field strikes and one through penalty corner. By virtue of this win, India not only topped the Super 4 stage with seven points, but also continued their domination over Pakistan. This was for the seventh time that India made it to the Asia Cup final. It was India's fourth win over Pakistan this year, having beaten them twice in the Hockey World League Semi-finals in London and once in the pool stages.

**BSF organised Half Marathon
2017: Run For Martyrs**



New Delhi, Oct 22
The BSF Half Marathon-2017 - in the memory of martyrs was flagged-off by the Minister of State for Youth Affairs (I/C) & Sports and Information and Broadcasting Col. Rajyavardhan Singh Rathore here today. The marathon received overwhelming response of residents of Delhi and participants who registered to run for the cause. Total 4865 participants registered for the run. In addition, BSF Prahar Pariwar participated in large numbers. Shri Rathore paid tribute to the martyrs of the force and flagged-off half marathon. Other segment of the race 05

Kilometer MV was flagged-off by the MoS (Home) Shri Kiren Rijiju. Shri Rijiju also participated in the run for martyrs with DG BSF Shri KK Sharma and other force members including members of BWWA. The BSF Half Marathon had the support of Padma Shri Ms P T Usha, Golden Girl of Indian Athletics, Padma Bhusan Shri Abhinav Bindra, Olympian Ace shooter, Arjuna Awardee Shri Amit Luthra, Golfer and Ms Swara Bhasker, Film Actress and all of them graced the occasion. BSF Half Marathon had the support of Shri Virat Kohli, Md Shami and Yusuf Pathan who

supported the cause by their social media posts. Shri Akshay Kumar has also supported BSF Half Marathon 2017 run for Martyrs. The Minister of State for Human Resource Development and Water Resources, River Development and Ganga Rejuvenation, Dr. Satya Pal Singh and Ms Sonalman Singh famous classic dancer were present during honouring the winners. In the function, the family members of martyrs were also felicitated. All trophies and prizes were dedicated to force martyrs. Medals and certificates were distributed to all the participants.

WEATHER

Rain or Thundershower likely to occur at many places over Andaman & Nicobar islands Maximum and Minimum temperature will be around 30 °C and 24°C respectively on Monday 23/10/2017
Maximum Temperature (°C) of Date : 28.4
Minimum Temperature (°C) of Date : 23.7
Relative Humidity(%) at 0830 IST 097
Relative Humidity(%) at 1730 IST 090
Sunrise Time for tomorrow(in IST): 0510
Sunset Time for tomorrow(in IST): 1657
Rainfall upto 0830 hrs of date (last 24 hrs) in mm: 016.4
Rainfall upto 1730 hrs of date in mm: 006.4
Rainfall (Progressive total from 1st January 17 2879.9 upto 0830 hrs (of date) in mm

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ALL THE SAILINGS ARE SUBJECT TO WEATHER CONDITIONS

MV Bharat Seema will sail for Campbell Bay via Car Nicobar, Chowra, Teressa & Nancowry on 27.10.2017 (Fri) at 1000 Hrs from Haddo Wharf and will sail for Port Blair on 30.10.2017 (Mon) at 2000 Hrs from Campbell Bay via same route. Passenger tickets for the above sailing will be issued to the general public on 25.10.2017 (Wed) from 0900 Hrs onwards at STARS Ticketing Counters & CSC's. Similarly booking of cargo tickets will commence from 25.10.2017 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.

CARGO SERVICE:
The cargo vessel MV Chuglam will sail for Campbell Bay via Hut Bay, Car Nicobar, Chowra, Teressa, Katchal & Nancowry on 31.10.2017 (Tue) at 1700 Hrs from Haddo/Chatham Wharf and will sail for Port Blair and will sail for Port Blair immediately after discharging/loading of Cargo at respective ports.

HUT BAY SECTOR:
MV Bharat Seema will sail for Hut Bay on 23.10.2017 (Mon) at 2000 Hrs from Haddo Wharf and will sail for Port Blair on 24.10.2017 (Tue) at 0800 Hrs from Hut Bay.
MV Bharat Seema will sail for Hut Bay on 25.10.2017 (Wed) at 0800 Hrs from Haddo Wharf and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 2000 Hrs from Hut Bay.
Note: Passenger tickets for the above sailings for Hut Bay on 22nd, 23rd & 25th Oct., 2017 will be issued to the general public from 21.10.2017 (Sat) from 0900 Hrs onwards at STARS Ticketing Counters & CSC's.

FORESHORE SECTOR:
Note: Passenger tickets for the Foreshore Sector vessels scheduled on 24th, 25th & 26th Oct., 2017 will be issued to the general public on 23.10.2017 (Mon) from 0900 Hrs onwards at STARS Counters & CSC's.

23.10.2017 (MONDAY)
BARATANG
MV Katchal will sail for Baratang on 23.10.2017 (Mon) at 0700 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 1430 Hrs from Baratang.

HAVELOCK & NEIL ISLAND
MV Bambooka will sail for Havelock on 23.10.2017 (Mon) at 0620 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 0900 Hrs from Havelock.
MV North Passage will sail for Neil Island on 23.10.2017 (Mon) at 0630 Hrs. from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 0845 Hrs from Neil Island.
MV North Passage will sail for Neil Island on 23.10.2017 (Mon) at 1100 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 1600 Hrs from Neil Island.
MV North Passage will sail for Havelock on 23.10.2017 (Mon) 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 23.10.2017 (Mon) at 1400 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 1630 Hrs from Havelock.

RANGAT, MAYABUNDER & DIGLIPUR
MV Strait Island will sail for Rangat via Neil, Havelock, Kadamtala and Long Island on 23.10.2017 (Mon) at 0615 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on 17.10.2017 (Tue) at 0615 Hrs from Rangat via same route.

HUT BAY
MV Bharat Seema will sail for Hut Bay on 23.10.2017 (Mon) at 2000 Hrs from Haddo Wharf and will sail for Port Blair on 24.10.2017 (Tue) at 0800 Hrs from Hut Bay.

24.10.2017 (TUESDAY)
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Banks to provide ...
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interest subvention schemes, if any, in line with the central scheme. The interest subvention scheme on credit to women SHG during 2017-18 is applicable in 250 districts across the country.

Amphibious demonstration...
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Rock. The MI-17 V5 helicopters enthralled the audience through helo casting of Geminis and slithering of Marine Commandoes on to the Geminis. A combat air patrol was maintained by MI-17 V5 helicopters during the demonstration. The crowd gathered at the Corbyn's Cove Beach was thrilled to see the assault by BMPs and 'Dhawa' by Infantry section. The demonstration concluded with the retraction of LCU and fly past by MI-17 helicopters.

**Isles students to participate
in Natnl. Yoga C'ship**

Port Blair, Oct 22
Sai Yoga Education & Charitable Trust, A&N Islands, shall participate in the 42nd National Yoga Championship being organized by Yoga Federation of India from October 25 to 29, 2017 at Ghaziabad, Uttar Pradesh. The selected students met the

Member of Parliament, A&N Islands, Shri Bishnu Pada Ray at his office recently, Michel Rohan, D.Sriya and Manjeela Thushar Surya, all from Sagaritara School, Vasundhara (NCS) Shree Chaniya, M. Shakti Tanush both from V.K.V, G.Priya (GSSS Mohanpura),

Chandrasekar (GSSS, Haddo), E.Gaayatri (Carmel Senior Secondary School, Somi Reddy (Telugu Medium Haddo) and Ms.N.Radha (Msc. Yoga, Andaman College) are participating in the championship, a communication received here said.

**Indian boxers win 8 medals at Youth
International Championships Balkan Open 2017**

Sofia, Oct 22
Indian pugilists have returned with an impressive haul of eight medals, including four golds, from the third Youth International Championships Balkan Open 2017 at Sofia, Bulgaria. Besides four golds, the Indian Youth women boxers won one silver and three bronze medals while Indian women youth team was also adjudged as the best team in the championship. Nitu,



Sakshi, Shashi and Neha won the golds, while silver went to Ankushita Boro. The bronze

medals were won by Joy Kumari, Sapna and Anupama.

**Indian women bag silver in Archery
World Championships**

Mexico City, Oct 22
The Indian women's compound team has bagged a silver medal after losing to Colombian rivals in the World Archery Championships here. Eyeing India's first ever gold medal, Trisha Deb, Lily Chanu Paonam and Jyothi Surekha Vennam went down 228-234 to the fourth seeded

Colombian team of world record holder Sara Lopez, Alejandra Usquiano and Nora Valdez in the final played yesterday. This was India's fifth medal at the World Championships and all of them have been silver. It was also the first time India won any medal in the compound team archery section at the World

Championships. Colombia, who landed only six arrows out of the 10-ring, took a three-point lead, 58-55, after the first six arrows and never let go to win their second ever world archery title. Korea, represented by Song Yun Soo, So Chaewon and Choi Bomin, took bronze beating Germany 235-227.

**Gaganjeet Bhullar clinches
commanding win in Macao Open golf**

Macao, Oct 22
Gaganjeet Bhullar held his nerve to complete a wire-to-wire victory and lift his eighth Asian Tour title at the Macao Open on Sunday. Bhullar had seen his four-shot lead reduced to one in round three but on Sunday, he drained five birdies on the front nine and won by three shots despite a nerve-jangling

double bogey on 16. The 29-year-old fired rounds of 64, 65, 74 and 68 for an aggregate score of 13-under 271, lifting his first Asian Tour trophy of the year. Bhullar's fellow Indian Ajeetesh Sandhu and Filipino Angelo Que shared second place at par-71 Macau Golf and Country Club, while Taiwan's Hung Chien-Yao was alone in fourth.



**National Ayurveda & Global Iodine Deficiency
Disorder Prevention Days observed**

Car Nicobar, Oct 21
National Ayurveda Day with the theme 'Pain Management through Ayurveda' and Global Iodine Deficiency Disorder Prevention Day was observed in the Conference Hall of BJR Hospital, Car Nicobar recently. The Deputy Commissioner Nicobar, Shri Awanish Kumar was the chief guest of the function. While the Secretary, Tribal Council, Shri Martin Luther was the

guest of honor. Shri Subash Chandra, Asst. Commissioner (i/c) Car Nicobar along with Dr. H. Charles, Medical Superintendent, HODs of various departments and Headmen of different villages of Car Nicobar were also present. The chief guest in his address suggested that such camps should be conducted at village level to educate them about proper lifestyle. Power point presentations were made on

the topic 'Global Iodine Deficiency Disorder Prevention' by Dr. Johnson, MO, BJRH Car Nicobar and Dr. Robin MO (Ayurveda) on 'Pain Management through Ayurveda'. A week long program which includes medical camps, awareness programmes and stress buster games were conducted at five villages as a part of National Ayurveda Day celebration, a communication said.

Govt permits banks... (Contd. from page 1)
scheme would result in higher mobilisation under the scheme. As per the notification, the banks will have to credit all remittances to the government account at RBI Central Account Section, Nagpur within one day in case of core banking solution branches and three days in case non-core banking branches. Last month, the government kept unchanged interest rates on small savings schemes for the October-December quarter. Investments in the public provident fund (PPF) scheme will fetch annual rate of 7.8 per cent while Kisan Vikas Patra investments will yield 7.5 per cent and mature in 115 months. The one for girl child savings, Sukanya Samridhhi Account Scheme will offer 8.3 per cent annually. Similarly, the investment on 5-year Senior Citizens Savings Scheme will yield 8.3 per cent. The interest rate on the senior citizens scheme is paid quarterly.

PMLA: Banks ... (Contd. from page 1)
The Gazette notification said in case the officially valid document furnished does not contain updated address, a utility bill like electricity, telephone, post-paid mobile phone, piped gas or water bill which is not more than two months old can be considered as a proof of address. Also, property or municipal tax receipt, pension or family pension payment orders issued to retired employees by government departments, or letter of allotment of accommodation from an employer can be considered for the same purpose, it said. The Prevention of Money Laundering Act (PMLA) forms the core of the legal framework put in place by India to combat money laundering and generation of black money.

South Andaman Police... (Contd. from page 1)
Das, recovered 80 tobacco packet Baghban 69 (40 grams each) at Sippighat, from the possession of person namely A. Raju, R/o Beodnabad. Both the person alongwith tobacco packets were handed over to the Food Safety Officer, Office of Commissioner of Food Safety/Office of Deputy Commissioner, South Andaman for further necessary action. The whole operation was conducted under the supervision of Shri. M. A. Naushad, SDPO (B/Flat).

Meanwhile, the general public have been requested to inform about any such activities or any illegal activities to the Police on Phone No.100 (PCR) or respective Police Stations on 03192-232400 (PS Aberdeen), 250525 (PS Pahargao), 232232 (PS Chatham), 258411 (PS Bamboo Flat), 224934 (PS Ograbraj), 287590 (PS Humfrygunj), 282405 (PS Havelock), 284208 (PS Hut Bay) and 282602 (PS Neil Island). Identity of informer shall be kept secret, a communication received here said.

Isles' students...
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Climate Change, Govt. of India Dr. Harsh Vardhan inaugurated the ceremony on Oct 13, at Anna University, Chennai. IISF-2017 was indented to ignite a scientific passion among the young students and to make them enjoy the essence of science. IISF-2017 had 'Science for New India' as its focal theme-building on Hon'ble PM's 'Sankalp se Siddhi'. All the teachers and the students were nominated by the Member of Parliament, Shri Bishnu Pada Ray while Dr. Kandimuthu, the local coordinator of the event arranged for their registration as participants of the mega event. After taking part in the event, all the students and teachers returned to Port Blair on Oct 17.