

Hon'ble Lieutenant Governor reviews preparations for the proposed Island Tourism Festival

Directs Tourism Department to organise the Festival on a grand, attractive & larger scale

Sri Vijaya Puram, Oct. 26

The Hon'ble Lieutenant Governor, A&N Islands, Dr. Dinesh Sharma Ji, today reviewed in detail, the presentation on the proposed edition of the annual Island Tourism Festival, organised by the Directorate of Information, Publicity & Tourism (IP&T), at Lok Niwas, Sri Vijaya Puram.

During the review, the Hon'ble Lieutenant Governor directed the Tourism Department to organise the festival on a grander, more attractive and larger scale than in previous years, with the aim of effectively showcasing and promoting the rich cultural heritage, unique natural beauty and immense tourism potential of the Andaman and Nicobar Islands.

The Chief Secretary, Shri Gyanesh Bharti; Commissioner-cum-Secretary (Tourism); Secretary to the Hon'ble Lieutenant Governor; Secretary (Information, Publicity & Tourism) and other senior officials were present on the occasion, a press release from Lok Niwas said.



As part of Vigilance Awareness Week 2026, the Hon'ble Lieutenant Governor, Dr. Dinesh Sharma Ji, administered the Integrity Pledge to all officers and employees at Lok Niwas, Sri Vijaya Puram, today. He called upon everyone to uphold the values of honesty, transparency, accountability and impartiality in the discharge of their duties, refrain from giving or accepting bribes, abide by rules and regulations, and strengthen grievance redressal and whistle-blower mechanisms.

Department of AH&VS intensifies awareness, biosecurity and sanitization drive against African Swine Fever across the Islands

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The Department of Animal Husbandry & Veterinary Services (AH&VS), Andaman & Nicobar Administration, has intensified awareness, counselling, biosecurity and sanitization activities across the Islands as part of the ongoing efforts to prevent the spread of African Swine Fever (ASF). African Swine Fever is a highly contagious viral disease of pigs. It does not infect humans and poses no direct risk to human health. There is no vaccine



and no specific treatment. Strict biosecurity, movement control and early reporting remain the most effective means of containing the disease.

Pig farmers have been counselled on farm hygiene, disinfection, restriction of visitors, movement control, early disease reporting and

other biosecurity measures. Awareness meetings and camps have been organised at multiple locations. At R. K. Pur,

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As part of the observance of 'Vigilance Awareness Week', the Chief Secretary, A&N Administration, Shri Gyanesh Bharti, IAS, administered the 'Integrity Pledge' to the Officers and staff of Secretariat today.

Island Beach Games scheduled to be held at Wandoor & Ramnagar, Diglipur on Oct. 30 & 31 postponed due to adverse weather forecast

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The Island Beach Games were scheduled to be held at Wandoor and Ramnagar, Diglipur on Oct. 30 and 31 by Directorate of Tourism in collaboration with District Administration (N&M Andaman), Sports & Youth Affairs and Rural

Development and Panchayat has been postponed due to the adverse weather forecast issued by India Meteorological Department, Met Centre, Sri Vijaya Puram. The decision has been taken as a precautionary measure in the interest of public

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On the auspicious occasion of the birth anniversary of Maharishi Valmiki Ji, the Hon'ble Lieutenant Governor, Dr. Dinesh Sharma Ji, today paid floral tributes to Maharishi Valmiki Ji's portrait at Lok Niwas, Sri Vijaya Puram, Andaman and Nicobar Islands, along with members of the Valmiki community residing in the Islands. He remembered the great sage's ideals, thoughts and remarkable contributions.

The life of Maharishi Valmiki Ji and his immortal epic, the Ramayana, continue to inspire us to follow the path of truth, righteousness, good conduct and humanity.

On the occasion, Shri Ajay Kumar Valmiki, Shri Kiran Raj Singh, Shri Gopi Chand, Smt. Mamta and other dignitaries were present.



The Director of ICAR-CIARI, Dr. Jai Sundar, and BJP State Vice-President, Smt. Sheela Singh, paid a courtesy call on the Hon'ble Lieutenant Governor, Dr. Dinesh Sharma Ji, at Lok Niwas, Sri Vijaya Puram, A&N Islands, today.

Surf Training Programme for Islanders at Little Andaman

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The Directorate of Tourism, A&N Administration, in association with the Surfing Federation of India (SFI), will conduct a surf training programme at Little Andaman. The programme aims to build a pool of qualified local surf instructors on the island.

The programme includes two months of surf training, followed by the ISA Surf Instructor Level 1 course and the ISA/ILS Aquatic Rescue course. Successful candidates will receive internationally recognised certifications.

Six candidates will be selected, and the course for them will be provided free

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8-day comprehensive training prog. on Photography & Camera Handling commences under RAMP scheme

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The Department of Tourism, Andaman & Nicobar Administration, in association with the Indian Institute of Photography (IIP), Noida, launched an intensive 8-day Training and Certification Programme on Photography and Camera Handling today. The initiative is being conducted under



the Raising and Accelerating MSME Performance (RAMP) scheme, a flagship initiative supported by the World Bank aimed at strengthening Micro, Small, and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs).

The comprehensive

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SPORTS

India eye series win against New Zealand in 3rd T20I at Wellington

Wellington, Oct. 26

India will take on New Zealand in the third T20 International of the five-match series at Hnry Stadium, Wellington tomorrow (October 27), with the visitors aiming to clinch the series after taking an unassailable-looking 2-0 lead in the opening two matches. India have won both encounters and need one more victory to seal the series. The match is scheduled to begin at 12.30 pm.

The Indian team has demonstrated resilience and depth in batting,



overcoming challenging situations in both matches. New Zealand, meanwhile, will look to bounce back on home soil and keep their hopes alive in the series.

The shift to Wellington presents a fresh challenge for both sides, with the

playing conditions and ground dimensions likely to influence team strategies. India will aim to maintain their winning momentum, while New Zealand will be determined to make the most of home advantage.

Selection trials for induction of residential athletes in Football (Girls) to be held at SAI STC on Oct. 28

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The Sports Authority of India (SAI), STC, Sri Vijaya Puram, will be conducting selection trials for the induction of residential athletes in the discipline of Football (Girls) to fill the existing vacancies at the Centre. Girls in the age group of 10 to 14 years are eligible to participate in the selection trials. The trials will be held at Netaji Stadium, SAI STC, Sri Vijaya Puram, on 28.10.2026

(Wednesday) at 9 AM.

The objective of the trials is to identify talented young female Footballers and provide them with an opportunity to undergo professional sports training under the SAI Residential Scheme.

Under the Residential Scheme, selected athletes are provided with free lodging and boarding, sports kits, competition exposure, educational expenses, and medical insurance, as per the

applicable SAI norms.

Candidates attending the selection trials must bring documents in original, along with one set of photocopies. For further details or enquiries regarding documents and selection trials, interested candidates may contact SAI STC, Shri Mohammed Sadique - 9531879321 or Email: sailandaman 88@gmail.com, Instagram ID: @sai.andaman, a press release from SAI said.

Department of AH&VS intensifies

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Little Andaman, an awareness meeting was conducted at the Panchayat Hall, which was attended by pig farmers, Pashu Sakhis, SHG members and staff. Representatives from the Health Department and the Keya Foundation NGO were also present. At Hut Bay, an awareness camp was organised at the Range Office, where the nature of the disease, its transmission and preventive measures were explained, with special emphasis on precautions to be taken while dealing with the Andaman Wild Pig. A total of 50 participants, including staff of Hut Bay Range and the AFEVS Unit, attended the camp.

An ASF awareness programme was held at GSSS Bengali, Teressa Island on Oct. 24. Door-to-door awareness camps were conducted at Diglipur, R. K. Gram and Subashgram. Sanitization activities were also carried out at R. K. Pur.

At Chota Enaka on Oct. 26, an awareness programme was conducted in the presence of, 1st Captain, with 25 participants. At the



Tsunami Shelter, Ongi Tikery, awareness was created among 22 participants, mostly higher secondary students, besides pig farmers of the locality and PRI members. It has been decided to continue the awareness activity there.

Sanitization of luggage and passengers has been undertaken at several points. Luggage and passengers arriving from MV Nalanda and MV Sentinel were sanitised yesterday. Luggage and passengers arriving from MV Ranichanga were sanitised today. Hand and foot sanitization were carried out for outgoing passengers at Chowra Jetty. Sanitization was also done for incoming passengers from MV Kalighat today. At Campbell Bay, luggage and passengers of those who departed and arrived by helicopter today were properly sanitised.

Posters on African Swine Fever have been displayed at multiple Panchayat Offices. The Department is continuing these awareness, surveillance and biosecurity measures across the Islands. Pig owners are requested to keep their pigs confined, maintain hygiene, restrict unnecessary visitors, immediately report any unusual illness or death, and strictly comply with the ban on movement of pigs, pork and pork products. There is no cause for panic among the general public as the disease does not affect humans, a press release from Dep^{tt}. of AH&VS said.

8-day comprehensive training prog. on Photography.....

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curriculum covers camera handling, professional photography, videography, post-production, drone imaging, and niche segments such as underwater and astro-photography. Renowned faculty from IIP Noida, Shri Asif Khan and Ms. Garima Chaudhary, are conducting hands-on sessions industry-grade training to a batch of 60 enthusiastic aspirants drawn from across the archipelago, including Rangat, Mayabunder, Diglipur, Long Island, Little Andaman, and Campbell Bay.

Day 1 commenced with an introductory session focusing on the basics of camera techniques, the core mechanics of the exposure triangle (aperture, shutter speed, and ISO), camera handling ergonomics, and practical exposure metering. Special emphasis was laid on understanding how the camera interacts with light under varied ambient conditions, giving participants hands-on exposure from the outset.

This capacity-building initiative is designed to substantially upgrade the technical competencies of local youth, enabling them to establish viable enterprises and transition into the organized sector through formal MSME registration, in direct alignment with RAMP objectives.

By elevating local talent to professional industry standards, the programme ensures that visiting tourists gain access to professionally trained photographers and videographers to capture their cherished memories across the islands' iconic landscapes and marine locales.

Following the inaugural module, the Department will conduct subsequent editions of the training at prime tourist destinations, starting at Swaraj Dweep from November 3 and Shaheed Dweep from November 12, 2026, a press release from IP&T said.

5-day Peripatetic Training Prog. on 'Pay Fixation, MACP and RTI' gets underway

Sri Vijaya Puram, Oct. 26

A 5-day Peripatetic Training Programme on 'Pay Fixation, MACP and RTI' was inaugurated today in the Seminar Gallery of TGCE. The Training programme organized by the Administrative Reforms and Training Wing (AR&Trg.), A&N Administration, in collaboration with the Institute of Secretariat Training & Management (ISTM), Department of Personnel & Training, Government of India is designed for the Amalgamated Clerical Cadre staff of A&N Administration.



Shri Satnam Singh, Secretary (AR&Trg./PGC), A&N Administration, who was the chief guest on the occasion highlighted the importance of continuous capacity building for efficient administration. The Institute of Secretariat

Training & Management (ISTM) has deputed Ms. Rizwana Bano, Deputy Director, ISTM, to impart the specialized training during the programme while Shri S P S Parihar, Deputy Director, ISTM will join the training from 28th October, 2026, a press release from AR&Trng. Wing said.

ANPCC organizes series of awareness programmes as part of National Pollution Control Day at Long Island

Sri Vijaya Puram, Oct. 26

The Department of Science & Technology (DST), Andaman & Nicobar Pollution Control Committee (ANPCC), organized a series of awareness programmes at Long Island, Middle Andaman, on Oct. 23 and 24 to mark the observance of National Pollution Control Day 2026. The programs aimed to promote awareness about pollution prevention, environmental protection, proper waste management, and the adoption of eco-friendly practices among students and the general public. National Pollution Control Day is observed annually in memory of the victims of the 1984 Bhopal Gas Tragedy.

On Oct. 23, an awareness programme was organized at Government Senior Secondary School, Long Island, wherein the staff of DST, through a PowerPoint presentation enlightened the students and others on various environmental issues.

As part of the programme, a painting competition was conducted for school students on the theme 'Clean Air, Green Earth: A Step Towards Sustainable Living'. Kumar P. Jaswanth, secured First Prize; Kumar Ayush Minj, secured Second Prize; and Kumari Krithika Jiya



Kerketta, secured Third Prize in the competition. Smti. Deepa Nair, Vice Principal of the school, presented cash awards of Rs. 2,500, Rs. 2,000, and Rs. 1,000 to the first, second and third prize winners, respectively.

Further, awareness was created among the Panchayat representatives and members of the general public at Long Island campaign, on pollution-related issues. During the programme, Pradhan, Shri B Kamaraju highlighted local waste-management

concerns and emphasized the importance of proper waste disposal in maintaining cleanliness and safeguarding the island's fragile environment.

As part of the public awareness initiative, cotton bags bearing the messages 'Swachhta Hi Seva' and 'Swachh Rashtira Banana Hai Har Ghar Se Plastic Ko Hatana Hai' were distributed among Panchayat representatives and members of the general public, a press release from ANPCC said.

Weather forecast

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Thunderstorm with gusty wind (40-50 kmph) and lightning is very likely to occur at one or two places over A&N Islands on Oct. 27. Thunderstorm with gusty wind (30-40 kmph) and lightning is also very likely to occur at one or two places over A&N Islands on Oct. 28. Heavy rain (07-11 cm) is very likely to occur

at one or two places over A&N Islands and thunderstorm with gusty wind (30-40 kmph) and lightning is also very likely to occur at one or two places over A&N Islands on Oct. 29. Fishermen have been advised not to venture into the sea along and off A&N coasts till Oct. 27, a press release from Directorate of Disaster Management said.

Island Beach Games scheduled to be

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safety and to ensure the smooth conduct of the event. The revised dates will be announced shortly.

However, as mentioned in the earlier Press Release, interested participants for the events like Beach Volleyball, Tug of War, Arm Wrestling and 100-Metre Sprint etc. at Wandoor Beach may contact Shri Khalid, Coach, Sports & Youth Affairs - 9434290640, while those interested in participating in the events at Ramnagar Beach, Diglipur, may contact Shri Bijoy Halder, Block Development Officer (BDO), Diglipur, for further information and registration, a press release from Directorate of IP&T said.

Applications invited for assistance for purchase of Life Saving Appliances/Fire Fighting Appliances/ Navigational equipment (GPS, VHF, DAT) under UT Plan scheme

Sri Vijaya Puram, Oct. 26

The Department of Fisheries, A&N Administration is implementing a UT Plan scheme namely "Assistance for purchase of Life Saving Appliances/ Fire Fighting Appliances/ Navigational equipment (GPS, VHF, DAT etc.)". In this regard, applications are invited from the bonafide fisherman/Tribes residing in the Municipal and Tribal fishing areas of A&N Islands for under the UT Plan scheme of the Department during the year 2026-27.

Pattern of assistance:
50% subsidy of the unit cost for General Fisher / Unemployed Youth / Local Entrepreneur / Fisheries Cooperative Societies and 75% subsidy of the unit cost for Schedule Tribe / Tribal Cooperative Society fishers having Non-motorized, Motorized and Mechanized fishing boats on purchase of life saving/ firefighting appliances including navigational GPS and VHF.
Eligibility Criteria:
Applicant should be a bonafide fisherman/Tribe of A&N Islands possessing registered non-motorized / motorized / mechanized fishing craft and holding a valid fishing license for two consecutive years including the current year.

The application form and the detailed guidelines of the UT Plan subsidy programme can be obtained from the Directorate of Fisheries / Zonal Fisheries

Offices, nearest Fisheries Sub Stations and also available in the Official website of A&N Administration (h t t p : / / www.andamannicobar.gov.in/). The

applications completed in all respect should reach the nearest Fisheries Zonal Office / Sub Stations on or before Oct. 30, a press release from Fisheries Dep^{tt}. said.

Department of Fisheries implementing subsidy scheme 'Supply of Fishing Inputs- Essential Fishery Requisite' for fishermen of Isles

Sri Vijaya Puram, Oct. 26

The Department of Fisheries, A&N Administration is implementing a subsidy programme, 'Supply of Fishing Inputs- Essential Fishery Requisite' under the UT Plan Scheme - for the bonafide fishermen of A&N Islands.

The pattern of subsidy and eligibility criteria for the programme of the scheme are as under: -

Pattern of Subsidy for Non-Tribal Category	Pattern of Subsidy for Tribal Category
50% of the unit cost with a ceiling of Rs.1500/- per non-motorized Fishing Boat and Rs.3000/- per Motorized Fishing Boats.	75% of the unit cost with a ceiling of Rs.2200/- per non-motorized Fishing Boat and Rs.4300/- per Motorized Fishing Boats.
Eligibility Criteria:	
Applicant should be a bonafide fisherman/Tribe of A & N Islands possessing registered non-motorized / motorized fishing craft and holding a valid fishing license for two consecutive years including the current year.	

Applications are invited from bonafide fishermen of the Municipal and Tribal areas interested in the procurement of fishing inputs- 'Essential fishery requisite' during 2026-27. Application form and detailed terms & conditions of the scheme can be obtained from the Directorate of Fisheries / Zonal Fisheries Offices (N&M Andaman/ South Andaman/

Nicobar) and nearest Fisheries Sub Stations. The applications completed in all respect should reach the nearest Fisheries Zonal Office / Sub - Stations on or before 30/10/2026. The prescribed form is also available in the Official website of A&N Administration (<https://anifisheries.andamannicobar.gov.in>), a press release from Department of Fisheries said.

A&N Police Marine Force safely rescues rider & towed the capsized Jet Ski to Swaraj Dweep

Sri Vijaya Puram, Oct. 26

In a prompt response during routine maritime patrolling, the Police Marine Force (PMF Unit, Swaraj Dweep, safely towed a stranded jet ski found floating near the Lighthouse area yesterday.

On Oct. 25, MV Zulfiqar Ali was deployed with patrolling team comprised SI(M) D. S. Dekate, ASI(AED) Petrus Kujur, PC/1883 Sagar Karketta and HC/647 Saw Jackson for patrolling in the waters off Elephanta Beach, Swaraj Dweep, and commenced its patrol at 0900 hrs, returning at 1430 hrs. During the patrolling, the team noticed a jet ski capsized and found floating along with his rider near the Lighthouse area with engine failure.

Acting promptly, the PMF personnel safely towed the



stranded jet ski and brought it to the Floating Jetty, Swaraj Dweep, ensuring its safe recovery. This timely assistance reflects the commitment of the Police Marine Force towards ensuring maritime safety, extending assistance to water sports operators and users, and maintaining vigilance in the coastal waters of the Andaman & Nicobar Islands, a press release from SP, PMF said.

Surf Training Programme for Islanders.....

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of cost, and all training and certification fees for the six selected candidates will be fully borne by the Directorate of Tourism. In addition to the six selected candidates, training will be imparted to other qualified candidates. However, the certification fees must be borne by them.

Selections will be held on Nov. 1 at Little Andaman and will include a 200 metre swim in under 5 minutes, a surf fitness test, a surfing ability assessment and a personal interview.

Interested islanders above 18 years of age must apply through the Google Form at <https://forms.gle/GQWtvcGPhvesZtGt5> and upload Islander ID card, Aadhaar Card and Medical fitness certificate.

The last date to apply is Oct. 28. Shortlisted candidates will be informed of the selection venue and reporting time by phone or email. For details, contact Planning Section, Directorate of Tourism, a press release from IP&T Dep^{tt}. said.

TENDER NOTICE FOR “ANNUAL REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE OF STREET LIGHTS OF ALL WARDS UNDER GRAM PANCHAYAT STEWARTGUNJ, SOUTH ANDAMAN”

Tender No.4-1/e-Procurement/GPSG/2026-27/143		
The Pradhan, Gram Panchayat Stewartgunj , South Andaman invites e-tender in Two bid system i.e. Technical Bid & Financial Bid from Electrical contractors (Society / individuals) having a team comprising of at least one lineman / wireman and a helper, one of which should have a minimum qualification of ITI in Electrical (2 years) or a certificate of competency from any of the licensing board for Streetlight Annual Maintenance Contract (AMC) under Gram Panchayat Stewartgunj, South Andaman for a period of 01 (One) year.		
The details and scope of work, terms and conditions, EMD, Street light guideline etc., as laid down in the tender document, may be seen in e-procurement portal using URL- https://eprocure.andamannicobar.gov.in .		
Schedule of Tender.		
Sl. No.	Activity Description	Schedule
1.	Estimated cost.	Rs.4,14,530/- (Rupees Four Lakhs Fourteen Thousand Five Hundred Thirty Only)
2.	Earnest money deposit	Rs.8291/- (Rupees Eight Thousand Two Hundred Ninety One Only) In the form of call deposit receipt/ Bank guarantee / Fixed Deposit Receipt valid for 12 months from any Nationalized Bank drawn in favour of the Panchayat Secretary, Gram Panchayat Stewartgunj, South Andaman or EMD exemption certificate /document.
3.	Date and time for online Commencement / Submission of bid.	09/10/2026 at 03:00 PM
4.	Tender Document & Streetlight guidelines	Tender document & Streetlight guidelines can be viewed in e-procurement portal using URL- https://eprocure.andamannicobar.gov.in .
5.	Date and time for online submission of bid.	Up to 09:00 AM on 02/11/2026.
6.	Opening of Technical Bid	10:00 AM on 02/11/2026
7.	Opening of Financial / Price Bid	Shall be informed after verification of Technical bid through e-procurement portal using URL- https://eprocure.andamannicobar.gov.in , (Financial / Price Bid will be opened only of those bidders who qualify for technical bid.)
8.	Deposit of Tender	The tender is to be submitted / uploaded only through e-procurement portal using URL- https://eprocure.andamannicobar.gov.in .
9.	Bid validity period / validity of bid offer for acceptance by the Gram Panchayat.	90 days from the date of opening.
10.	Place of opening of Tender	Office of the Gram Panchayat Stewartgunj, South Andaman
11.	Duration of Contract	The contract shall remain valid for a period of 01 (One) year from the date of signing of agreement/ work order, which may be extended for further period of One Year on mutual consent of both the parties.
12.	Documents to be uploaded	1. Technical Bid 2. Price Bid – The Price quoted and accepted is firm & final which will be inclusive of GST and all taxes & charges i.e. materials (likes minor materials such as wires, insulation tape, screws and fuse wires), maintenance, salary of staff, payment of insurance etc. The GST being a statutory payment shall be paid as per actual from time to time. Any variation in the rates of GST due to government orders shall be paid or recovered as the case may be. 3. Staff appointment order. 4. Attested Qualification Certificate of Technical Staff/ Engineer or a certificate of competency from any of the licensing board in Administration. 5. EMD (the bidder seeking EMD exemption must submit the valid supporting documents of MSME, startup, for the relevant category and they are required to upload the scan copy of registration certificate with documentary evidence of nature of service(s) permitted. Bid security declaration (MSMEs are required to submit a “Bid security declaration Letter” on non-judicial stamp paper) (Format enclosed in Annexure Q). 6. Experience Criteria – The bidder should submit their own experience of successful similar work in Government Department / Public sector undertaking / State run Electricity board during the last 3 year (ending on 31 st March, 2026). The bidder should have successfully executed / completed at least one single order of 80% of the Estimate Bid Value or 2 orders each of 50% of the Estimate Bid Value or 3 orders each of 40% of the Estimate Bid Value for similar services (s) in the last three years to any central / state/ government organization /PSU / Public Listed Company. Copies of contracts / work orders and documentary evidence of successful execution / completion in support of past experience of similar services along with names, address and contract details of clients shall be uploaded with bid for verification by the buyer. (If the bidder seeking exemption from “Experience Criteria”, must be submitted the valid supporting documents of MSME, startup, for the relevant category and they are required to upload the scan copy of registration certificate with documentary evidence to prove his eligibility for exemption). 7. Turnover Criteria - The participating bidder to furnish Annual Turnover (Financial Turnover Certificate from the Chattered Account (CA)). Which should be at least 30% of the estimated cost i.e. Rs 4,14,530/- (Rupees Four Lakhs fourteen Thousand Five Hundred Thirty Only) during the last three year

		(ending on 31 st March,2026) (If the bidder seeking exemption from “Bidder Turnover”, must be submitted the valid supporting documents of MSME, startup, for the relevant category and they are required to upload the scan copy of registration certificate with documentary evidence to prove his eligibility for exemption). 8. Performance Security - After award of contract, the successful bidder shall submit the Performance Security of 3% of the value of the contract (as per GFR and OM issued by Ministry of Finance which may be amended from time to time) in the form of Account payee Demand Draft, Fixed Deposit Receipt / Bank Guarantee from any of the commercial Banks in an acceptable form drawn in favour of the Panchayat Secretary, Gram Panchayat Diglipur, North Andaman within 15 days award of contract. If the successful bidder fails to submit the Performance Security within the stipulated period the EMD will be forfeited and if the successful bidder fails to provide the street light maintenance after the award of the contract within the stipulated time the Performance Security is liable to be forfeited. The Performance Security will be released after completion of all contractual obligations. 9. Copy of PAN and GST registration number. 10. Signed and sealed of copy of complete bid document.
13.	Tender Fee Details	An amount of Rs.500/- (Rupees Five Hundred only) In the form of Cash / Demand Draft from any nationalized Bank drawn in favour of the Panchayat Secretary, Gram Panchayat Stewartgunj, South Andaman or Tender Fee exemption certificate /document may be submitted.
14.	Availability of Office	An office of the service provider must be located in the South Andaman District
Note: The bidders are advised to upload the mandatory documents and submit the bids online in e-procurement portal using URL- https://eprocure.andamannicobar.gov.in , well before the closing time of the tender to avoid last moment rush. The Gram Panchayat will not be responsible for last minute failure in submission of the bids. The Pradhan, Gram Panchayat Stewartgunj, South Andaman reserves the right to accept or reject any or all the Tenders without assigning any reasons thereof. Pradhan Gram Panchayat Stewartgunj South Andaman		
I.D. No. 12282		

PRESS NOTE	
Reference is invited to the advertisement published in ‘The Daily Telegram’ dated 16/03/2026 inviting online applications from 16/03/2026 to 29/04/2026 from eligible candidates for recruitment of Group ‘C’ (Industrial) posts of ‘Mazdoor’ and other Group ‘C’ Non-Ministerial Posts (Raftman, Grader, Asst. Sawyer, Beltman, Oiler, Timber Recorder, Tallyman, Grinder) to be filled in South Andaman District in Department of Environment and Forests under Andaman & Nicobar Administration. Subsequent to the scrutiny of the online applications received in response to the aforesaid advertisement by duly constituted Committee, the list of Provisionally Eligible and Non-Eligible Candidates for various Group ‘C’ post has been prepared and uploaded on the official Recruitment portal of Andaman & Nicobar Administration at https://ercruitment.andamannicobar.gov.in/ . All concerned candidates are advised to carefully verify their particulars in the Non-Eligible Candidates list. In case of any discrepancy, they may submit their claims/objections (if any) through email on dfosa.recruitment@gmail.com within 03 days from 26/10/2026 to 28/10/2026. For further queries contact the Office of the Divisional Forest Officer, South Andaman Division over Phone No. (+91)-3192-255228 (during office hours only). Claims/Objections received after the stipulated period or without proper documentary proof shall not be entertained under any circumstances. Disclaimer: The list of eligible candidates is purely provisional. Final eligibility shall be determined only upon verification of the original documents, after declaration of the result or at any other stage of the recruitment process, as applicable. Inclusion of a candidate's name in the provisional list shall not be construed as confirmation of the validity, authenticity, or acceptance of the documents submitted by the candidate, nor shall it confer any right or claim to final selection or appointment. -Sd- Divisional Forest Officer South Andaman Division Nodal Officer (Recruitment), South Andaman District	

F.NO. 5-8/DDR/IRCA/DC/SA/NMBA/2024-2025	
OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SOUTH ANDAMAN	
EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI)	
For hiring/leasing of suitable building for 15 bedded Integrated Rehabilitation Center for Addicts (IRCA), South Andaman. Expression of interest is hereby invited from interested building owners/authorized representatives for hiring/leasing of a suitable building/premises in/or around municipal area, Sri Vijaya Puram in South Andaman for establishment and of an Integrated Rehabilitation Center for Addicts (IRCA). The proposed premises should be suitable for a residential rehabilitation center with a minimum capacity of 15 beds and preferably have adequate space and facilities for the following: 1. Office/administrative rooms. 2. Reception and registration area. 3. Waiting area. 4. Medical examination room. 5. Counselling rooms. 6. Nursing station. 7. 10-bedded male ward with attached toilets & bathrooms. 8. 5-bedded female ward with attached toilets & bathrooms. 9. Kitchen with suitable space for preparation of food 10. Hall/common rooms for group activates, Vocational activates, meetings and rehabilitation programmes 11. Adequate toilets and bathing facilities. 12. Adequate water supply, electricity, ventilation, sanitation and accessibility. 13. Sufficient space for other essential activates associated with the functioning of an IRCA. Interested owner/authorized representatives may submit their Expression of Interest, furnishing details of the property, location total build-up/carpet area, number and size of rooms, available facilities, photography's of the premises, expected monthly rent (not more than 18,000 Per Month) and other relevant particulars. The property should have clear ownership/title and should be free from any legal dispute or encumbrance. The details terms and condition and other requirements may be obtained from the office of the undersigned during office hours. The EOI may be submitted in a sealed envelope superscripted “Expression of Interest for hiring/leasing of building from IRCA, South Andaman” and should submit to the undersigned on or before 2 nd November 2026 at 05.00 PM. The competent authority reserves the right to accept or reject any or all offers without assigning any reason. Assistant Commissioner (HQ) Member, DDR/IRCA South Andaman District	

PUBLIC NOTICE					
It is brought to the notice of the residents and commercial establishments within Sri Vijaya Puram Municipal Council that all the dues of Property tax, Water charges, Conservancy fee and Market rent etc may be paid by 15 th December 2026, failing which SVPMC will take action as per A & N Islands (Municipal) Regulation and A & N Islands (Municipal) Bye-Laws. Recovery campaign of Municipal dues to be commencing from 28.10.2026					
Sl. No.	Dated	Ward No.	Location	Timing	Name of Official
1.	28.10.2026	1	Haddo Community Hall	09.00 AM to 01.00 PM	Shri R.Venket Ramana, Tax Inspector 9679593369
2.	29.10.2026	2	Haddo Community Hall	09.00 AM to 01.00 PM	Shri R.Venket Ramana, Tax Inspector 9679593369
3.	30.10.2026	3	Anarkali Community Hall	09.00 AM to 01.00 PM	Shri R.Venket Ramana, Tax Inspector 9679593369
4.	31.10.2026	4	Marine Hill Community Hall	09.00 AM to 01.00 PM	Shri R.Venket Ramana, Tax Inspector 9679593369
5.	02.11.2026	5	Atlanta Point Community Hall	09.00 AM to 01.00 PM	Shri K.Mani Tax Inspector 9434285049
6.	03.11.2026	6	Khaitan Kalyan Mandapam, Junglighat	09.00 AM to 01.00 PM	Shri K.Mani Tax Inspector 9434285049
7.	04.11.2026	7	Delanipur Community Hall	09.00 AM to 01.00 PM	Shri K.Mani Tax Inspector 9434285049
8.	05.11.2026	8	Buniyadabad Community Hall	09.00 AM to 01.00 PM	Shri K.Mani Tax Inspector 9434285049
9.	06.11.2026	9	Dairyfarm Community Hall	09.00 AM to 01.00 PM	Shri Rajesh Narayan Tax Collector 9933267287
10.	07.11.2026	10	Shadipur Community Hall	09.00 AM to 01.00 PM	Shri Rajesh Narayan Tax Collector 9933267287
11.	09.11.2026	11	Mazar Pahad Community Hall	09.00 AM to 01.00 PM	Shri Rajesh Narayan Tax Collector 9933267287
12.	10.11.2026	12	Chakkargaon Community Hall	09.00 AM to 01.00 PM	Shri Rajesh Narayan Tax Collector 9933267287
13.	11.11.2026	13	Junglighat Community Hall	09.00 AM to 01.00 PM	Shri Naushad Ali Tax Collector 9434263498
14.	12.11.2026	14	Dairyfarm Community Hall	09.00 AM to 01.00 PM	Shri Naushad Ali Tax Collector 9434263498
15.	13.11.2026	15	School Line Community Hall	09.00 AM to 01.00 PM	Shri Naushad Ali Tax Collector 9434263498
16.	14.11.2026	16	Old Pahargaon Community Hall	09.00 AM to 01.00 PM	Shri Naushad Ali Tax Collector 9434263498
17.	16.11.2026	17	JE Office (Works) Dollygunj, SVPMC	09.00 AM to 01.00 PM	Shri Swapan Mistry Tax Collector 9474266211
18.	17.11.2026	18	Councillor Office, Near TTI College Garacharma	09.00 AM to 01.00 PM	Shri Swapan Mistry Tax Collector 9474266211
19.	18.11.2026	19	Councillor Office (Cash Counter) Bathubasti	09.00 AM to 01.00 PM	Shri Swapan Mistry Tax Collector 9474266211
20.	19.11.2026	20	New Pahargaon Community Hall	09.00 AM to 01.00 PM	Shri Swapan Mistry Tax Collector 9474266211
21.	20.11.2026	21	Brookshabad Community Hall	09.00 AM to 01.00 PM	Shri Benedict Thomas Tax Collector 9933247154
22.	21.11.2026	22	Councillor Office Brichgunj	09.00 AM to 01.00 PM	Shri Benedict Thomas Tax Collector 9933247154
23.	23.11.2026	23	JE Works, Prothrapur Site Office	09.00 AM to 01.00 PM	Shri Benedict Thomas Tax Collector 9933247154
24.	24.11.2026	24	JE Site Office, Garacharma	09.00 AM to 01.00 PM	Shri Benedict Thomas Tax Collector 9933247154
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FCI SRI VIJAYA PURAM – TENDER NOTICE	
Online bids are invited on the GeM Portal under a Two Packet System for Handling & Transport Services at FCI, Dollygunj, Sri Vijaya Puram. *Bid No. GEM/2026/B/8179867 *Estimated Value: Rs. 25,00,000/- (Rupees twenty five lakhs only) *Contract period: 6 Months *Closing Date / Time: 29.10.2026 at 1700 Hrs. *Opening Date / Time: 30.10.2026 at 1700 Hrs. For full details, scope of work and submission requirements, visit the GeM Portal using the Bid Number above. Divisional Manager FCI, DO, Sri Vijaya Puram	

NOTICE INVITING e-TENDERS	
The Executive Engineer, Panchayati Raj Institution, South Andaman Division-I on behalf of <i>Pramukh, Panchayat Samiti, Little Andaman</i> invites online item rate tender (in CPWD form-8) from bonafide and experienced contractors for the below mentioned work. 1. NIT NO. EE/PRI/SAD-I/RR/2026-27/105 Name of Work: - Maintenance of Black top road main road to Faatik sarkar house at W.No. 03 at Netaji Nagar by Panchayat Samiti, Little Andaman. (Re-Tender) Estimated Cost Rs: - 48,31,874/- Earnest Money Deposit Rs:- 96,637/- Time of Completion:- Eight (08) Months, Tender Fee: - 500/- & last date & time of submission of bid: - 06/11/2026 (1500 hrs) The tender forms and other details can be obtained from the website https://eprocure.andamannicobar.gov.in . Tender ID:- 2026_RDPRI_25391_1 I.D. No. 12291 Executive Engineer, Panchayati Raj Institution, South Andaman Division-I Junglighat, Sri Vijaya Puram South Andaman	

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1	WP/S-143/506 Tender ID: 2026_DCFWP_2 5376_1	e-Tender for the Work: "Construction of Range Office cum residence Ground Floor (Phase 1) at Nimbudera (North & Middle Andaman Range) under Working Plan Division".	10/11/2026

Complete tender documents are available in the A&N Administration e-tender portal (<https://eprocure.andamannicobar.gov.in>). The tender should be submitted online as per the tender document.
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Deputy Conservator of Forests
Working Plan Division, Haddo

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I, Smti A. Mary, W/o K. Jani, R/o 10/7/S Street, Ward No. 1, Haddo, Sri Vijay Puram Tehsil, District South Andaman (UT of Andaman & Nicobar Islands), do hereby solemnly declare and affirm as under-

(i) That, I am the permanent resident of these Islands.

(ii) That I am the Mother of J Jesica, who was born on 10/07/2013.

(iii) That after the Birth of my Daughter, her Birth was duly registered with the Department of Birth & Death Registration, Sri Vijay Puram.

(iv) That upon verifying the initial Birth Certificate of my Daughter, I noticed that my name was recorded incorrectly as Mary instead of my correct name A. Mary.

(v) That I subsequently submitted a formal correction application alongwith necessary supporting identity proof documents to the Registrar, Department of Birth and Death, requesting the correction of my name in the Official Birth records.

(vi) That upon verification of the documents and processing of the correction application, the Department of Birth and Death issued a fresh Birth Certificate for my daughter, reflecting my correct name as A. Mary.

(vii) That both names, Mary and A. Mary, refer to one and the same identical person.

The statements made above are true, accurate, and correct to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief, and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true.

DEPONENT

AFFIDAVIT

I, Mr. K Jani, S/o Late Kuppaswamy, R/o 10/7/S Street, Ward No. 1, Haddo, Sri Vijay Puram Tehsil, District South Andaman (UT of Andaman & Nicobar Islands), do hereby solemnly declare and affirm as under-

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(ii) That I am the Father of J Jesica, who was born on 10/07/2013.

(iii) That after the Birth of my Daughter, her Birth was duly registered with the Department of Birth & Death Registration, Sri Vijay Puram.

(iv) That upon verifying the initial Birth Certificate of my Daughter, I noticed that my name was recorded incorrectly as Jani instead of my correct name K. Jani.

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(vi) That upon verification of the documents and processing of the correction application, the Department of Birth and Death issued a fresh Birth Certificate for my Daughter, reflecting my correct name as K. Jani.

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