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Adhikari Should Visit Kashmir, Says BJP Leader Raina

After Controversial Remarks By Party's Bengal Leader

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over appointment letters to

the members of the 40 terror

victim families. The process

will continue till every ter-

ror victim family is rehabil-

itated. The family members,

whose loved ones were

mercilessly killed by terror-

ists, narrated the horrifying incidents and exposed the

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Srinagar, July 13: In a

Lieutenant

Sadhguru spread nectar of his discourses in Rakhbandhu

Where truth prevails



CS assesses progress on logistics infra projects to be raised by NHLML



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BRIEF

10 Amarnath Yatris injured after 3

Srinagar: At least 10 district, which falls under Kulgam, along the Srinagar-Jammu National Yatra pilgrims collided, health facility for treatment. The condition of all

PWD JE suspended amid ongoing

North Kashmir, has suspended Junior Engineer Riyaz Ahmad Bhat of the Rafiabad Division with immediate effect. The action has been taken under Rule 31(2) of the J&K Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1956. According to an official order issued by the Chief Engineer, the suspension comes in light of an ongoing inquiry into undisclosed allegations. While the nature of the charges remains unspecified, the department has initiated proceedings as per civil service regulations. During the suspension period, Bhat will remain attached to the office Superintending Engineer, R&B Circle, Baramulla. The order, dated July 12, was marked for immediate circulation among relevant officials, including the Secretary to

radicalisation in Jails, pushes

New Delhi, Jul 13: The Ministry of Home Affairs has flagged radicalisation in prisons as an increasingly critical challenge and stressed the need for urgent steps to check the trend for maintaining public order and ensuring internal security. In a communication to all states and Union Territories, the MHA issued guidelines listing various steps, including screening of inmates, periodic risk assessment and segregation of high-risk individuals with greater surveillance, and underlined the importance of undertaking an exercise for de-radicalisation of such prisoners. It said radicalisation can be typically dangerous in jails, as prisons are closed spaces where social isolation, group dynamics and lack of oversight can foster extreme points of view.

Prisoners can often become vulnerable to radical narratives owing to feelings of alienation, a tendency towards violent behaviour, or anti-social attitudes and in some cases, radiinmates may calised engage in acts of violence or orchestrate attacks against prison staff, fellow inmates, or even external targets, it said.

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ists and their sympathisers.

Governor reiterated his

commitment to ensure that

the terror victim families

will receive the justice,

jobs, recognition and sup-

port they deserve after years

of suffering. Terror victim

families, forsaken and for-

gotten, suffered silently for

decades. Stories of their

loved ones, brutally killed

by Pakistan-backed terror-

ists are being brought to

forefront. Truth about these

LG hands over appointment letters to NoKs of terror victims, Says:

Govt to re-open cases, return properties of

Terror hit families in Jammu and Kashmir

Lieutenant

Pakistan-sponsored terror- families was deliberately country. By propagating the

suppressed. No one came to

wipe their tears. Everyone

knew Pakistan-backed ter-

rorists were involved in

brutal killings but no one

provided justice to thou-

sands of elderly parents,

wives, brothers or sisters,"

the Lieutenant Governor

Governor issued a stern

warning to the conflict

entrepreneurs and asked

them to stop spreading nar-

ratives that harms the sover-

eignty and integrity of the

The Lieutenant

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narrative of terror outfits in

Jammu and Kashmir, they

are disrupting the peace established with blood and

sweat. For almost three

decades conflict entrepre-

neurs were ruling the roost

and even threatened these

families. These conflict

entrepreneurs had cleverly

crafted a singular narrative

that painted India as the

aggressor and terrorists as

victims. This false narrative

has been completely demol-

ished. The real victims of

terrorism have now exposed

Pakistan and terror outfits

and unmasked the conflict

assured the people that

those days are over when

the family members of

dreaded terrorists used to

get jobs and the killers of

common Kashmiris were

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Katra, July 13: In a land-

mark initiative aimed at fos-

tering spirituality and pre-

serving cultural heritage, the

Shri Mata Vaishno Devi

Shrine Board, during its 75th

Meeting held under the chair-

manship of Shri Manoj

Sinha, Hon'ble Lieutenant Governor, JK-UT approved

the dedication of five newly

constructed temples to the

public in the month of July

along with the construction

of five additional temples in

District Reasi. As part of this

initiative, the Shrine Board

has formally dedicated the

five temples today at each

location in distinct villages

across the district, namely

Governor

entrepreneurs.

Lieutenant

rehabilitated.

buses collide

Amarnath pilgrims were historic step to deliver injured Sunday in a road accident in the Vesu area of Justice to the Terror Victim Families, the Lieutenant south Kashmir's Anantnag Governor Manoj Sinha on Sunday handed over the the police jurisdiction of appointment letters to Next of Kins (NoKs) of terror victims, at Baramulla. Highway. An official said three vehicles ferrying Governor had met terror victim families in Anantnag resulting in injuries to some on 29th June 2025 and they passengers. All the pilgrims were assured that eligible had minor injuries only and NoKs will receive the jobs were shifted to a nearby within just 30 days. The Lieutenant Governor has fulfilled his promise within the injured is stable. 15 days and today handed-

inquiry

Srinagar: The Public Works Department (R&B), (Watergam)

the Government, PW (R&B) Department, and executives within the Rafiabad division.

HM issues alert on de-radicalisation plan

nominated four distinguished individuals to the Rajya Sabha, recognizing their significant contributions in the fields of law, diplomacy, history, and social service. The newly nominated members are Nikam, Ujjwal Sadanandan Master, Harsh Vardhan Shringla, and Dr. Meenakshi Jain. Prime Minister Narendra Modi congratulated all four nominees in a series of posts on social media platform X, praising their achievements and expressing confidence in their future contributions to parliamentary proceedings. Lauding Ujjwal Nikam, a senior advocate known for prosecuting several high-profile criminal cases, the Prime Minister said he has shown exemplary dedication to the legal field and constitutional values. "Shri Ujjwal Nikam's devotion to the legal field and to our Constitution is exemplary. He has not only been a successful lawyer but also been at the forefront of seeking justice in important cases," said PM south Kashmir Himalayas.

Amarnath cave shrine in

President nominates four to Rajya Sabha including former foreign secretary Harsh Vardhan Shringla

New Delhi, July 13: nation to the Rajya Sabha The President of India has was a welcome step.

On the nomination of veteran teacher and social worker C. Sadanandan Master, the Prime Minister called his life story an "epitome of courage and refusal to bow to injustice." PM Modi noted that despite facing violence and intimidation, Master remained committed to national development and youth empower-Foreign ment.Former Secretary Harsh Vardhan Shringla was praised for his career as a diplomat and strategic thinker. The Prime Minister highlighted Shringla's contributions to shaping India's foreign policy and his role in the G20 Presidency. "His unique perspectives will greatly enrich Parliamentary proceedings. Describing the nomination of Meenakshi Jain as a matter "immense joy," the Prime Minister commended her scholarly work as a historian and academic. He noted her significant contributions in the fields of education, literature, and political science, and extended best wishes for her parliamentary tenure.

Baltal in Ganderbal in sepaearly hours of the day. camp in a convoy of 148 preferred the Baltal route. The 38-day annual pilgrimage to the 3,880-metre high two routes on July 3 and is 9, coinciding with the

rate convoys under tight security arrangements in the While 4,158 pilgrims are heading for Pahalgam base vehicles, 2891 pilgrims on board 138 vehicles have cave shrine started from the scheduled to end on August Raksha Bandhan festival. Nearly 1.83 lakh pilgrims have so far visited the shrine, which houses a naturally formed Shivlingam.

Sathaan, Kalika

today undertook a compre- facial recognition systems, ensure sufficient deployment hensive visit to the Baltal Base Camp to assess the onground arrangements for the ongoing Shri Amarnath Ji Yatra (SANJY)-2025.

During the visit, the Chief senior officers of the civil and police administration besides meeting focused on ensuring ous aspects of Yatra management via the Baltal route. itation measures, flood mitithe security and traffic management plans. SSP Ganderbal, Khalil Poswal,

CCTV coverage and integrated control rooms for realtime monitoring. It was informed that round-theclock monitoring mechanisms have been put in place



with the medical and paramedical staff and appreciated

five Temples to public in Reasi Following these preparatory rites, the sacred Pran Pratishtha ceremonies-rituals and Kanya Poojan were performed at the respective temple locations. Each ceremony marked the formal consecration of the temple and its deity, carried out by learned Pujaris of the Shrine Board in the presence of local community members and Shrine Board officials. During the dedication ceremony of the newly constructed temples, Anshul Garg, Chief Executive Officer, Shri Mata Vaishno Devi Shrine Board stated that the Board has decided to entrust the management of these temples to

the local communities after

the sacred Pran Pratishtha rituals. He underscored that by handing over the responsibility for daily worship and routine maintenance to local residents, the Board aims to strengthen grassroots spiritual engagement in preserving cultural heritage while ensuring that the temples are maintained in a manner that reflects the community's C M devotional spirit and traditions. CEO also exhorted that the Shrine Board shall be installing CCTV cameras at each of the newly constructed temples as a vital measure to ensure the sanctity of the premises and support the effective management of temple activities.

Foreign demand for Brahmos Missile increased after its performance : Rajnath

Minister added. Speaking at

the National PG College,

Singh unveiled a statue of

New Delhi, July 13 Defence Minister Rainath Singh on Sunday highlighted the significance of the inaugurated BrahMos Aerospace integration and testing facility in Lucknow, calling it a major step toward strengthening India's self-reliance in the defence sector."Just a few days ago, I inaugurated the integration and testing facility of BrahMos Aerospace in Lucknow. This facility will strengthen our country's self-reliance in the defence sector and also create employment," Singh said at a public event

in Lucknow. Singh commended Uttar Pradesh for the improved law and order situation, which he said is encouraging investments and indusgrowth."Historical changes are taking place in infrastructure. Expressway, airport, metro, medical college-all these are presenting a new picture of develop-ment," the Defence the Defence

Village-Harotkote; Pancheri

Galli, Village-Dangakote;

Tote Devsthan, Village-Tote;

Village-Devigarh of Tehsil

Chasana.Prior to the installa-

tion of the Holy Idols at the

newly constructed temples,

the Shrine Board organized a

spiritually enriching three-

day Hawan and Puja ceremo-

ny at the Spiritual Growth

Centre (SGC), Katra. These

rituals were conducted with

deep reverence by the Shrine

Pujaris under the guidance of

Vishwamurti Shastri for

invoking divine blessings

and sanctifying the proceed-

ings in alignment with age-

of medical personnel, ambu-

lances and essential medi-

cines to meet the influx of

Yatris. The Chief Secretary

also visited the Joint Police

Control Room (JPCR) Baltal,

traditions.

Vedic

Shri

Bhomag and

Padma

Shri Mata Vaishno Devi Shrine Board dedicates

Village-

former Uttar Pradesh Chief Minister Chandra Bhanu

Gupta and also released a commemorative postage stamp in his honour. He praised Gupta's contributions to public life and his enduring legacy. Chandra Bhanu Gupta started as a simple worker in the freedom movement and made a place in the hearts of millions of people through his sacrifice, commitment and leadership. Chandra Bhanu Gupta's life tells us that power does not mean only position or authority, but responsibility, sacrifice and

protecting the interests of the public," he said. Reflecting on a key moment in Gupta's political career, Singh spoke about his resignation under the

'Kamaraj despite being an elected "While Gupta did not agree with the 'Kamaraj Plan' he resigned from the CM post due to it. You can imagine how an elected

leader had to step down from the post due to the dislike of some people."The 'Kamaraj Plan', introduced in 1963 by K Kamaraj, then Chief Minister of Madras, proposed that Congress leaders vacate ministerial roles to focus on organisational work. The plan, approved by the Working Congress Committee, saw the resignation of six Union ministers and six Chief Ministers, including Chandra Bhanu

Gupta.

Fresh batch of over 7,000 pilgrims leave from Jammu Base Camp



TT Correspondent Jammu : The 12th batch of 7,049 pilgrims left the Bhagwati Nagar base camp in Jammu on Sunday to pay obeisance at the holy

The pilgrims, including 1,423 women, 31 children and 136 sadhus and sadhvis, left for the twin base camps of Nunwan-Pahalgam in Anantnag and

CS visits Baltal Base Camp to assess arrangements Ganderbal, July 13: lance measures and technotheir dedication. He directed Chief Secretary Atal Dulloo, logical interventions like the health department to

Secretary chaired a highlevel review meeting with the other line departments to take stock of facilities being provided to the pilgrims. The a seamless and comfortable pilgrimage experience for the devotees. Additional Deputy Commissioner Ganderbal, Syed Fahim Bihaqi, briefed the Chief Secretary on vari-These included health and accommodation facilities, water and power supply, sangation and other essential logistics. The Chief Secretary also had a detailed review of presented an overview of the arrangements, including deployment of security personnel, surveil-

to ensure uninterrupted services and address any emerissues promptly.Commending the coordinated efforts of all the departments and agencies, the Chief Secretary urged them to work with the same spirit and commitment to ensure a safe and successful Yatra. Later, the Chief Secretary visited the Base Hospital at Baltal to inspect the medical facilities, availability of emergency medicines and overall readiness to address health-related needs of the pilgrims. He interacted

on-spot registration counters, tent accommodations and Langar areas. He interacted with the pilgrims, service providers and Langar sevadars to get first-hand feedback on the facilities. The pilgrims expressed satisfaction with the arrangements and lauded the administration's proactive approach. The Chief Secretary was accompanied by Secretary Science & Technology, Dr. Shahid Iqbal Choudhary; DG Rural Sanitation; SSP Ganderbal; ADC Ganderbal; Camp Director Baltal and other senior officers from the civil and police administration.

Former militant among two held as NCB busts major drug racket in South Kashmir

major crackdown on nar- drug-related cotics trafficking in South including cases filed in the Narcotics Control Bureau (NCB), Srinagar Zone, has arrested a former militant and his aide. dismantling a drug smuggling network operating in Anantnag district Sunday. Acting on specific intelligence, the NCB carried out a targeted operation in the Bijbehara area between July 8 and 9. The raid led to the seizure of 28 kilograms of poppy straw and the arrest of Shabir, a former member of the banned Jammu and Kashmir Liberation Front (JKLF), and his associate Amin. Following interrogation, the agency recovered an additional 11 kilograms of poppy straw from Shabir's residence in Nowshera, Srigufwara, bringing the total seizure to 39 kilograms. Shabir, who was previously arrested in 1996 for terror activities and released in 2004, is now accused of turning to narcotics trafficking. Investigators believe he sourced contraband from local poppy cultivators and facilitated its movement through illicit interstate routes. Amin has a prior

Srinagar, Jul 13: In a record of involvement in Himachal Pradesh in 2017 and another in Anantnag district, in which he was linked to the seizure of over 523 kilograms of poppy straw. He was reportedly out on bail in both cases at the time of his arrest. This operation underscores the expanding role of the NCB's Srinagar unit, set up to enhance the Centre's crackdown on drug trafficking in Jammu and Kashmir. Authorities are now working to trace the broader network linked to the two men, identifying suppliers, distributors and potential interstate connections. Meanwhile, the NCB has appealed to the public for support in its anti-drug efforts. Citizens can share information by calling the MANAS National Narcotics Helpline at 1933. The agency assured that all information will be kept confidential.In its statement, the NCB reaffirmed its commitment to protecting young people from the harm of drug abuse and ensuring stronger coordination among enforcement agencies in the Union

Mins invokes Dr B.C.Roy doctor-patient trust s legacy for restoring

Paying rich tribute to Dr Bidhan Chandra Roy, the world renowned physician and doyen of medical academics, Union Minister Dr. Jitendra Singh today invoked Dr B.C.Roy's legacy to emphasise the importance of restoring doctor-patient trust which was the hallmark of Dr Roy's times in the first half of the 20th century.

Modi, adding that his nomi-

Dr Jitendra Singh was, as chief guest, speaking at the Doctors Day celebration organized by the national body of the Indian Medical Association (IMA) here. National President IMA Dr Bhanushali, President elect Dr Naik and Immediate Past President Dr Asoken were present along with other national office bearers of

Addressing a packed audience of medical professionals, Dr. Jitendra Singh invoked the legacy of Dr. B.C. Roy, reflecting on his immense contribution to both medicine and nation-building. "One of the greatest traits of Dr. Roy was the unwavering trust he and his contemporaries commanded in society, without compromising his consultation fee or ethics. "Dr. Roy charged a consultation fee of over ?66 in the 1940s, and nobody questioned it. Today, we must ask ourselves - why has the same trust eroded?" he asked, calling for a revival of the doctor-patient trust, which, he emphasized, was the hall-

mark of Dr. Roy's era. Singh

urged the medical fraternity

integrity, and social faith that once defined the noble profession, while emphasizing Minister described it as a "pillar of Indian healthcare,"



that the changing perception of doctors stems not from individual failings alone but from larger shifts in societal values. Recalling the legacy of the Indian Medical

and oldest body of medical practitioners in the country. Founded in 1928 during the 5th All India Medical

Conference in Calcutta, IMA

stands today as a formidable

34 States and Union Territories. With its headquarters in Delhi, the IMA has remained at the forefront of shaping healthcare policy, strengthening medical ethics, and promoting public health awareness. Singh praised the visionaries who gave birth to the Association during politically turbulent times - legendary names such as Dr. B.C. Roy, Dr. M.A. Ansari, Sir Nil Ratan Sircar, and Col. Bhola Nath - noting that many among them also played active roles in India's freedom struggle. "Their mission was clear - to promote advancement of medical sciences, improve public health, and uphold the dignity of the

over 3.3 lakh doctors through

1,750+ local branches across

more relevant today than ever before," Dr. Singh said.

Dr. Jitendra Singh, who is himself a noted Professor of Medicine and Diabetologist, offered deeply personal reflections on the changing face of medicine in India. The Minister highlighted the shift from a time dominated by infectious diseases to a present-day dual burden of communicable as well as noncommunicable diseases, creating both challenges and opportunities for Indian doctors and researchers."You name the disease - we have it in India. That's why global researchers increasingly look to India," he said.Dr. Jitendra Singh also spoke about the paradox of India's demographic profile. "We are a

of the population under 42, yet at the same time, we are ageing rapidly. expectancy has increased from 50 years in the 1950s to over 70 years today. This shift calls for a new curriculum, a new mindset, and a new model of medical practice," he noted. The Minister emphasized the urgent need for a holistic, integrated approach to healthcare, blending modern allopathic medicine with AYUSH systems and cutting-edge technological advancements.He cited yoga as an effective tool in managing chronic diseases and called for dissolving silos between different systems of medicine, encouraging openness to integration rather than skepticism.