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Civic body colludes with builders in raising Illegal buildings

Corruption as before in Girish Verma's times, continues unabated













<u>Commissioner News Service</u> **ZIRAKPUR**: Despite 3

building inspectors, one assistant engineer in field, yet the illegal constructions are seen thriving. unnoticed, perhaps accepting peanuts in exchange of favours. The AAP government may carryout an urgent survey, to confirm the quantum of unapproved structures in the local Municipal jurisIt is practically unthinkable to lay a single brick in

Chandigarh, P'kula and Mohali in contravention of their master plan. The master plan of Zirakpur perceptibly has been thrown away in dust bin by the governing committee. How the uniform development of the town can take place About the perplexing

issue of unauthorised constructions, building inspectors and Lakhvir Singh have not been reporting accurate pictures of erratic structures coming up in Ananta housing project, Steller Homes society at Kishan pura, Dhakoli and many other places.

The old rickety wall sans any concrete foundation/ base wouldn't prolong its strength

Lakhvir Singh **Building Inspector** and buyers of flats might face

the hazards of weak struc-On talking with builder Vipin Bansal . he said they had only

sold plots in the housing business to the buyers. But it was perhaps his wrong presumption that builders sold only plots not raised any colony but architectural plan by the builders was got approved by him from the municipal authorities.

After a visit, inspection on site by the builder inspector Lakhvir Singh, overlooked the illegally wrong construction by the builder who over looked occupational deficiencies obviously by shaking hands for handsome bribery. Besides unending spree of illegal constructions another row of Amar Enclave, Sunshine Enclave and Key Gold Apartments on Gajipur road have sprung surprise dis-

regarding the housing norms.

No action has been initiated against the illegal housing project of Ananta Aspire where land of the site stands controversial and orders for status quo too have been passed by the Supreme court. The land belonging to Pearl Group has allegedly gone into soup and requisite CLU (Change of land use) too has

reports are pouring in. It is pertinent to mention here out of thousands illegal apartments sofar no demolition of erratic buliding has ever been executed such is a phenomenal recurrence of local civic body to be taken care of. Despite many efforts to contact the EO Ravneet Singh, talks could not be made.

Lokhit Sewa Samiti holds health inspection camp





Commissioner News Service **ZIRAKPUR**: On the eve of Ist" death anniversary of Ram Achal Tiwari, under the auspices of Lokhit Sewa Samiti, a camp for health checkup was organised in Amcare and JS Dental Care Implant centre.

In view of the frequent breakout of unprecedented diseases after the elopment of Covid-19, Dr Rashi Iver observed the necessi-

camp for needy men, women and children

During the camp, requisite allopathic and ayurvedic medicines were dispensed with.More than 150 beneficiaries got their health examined for different ailments as variation of sugar levels, Blood Pressure & ECG. Advocate Mukesh Gandhi, a renowned social worker was the chief guest besides Mr Sukhdev Singh Choudhry. President of

the Joint Action Committee who was accorded welcome for distinguished guest of honour by the activists of Sewa Samiti. On the day of clinical checkup Dr Jagdish Minocha, Dr Jyoti Sharma, Dr Manpreet, Ramit Kumar, Pushpa Tiwari, Satish Bharadwaj, Satish Duggal, Bharadwaj, Satish Duggal, Nirmal Singh contributed their medical services and graced the occasion.

Shiv Sena "Shakhas" belong to bonafide real Shiv Sena with bow-arrow

Commissioner News Service
CHANDIGARH: As having been ruled by the Election Commission that Shiv Sena with bow-& arrow would now be bonafide and real party. Shinde Sena group would cap-ture the Shakha headquarters in a phase wise manner.

Shinde Gp activists are beam-

ing with joys and more enthusi-



asms. They are confident hoping would shortly pledge their loyalty to the real Shiv sena outfit, said

Sharma. Parbhari incharge of Shiv Sena, Shinde (Chandigarh). He added old photos would be replaced by Eknath Shinde,

Chief Minister and late Bala Saheb Thackeray..Many dis-gruntled workers in Udhav fac-<u>Commissioner News Service</u> MOHALI/CHANDIGARH: tion fear all cash, bank acconts would slowly be operated by the real party now.

NPP refuses permission for Prime Minister rally at Sangma stadium

<u>Commissioner News Service</u> Shilong: Activists of BJP asked how a stadium inaugurated by Chief Minister Conrad K. Sangma two months ago could be deemed under

construction and unsafe.
Mr Narendra Modi Prime Minister was scheduled to address the rally at the P.A. Sangma Stadium on February 24 but Meghalaya's Sports Department refused permission, saythe ground was unfit for such a

<u>Commissioner News Service</u> <u>MOHALI</u>: Spearheading the protests toward Sikh prisoners

languishing in jails despite completing their sentences. Protesters

have pitched around 100 more

tents and dug another borewell at

the Chandigarh-Mohali border, a

site they have been camping since

The protesters of Kaumi Morcha

programme.
"The P.A Sangma Stadium is not

under the control of the district administration. It is still under construction and therefore, the application was forwarded to the Sports Department, Shillong by the Returning Officer concerned," West Returning Orneer concerned, west-Garo Hills district's Swapnil Tembe Deputy Commission commented "Sports Department| have exhorted for an alternate venue of Alotgre Cricket Stadium being considered,"

Local BJP leaders said the cricket

Qaumi Insaaf Morcha advances,

pitches 100 more tents

have deployed their self-styled

security guards at the entry point of the protest site near the

"Dolphin crossing" on the border. Their job is to check entry of peo-

ple after making queries about the

Police have identified and have released photographs of 10 more

people allegedly involved in the

attack on cops during the Quami

purpose of their visit.

ball stadium named after former Lok Salbia Speaker Purno Agitok Sangma, may not be a good option because of poor accessibility. They accused the National People's Party (NPP) of trying to sabotage Mr. Modi's programme out of fear that a "pro-BJP wave" could derail its

prospects.
The NPP heads the Meghalaya Democratic Alliance government of which the BJP is a minor constituent. However, the two parties are contest-

Insaaf Morcha protest at the

announcing a cash reward of Rs

The identity of the informer would

be kept secret, said the cops. The police have released a total of 40

photographs of the accused involved in the violence on

February 8 so far, but are yet to

Chandigarh-Mohali

10.000 for clues

two days on 25 Feb

Commissioner News Service NEW DELHI: The state visit to

India by German Chancellor Scholz's as his 1st visit in his premier role would cover 2 days. Âlso the 1 st standalone to India since biennial inter. Governmental consultation mechanism commenced

The mechanism is a whole of government framework under which Prime Minister

The visit of Scholz's significantly coincides with the first anniversary of the Ukraine war. Variable discussions on bilateral, regional, and global issues would be held and interaction with the CEOs business leaders too would be incorporated in the summit.

The summit would envisage to strengthen security and defence cooperation, work toward closer economic ties and enhance opportunities for mobility of talent and render strategic guidance to ongoing collaboration in science and technology

Admission at Delhi University only through CUET

Commissioner News Service NEW DELHI: For the 2023-24 academic session, the only rule/criterion for admission irrespective of any category, will be the CUET score, said Vikas Gupta, Registrar Delhi

University. Undergraduate and post- graduate admissions, this year will be done only through the Common Entrance (CUET) in all colleges, includ-



ing minority ones, and depart-ments, said an official of the Delhi University

This effectively means that St Stephen's College will not be able to conduct interviews for admitting students even in the

50% reserved category. 'The executive Council of the University of Delhi, at its meeting held on December 8, had resolved that with effect from the academic session 2023-24, admissions both at the UG and PG levels, including those under reserved category and minority quota, will be carried out solely on the basis of the CUET score. said the notification dated 30 Dec 2022.

9 Congress councillors join AAP under leadership of MLA



from ward no. 29, Renu

Rajni Sharma from ward no.

15, Sukhbir Lucky from



ZIRAKPUR: 9 Congress Chaudhary from ward no. 31, Neelam Saini from ward councillors have on Tuesday joined the AAP outfit under no. 17, have been welcomed the leadership of Kuljit and inducted into the AAP Singh Randhawa. Ms Usha fold by Kuljit Singh Rana from ward no. 1, Randhawa. Sunita Jain from ward no. 4, Navjot Singh from ward no. 26, Jaswinder Singh Longia

Already Harjit Singh Minta of ward no. 14, Neha Sharma from ward no. 5, Ajit Pal Singh from ward no. tion to boost the morale of the outfit.

Pbi. cultural programme to enthral investors at lakh club: Anmol Gagan

Under the initiatives taken by our Chief Minister Bhagwant Mann, the Department of Tourism and Cultural Affairs, is

organising 2 day colourful cultural programme at Indian School of Business at Mohali said Anmol Gagan Mann. Minister for Tourism and Culture Affairs, Pb.





Club. Mr Satinder Sartaz folk singer would enthral the guests audience. The cultural delegation would extend the state's hospitality and warm welcome to the visiting team.

German Chancellor Scholz's to arrive for

ministers from both countries hold discussions in their respective areas of responsibility and report on the outcome of discussions to

Gajendra Shekhawat inducts 2 SAD ExMLAs into BJP

ence of Ashwani Sharma, president BJP (Pb) ,Som Parkash, Union Minister of state, Raj Kumar Verka BJP leader, the two ex MLAs of SAD Amarpal Singh Boni and Manmohan Singh were inducted into BJP fold by Gajendra Singh Shekhawat Union Jal Shakti Mantri.

NEW DELHI: In the pres-



Both had registered from the primary membership of SAD on Feb 11 due to the difference with the party leader Bikramjeet Singh

Computer teachers remain devoid of uniform amenities

not been obtained, as the

<u>Commissioner News Service</u> **ZIRAKPUR:** For the past over

16 years govt computer teachers are today also devoid of equali-ty treatment with their school teachers. Why does the disparity exist? bemoans a teacher. Why step motherly treatment, it injects poisonous pill into their mind , curses another computer teacher.

The computer teachers easily wouldn't be able to dedicate toward their duties nor is it possible, said a computer teacher on anonymity.
Emanating the aggrieved voice

of the victim teachers, Mr Sukhdev Singh Chowdhury president Joint Action Committee committed to raising their demand with Bhagwant Singh Mann Chief Minister Pb.



discriminatory the treatment will have to be curbed out

It is shocking to note that Punjab government again discriminated with the computer teachers intervening relief to employees of Corporation.

ing computer teachers aside These teachers must be recognised essentially as constituting strength of Punjab Education Board or they would continue cursing their own fate as well of PSEB Mohali, added Sukhdev Singh Choudhry.

Khattar to present Haryana **Budget tomorrow**

Commissioner News Service CHANDIGARH: Manohar Lal Khattar Chief minister Haryana is also would present the budget estimates for 2023- 24 on

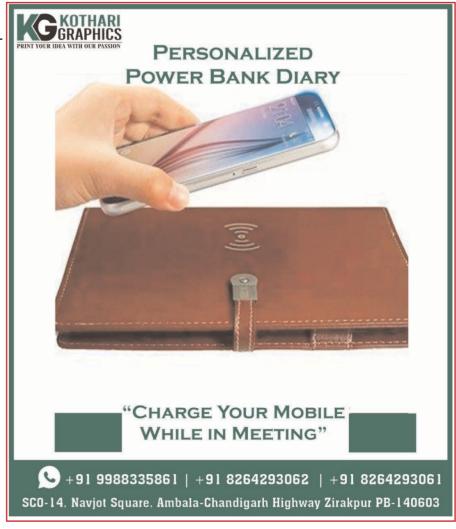
February 23. A decision in this regard was taken on Thursday in the business advisory committee (BAC) meeting of the state assembly.

The meeting was held under the chairmanship of speaker



chief minister Manohar Lal CMKhattar, deputy Dushvant Chautala, parliamentary affairs minister

Kanwar Pal, home minister Anil Vii and deputy speaker Ranbir Singh Ganwar were also present the meeting.



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SCO 3, Amb-Chd road, Zirakpur TAILORING/DESIGNING EXPERTS 1. Royal Wear Tailors, 8837859503, 9268600001

Designer Studio, Main Silver City (Opp Sethan Da Dhaba), Ambala road, Zirakpur.

2. New Style Tailor & White House, 9988820933 **Mukatsar Wale** Gents suiting shirting, Safari Suits, Amb-Chd road, Zirakpur

3. New Shri Ganpati White House,

1. Insurance 8872135535

3. Sharma Lottery, 9988150985

Amb-Chd road, Singhpura, Zirakpur

2. The Bullet Café, 9872000106

9478700044, 9216700044 Fashion Studio, SCO 7, Main Silver City, Amb-Chd road, Zirakpur

MOTOR/AUTO REPAIRS/CAR 1. Kapoor Auto Spares, 9855988218 Service Repair, Spare parts, Chd-Amb road, Zirakpur INSURANCE, LOTTERY LUCK

Accidental Vehicles, Personal, Medical Claim 2. Rattan Lotteries, 9855733571 SCO 1, Panchkula Chowk, Zirakpur

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Under garments etc.** Shop 329, Amb-Chd road, ZRK 2. Ekam General Store, 9941934567 **Wide range of Cosmetics, Jewellers, Embroideries,

Purse etc.** Shop no. 112, Old MC Office road, ZRK 3. Saini General Store, 9814798003, 9814003377 **Varities of Under Garments and School Uniforms etc**

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Patiala road, Chhatbir. 2. Om Bricks, 9877672881

Patiala road, Azizpur. 3. Gulati Bricks, 9671600219

Sundra road, Mubarakpur

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PANCHKULA: The

Haryana Shehri Vikas

Pradhikaran (HSVP) is

organising this festival on

a large scale this time as

more than 1,500 schools,

organisations would be

participating in the event.

Interested persons can

register themselves by 5

pm on March 4. Booking

of stalls will be on first

come, first served basis.

After three years of

forced break due to the

Spring Festival is all set

to be back with a bang at

the Town Park in Sector 5

Haryana Chief Secretary

Sanjeev Kaushal will

inaugurate the event,

while Haryana Assembly

Speaker Gian Chand

Gupta will preside over

the closing ceremony. He

will give away prizes to

competitions, including

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AMBALA: The Ambala

police have arrested 10

persons in connection with

the online cheating against

envisaged job. The CIA-1

unit of the police busted a

gang allegedly involved in

helping candidates cheat in a

PGT online exam for jobs at

The arrested culprits have

been identified as Nitesh

Kumar, Kuldeep, Manjeet

Singh, Vinod Singh, Harish,

Surender, Dheeraj, Anil

Malik, Vikas and Ram Avtar.

Kendriya

Sangathan.

various

10 held for helping

arrangement,

winners of

here from March 4.

institutions

pandemic,

Spring Festival to

begin in park Sector-5

on March 4-5

Rangoli and healthy baby

Horticulture, HSVP, said

two contests were being

introduced this year —

fruit and vegetable carving and flower

jewellery. She said

anybody could participate

in the fruit and vegetable

carving contest, while

only women were eligible

for the floral jewellery

The HSVP is also trying

to introduce chopper rides

in the spring festival this

interest has been invited

from aviation companies

to provide joy rides.

Applications will be

received till 4 pm on

The expression of interest

will be opened on

February 23 at 11 am in

presence

representatives of the

Expression of

Engineer,

and

Executive

contest.

time.

February 20.

THE COMMISSIONER Wednesday, 22nd February, 2023

EDITORIAL -

Complexities prevail in merit, seniority system for selection of judges

It is widely known that as an integrated scheme for service rejecting them and consultation and concurrence became casualties under the precollegium system especially in the 1970s and Supersession became an instrument. Human Resource departments of most organisations had to decide on merit and a department that equates grey hair with merit will be described as But since supersession can be subjective, seniority becomes the path of least resistance and is the bane of most organisations. We are referring to the convention of the seniormost judge becoming CJI. Unless one uses creative construction to make the Constitution more malleable than necessary, the collegium doesn't belong. More importantly, all is not well with the collegium. In 2009 the Law Commission submitted in its 230th report: "The above recommendation for the need for an urgent and immediate review of the present procedure for appointment of judges is further fortified by his right views expressed by Shri Justice JS Verma, a former CJI, who had written the lead judgment in the 2nd judges'

What was the former CJI's view? "My judgment says the appointment process of HC and SC judges is basically a joint or participatory exercise between executive and judiciary, both taking part in it." According to him, legal acumen is best gauged by judiciary, nonantecedents by executive.

In 2002 a National aspires to become a judge Commission to review the of the higher judiciary. working of the Constitution When the intelligence proposed "the composition inputs to reject the names of the collegium which gives due importance to Sundaresan, R John and provides for the effective participation of both the executive and the judicial wings of the state SC collegium did a yeoman

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MOHALI: "Strict action will be taken against marriage palace owners

found flouting rules and playing music beyond the permissible time limit.

Residents are complaining about the growing nuisance

by marriage palaces near the

residential societies" said

Zirakpur DSP Bikramjit

Now the owner and the

manager of a marriage

palace have been booked for

playing loud music beyond

permissible limit and time

on the Chandigarh-Ambala

On a complaint of ASI

Gurcharan Singh, a case

Singh Brar.

machinery appointment of judges", and recommended the establishment of a National Judicial Commission under

the Constitution. The collegium versus National Judicial Commission is. No one should argue NJAC was drafted well. Take the definition of "eminent person". Take imprecise phrases like "considered fit". Take composition of NJAC itself. Take placing regulations before Parliament. The collegium needs to give. It is not superior to pre-collegium

What SC struck down in 2015 was a specific form NJC took, that of NJAC. With better form and content, NJAC might not have been struck down. On such a serious matter, in hindsight, it is a bit surprising that NJAC was legislated, with f its deficiencies. In hindsight, it is also a bit surprising that SC didn't ask for a better version of NJC to be drafted, though, in fairness, the petition was about

In this polarisation between executive and judiciary, with even legislature dragged in, we are moving away from core questions. We need a better method of appointing (and transferring) HC and SC judges. The warts are too

evident. If names are to be rejected based upon unsubstantiated intelligence inputs and SC has no mechanism of verifying their veracity, then many I will stand condemned without being heard. That will be gross injustice to any person who Somasekhar Sathyan and Saurabh Kirpal on rank political

grounds were given by Gol,

Palm resorts' owner booked

against loud music

under Section 188 of the IPC

and relevant sections of the

Noise Polution (Regulation

and Control) Rules, 2000,

has been registered against

Palm Resorts Marriage

Palace owner Sumit Passi

Several parts of Zirakpur,

including Shimla road, Peer

Muchalla, Patiala road and

Chandigarh-Ambala road,

are dotted with marriage

palaces, farm houses and

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Ambala-Chandigarh road,

Highly renowned for

"Palatable & Delicious dishes"

on national highway

and the palace manager.

also putting it out in the website.

The court emphasised the basic principle in the matter employment and stated: "All citizens have the right to free speech and expression under Article 19(1)(a)of Constitution. Expression of views by a candidate does not disentitle him to hold a constitutional office so long as the person proposed for judgeship is a person of competence, merit and integrity." This echoes the view of

Justice Chinnappa Reddy who said: "Politics is no crime. Does it mean that only True Believers in the political faith of the party in power for the time being are entitled to public employment?" He added that 'McCarthyism' has no place under the Indian Constitution.

Articles 124 and 217 of the Constitution explain how judges of the Supreme Court (including the Chief Justice of India) and the high courts are to be appointed. There are minor differences between the two Articles. But both require consultation between executive and judiciary.

What does the country

want? (1) The fight person should be appointed. (2) wrong person shouldn't be appointed. (3) was instrumental in filing a public interest litigation in his own name challenging the publication photographs of Muslim women in electoral rolls. That case was dismissed by a division bench of the HC, Madras prominently reported. The name of that petitioner was similar to the advocate whose name was recommended judgeship. It was enough

They were produced before a court on Sunday, which sent them in five-day police remand. The police have for an inaccurate IB report, recovered 20 CPUs, 12 derailing the chance of a laptops and 13 mobile lawyer recommended for judgeship.

hotels, which are abuzz with

activity during the wedding

"This is examination time

and marriage palaces play loud music till late at night.

Most of them do not have

their designated parking lots.

As a result, vehicles are

parked in residential areas

and on roadsides," said

Bhupinder Bhandari, a

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resident of VIP Road.

As per information, the police information that the online exam was being conducted

from



on Saturday at a private institute on the Hisar road. The suspects had taken money from candidates and helping them solve the questions with the help of a software using remote

Ambala SP Jashandeep Randhawa said, "Following the tip-off, a joint team of CIA-1 and the women police station was constituted and examination centre was raided. Ten persons were nabbed during the raid."

80 ecofriendly electric buses to join **Chandigarh fleet**



CHANDIGARH: In order to replace existing diesel buses, the procurement of the buses will give a major boost by 2027-28 to the plan of the UT Administration.

In order to provide ecogreen transportation in the city, the UT Transport Department has planned to procure 80 more electric buses to add to the existing fleet of 80 such buses this year. Director **Transport**

Pradhuman Singh said they had demanded funds for the procurement of more electric buses. After the allocation of the funds, tenders would be floated, and the process was likely to be completed by September this year, he

The second lot of 40 intracity electric buses was put on commercial operations in November last year after an agreement was signed with M/s Volvo Eicher.

and Public Enterprises, Government of India, had sanctioned 80 electric buses for the UT under the Phase-II FAME India Scheme. The first lot of 40 buses has been in use since November,

Under the contract, M/s Volvo Eicher has been running the buses at the rate of Rs 44.99 per km, which is cheaper by Rs 15 per km in comparison to the work allotted earlier for the 40 buses in the first phase. Earlier, the contract to run 40 electric buses was allotted to Ashok Leyland at the rate of Rs 60 per km.

After being charged, a bus will be able to cover a distance of nearly 130 km. It will take nearly two or two and a half hours to fully charge a bus. Each bus has a seating capacity of 36 people and a maximum of 54 people will be able to travel at a time, and it will run 200-300 km a day.

3 STPs to be upgraded by Apr 30, Chandigarh Adviser **assures Smart City**

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Speaking about upgradation projects, Dharam Pal, the advisor to administrator said "Once the STPs are upgraded, these will be compliant with NGT norms of less than 10 biochemical oxygen demand (BOD). One plant at Maloya is already compliant and two other plants at Dhanas and 3 BRD have been upgraded

Taking up the matter of liquid waste management seriously, UT Adviser Dharam Pal visited 5 Sewage Treatment Plants (STPs) of the Municipal Corporation at Raipur Kalan, Raipur Khurd, Diggian, 3 BRD and Dhanas.

are

stabilisation," he said.

Taking a serious view of the delay in the completion of three plants, the Adviser issued directions to Smart City



the upgrade work was completed by April 30, failing which the contractor would be heavily penalised. For the upgraded STPs, he directed that flow meters were set up at the inflow and outflow points. He also directed that a detailed plan be prepared for proper utilisation of tertiary treated water being produced.

All STPs are being upgraded through Smart City Mission funds and would be handed over to the MC for operation and maintenance.

With the completion of these projects, about 50

Chandigarh to ensure that MGD of tertiary treated water would be produced. It would be used to water all 1,800 parks and gardens of Chandigarh as well as for industrial purposes. This would not only enhance the sewerage treatment capacity of the city, but also reduce the reliance on groundwater.

> Nitin Yadav, Secretary, Government; Local Anindita Mitra, MC Commissioner; Aarul Rajan, member secretary, CPCC; and NP Sharma, Chief Engineer, MC; were also present.

MC funds misused by Jalalabad Council chief, removed from post

Commissioner News Service FAZILKA: It was alleged that President, Vikas Deep Chaudhary, the Municipal Council (MC) Jalalabad had got a private street constructed leading from the Parmod to Arniwala road from the MC funds for "personal gains". Besides, the president got council vehicles refuelled from his own petrol pump.

Chaudhary, allegiance to the Congress, has been removed from the post over the allegations of embezzlement levelled by the local AAP MLA, Jagdeep Goldy Kamboj. Kamboj had shot a letter to

Chief Minister Bhagwant



highlighting irregularities during the Chaudhary's tenure and sought an inquiry into the matter. The Department of Local

Government handed over the inquiry to the Chief Vigilance Officer, who submitted in his report, that the MC funds

while abusing his powers for personal gains and recommended his removal from the president's post. During the inquiry, Vikas Deep Chaudhary had denied the allegations, but the Vigilance Department refused to accept his explanation.

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CBI summons Deputy CM Sisodia on Feb 26

NEW DELHI: The Central Bureau Investigation (CBI) had on Sunday deferred questioning Sisodia's after he sought time from the agency citing the city government's ongoing Budget exercise.

Deputy Chief Minister Sisodia on Monday said he has been called for questioning by the CBI in connection with the Delhi



excise policy case on February 26. The agency had asked Sisodia to appear for questioning on February

The CBI had accepted Sisodia's application to defer the questioning and had said it will give a new date soon, officials said. Addressing a press conference on Monday, senior Aam Aadmi Party (AAP) leader Sisodia said that he has been called for questioning on February 26 and will appear before the probe agency

Special camps for Divyangs

Regular camps twice a week for registration or enrolment of Divyangs the Unique under Disability ID programme in the areas covered by anganwari centres are being the organised by the Department of Social Welfare UT.

From February 6 to March 3 in government schools for children with special need, camps will organised. The



extended the services of 181 women helpline to persons with disabilities for any query/issues. All

also visit any Sampark for registration on the UDID portal between 8 am and

Ownership rights of 19 shopkeepers challenged by MC, notice issued



Commissioner News Service KARNAL: Prior to the execution of conveyance deed, the shopkeepers have to deposit the development charge, water and sewerage charges and solid waste management

Municipal The Corporation, (MC) Karnal, has started the process to give ownership rights to tenants of the MC shops, who have

been running their establishments for the past 20 years. Demand notices have been issued to 19 shopkeepers of Karan Park, who are willing to purchase shops. They are required to deposit 25 per cent of the value in 15 days. The remaining amount would have to be deposited in three months, said Arun Bhargava, Deputy Municipal Commissioner.

Govt school plagued due to shortage of teachers

Commissioner News Service
AMRITSAR: "Of the 11 posts of lecturers for Class XI and XII, eight posts have been vacant for the past five years. Similarly, out of six posts for vocational teachers, four remain vacant, with only two teachers for Class XI and XII, which see maximum number of students in vocational courses," shares Jermanjit Singh, a physics teacher at

GSSS, Jabbowal.

The state government has been vocal about its efforts to upgrade and improve infrastructure in government schools across the state, ground realities show an acute shortage of teachers, not just in primary but also senior secondary schools. With a strength of approximately 450 students, from Class VI to XII, Government Senior Secondary school, Jabbowal, has been facing a shortage of teachers for years, especially for Class

The school, which falls under



the Tarsikka block of the district, runs traditional medical/nonmedical/humanities/ commerce subjects in addition to four vocational courses for senior secondary classes.

The master cadre teachers in school for Class VI to X also remain short. The school runs four vocational courses in horticulture, agriculture, beauty and wellness.

The school has also seen a drop in number of students opting for science streams. It had also not received any funds for the last 12 years for setting up a proper practical lab. "The schools, especially in rural belts like ours, do not

have enough staff strength for science and maths and vocational courses. Students' enrolments will only happen if there are enough teachers to teach," adds Jermanjit.

'The enrolment increased in the past four years, especially during and after the pandemic period, as most nearby private schools shut down. Parents, who were not financially well, preferred government schools to private ones for their wards," said Jermanjit. Currently, it has 450 students, but number of students in middle classes i.e. Class VI-VIII, has seen a drop with just around 90-100 students in three classes.

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administration has also residing in the city can Centre persons with disabilities

Census reveals decline of migratory bird arrivals at **Punjab's Harike wetland**

Commissioner News Service
HARIKE (PUNJAB): The
Forest and Wildlife

department Preservation census counted 65,624 birds from 85 species at Harike, World Wildlife Fund for (WWF) Nature Coordinator Gitanjali Kanwar

Every winter, 90 species of migratory birds from Siberia, Kazakhstan, and Russia, Mongolia, Uzbekistan among others, arrive at the wetland site once the water bodies in their native places

The arrival of migratory birds this year to Harike, northern largest wetland,

declined 12 per cent from 2021, according to the latest census of these water birds. In 2021, the census recorded 74,869 migratory birds from 88 species. The year before, 91,025 from 90 species were

counted. There was no census in 2022 due to COVID-19. In 2018 and 2019, 94,771 birds of 94 species and 1,23,128 birds of 83 species arrived at the wetland site, respectively.

The reason behind the decline in migratory bird arrivals this year is yet to be ascertained. Whether the drop is at a global or a regional level is yet to be seen, Kanwar said. Punjab witnessed



Spread over 86 square home to rare species of migratory water birds during

northern shovelers. Spoonbills, painted storks,

ruddy shelducks, bar-headed geese, common teals and shoreline birds such as gulls, terns, sandpipers and plovers were also counted. Kanwar said some species

included 34,523 Eurasian coots, 8,381 greylag geese, 7 432 gadwalls, 2,262

common pochards and 1,807

such as the merlin, blacknecked grebe and the common merganser were spotted after a long time.

Dual fuel diesel, gas genset permissible in NCR from May 15

Commissioner News Service
FARIDABAD : Only generator sets converted to

dual fuel (70 per cent gas and 30 per cent diesel) shall be permitted in the region where gas infrastructure is available, reads the CAQM order dated February 9. The Commission for Air

Management (CAQM) has banned the use of diesel generator sets for the industrial and commercial sector in the National Capital Region (NCR) from May 15. The deadline for generator sets fitted with Retrofit Emission Control Device (RECD) is September 30.

There is no restriction on the use of 100 per cent gas-based generator sets. Official sources said the uncontrolled use of diesel generator sets had been found to be a major contributor deteriorating air quality in the region.

'Under Section 12 (l) of an Act, the CAQM is vested with powers to take all



as it deems necessary or expedient for the purpose of protecting and improving the quality of air in the National Capital Region adjoining areas," says the The CAQM observed that a

large number of diesel generator sets had been operating in the region, even when a ban was imposed under the GRAP (Graded Response Action Plan), causing air pollution. 'Now, with a view to

comprehensively prevent and control air pollution, the CAQM directed that use of the diesel generator sets (capacity up to 800KW) shall be permitted in the NCR only subject to their

system from May 15. The CAQM had banned the use of diesel generator sets in NCR after implementing GRAP in October last year. The state pollution control boards have been directed to ensure compliance of the directions.

However, according to sources in the industry, this may result in additional expenses to the tune of Rs 10 lakh to Rs 50 lakh for industrial units, as no subsidy has been announced. "Diesel gensets with capacity of 82 KW, used for residential purpose, should be exempted," says Rajiv entrepreneur here.



migratory bird arrivals at all wetlands this year, she added. kilometres at the confluence of the Sutlej and the Beas rivers in Tarn Taran, Ferozepur and Kapurthala districts, the Harike wetland is

winters. The birds start arriving at Harike, also known as Hari ke Pattan, in September before setting off on their return journey by March.

The reverse migration has already started," Kanwar said. Among the species that arrived at Harike this season

बालों की समस्याओं का

Apart from Harike, these water birds also arrive at wetlands in Keshopur Miani, Nangal, Ropar, Kanjli and the



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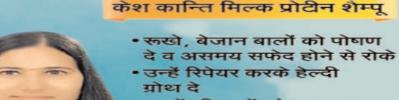
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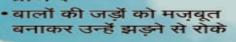
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GMADA to transfer funds to MC for scientific disposal of garbage - Aman Arora

Commissioner News Service MOHALI : GMADA has no

scientific management system for collection and disposal of waste, leading to the MC performing poorly in the "Swachh Survekshan' rankings.

The issue was raised by Navjot Kaur MC commissioner during a review meeting chaired by Aman Arora, Minister of and housing urban development. Mr Arora has directed the authority to transfer funds to the municipal corporation (MC) to carry out the work.

The Commissioner said. "Sectors under the Gmada are not being cleaned for garbage. The MC is short of



funds to clean sectors not under its jurisdiction, but the Gmada has not transferred any funds to clean the garbage."

The commissioner added Mohali generates 80 tonne of garbage daily out of which 50 tonne reaches a dumping site, whereas the

rest of the wet garbage is processed at 16 composting pits of the civic body. Around 300 lakh tonnes of

garbage is still lying at the garbage dumping ground in Phase VIII, Industrial Area, though the MC has claimed that 50,000-tonne garbage has already been processed.

Chd Admn orders no conversion of commercial properties into freehold

Commissioner News Service CHANDIGARH: The UT

administration overlooked the petition of Chandigarh Housing Board for allowing conversion of its commercial leasehold properties to freehold.

"The decision is also indicative of administration's stand on the longstanding demand of the city's business houses and industrial associations for allowing conversion of the leasehold commercial and industrial plots to freehold," said an UT official.

There is no policy under which conversion can be allowed for the CHB's commercial properties. The CHB has been pursuing the anticipated deal of permission for more than a vear, endorsed a letter to the Chandigarh Board.

Even after slashing prices of its leasehold properties by 30%, there have been no takers for its commercial properties. There are around 100 such properties which are lying unsold even after repeated auction attempts by the CHB.

These properties are worth crores of rupees. "Even though the administration



has denied the CHB to convert its leasehold commercial properties to freehold, the UT estate office has been holding auctions of its commercial and institutional properties on a freehold basis. Last October, the estate office earned Rs 30.84 crore from two nursing home sites," said an official on anonymity

One site had earned Rs 18.25 crore and the second fetched Rs 12.58 crore against reserve price of Rs 6.91 crore each It was the first time that the estate office had offered nursing home sites on a free hold basis. Earlier attempts at selling these sites on the leasehold basis had attracted no buyers.

It was in February last year, Banwarilal Purohit had decided to allow the auction

of all unsold residential commercial, industrial and nursing home sites with its different agencies like UT estate office, municipal corporation and the CHB on a freehold basis.

The CHB wrote to the originator after its decision , seeking permission for its unsold properties. Getting no response from the administration, the CHB sent multiple reminders to it seeking a decision. The CHB must take administration's approval and pay conversion charges as most of its properties were built on land given to it by the administration on a leasehold basis.

The CHB had earlier even pledged to pay any conversion charges the administration imposes for conversion of its properties.

ICSE Class X exams to commence from Feb 27



NEW DELHI: The Indian Certificate of Secondary Education (ICSE) class X exams will begin from February 27 and end on March 29. While the Indian School Certificate (ISC) class XII exams will begin

on February 13 and end on

March 31. The board had added the 2023 results will be announced in the month of May through the convenors to the head of schools.

In the last few years the board examination could not

be held or was delayed due to Co- vid. Now with datasheets announced by one of the national board, the schedule is back to the pre-Covid times. The Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) is yet to announce the results. The ISC examination will begin with English paper I. For the ICSE students as well, the first exam scheduled is English language paper 1. The notice issued by Gerry Arathoon, chief executive and secretary of the board

Resumption of Delhi stir on March 20, cautions SKM



Commissioner News Service KURUKSHETRA: The

SKM had postponed its December 11 meeting in 2022. Now we have a sound working plan to restart the agitation. We will ask the government to give us a protest site," said Yudhvir Singh Bharatiya Kisan Union (BKU) general secretary.

About the pending demands, Yudhvir Singh said, "We want legal guarantee of MSP (minimum support price) for all crops to all the farmers. abolition of the Electricity Ordinance 2020, debt waiver, compensation to the

families of the farmers who died in our agitation, and cancellation of cases against protesters"

The country's farmers will march to the national capital on March 20 to demand the acceptance of their pending demands from the Delhi agitation of December 2021. The Sanyukt Kisan Morcha (SKM) declared it on Thursday at its meeting here. SKM member Sunilam said morcha's drafting committee had also framed a constitution of an umbrella farmer union that its 31 members will have to accept

SC rejects transfer of case from trial court

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MOHALI: Upholding

the orders of the high court, the SC bench comprising Justice Aniruddha Bose and Justice Sudhanshu Dhulia observed that it did not find any reason to interfere with the order impugned in the petition. "The special leave petition is, accordingly, dismissed. Pending application(s), if any, shall stand disposed of," the court stated.

The Supreme Court has dismissed a petition filed by Surinderpal Singh, alias Pehelwan, a former chief Greater Mohali Area Development Authority (GMADA) who has been engineer of the accused of a multicrore scam.

Pehelwan had challenged the Punjab and Haryana high court's decision of dismissing his petition for law, the court had



transfer of his case from the trial court in Mohali. Pehelwan had earlier filed a petition in the high court to shift the trial from the court of Additional District and Session Judge, Mohali. In case the petitioner is aggrieved by any order passed by the trial court during proceedings of trial, which may be adverse to him, it shall be open to the petitioner to have recourse to other

alternate efficacious remedies as may be available to him under

observed.

Pehelwan is also facing trial in a case registered by the Enforcement Directorate (ED) under money laundering charges against the former chief engineer of GMADA and others. Besides Pehalwan, ED had also named Gurinderpal Singh, Amit Garg, Gurmesh Singh

Gill, Mohit Kumar and two firms - Onkar **Builders and Contractors** and Rajinder and Company as accused in the case.

Phase XI to witness removal of encroachment by MC & GMADA

MOHALI : A drive would be launched to remove the encroachment by the joint teams of the municipal corporation (MC) and Greater Mohali Development Area Authority (GMADA) outside houses from Phase XI, said Amandeep Bansal GMADA chief administrator.

maximum 'As encroachments residents on government land are in Phase XI, we will start the drive from the area," said Bansal. Mr Aman Arora Minister of housing and urban development had recently directed the GMADA and the MC to jointly begin the drive.

Around five years ago, the civic body had identified around 4,500 who had violators occupied government land illegally, but no



action has been taken. MC commissioner said,

"I am not aware of any such survey. We are, however, aware there are encroachments, especially on green belts, outside houses." The MC said people had

demolished boundary walls and extended their houses on to government land by converting the areas into a lawn and green belt, fenced the area. constructed staircases and erected pillars. "Extending the

outside driveways to use it for parking also falls under encroachments, sources said.

Both the GMADA and the MC had become active in removing encroachments from roadsides, corridors and other public places following a contempt notice from the Punjab and Harvana High Court for failing to comply with its orders to remove encroachments.



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Higher pension under Employees Pension Scheme, outlines EPFO

<u>Commissioner News Service</u> NEW DELHI: A procedure to

enable subscribers and their employers to jointly apply for higher pension under Employees' Pension Scheme (EPS) has been devised by retirement fund body EPFO on Monday.

Earlier in November 2022, the Supreme Court had upheld Employees Pension (Amendment) Scheme 2014.

The EPS amendment of August 22, 2014, had raised the pensionable salary cap to Rs 15,000 a month from Rs 6,500 a month, and allowed members along with their employers to contribute 8.33 per cent of their actual salaries (if it exceeded the cap) towards the EPS.

In an office order, the Employees Provident Fund Organisation (EPFO) provided for dealing with the 'Joint Option Form' by field offices of

"A facility will be provided for which URL (unique resource location) will be informed shortly. Once received, the regional PF Commissioner shall put adequate notice on the notice board and banners for wider public information" stipulated the

It provided that each application will be registered, digitally will be provided to the appli-

It further stated that the office



in-charge of the concerned regional provident fund office shall examine each case of joint option on higher salary and intimate the decision to the applicant through e-mail/post and later through SMS also. It also provided that any griev-

ance by the applicant can be registered on EPFiGMS (grievance portal) after submission of his joint option form and payment of due contributions, if any The order stated that these directions are being issued in compliance with the order of Supreme Court on November 4, 2022.

EPFO has asked its field offices to provide an option for higher pension to eligible subscribers in accordance with the Supreme Court order. According to the EPFO circular

on December 29, 2022, the Central Government has directed to implement the directions in the order. The apex court had given all

EPS members, as on September 1, 2014, six months to opt for

The apex court in its order gave four more months to eligible subscribers to opt for higher pension under EPS-95. The court had also struck down

the requirement in the 2014 amendments mandating employee contribution of 1.16 per cent of the salary exceeding Rs 15,000 per month. This will facilitate the subscribers to conget enhanced benefits accord-

The EPFO circular had also provided for the higher pension option for those eligible subscribers who either contributed on actual wages higher than Rs 5,000 or Rs 6,500 per month prevalent threshold pensionable salary or exercised their option for higher pension or their request for higher pension was declined by EPFO authorities before the amendment to EPS-

The eligible subscribers would have to apply jointly with their employer for the enhanced benefit in the application form prescribed by the commissioner and all other required documents like joint declaration etc. An EPFO trustee K E Raghunathan who is representing employers, appreciated the issuance of the circular, which details on implementation of SC judgment, in spite of complexitv financial burden, and need

The mayor said that they were committed to get rid of piles of dumping site, giving relief to residents of three sectors. Under the project, 2,000 to 3,000 tonnes of waste will be lifted daily. The dumping ground has about four lakh tonnes of garbage. The selected agency will have to dispose of the entire garbage in nine months to one

year of allotment, said MC offi-

For the last 18 years, people living across Ghaggar have been demanding shifting of the dumping ground site to some other place. Garbage collected from the city was earlier dumped here and later shifted to the Jhuriwala garbage dumping and processing ground. MC there also, faced protests from

PKL MC prepares Acute nursing staff shortage paralyses, work efficiency

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CHANDIGARH: Since the Covid pandemic, nurses were being appointed on contract basis, and the con-

tract being extended from time to time. However, nurses on contract moved court, due to which recruitment of nursing staff was halted. We could not start the intake due to a court case

.The court order directed us to issue letters to newly recruited staff nurses," said Prof Jasbinder Kaur director-principal GMCH. In this shortage, various leaves like child care leaves,

gazetted holidays, national holidays etc are being restricted and stopped. Nurses are silently bearing many types of problems. Extra night duties are being imposed without any compensatory leave or financial compensation. Nursing officers are being

assigned double or more wards," said Dabkesh, an association member.

About 182 posts will be



filled as per the court or- der but filling 323 newly-sanctioned posts will take another year. Out of 1,097 regular posts at GMCH-32, 570 posts of regular nursing employees have been filled. This implies that despite the Centre filling 323 nursing posts, not more than 50% have been filled. The GMCH Nursing Association has raised the issue with the director-principal of the medical college.

Nurses in the medical college have written to the UT administrator and the central government multiple times about staff scarcity affecting their night duty hours and

staff from taking authorised leaves, including the child care leaves," said Dr Sudhir Medical Superintendent GMCH

Members of the nursing staff, however, claim that due to manpower shortage, they have not had a single promotion or financial upgrade or relaxed night duty hours even as they nearing retirement age. "Nowadays, the situation is too critical to arrange leaves. Nurses are working in stressful. overburdened working environment and patient care is also being affected badly," association members wrote to the director-principal.

Modi Cult Makes India the 'Smother of Democracy'

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NEW DELHI: Enough has been said and written about the government's ongoing attacks on media, freedom and democracy but the latest offensive raises three noteworthy points.

Within an hour of a raiding party from the Income Tax Office swooping down on the BBC's premises in Delhi and Mumbai, the ruling Bharatiya Janata Party launched a boorish attack on the British public broad-

Speaking in his official capacity as a national spokesperson of the BJP, Gaurav Bhatia described the BBC 'bhrasht, bakwas corporation' (corrupt, claptrap corporation) and listed a short - though very ok over connecting the dots. As it is, only a fool or an apologist for the government will try and pretend the Income Tax authorities

just happened to stumble upon evidence of tax evasion by the BBC within a month of the documentary's telecast

Enough has been said and written about the Modi government's ongoing attacks on media freedom and democracy but the latest offensive raises three noteworthy points.

Secondly, the tax raids are a reminder that while garden variety criticism may trigger retribution of some sort, questions about Modi's personal reputation will invariably lead to the heavy guns being deployed. The first part of the BBC's documentary was banned not because it insulted the Supreme Court (which it did not) but because it reminded the world about the shameful role the Great Leader played in 2002. Incidentally, since the BJP loves to say the Supreme



Court is the final word, this is what one of its benches said in 2004 about Modi's role as Gujarat chief minister when more than a thousand innocent people were killed on his watch:

"The modern day "Neros" were looking elsewhere when the Best Bakery and innocent children and helpless women were burning, and were probably deliberating [over] how the perpetrators of the crime can be saved or protected... Law and justice become flies in the hands of these "wanton boys". When fences start to swallow the crops, no scope will be left for the survival and justice. Public order as

well as public interest become martyrs and monu-In 2022, the Supreme Court

merely decided there was

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tender documents and out of the

three valid tenders, the highest

bid of Rs 677 per quintal has been received. Now, we will go

for negotiations with the compa-

ny, which will not only lift

garbage from the Sector 23

dumping ground but will also

process it and make manure out

of it. The process will be done as

a single unit," said Mayor Kulbhushan Goyal.

Residents of Sector 23 will now

get relief from the all- pervading

stench. The MC opened tenders

for allotment of work on Friday.

Four companies bid for the ten-

ders and three were found valid.

The highest bid was for Rs 677

per quintal. The MC got 35%

deficit bid for garbage disposal.

Earlier, the civic body engaged a

company for Rs 1,052 per quin-

tal for garbage disposal but the project could not be implement-

insufficient evidence to charge Modi with conspiracy - as Zakia Jafri had urged in her petition - and not that he had behaved honourably or honestly as chief minister in dealing with the anti-Muslim violence. The answer to that question the court had already provided in 2004 and is now an indelible part of India's political and judicial history - that Modi's priority was to protect the pogrom's perpetrators. Here's the smell of blood still. To paraphrase Lady Macbeth, "All the perfumes of the G20 will not sweeten this little hand.'

The BBC documentary reminded the world about of law and order or truth the moral and political questions which sti

il Modi not as an abstract history lesson but as a necessary backstory to the kind of anti-Muslim policies he has continued to pursue as PM. His government's first response was apoplexy and abuse. And now the tax raid. Nor is this the final

Similarly, the opposition's references to Modi's nexus with controversial businessman Gautam Adani in parliament were expunged from the official record and BJP leaders telephoned editors at night to demand that media reports of the debate also expunge Modi's name. Many complied. Those who didn't are probably bracing themselves for the consequences. Now that press freedom has become a prisoner to the demands of the Modi cult, we are truly in free-fall.

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