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# MLA K Sharat assures to rock the upcoming state Assembly session over discrimination of persons with disabilities

Imphal, Nov 29: Trinamool Congress MLA K Sharat today assures to put up the issues being face by persons with disabilities in the upcoming winter session of Manipur Legislative Assembly which is set to begin from December 18.

"I will rock the state assembly for depriving the rights of my fellow disabled brothers and sisters", K Sharat said.

sisters', K Sharat said.
In a function organized in connection with the grand feast for women with disabilities as a part of the Ningol Chakkouba celebration organized by International Handicapped. International Handicapped Welfare Mission Khumbong at Ibudhou Korou Hanba Sanglen, the Trinamool congress MLAs said that

many of the talented but handicapped persons who had brought laurels to the state by winning medals in different National Championship have been often deprived by the present

government.
"When normal sports persons return back with medals or trophy in any national or international championship they were facilitated with even government post, but when a handicapped sport persons or talented craft persons brings laurels of the state in international or national arena they were left to celebrate at their own", MLA Sharat lamented.

He questioned the reason for such discrimination towards the people who are born differently from normal

people by the government of Manipur. Ngangom Tejkumar, Director,

Prosecution, of the Government of Manipur, who is also the legal advisor of International Handicapped Welfare Mission. attended today's function as guest of honour elaborated on the rights of the persons

with disabilities.
MLA K Sarat is also one among the MLA who has been providing a some of rupees 200 each to 202 persons with disabilities of Konthoujam assembly constituency where he is representing.

Around 200 people mostly women and girl with disabilities attended today's grand feast organized in connection with Ningol Chakkouba celebration

"It is good for the government to reserve 3% seat in government jobs, but how many of the government institutions are following the guidelines provided by the PWD Act", Tejkumar question. He further said that all people

especially those persons with disabilities should know the rights and other form of privilege provided by both the state and central government for promoting the

standard of their living. Prominent figure like, Padmashri, O Nabakishor, Ch. Bijyenti Devi, GP member, Th Joychandra, Deputy Director Social welfare and Th. Ghanbhir Singh Pradhan also attended as dignitaries in today's function

# Unemployed Veterinary doctors demand filling up of vacant post in the state veterinary department

Imphal, Nov 29: Unemployed veterinary degree holders today demanded the government to fill up the vacant post at the State veterinary and Animals Husbandry department for serving both the department as well as the degree holders' unemployed doctors.

In a press meet held today at Manipur Press Club, The All Manipur Unemployed Veterinary Doctors Association today said that even after knowing that there are over 50 vacant seats in the State Veterinary and Animals Husbandry department, the

government is not taking up any process to fill the vacant

'At present there are around 150 qualified veterinary doctors in the state and the government even after knowing that there are over 50 vacant posts no processes has been taken up", said Th. Chaoba Devi, spokesperson of the Association.

She said that it is over 12 years no recruitments has been made to the state veterinary department, yet they are selecting at least 2 or 3 students as government nominee to study veterinary course to outside the state.

She further added that in May 7, 2011 a memorandum has been submitted to the state government to fill the vacant post. Later, as no response has been made the association against submitted another similar memorandum in April 11, 2015 and as no response was received, the association having no other option had filed a case to the high court to urging the court for filling up of the post. The court after hearing the plea directed the state government to fill up the post in June, 2015. But till today no process has been taken up to fill the post, she

### Visitors rush festival venue on 9 day

IT News Imphal, Nov. 29: Today the 9th day of Sangai Festival 2015, many visitors rush at the vanue where the Sangai festival is being organized. Being sunday, different people of different tribes including adults and childrens, foreign delegates, officers and VIPs were seen at the vanue

Traditional Huts, Imphal War

Museum and Sand Art were the most view spot by the visitors so far.

Among many stalls, there were some stalls which does not even shows the meaning of the festival. These stalls were seen selling of socks, toys, gun shooting, tattoos, etc. No visitors were unable to resist from visiting these said stalls as young

beautiful girls were looking after the stall.

Most socking is that though the toilets at the vanue of the festival looks neat n clean. one has to pay a sum of Rs 5 to Rs 10 if they want to walk in and out of it.

To avoid the dust, water were spread to the ground but those water has form mud at the ground especially at the traditional buts venue

memorandum to

#### **UNLF** refutes police claims

Imphal, Proscribed Proscribed group UNLFtoday said that the person called Yaikhom Premkumar @ Ratan son of late Ibobi of Khurai Thoudam leikai at present staying at Lilong Chajing Karam is not a member of the outfit neither is related with the activities of the outfit. The individual was claimed to have been arrested by combined troop of Manipur Police and 12 Bihar Regiment on

# Free health camp

Imphal, Nov. 29: A free health check-up for children was held today at Shija Clinic Thoubal (SCT), Thoubal Achouba, Opp. Thoubal P.S. Free Consultation with Dr. Yaikhomba Taorem Khuman, Consultant Child Specialist & Neonatologist was provided during the Health Check-up camp. 40 patients were examined and free medicines were distributed to them as a part of the camp. The free Health Check-up camp started at 10:30 am and ended at 1:00 m. 18 staffs of Shija Clinic pm. 18 staffs of Shija Clinic Thoubal participated in the free Health Check-up camp.

## 9th Manipur Polo International 2015; USA clinch Champion title

IT News Imphal, Nov 29: The 9th Manipur Polo International 2015 organized as part of the Sangai Festival concluded today at the Imphal Polo Ground. The last day witnessed final match between USA and India.

Team USA clinched

champion title after defeating India in extra chakra as both team could not scores. A formal function organized

in the closing was attended by Chief Minister of Manipur O.Ibobi Singh, MLA O. Landoni, Social Welfare Minister Ak Mirabai, Minister Ak Mirabai, Panchayat Raj Minister and other special invitees. A cash Prize of Rs 1 lakh along with a trophy was awarded to USA. While India was awarded a cash prize of Rs 50,000 along with a trophy.

In the extra chukker the USA win the match by 5 -4 score as both the team has level the score as 4 each in the forth chukker

## Principal St. Stephen College, Delhi visits Sainik school Imphal

IT News Imphal, Nov. 29: Revd. Dr. Valson Thampu, Principal of St Stephen College, Delhi visited Sainik School, Imphal yesterday. On arrival, he was

welcomed by Lt Col Praveen Kumar, Officiating Principal, Sainik School, Imphal along with Sqn Ldr KV Sijomon, Vice Principal and staff of the school. During the visit, Reverend Dr. Valson took note of the academic facilities of the school and interacted with the staff and cadets of the school. While interacting with the cadets of class XII with the cadets of class XII he emphasised on the importance of discipline and integrity in life for accomplishing success. While responding to the cadets of Class XII, Dr.



Valson expressed his satisfaction on consistent efforts of the faculty at the Sainik School towards grooming the young minds in the region and highlighted as to how the cadets and faculty members of St. Stephen College tirelessly perform to contribute towards nation building. Acknowledging the desire of the cadets for

higher studies, he also expressed his hope of meeting a few such youngsters in St. Stephen College in future. Lt Col Praveen Kumar, Officiating Principal expressed the profuse gratitude on behalf of the faculty of Sainik School, Imphal to Revd. Dr. Valson Thampu enlightening the cadets of

### Secondary students of Jiribam Schools still deprived form regular classes

nhal. Nov. 29: Students of XI & XII of Jiribam Govt Higher Secondary School & Borobekra Govt. Secondary School have been deprived of their regular classes since Nov. 9 due to the ongoing cease work strike contract

Lecturers.
Against the ongoing strike, Jiribam Higher Secondary Student Union had launched agitation & protest by even staging sit-in-protest in front of the schools by displaying placard - "Provide us sufficient Teacher" & "We want to attend and have regular class" for two days. On Nov. 16, the student Union gate was locked; but union still continue the agitation by going publicity campaign using loud speaker in whole area of Jiribam announcing that the Jiribam Higher Secondary School dent union locked door

in the interest of COSEM & BOSEM exam. Other student's organisation AMSU, MSF, DESAM & KSA also appealed to the Govt & the AJICLA to bring resolution in the interest of the future academic career of Jiribam students.

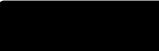
But on the contrary AJICLA still continue the cease work strike. One reliable source, it is stated that till today there has not been a single meeting between the Govt & the AJICLA to bring a solution to the issue for this reason, it is doubted that Jiribam students' future would be at stake. Several action of people started asking why the Govt is not taking the issue seriously. Mention may be made that AJICLA had already given

concerned authority to provide Job security & regularisation for the teacher who has been working for around 20 yrs, as part time/ contract lecturer; but no response was given by the Govt till today. In a special sitting it was resolved by AJICLA that the contact lecturer will cease working in the school until Govt give the response and AJICLA also stated that sub-division Jiribam 222km away from Imphal city doesn't hence sufficient no of regular lecturer, Borobekra Govt Higher Secondary School lecturer are all contact lecturers and in jiribam Govt. higher Secondary School only 5 regular lecturer are provided by the Goyt.

## Good news for Urorelated patients

#### Dr. Sinam Sekharjit Singh

M.S (Gen Sgy, PGI), M.Ch. (ORO, AIMS) Commonwealth Medical Fellow



- CMC Hospital Koirengei

- 10.00 am to 2.00 pm

(Chingamathak, Pishum Leirak)

- 4.00 pm, to 6.00 pm

Consultant Urologist/Genito-Unrinary Surgeon

- Residenc

# Kalam wanted to resign as President in 2006, says ex-secy

Bhubaneswar, Nov. 29: The former press secretary of A P J Abdul Kalam said here on Saturday that he had thought of resigning as president in 2006 when the Supreme Court quashed the presidential proclamation dissolving the Bihar

assembly. S M Khan said that Kalam was reluctant to sign the proclamation initially.

After then Bihar governor Buta Singh recommended

dissolution of the assembly, the Union cabinet approved it and forwarded it to him for approval when he was on a

isit to Moscow. Recalling his days with the late President in a lecture titled "My Days with the Greatest Human Soul Ever" at the SOA University, Khan, presently director general of the Registrar of Newspapers for India (RNI), said when the SC quashed the proclamation,

Kalam was apologetic, saying he should have rejected the cabinet's decision and thought of resigning.

He even consulted his elder brother in Rameswaram. But he finally decided against any such step as it would have led to a constitutional crisis." Khan said

Khan also narrated how the tech savvy President once two-hour-long Power Point presentation to former Prime Minister Atal Bihari Vajpayee and his cabinet colleagues on his vision of a developed India in 2020, a pet theme for him till the last. Khan said Kalam had a

penchant for power point presentations and would insist on the same even when he was meeting foreign dignitaries and heads of states. When former US President George Bush visited him in 2006, he made him sit through a

presentation, "After the resentation ended. Bush old him," Sir, I need to be a scientist to understand this. But we will work on this," Khan recalled