

Manipur Assembly Secretary, K Meghrajit launching Manipur State Assembly website www.manipurassembly.net



## Dy. CM declines to comment on Herojit's confession; assures security

IT News

**Imphal, Jan 28:** Deputy Chief Minister Gaikhangam declined to give any comments regarding the confession made by Thounaojam Herojit Singh to print and electronic media on how he killed an unarmed 22 years old Chungkham Sanjit inside a Pharmacy on July 23, 2009. Thounaojam Herojit Singh, head constable of Manipur Police is one of the 8 accused police personnel on which the CBI has been investigating over the alleged fake encounter at Kwaibrambandh Keithel, the heart of the city. Herojit returned to Imphal in an Indigo Flight yesterday but



his wife filed a missing person report of her husband from the Tulihal Airport Imphal. "We are seriously examining over the recent development, and will find out whether he is really missing or not", Gaikhangam said while giving reply to reporters at the

sideline of the inaugural function of 6<sup>th</sup> Shaheed Manoranjan Singh Memorial Football Tournament at Khumanlampak main stadium. On being asked whether the state government will provide security to Herojit, Gaikhangam said that if he feels that his life is under threat, security will be provided to him.

"We are bound to provide security if he feels that his life is under threat, the government is here to protect the life and property of the people", Gaikhangam said. On the other hand Gaikhangam said that giving comment on the recent development will be

sub-judice as the matter is still in the court.

"CBI inquiry will reveal everything", the Dy. CM said but added that it is upto the investigating agency to do the needful on whether to reopen the case or not. Regarding the intervention from the Central government, Gaikhangam said that the central government authority had called the Additional Chief Secretary Home to submit report of the case.

Meanwhile, *Imphal Free Press* daily has reported that Thounaojam Herojit is at present safe and sound but is taking shelter at an undisclosed place.

## Nupi Marup raises issues of AFSPA in National conference

IT News

**Imphal, Jan. 28:** All Manipur Nupi Marup raised the issue of AFSPA in the recently held 20<sup>th</sup> All India Women Conference for National Federation of Indian Women at Visakhapatnam and demanded immediate repeal the Draconian Act from the State. Meishnam 'O' Sakhi, president of the women organization who also took part the conference informed media persons that the current unrest situation in

Manipur were critically discussed during the conference.

549 delegates from 23 different states of India strongly condemned the imposition of AFSPA in some parts of North eastern States including Manipur. All Manipur Nupi Marup also denounced the BJP led central Government for not implementing the recommendation of the Jeevan Ready Commission Report

during the conference. Sakhi further informed that during the meet, they received lots of solidarity messages regarding the Sharmila's 13 years long struggle against AFSPA.

The women organization also rose the prolong problem face by people while traveling the two national highways in Manipur due to non deployment of High way protection force, said Sakhi.

## Two men caught for stealing goats

IT News

**Imphal, Jan 28:** Two men were caught today for stealing and selling three goats by the locals of Majorkhul Goat meat seller. Both the thieves have been identified as Matherabastimayum Bikramjit (37) s/o M Biramangol Sharma and Thokchom Boinaocha (25)

s/o (L) T Mani both from Kongba Kshetri leikai.

Bikramjit and Boinaocha stole the three goats from Keikhu Kabui Village and Keikhu Muslim Village on January 27 and sold it at the evening itself at Majorkhul Goat meat seller at the rate of 8000.

Bikramjit and Boinaocha were

caught today by the locals after receiving information about the stolen goats when both came at the particular shop to collect the remaining amount 2000 which were left to be collected on January 27 after collecting 6000 out of 8000.

Both the thieves have been handover to city police.

## NEFIS stage protest

IT News

**New Delhi, Jan 28:** North-East Forum for International Solidarity (NEFIS) today staged protest at Manipur Bhawan, Sardar Patel Marg, New Delhi against the fake encounter of Chongkham Sanjit by Manipur Police Commandos in 2009. Recent admission by Head Constable, Herojit Singh has revealed that contrary to police statement that Sanjit was killed in retaliatory fire, he was told to finish Sanjit off by the then Additional SP, Akojiam Jhalajhit.

## Manipuri girl went missing at Delhi

IT News

**Imphal, Jan 28:** A 14 years old girl from Manipur went missing since January 27 this year. The missing girl has been identified as Binu (14) d/o Kamsei from Senapat District, Manipur. According to a source Binu went out to buy household goods on the evening of January 27 since then she didn't return home. Binu was residing at Safdarjung Enclave, H.no. 120 - A Krishna Nagar, New Delhi. She was wearing one dark sweater and a black pant at the time when she went out to buy the goods. Missing report has been filed at the Safdarjung Enclave Police Station, New Delhi.

## Dy CM inaugurates 6<sup>th</sup> Shaheed Manoranjan Singh Memorial State Open Football Tournament

IT News

**Imphal, Jan.28:** Deputy Chief Minister Gaikhangam today inaugurated the 6<sup>th</sup> Shaheed Manoranjan Singh Memorial State Open Football Tournament at Khuman Lampak Main Stadium. The tournament is being organised by the Group Center CRPF and Imphal West District Football Association in memory of the Ng Manoranjan who made supreme sacrifices in Chhattisgarh on September 17, 2009 while fighting the Left Wing extremists protecting the sovereignty and integrity of the country. He was later decorated with Police medal for Gallantry in April 9, 2014.



On that day Manoranjan made the supreme sacrifices during a special operation along with late Rakesh Chaurasia, Asst. Commandant, his batch mate and six jawans near Singanmadugi village under Chintagufa Police station in Dantewada district, Chhattisgarh.

Speaking on the occasion, Gaikhangam said that the tournament is not only a tournament for players but a mark of respect to the great police officer who had sacrificed for his motherland. He said that organizing such tournament will bring more Manoranjan in the near future.

## Rally staged in connection with 12<sup>th</sup> South Asian Games 2016

IT News

**Imphal, Jan 28:** PHED Minister I Hemochandra today flagged off a torch rally from Kangla fort in connection with the 12<sup>th</sup> South Asian Games 2016, which is scheduled to begin from February 5 and conclude on February 16 at Guwahati and Shillong. The rally was participated by over 1000 sportspersons including coaches, prominent Olympians, National Games medalists and students from National Sports Academy. The rally which was flagged off in front of Kangla Utra Sanglen proceeded towards Northern gate of Kangla Fort and later after came towards Kanglapat and then concluded at the place where they started.

## Poster Campaign for the Upcoming Singju Festival held

IT News

**Thoubal, Jan. 28:** The Singju Festival Committee organize 2nd phase Poster campaign for the upcoming Singju Festival 2016 at Nungshikol Park, Chana under Singju Yokhatpa Lup (SYOL) was held in different places at Lilong Keithel, Khangabok Keithel, Wanging Keithel. Heirok Keithel, Khongjom and Kakching Keithel in Thoubal District today. Festival Chairman Kh. Menjor Mangang, Brand Ambassador of Festival Leishangthem Tonthoingambi, Festival Convener Rakesh Naorem, Vice Chairman of Singju Yokhatpa Lup Chungkham Ranbir, Finance Secretary Yumnam Devajani, Proprietor of Nungshikol Park OC Meira, Film Producer Ne Bigyani, Executive Members Laimujam Pratap and

Aribam Panyabanta attended in the 2nd phase Poster campaign. The poster campaign would also be held at Bishnupur District, Churcharan District and other remaining Districts of Manipur.

## Three policemen injured in grenade attack in Assam

PII

**Haflong, Jan. 28:** Three policemen were injured, one of them critically, when unidentified persons hurled a grenade at them during patrol duty in Assam's Dima Hasao district in the wee hours today, a police officer said. The grenade was hurled at the policemen at 2 am while they were on duty in Ram Nagar under Haflong police station here injuring three of them, the

officer said, adding, the condition of one of them was said to be critical.

The injured have been identified as Dharmendra Das, Tilak Nath and R K Rajesh Singh, whose condition, doctors said was critical. They have been admitted to Haflong Civil Hospital.

Investigations are on and a search has been launched to nab the miscreants, the officer added.

## State Legislative Assembly launches new Website

IT News

**Imphal, Jan 28:** A new website "www.manipurassembly.net" for Manipur State Assembly was launched today at the Assembly Secretariat conference hall. Assembly Secretary, K Meghrajit, Assembly Director, Y Somendro, Assembly DDO, G Tapan Sharma and Assembly Deputy Secretary, MA Gaffar attended the launching functions as the guests. Speaking at the occasion Assembly Secretary K Meghrajit said that since the launched of the new

needs, he added. K Meghrajit also said that the old website for the assembly was locked down due to non maintenance by the assigned team on time. After a thorough discussion, the Legislative Assembly come to a decision to hire local firm of the state and found "emanipuri", one of the firms in the state which have been developing websites for government offices, commercial advt. etc.

K Meghrajit further said that since the launched of the new website, public and all the information requesters will not faced any issues like in the past as each and every details information which the surfers looking for is being made available in a simple and easy way. Internet connection in all the rooms of senior officer and the staffs will be made available very soon so that they could work easily without consuming time like doing paperwork before the computers were being set up, Meghrajit assured in his today's speech.

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 - Manipurgi apunbagi saktam thugaiba yaroi  
 - India Governmentna Manipurgi puwari khangu  
 - India Governmentki divide and rule policy lappu  
 - Phurupki oiba wakhallon thadoknaduna apunbagi saktam chekshilhanshi  
 - Chingmi tammi eikhoi ema amatagi machani  
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## Passport in a week by submitting only four documents

TNN

**Tarini Puri, Jan. 28:** The ministry of external affairs has announced two major changes that will fast-track the process for first-time passport applicants and make it more convenient to secure an appointment at the local passport seva kendra. Citizens will be granted a fresh passport under the normal category in a week if their applications are accompanied by three documents - copies of Aadhaar card, electoral

photo identity card (EPIC) and PAN card - besides an affidavit in the format of Annexure-I (declaration of citizenship, family details and no criminal record). Until now, the process would take a month, with the police verification eating up a lot of time. Police verification of such applications will be conducted after the passport is issued. There will be no extra charge for the service, a statement issued by the ministry said.

The process is subject to online validation of the Aadhaar number while processing and an approval from the granting officer. Besides, passports may also be impounded and revoked later, in case of adverse police reports. The idea of the upgrade is to liberalise the process without compromising on security, explained Anil Kumar Sobti, director of the passport division in the ministry. "There are plenty of inbuilt

safeguards in our system which can instantly spot fake identities and forgeries. Most importantly, our system is linked to the Aadhaar database which helps conduct real-time verification of the applicant while s/he is still at the passport seva kendra," he said. "We are trying to integrate EPIC and PAN cards as well. Additionally, the granting officer interviewing the applicant can use his discretion to extend or withhold the

facility. Besides, the option of impounding or revoking the passport post issuance is always available and we have exercised it several times in 2015," Sobti said. "Adverse police reports can be avoided if applicants themselves play a pro-active role in their verification to ensure that it is completed within a month since the passport is issued. We will also institutionalise measures to prevent an increase in such cases."