

Lecture on e-Court System

IT News
Imphal, June 8: High Court of Manipur is organising a lecture programme on e-Court System tomorrow at the auditorium of the High Court Complex. The lecture programme will begin from 2 pm and Justice Dr. S. Muralidhar of Delhi High Court will deliver speech on e-court system.

On the following two days, i.e., the Manipur Judicial Academy (MJA), Manipur High Court and Manipur Legal Service Authority (MASLSA) is also organising a 2 day orientation course on criminal investigation, criminal trial and cyber laws.

On the first session, Justice Dr. S. Muralidhar of Delhi High Court will present paper on Criminal investigations from Human Rights perspective. Former ADGP, and Advocate of the Manipur High Court Ahanthem Romenkumar will present paper on Police investigation in FIR cases. On the law regarding the cyber crime and its implication Dr. Debarati Haider, Advocate and M.D. CCVC will deliver the presentation.

KLA chief shot dead

IT News
Imphal, June 8: Gunmen suspected to be rival faction of Kuki Liberation Army (KLA) had shot dead commander of the organisation Letkhosei Khongsai @ Timothi s/o Khupun Khongsai. Bullet riddled dead body of the Commander Chief of Kuki Liberation Army (KLA), Timothi was found today at Tangkanphai village under Saikul Police Station of Kangpokpi district.

UM Lohia Two Wheelers dealership in Imphal

IT News
Imphal, June 8: With the launching of two UM Motorcycle models Rehegade Commando and Sports S, UM Lohia Two Wheelers Pvt. Ltd., along with Lohia Auto inaugurated its dealership at Kanglasha UM in Imphal at Khuyathong DMC Road here on Wednesday by Khoirom Loyalakpa, Chief Editor of Naharolgee Thoudang, CEO Rajeev Mishra, Senior Vice President Sunil Kumar Singh of UM Lohia Two Wheelers Pvt. Ltd., and Sinam David Singh, Director of Kanglasha UM. With the inauguration of the dealership in Imphal, the UM company now has 45 dealerships across the country.

Trouble foresees in N Biren Singh led government over MLA Dingo's denial to accept his girl friend

IT News

Imphal, June 8: Barely 3 months old N. Biren Singh led BJP government is likely to face music over alleged misconduct of one of his MLA's, now appointed as Parliamentary secretary over his refusal to accept his alleged girl friend as his wife after having illicit affairs for many years.

Parliamentary Secretary Dingo, was elected as BJP MLA in the 11th Manipur Legislative Assembly election from Sekmai Constituency. Locals of his constituency had refuted the charges

levelled against Dingo and stage protest against defaming of their local MLA day before yesterday.

With the news of the MLA's misconduct to his girl friend, more civil society body had come up in favour of the girl and voice for resignation of the MLA begins fielding the air of Imphal.

Today too 100s of people staged a protest demonstration at at Thangmeiband DM College Gate, Imphal West demanding immediate resignation of Sekmai MLA Dingo for his recent conduct towards his girl friend at

which he had illicit relationship besides promising to marry her after election. The protest demonstration was organised by Thangmeiband United Club and Thangmeiband Apunba Meira Paibi Lup.

Speaking to the media persons, Sabita Devi, Vice President of Khunthokhanbi Meira Paibi Lup said that the crime committed by MLA Dingo is strongly condemnable and he must be stripped away from his MLA post with immediate effect.

She further said that women are not for sale and could not

suppress with some money. She demanded the Chief Minister to act immediately before the matter goes out of hand.

The two organisation warn 12 hour bandh on June 10 if the Chief Minister and his council of minister fails to take action against MLA Dingo.

Funeral of Major David Manlun

NENA

Imphal, June 8: The last rites of slain Major David Manlun of the Territorial Army was held in Shillong today.

Major Manlun, 32, was killed in an encounter with ULFA (I) and NSCN (K) militants in Tizit subdivision of Mon district in Nagaland on Tuesday night.

The family of the senior army officer, a resident of Shillong, is originally from Manipur's Churachandpur district. Chief Minister Nongthombam Biren Singh yesterday deeply condoned the death of David Manlun in the Nagaland encounter.

Manlun was commissioned as officer in 2010 and his first unit was Naga Regiment.

Three militants were killed in the gun battle and a civilian was caught in the crossfire, Army source said. Three jawans were also hurt in the encounter.

The body of the slain officer was brought home to the Assam Regimental Centre in Happy Valley, Shillong on Wednesday and was received with full military honour

CM N. Biren to attend meet on Indo-Myanmar border

NENA

Imphal, June 8: Manipur Chief Minister Nongthombam Biren Singh will attend a meeting in Aizawl on June 12 wherein the security situation and development activities along Indo-Myanmar border will be discussed.

The meeting which will be chaired by Home Minister Rajnath Singh will also be attended by Pema Khandu, Shurhazolie Liezietsu and Lal Thanhawla, the Chief Ministers of Arunachal Pradesh, Nagaland and Mizoram respectively.

The four Northeast states share the border with Myanmar. The 1,643 km long porous India-Myanmar border is guarded by the Assam



Rifles, but presence of militants, smuggling of arms and other illegal activities there have been a concern for peace, stability and economic activities for both the countries.

Official sources said the scheduled meeting aims to improve security along the international border.

Shortage of doctor suspended emergency service at Sagolmang PHC; local protest



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IT News

Imphal, June 8: Authority of Sagolmang CHC & Hospital has decided to close down the emergency service in the hospital due to shortage of doctors. A notification in the regard was pasted at the gate of the hospital stating that due to shortage of doctor, there will be no more emergency service at CHC Sagolmang

Hospital with effect from June 10, 2017. The notice also stated to contact MO in charge of the hospital for further contact.

Following the notice, people of Sagolmang area today staged a sit in protest in front of the hospital urging government authority to fill up the require doctors to the hospital.

According to source with the Imphal Times total 1092 post of doctors are still lying vacant in the state health department at present.

It further said that there are only 590 doctors working in the state health department and due to lack of the manpower various problems arises at district PHCs and Hospitals.

EPFO extends deadline for submitting Aadhaar to June 30

PTI

New Delhi, June 8: Retirement fund body EPFO has extended the deadline for submitting Aadhaar number to June 30 for its over four crore members.

However, the deadline for submission of Aadhaar number would be September 30, 2017 in case of north-east states.

"All field offices are directed to ensure that Aadhaar Number is furnished by the employer in respect of all new members who join the

Employees Pension Scheme, 1995 with effect from July 1, 2017 except north east states where it would be applicable from October 1, 2017.

The Employees' Provident Fund Organisation (EPFO) had set April 30, 2017 as the deadline for submitting Aadhaar number earlier.

The EPFO in January made it mandatory for its pensioners and subscribers to submit Aadhaar numbers.

Later the deadline by revised time and again in view of slow

progress over Aadhaar number submission by members. The central government contributes 1.16 per cent of the basic wages as subsidy to every member

Employees Pension Scheme Account in addition to 8.33 per cent deposited by their employers every month. Since the government provides subsidy to an EPFO member, it has invoked Section 7 of the Aadhaar (Targetted Delivery of Financial and other Subsidies, Benefits and

Services) Act 2016, for the purpose.

The Section 7 of the Act provides that where government provides subsidy, benefit or service from Consolidated Fund of India, an individual can be asked to undergo authentication, or furnish proof of possession of Aadhaar number.

It also provides that where an individual to whom no Aadhaar number has been assigned, such individual can apply for enrolment.

17th Arambam Somorendra Martyrdom Anniversary

IT News

Imphal, June 8: Arambam Somorendra Trust, Sagolband, Meino Leirak is organising the 12th Arambam Somorendra Memorial lecture on occasion of the 17th Arambam Somorendra Martyrdom Anniversary at Lamyamba Sanglen Palace Compound on June 10, 2017 at 2 pm. Retired Professor Soyam

Lokendrajit of the Manipur University will deliver lecture on the topic - Peoples' Resistance Movement Against Demographic Invasions in the North East: The Manipur Experience. Prof. Amar Yumnam, Head, Department of Economics, Manipur University will preside over the lecture programme.

Three terrorists killed, soldier martyred in J&K

Jammu, June 8: At least three terrorists were killed in a gunfight along the Line of Control (LoC) in Nowgam sector of Handwara area of north Kashmir's Kupwara district today.

One soldier was also martyred during the operation. Security sources told that the militants were

killed after troops foiled an infiltration bid in Nowgam sector. At least two major infiltration bids were foiled by the forces during past two days along Line of Control in two sectors in Kupwara which has witnessed a large number of infiltration bids recently besides Bandipora and Baramulla districts.

MANIPUR LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY SECRETARIAT NOTIFICATION

Imphal, the 8th June, 2017-06-08

No. 1/13(6)/2014-LA(E)/Ret: It is hereby informed to all the candidates who had applied for direct recruitment to the post of Committee Officer that the written test for the same, which was scheduled earlier on 09-06-2017 has been postponed indefinitely due to unavoidable circumstances. A new date will be notified later for the same. Inconvenience caused is highly regretted.

Sd/-
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Mob menace : A threat to justice delivery

IT Desk

Imphal, June 8: Hunt the owner if the dog bites. So is the saying in Manipur? And what is happening in the last couple of days here in Imphal is no difference. A psychopathic killer murdered a mother and her daughter and a suspect was apprehended. Without waiting for the investigation on whether the suspect is the real accused or not an angry people search for his owner, dismantle the house of the alleged murderer and ostracised all the members of the family from the locality for the heinous crime committed by a Psycho killer. The trend is not new; these kinds of incident are common in Manipur society in the last couple of decades. There were incidences where minor children were punished by leaving them as orphan after their parents were lynched to death for the crime they had committed. Nobody care and notice the fate of the children who knows nothing about the kind of crime

committed by their parents.

Many mothers, fathers, brothers, wife and children had suffered and had to spend a painful life for the crime committed by their son, father or husband. And critics blamed on law enforcers and the justice delivery system of the country for the kind of the fall out. There were time when people had completely lose faith in law enforcers and that was one reason for mob to throng into action instead of waiting for the law enforcers to act. At a time when mob justice was at its peak, the state government taking with due seriousness had tried many means to prevent the mob menace. Community policing, public interaction and many other had been organised. Years have gone; the law enforcers now left few rooms for criticism. Many officers now spent sleepless night to solve cases of heinous homicide crimes. The last two three months saw at least seven cases of homicide. And officers in the police department have done enough by

speeding up the investigation. The result - the person responsible for the killing of Lunglairong Rongmei on May 5 this year have been arrested and are now in judicial custody.

Similarly, within a very short span a suspect of the murder case of a mother and her daughter at Uripok Bachaspatt Leikai here in Imphal on May 30 was also arrested.

What is surprising is that, even after knowing that the law enforcers are doing their work well, the mental dementia still continues.

It was the most heart shocking murdered, and the accused need to be awarded befitting punishment. But why the wrath of the locality poured to the family of the alleged accused is a matter needed to be seriously studied.

It's time that we change the attitude of "hunt the owner when a dog bite"