

Correction

I, the undersigned, **Sorasam Indira Devi**, have wrongly recorded my name as **Konsam Indira Devi** with date of birth 13/01/1989, which I had already relinquished and abandoned as I had assumed by name as **Sorasam Indira Devi** and that my real date of birth is 01/01/1988. I do, hereby declare that all my name recorded should be **Sorasam Indira Devi** and that my real date of birth should be 01/01/1988.

Sd/-
Sorasam Indira Devi,
W/o. **Sorasam Somananda Singh**,
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Eid-ul-Azha celebrated across the country

IT News
Imphal, Aug 22,

Eid-ul-Azha, the festival of sacrifice is being celebrated with religious fervour and gaiety across the country today. The faithful offered Eid prayers in Eidgahs and mosques. Eid-ul-Azha is celebrated to commemorate the willingness of Prophet Hazrat Ibrahim to sacrifice his only son in obedience of God's command.

In Manipur, Muslim community of the state celebrate the festival by offering prayers at Jama Masjid of various area. Chief Minister N. Biren Singh and Manipur Governor Nazma Heptulla greeted the people and wished for a prosperous society with the celebration of the muslim festival. Muslim brethren invites near and dear one to their home and served feast as a mark of honour to their friends.

In Delhi, main Eid congregations were held at Jama Masjid, Fatehpuri mosque and Shahi Eidgah. Union Minister Mukhtar Abbas Naqvi offered prayers at Jama Masjid at Kashmiri Gate. President Ram Nath Kovind, Vice President Venkaiah Naidu and Prime Minister Narendra Modi have greeted fellow citizens on this occasion. Mr

Kovind, in his message, extended good wishes to Muslim brothers and sisters in the country and abroad. He asked the people to resolve to work together for unity and fraternity in shared society. Vice Presidentsaid, Id-ul-Zuha symbolizes the spirit of sacrifice and compassion in peoples' lives. He said the festival inspires the mankind to enshrine the values of truthfulness and compassion in their day-to-day actions and conduct.

In his message, Prime Minister Narendra Modi expressed hope that the day will deepen the spirit of compassion and brotherhood in the society. In Rajasthan, the festival of sacrifice Eid-ul-azha is being celebrated across the state with religious fervour and gaiety. Special prayers are being offered at the mosques. In Uttar Pradesh, Eid-ul-Zuha is being celebrated with religious fervor and gaiety across the state.

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Women Action for Development (WAD) has appealed the Government of Manipur to protect the Woman Judge by providing Y Class Security and other adequate security measures to A. Noutuneshwari Devi, Special Judge, POCSO, Senapati at the earliest to avoid threats and other unwanted activities. "Yesterday (August 21 2018) at around 7:30 am, we received information that at the Dens Park Court, Senapati District there seems to be some suspicious activities being carried out where Ms A Noutuneshwari, Special Judge, POCSO, Senapati is staying and seems threatening", a statement of the WAD said. It said that some unknown people of the area act

POCSO judge receives threats – WAD urges security

"A. Noutuneshwari devi, special judge, pocso, senapati must be provided y class security by government of manipur to avoid possible threats"

suspicious by asking some unrelated questions to the guards and other police personnel deployed for the security of the Judge and the court. It could be noted that Special judge, POCSO, A. Noutuneshwari Devi awarded death penalty to a 21-year-old man in a 2015 rape and murder case of a 4-year-old girl in Senapati District. Since the

announcement of the Judgement, it seems her activities are being threatened and giving psychological fear of unwanted incident. As the people of Manipur have already experienced the brutality committed to the Government employees like the brutal killing of Mr Kishan and his colleagues by some armed groups who was assign to deliver his duty as a

government employee. WAD urged the Government of Manipur to protect the Woman Judge by providing Y Class Security or other adequate security and administrative arrangements to the Special judge, POCSO, A. Noutuneshwari Devi as a matter of urgency and in the best interest of the Public to avoid other possible threats in the near future.

Replantation of amputated penis completed successfully in RIMS

IT News
Imphal, Aug 22,

A team of doctors from the Department of Plastic Surgery, Regional Institute of Medical Sciences, Imphal undertook a 4 hour long complicated operation to reattach the amputated penis (male sexual organ) in a 57 year old man.

The man, a known psychiatric patient, had been taking medicines irregularly, as narrated by his family members. On 20th August 2018, at around 5 pm, he allegedly chopped off his sexual organ (penis) using a sharp weapon, and came out with severe bleeding from the cut stump. He was immediately rushed to the nearby district hospital, but the doctors there referred him to a tertiary care hospital, where he could avail the facilities of reattachment of his amputated private part, by a Plastic Surgeon. When he arrived in RIMS Imphal, it was already 7 pm. The doctors of Plastic Surgery Department were immediately called to see the patient in the Casualty department, and do the needful. The doctors realised that being a clean cut wound, it was amenable to join the two cut parts by microsurgical anastomoses of the arteries and veins, along with repair of the urethra (urine channel). It was 8 pm by the time the 57 year old man was wheeled into the Operation Theatre. The cut ends were meticulously dissected to identify the blood vessels (arteries and veins separately).

Through a painstaking four and a half hour long operation, the dedicated team of Plastic Surgery doctors could finally manage to reattach the amputated penis successfully.

NTA releases examination schedule for UGC NET, JEE Main I, JEE Main II, NEET UG, CMAT, & GPAT

Agency
New Delhi, Aug 22,

National Testing Agency (NTA) has released the detailed schedule for UGC NET December 2018, JEE Main I, JEE Main II, NEET UG, CMAT, and GPAT. While, JEE Main will be conducted twice a year, the agency will be conducting NEET only once and the mode for NEET UG exam will remain offline.

The number of languages in which NEET is conducted will also remain the same as last year. From December onwards, UGC NET will be conducted as a computer-based test. The registration process for UGC NET will be conducted from September 1 to September 30. Exam will be conducted from December 9 to December 23,

2018 in multiple sessions. The registration for JEE Main I exam will begin on September 1 and end on September 30, 2018. The exam will be conducted from January 6 to January 20, 2019 in multiple sessions. Registration for JEE Main II will begin from February 8 and end on March 7, 2019. Examination will be conducted

from April 6 to April 20, 2019. Registration for CMAT and GPAT will begin from November 1 and end on November 30, 2018. Examination will be conducted on January 28, 2019. The registration process for NEET UG will begin on November 1 and end on November 30, 2018 and the exam will be conducted on May 5, 2019.

UGC bans selling junk food in campus

Agency
New Delhi, Aug 22,

The University Grants Commission (UGC) has directed all varsities and higher education institutions to ban sale of junk food on their campuses. In a communication to the

universities, the UGC said banning junk food in colleges will set new standards for healthy food, making the students live better, learn better and reduce obesity levels. This will prevent lifestyle diseases which have a direct link with excessive weight.

UFO Heirolk Ngainathel Branch Observes 15th Rising Day



IT News
Thoubal, Aug 22:

The Universal Friendship Organisation earlier known as Meitei Huyel Langlon Sintam Sanglen, Satjal Academy of Heirolk Part-III Ngainathel (Ngarouthel) branch observed its 15th rising Day celebration at Heirolk Ngarouthel Community hall in Thoubal District today. The Celebration begins Education Minister Thokchom Radheshyam with Satjal members giving general salute to the "Pakhhangba" flag, symbol of Satjal along with the theme song of Satjal. The formal function was

attended by the Up- Adhaksha of Thoubal Zilla Parishad T.Nungshi Singh, Chairman of K.M. Blooming Higher Secondary School, Khangabok Kh Menjor Mangang, President of All Manipur Apunba Nupi Samaj Th Ramani Devi and Advocate Legal Aid Council, Imphal West Khurajiam Kanta Singh as chief guest, president and guests of honour respectively. Around 700 members from different branches of the organisation and locals also attended the function. At least 100 members wearing black uniform gave salute during the flag hoisting of the organisation.

Speaking at the function, Commander of Special Duty UFO, Khomba said that the organisation was set up for a non-violent world. The organisation was formed on four main objectives: to inculcate discipline among the elder and the younger generations, to bring back the lost culture, to spread awareness on the values of justice and to save the Meitei religion, he said. Khomba also said that emotional integrity is needed to bring peace in the State. He further elaborated that the loss of culture will lead to loss of identity, loss of identity leads to loss of community.

Assamese Community in London submits memorandum to the High Commissioner of India to oppose on Citizenship (Amendment) Bill 2016

By: Rini Kakati
London, Aug 22,

The Assamese Community in London are deeply concerned because of the threat posed by the forthcoming Indian Citizenship Amendment Bill 2016. If the bill passes through it will have a serious implication on the people of Assam regarding the demography, culture and the Assamese language. Our identity are at threat and our safety as an NRA (Non-Resident Assamese). A delegation members of Assamese Community in London led by Dr. Benu Kakati, Rini Kakati, Dr. Apurba Baruah, Krishna Baruah, Dr. Sarada Sarma, Binu Sarma, Dr. Pallab Das and Dr. Amit

Sarmah on Friday, 13 July, 2018 went to meet HE Shri Y K Sinha, Indian High Commissioner to UK at India House, Aldwych, who received them with warmth and hospitality. His father Lt Gen SK Sinha, was Former Governor of Assam whose immense contributions and effort to the welfare of Assam will always be remembered. The people who are not Indian citizen (Non Indians) are not covered by the constitution of India. If a large number of vulnerable refugees from Bangladesh need to be given Indian Citizenship, then these refugees should be settled by the central Government in all over India not in Assam only. The delegation requested HE Shri Y K Sinha, Indian High

Commissioner to UK to convey our concern to the appropriate government departments in New Delhi, India notably to our Honourable Prime Minister Narendra Modi and the Chairman of the Joint Parliamentary Committee as India Government's UK representative. There is a strong probability that a significant beneficiary of this amendment would be Bangladeshi Hindus and would immigrate to Assam. This will endanger the very existence of Assamese Culture and Assamese Identity. No other state faces such a risk and therefore those states are indifferent to this development. We strongly object to the

citizenship amendment bill 2016 based on the following factual reasons: The Citizenship Amendment Bill 2016 breaches the fundamental principle of the Indian Constitution in Article 14 which declares India as a sovereign, secular, democratic republic assuring its citizens justice and equality within the territory of India and prohibits discrimination on the grounds of religion, race, caste sex or place of birth within India or any of them. If a significant portion of Bangladeshi Hindu refugees entering into India are given permanent settlement in Assam the demography of Assam, Assamese language and Assamese Culture face a great identity crisis. If for

humanitarian reasons these refugees escaping persecution need to be settled in India, they should be proportionately distributed to all the Indian States and Union Territories and not just in Assam. Based on Assam accord, at the intervention of the Supreme Court of India and on the instruction of the Central Government, Government of Assam is engaged in intensive updating of the National Register of Citizens (NRC) to include people permanently residing in the state till 24th March 1971 and to treat only those people as genuine citizens of the country. Under Assam Accord Assam has already agreed to absorb an alarmingly large

number of foreign nationals that had entered Assam illegally until March 1971. The present attempt of the Government of India to extend citizenship beyond the cut off point of 24th March 1971 is unacceptable. The state of Assam is already overburdened with high influx of foreign nationals from Bangladesh, causing serious economic and social distress and identity crisis for the indigenous communities of Assam. Under these circumstances, the proposed amendment poses a serious threat to the existence of Assam as a unique cultural and linguistic entity enshrined in the formation of various states at independence of India.