

Mann Ki Baat - A Chicken Hide

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What's in your mind when you see the words "A Chicken Hide?" Take easy. I would like to express my personal views on Mann Ki Baat programme. Whether you think it or not, I could say that Maan Ki Baat is one of the most powerful Weapon for BJP and its alliances in India.

The first Mann Ki Baat or Heart's Voice was broadcast on the occasion of Vijayadashami on 3rd October 2014 by the Prime Minister of India Mr. Narendra Modi on All India Radio, DD National and other leading news channel. So far 50th episode have been addresses to the people of the nation till November 2018 and 51 episode is coming up in this December.

We all know the program is broadcast every last Sunday of the month at 11 O'clock. BJP and its alliances told the people of the nation that Mann Ki Baat is not about politics and government achievement but the aspiration of the people's.

They're fooling the public. They're hiding the Head but public knows where the body is. The system of hiding the head and showing the bodies is called "Aan Bakam." The word Aan Bakam means a Chicken Hide in English roughly. The words taken out from my local dialect which is often used by my parents when we tried to hide something after they see it. Hope you all come across this funny scene.

Therefore, Mann Ki Baat is broadcast to soothe someone anger. It is broadcast to soothe the people's of India when they are unable to fulfilled the needs and desire of the nation.

Of course it's quite good. I doesn't mean that Mann Ki Baat is not important. I do listened 3 times for every episode. One is his original voice and two is Manipuri translation. Sometime I was trying to impressed by Mann Ki Baat programme. After a while, I was totally fed up when I looked around and think deep over their

propagandas and failures.

We don't need to take serious about the programme because Mann Ki Baat is another type of vote of thanks in the closing ceremony of festival. In every episode he picked a voice from the ladies. We can arised a question to him whether there's caller or not from the gentleman of the country. I always question myself. Sometime I laughed at myself. Oh yes, the reason for that could be you think that you are funny.

Instead of Mann Ki Baat on news channel, he must have visit the village and interact with all the needy people's.

If he really think for the public, must have visit and inquired the people who are not getting a single benefits from the government whether it may be from the Centre or a state.

But why he's not? Government could spent thousands of crores for just a statue to entered the world record and why not for the villages?

Is it Mann Ki Baat also a type of Opium war?

If he visit the village from the beginning of his Maan Ki Baat than must have fulfilled the thirst of 50 villages in the country.

Big question arises to every sensible person whether there's hidden agenda or simply a talk show with true Heart's?

How long can a Mann Ki Baat be last? Will there be a final destination in 2019 or will there be again another program when Congress came to rule the government?

We will have to wait and see their battle. By chance if Congress came back in the center, there is high possibility of another Mann Ki Baat in India. And there is high possibility of replacing the name like Planning Commission to NITI Aayog. Guy's you all are waiting for this scene and wish you all best. Have a great weekend!

Delhi experiences coldest day this season at 3.6C

Agency
New Delhi, Dec 26

A cold wave swept through Delhi on Wednesday morning as the minimum temperature dropped to 3.6 degrees Celsius, the lowest this winter, the Met office said.

"The minimum temperature was recorded at 3.6 degree Celsius, four notches below the season's average. It is the lowest temperature recorded so far this year," it said.

Delhi has been reeling under a cold wave for the past a few days. On

December 23, the minimum temperature was recorded at 3.7 degrees Celsius. It is expected to dip to 3.0 degrees Celsius after December 28. The weatherman has predicted clear skies throughout the day on Wednesday and the maximum temperature is expected to hover around 20 degrees Celsius. According to the Met department, humidity level recorded at 8.30 am was 97 per cent.

On Tuesday, the minimum temperature had settled at 5.0 degrees Celsius.

Fire in factory, worker killed

Agency
New Delhi, Dec 26

A 24-year-old worker was charred to death and another injured after a fire broke out at a helmet manufacturing factory in northwest Delhi's Swaroop Nagar, police said Wednesday.

The deceased has been identified as Devender, a native of Shahjahanpur in Uttar Pradesh, they said, adding, the incident took place on Tuesday.

"A call about the fire was received at 9.25 pm and 13 fire tenders were rushed to the spot. The fire was brought under control by 12.10 am," a senior official from the Delhi Fire Service said.

The victims were rushed

to Safdarjung Hospital where Devender was declared brought dead while the injured, identified as Jitender (34), sustained 20 percent burn injuries, a senior police officer said.

A case has been registered and the matter is being probed, Aslam Khan, Deputy Commissioner of Police (Northwest) said. The officer said the factory was operating out of rented premises.

After post-mortem, the body will be handed over to the family, police said. An inquiry has been initiated and the cause of the fire is yet to be ascertained. Further investigation is underway.

Jyoti Randhawa arrested on poaching charges in UP

Agency
Bharaich, Dec 26

Ace golfer Jyoti Randhawa was arrested Wednesday on charges of poaching in the Dudhwa Tiger Reserve protected area in Uttar Pradesh, an official said.

A fire arm was seized from Randhawa, whose full name is Jyotinder Singh Randhawa, field officer Ramesh Pandey said.

A vehicle bearing a

Haryana registration number and other equipment were also recovered from him. Another person, identified as Mahesh Virajdar, was arrested with Randhawa near Motipur range of Katarniaghat, Pandey said.

Interrogation and further legal action against Randhawa are being initiated by the Katarniaghat DFO, he said.

Juvenile held for raping and killing woman

Agency
Puducherry, Dec 26

A juvenile has been apprehended for allegedly raping and killing a 25-year-old woman at her home in a village here, police said.

The victim's mother had filed a complaint with police on December 18 that her daughter was found dead in her home, in Kuyavarpalayam, with her throat slit, Senior Superintendent of Police Rahool Alwal said Tuesday.

The post-mortem report confirmed she was raped and then killed, he said. During interrogation, the boy aged 17, who lived near the victim's home, confessed to the crime.

Police said the accused was rearing pigeons and used to frequent the victim's home to see if any of the pigeons had alighted on her home's terrace.

There were quarrels between him and the victim who objected to his coming to the house often.

The juvenile had allegedly come to her home on December 18 when the victim was alone.

Following an altercation, the boy hit the woman on her face with a brick and slit her throat with a knife after allegedly raping her. The accused was apprehended and sent to an observation home, police said.

Arunachal CM declares formal functioning of Siang district with Boleng as HQ

Agency
Itanagar, Dec. 26

Chief Minister Pema Khandu in a public function here on Monday declared the formal functioning of Siang district with Boleng as its headquarters.

The chief minister signed the formal declaration letter and handed it over to Siang Deputy Commissioner Rajiv Takuk.

Prior to this, the CM laid the foundation for the district secretariat building, and inaugurated the 2x1500 kw Subbing small hydroelectric project at Supsing village.

Addressing the public during the launch of the second leg of the "Arunachal Rising" campaign, Pema congratulated the people of Siang district on the start of the formal functioning of the HQ. He also congratulated them on getting the hydroelectric project, and dedicated it to them.

"With the launch of the new hydro project, Siang district has achieved the status of a power surplus district," he said.

Pema said the construction of the project had dragged on for the last 24 years, but that, as soon he assumed the post of the CM, "the project was given all the required funding for its completion."

The CM said he had "always favoured the creation of Siang district, and when the matter came to the cabinet for discussion in 2013, as a member I had vouched for its creation."

However, the formal functioning of the district had been delayed due to the question over the location of its headquarters, he said.

The chief minister said his government does not believe in keeping any issue pending which has the potential to create animosity among people. "The government should have the political will and resolve to solve any issue at the earliest for the benefit of all," he said, adding that the location of the headquarters was finalized based on the report of the technical committee. Assuring full support of

the government for creation of infrastructure in the district headquarters, the CM said budget provision would be made in this regard.

He said the matter of whether the government offices under the district headquarters would be established at Boleng or Pangin would be decided after consultations with community bodies and local organizations, and with the approval of the cabinet.

The chief minister further informed that the construction of Rasing bridge over the Siang river would be approved by the Centre in the coming days.

Responding to public demand, he gave assurance that a new circle headquarters would be created at Nirle.

The CM also gave away certificates and prizes to the two 'most progressive' farmers of the district.

Power Minister Tamiyo Taga, Health Minister Alo Libang, state BJP president Tapir Gao, and MLAs Tapang Taloh and Olom Panyang were also present on the occasion.

Pakistan last country to lecture on minorities: Mohammad Kaif blasts Pak PM Imran Khan

Agency
New Delhi, Dec. 26

Former cricketer Mohammad Kaif lashed out at Pakistan Prime Minister Imran Khan on Tuesday over the latter's remark that "members of the minority community are unsafe in India".

Taking to Twitter, Kaif pointed out at Pakistan's minority population which has come down to 2 per cent from 20 per cent at the time of Partition in 1947.

"There were around 20% minorities at the time of Partition in Pakistan, less than 2% remain now. On the other hand minority population has grown significantly in India since Independence. Pakistan is the last

country that should be lecturing any country on how to treat minorities."

His comments come a day after All India Majlis-e-Ittehad-ul Muslimeen (AIMIM) chief Asaduddin Owaisi flayed Khan on the microblogging site, advising the latter to learn from India "about inclusive politics and minority rights".

"According to the Pakistani Constitution, only a Muslim is qualified to be President. India has seen multiple Presidents from oppressed communities. It's high time Khan sahab learns something from us about inclusive politics & minority rights," tweeted Owaisi.

Khan had earlier referred

Naseeruddin Shah's statement on mob violence alleging that the members of the minority community were unsafe in India and were not being treated as equal citizens. "I feel worried thinking about my children because they have not received any religious education. We chose not to give any religious education to our children because I believe that good or evil has nothing to do with religion," Shah had said last week.

Alluding to Shah's statement, the Pakistan PM had claimed that his government would "show" the Narendra Modi government in India "how to treat minorities" and make them feel safe in their country.

NSCN-IM conbdoles

IT News
Imphal, Dec 26,

The Government of the People's Republic of Nagalim expressed deep pained to the demise of Lt.Thinosalie Dzu'vichu', Executive Member, Steering Committee. An NSCN-IM statement said that Lt.Thinosalie Dzu'vichu' was a trust worthy National worker in the Angami Region. He joined the national service in the year 1991. Lt.Thinosalie Dzu'vichu' is a God fearing man. He served the Naga nation

selflessly and wholeheartedly in various capacities and attained Executive Member, Steering Committee. His demise after a prolong illness has create a great vacuum in the national struggle which will be difficult to fill. His contribution to the Naga cause shall ever be honored and cherished by all at this moment of sorrow. The Nation conveys its condolences to his bereaved family and prays to the almighty God to grant eternal peace and rest to the departed soul.

8 injured in clash

Agency
Muzaffarnagar, Dec 26

At least eight people have been injured in a violent clash between two groups over a long-pending land dispute in Muzaffarnagar district, police said Wednesday. The people involved in the clash used batons after an argument over the authority of a plot of vacant land turned violent last evening in Ekta Vihar area, they said. Nine people have been arrested in connection with the incident.

Computer surveillance order violation of right to privacy: Popular Front

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Popular Front Chairman E Abubacker in a statement has termed the order by the Ministry of Home Affairs which allowed security and intelligence agencies to monitor, intercept and seize in any computer resource "a grave violation of the right to privacy of a citizen".

The order puts people's privacy at the mercy of 10 of the country security and intelligence agencies. This is directly against the letter and spirit of the landmark ruling by the

Supreme Court which upheld the right to privacy as a fundamental right. Privacy is freedom. We have a long history of investigating agencies manipulating and fabricating evidences against innocents in favour of the parties in power. Conferring this amount unrestrained power to so many agencies to monitor is dangerous weapon for the governments against people and allows room for all kinds of misuse. It is to be remembered that it is the same government which argued in the Supreme Court that

privacy is not a fundamental right. First and foremost, this will be used to monitor and eliminate all kinds of opposition and political dissent.

It is welcoming that the Congress leaders have come strongly against the order now. But they did not act any different when they were in power. The present order was issued by making use of the provisions of The IT Act 2000, which was passed by UPA Government. We call upon democratic forces to oppose and defeat the order that take away people's freedom.