

## Has the BJP govt. accepted encroachers by Myanmar to Indian Territory? Joykishan asked reacting to Kiren Rijiju statement

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Union Home Minister of State for Home Affairs Kiren Rijiju's statement over the border encroachment by Myanmar authority at Manipur's Tengnoupal district sparks anger to the Manipur Pradesh Congress Committee prompting the Spokespersons to called an immediate press conference.

"There is no dispute on the border issue between India and Myanmar", the Union Home Minister of State Kiren Rijiju was quoted as saying by local media, at a time when even the deputy commissioner of the Tengnoupal district had stated that the Myanmar authority had reinstated Border Pillar no. 81, 3 Km inside the territory of India. "Has the BJP government accepted and gave permission to the Myanmar government



to occupy the Manipur's territory as an appeasement policy for building strong relation ties with the Myanmar government?", Spokesperson of the MPCC, MLA Joykishan asked the BJP authority. MLA Yamthang Haokip and MLA Okram Henry were also present during the press

conference held today afternoon at Congress Bhavan today afternoon. Joykishan further said that almost every stakeholder of the states including the CSOs, political parties and the villagers knew that Manipur's land has been encroached. A 7 member Congress delegation

had also visited the border Pillar and learnt that the Deputy Commissioner Radhakumar was right. Villagers also stated that the Myanmar army and the Indian counterpart were seen at the site sometimes back and after the Indian army left the Myanmar army reinstated the

border pillar at the site which is 3 Km inside the territory of India.

Joykishan said that if the BJP government is sacrificing the Manipur's land for building good relations to counter the Chinese influence to Myanmar then the Congress will not remain quiet.

"We will go with all the people and political party whoever is interested in protecting the territory of the state even by crossing the party line for the territory of Manipur", Kh. Joykishan said.

On the other hand, Joykishan also asked the government, the reason behind the abolishing of the all party committee headed by the MLA K. Shyam to inspect the disputed site. Hitting hard to the State BJP leaders, MLA Joykishan said that the present Ministers and MLAs seem to consider their ministerial portfolio rather the integrity of the state.

## MUSU's attempt to talk with registrar-in-Charge fails

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Attempt to meet the registrar in Charge of the Manipur University to talk over regarding the issues was failed today as the registrar failed to turn up.

President of MUSU Dayaman talking over phone to Imphal Times said that as the MUSU felt it necessary to talk with the in-Charge Registrar as he is the one left in the side of the Vice Chancellor. 7 Head of departments had tendered resignation yesterday after 5 deans of academic affairs had resigned from their respective post following failure to get any response from the Vice Chancellor.

Earlier Dean of Students Prof. Kh. Tomba had resigned. Source with the Imphal Times said that more HODs are likely to resign in the coming days. Academicians said that the resignation of the deans of schools and head of

department will totally collapsed the academic atmosphere of the University. Classes have already been disrupted and following the resignation of the Head of department it is likely that the University will witness a total shut down in all academic related activities.

Already colleges affiliated to the University have started heating the wave of the impasse at Manipur University.

Before talking to MUSU president, Imphal Times received information that some students were waiting the Registrar in charge of the University but the Registrar refused to meet them. The students talking to Imphal Times said that they will not return back until the registrar showed up. However, MUSU President Dayaman said that they went to meet the registrar as he is now the only person left which can contact the VC.

## 'BJP have no interest in the ongoing issues at Manipur University'

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MPCC Spokesperson Khumukcham Joykishan today threw a criticism at the BJP which is heading both at the Center and also at the state over its failure to show any concerns to the sentimental issue of the state.

"Amit Shah, the BJP National President who visited the state yesterday didn't mention anything about ongoing month long crisis at Manipur University neither he talk anything about the Sports University", Joykishan said. The BJP's National president's Amit Shah visit is for the benefit of their party only and he and his party don't bother has ails Manipur, the Congress MLA stated hitting



the rival political party. He further added that nothing has been started for the construction of the National Sports University even though an ordinance has been passed. No visible construction of the NSA complex is seen. Joykishan said people are being treated as fools by the BJP government.

## Pregnant lady alleges murder of her 2-months foetus by 4 persons; denounces police inaction; protest staged

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A 28 years-old woman Thanjiklu Remmei, wife of Milanpou Remmei of Namthalung village (Muji Khul), Imphal West, who is a mother of two kids alleged that her two-months foetus was murdered by four persons after she was severely beaten up in public on June 6 this year. She alleged police inaction against those culprits responsible for the killing of her unborn child.

Villagers of Muji Khul in Thangmeiband Assembly constituency today staged a protest demonstration at their village entry demanding punishment of the culprits behind the heinous action while denouncing police inaction on the report filed by the victim.



Advisor of Women society of Namthalung Village, Alu Kamei talking to reporters said that the police seemed to be protecting the four culprits identified as Aking Gangmei, Adim, Meipipou and Kagadai who had assaulted the two months pregnant lady following which the foetus was killed. Speaking to mediapersons Alu Kamei said that the Police are not taking

any action against the culprits even though report about the matter has been submitted. The victim mother Thanjiklu Remmei while talking to reporters said that on June 6 at around 6 pm when she was staying at the house of her niece located at Namthalung village-2 at Langol Laimana, some people started destroying house made liquors stock saying that they

are members of CADA. The hostile attitude compelled her to come out and as she saw an owner of a tea hotel vandalising her relatives' properties a brief confrontation took place. Later, Aking Gangmei started assaulting her.

"Some girls too supported by pulling my hair and the three to four persons kicked at my stomach where I was carrying

my two-months old foetus", Thanjiklu Gangmei said.

After that she was taken to RIMS with serious injury as the foetus started bleeding and coming out, and the next day she underwent abortion in a private hospital.

MLA of Thangmeiband Assembly constituency, Khumukcham Joykishan called on the protest site and assured all assistance to mete out justice to the affected lady.

"Foetus killing is not different from murder crime", the MLA said. He added that when there is complete evidence of a crime being committed why the culprits are not arrested and given punishment as per the law of the land.

"The kind of attitude shows that there is no governance in the state", Joykishan said and appealed to the concerned to do the needful.

## 5 Chinese nationals arrested in Kolkata with 197 kgs of banned narcotic substance

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Kolkata, July 1,

A team of Government Railway Police (GRP) from Sealdah detained five Chinese men, all belonging to Guangzhou province in China, from the Kolkata (Chitpur) railway station with 197 kilograms of Amphetamine, a banned narcotic drug with an approximate market value of Rs. 39 crores.

The drug was recovered in the form of tablets, packed and hidden inside seven suitcases. The police team was on a routine vigil at the station area when they spotted the

Chinese group. According to the police, the group had plans to fly out of Kolkata early on Saturday morning on a Cathay Pacific flight to Hong Kong. Their passport entries revealed that they have been traveling to India at least four times a year since 2016. Police also seized seven smartphones, more than 60 debit and credit cards, five Chinese passports, and two Indian sim cards from the possession of the arrested men. The case has been handed over to the Criminal Investigation Department (CID), West Bengal.

## Mariam Longri from Arunachal Pradesh becomes 16th Sunsilk Mega Miss North East 2018

Correspondent  
Guwahati, July 1,

In front of nearly 1000 spectators from all across the north-eastern region, Mariam Longri from Kharsang, Arunachal Pradesh was crowned the 16th **Sunsilk Mega Miss North East 2018** at the ITA Cultural Complex, Machkhowa on Saturday evening. Besides, **Tsurila Baruah** from Assam became the 1st and 2nd runners up respectively.

Having completed 16 glorious years, Mega Mister North East is the biggest beauty pageant of northeast India, conceptualized by leading fashion entrepreneur **Abhijit**

**Singha**, and produced by **Mega Entertainment**. The contestants travelled to Guwahati for almost a week of activities which included grooming and training sessions conducted by Contestant Director of Mega Entertainment Jui Gogoi, followed by rehearsals, leading up to the Grand Finale of the pageant. The pageant has been supported by **Title Sponsor Sunsilk**, supported by **Assam State Biodiversity Board**, **Hospitality Partner Radisson Blu** and **Education Partner ITFT College**. **Mariam Longri** was crowned by **Sunsilk Mega Miss North East 2017 Mary Khyriem** in front of a packed audience. **Mariam**, who has just

appeared her Class 12 exams from Donyi Polo School, Itanagar, is the youngest of 9 siblings. Her father is a retired inspector, while her mother runs an NGO. Speaking about her success, an overwhelmed **Mariam** said, "This is a dream come true moment for me. I always wanted to be in a position where I can help, motivate and influence people to lead a beautiful life. Thanks to **Mega Entertainment** and the panel of judges for believing in me. I am overwhelmed beyond words..."

Beautiful **Tsurila** from Chumukedima, Nagaland, was crowned the first Runner's up at the gala event on Saturday evening. **(Contd. on Page 4)**

## Doctors' Day at IMA-MSB House, Lamphelpat

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As a part of the Observance of Doctors' Day, IMA Manipur State Branch organized an interaction session between senior and junior doctors at IMA-MSB House, Lamphelpat at 11.30am today, July 1, 2018. IMA, Manipur State Branch remembered the noble, kind and selfless services of the senior doctors. Dr. N. Sukumar, a nonagenarian shared his life as a doctor and advised the younger doctors

to be kind and dutiful. Doctors took the pledge to the service of humanity led by **Brogen Singh Akoijam**, the President of IMA-MSB. He also appealed to the doctors to be more compassionate and humane while dealing with patients. He also appealed to public not to resort to violence and destroy properties of the health institutions and harm the doctors. This will bring only hardship to poorer section of the society. Only a handful of persons gain out of such incidents.