

## YFPHR condemn brutal killing of Mr. M Sairengkhup at Chandel

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Youth's Forum for Protection of Human Rights (YFPHR) while condemning the killing of M Sairengkhup alias AkhupKom (48), s/o M TonpaKom of Bungsanglen village under Churachandpur district, at Thoichantr village, Chandel District on the night of September 30, 2018, has appealed the state police department to arrest the people involved in the brutal murder.

"Such an act of inhumane and degrading action is highly condemnable and the persons involved in committing the heinous crime must be booked and punished according to the rule of law. It could be learned that the deceased person is survived with his three children and his wife, he is a daily wage earner," YFPHR said in a statement.

The statement said that the YFPHR suspect involvement of some influential people behind the brutal murder of M Sairengkhup @ AkhupKom.

The forum appealed the civil society organisation, the students' bodies and the religious leaders not to compromise the matter in the customary law but to respect the rule of law and the perpetrators be punished accordingly.

## Napolean left Imphal to attend as Umpire of the 3rd Youth Olympic Games

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Chananthabam Napolean Singh, the first person from the entire North Eastern States of India to be appointed as Umpire by the International Hockey Federation (FIH) has left Imphal for Argentina today.

Chananthabam Napolean Singh son of Ch. Balla Singh of Lairikyengbam Leikai Imphal East will attend as Umpire of the 3rd Youth Olympic Games to be held in Buenos Aires, Argentina from October 7 till October 14 this year. Hockey Union Manipur Lairikyengbam Meira Paibi Association has wished him success.

## Despite assurance, arrested faculties and students still in judicial custody; protest staged



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Assurances to release the arrested faculties and students of Manipur University, during the last dialogue held at Chief Minister's officer room in the presence of some of the media persons the 6 faculty members including the Registrar in charge prof. Dorendro and Asst. proctor along with some of the students are still in judicial custody.

Despite the fact that the FIR report was a serious one with criminal activism, it is surprising on why the police had not remanded them in police custody, said a human rights activist while talking to this reporter. He further added that the charges leveled against them are serious but why they are being sent directly to the judicial custody instead of requesting remand in police custody. Something

fishy seem to be going on since the Sept 20 midnight crackdown of the Manipur University. Report also stated that the alleged Pro VC Prof. Yugindro had also assured the students of Manipur University who were undergoing fast protest in front of the hostel and assured to withdraw the complaint he made to the police. Following the assurance of Prof. Y Yugindro the students had suspended the agitation as per report. Meanwhile a press statement of the Manipur University Students' Union vehemently condemn the hunting of the student leaders and stated that there is no reason to believe in the present government there is always lack of sincerity on their side. Students' bodies comprising of AMSU, MSF, DESAM, SUK, KSA and AIMS continue to stage protest demanding release of the faculty members and students. The

student body also demanded withdrawal of the security force from inside the Manipur University Complex.

It may be mentioned that the chief minister had met the members of the MUTA day before yesterday in the presence of some of the senior journalists as mediator. Conditions arrived during the meeting could not be known but as per report appeared at some of the media, the Chief Minister had assured to stop hunting the students and the teachers. He also reportedly assured to withdraw the FIR by convincing Prof. Yugindro.

However, as per a face book post by one Errendro Leichomba, who was arrested for supporting the cause of the MU wrote that while meeting with the faculty members of the Manipur University, they have stated that they don't care to stay 6 days, or 6 months or even 6 years for justice.

## No roll back to the 48 hours bandh – Police Constable DPC completed candidates Shut down to begin today midnight

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Clarifying doubt on whether the All Manipur D.P.C. Completed candidate of Police Constable, Male 2013 batch has called off or not the 48 hours total shut down, the DPC appeared constables' body today said that there is no turning back to their stand.

Laimayum Nandakishore Sharma, president of the DPC completed candidates of the police constables' 2013 batch body said that there is no roll back to the 48 hours total shut down called from midnight today. He blamed the for breaking his promise of completing the appointment after the court verdict. He said the chief minister has spoiled

the career of 7578 just because some of the candidates near and dear to the Ministers or MLAs are not included. He appealed the people and CSOs to support the total shut down called and added that emergency services, media and ritual related events will be exempted from the purview of the total shut down.

## Communist mouthpiece closed down in Tripura

From our Correspondent  
Guwahati, Oct 3,

One of the oldest vernacular daily newspapers of northeast India, Daily Desher Katha that functioned as Tripura CPM's mouthpiece, did not hit the stand on Tuesday, as the authority canceled its registration. The Registrar of Newspapers for India (RNI) issued the notice to

the four decades old Bengali newspaper, published from Agartala. Meanwhile, the CPM general secretary Sitaram Yechury criticised the decision of RNI to cancel the registration of Daily Desher Katha and termed the action as an attack on freedom of expression. He did not forget to condemn the newly elected BJP-led government in Agartala for this action.

The RNI letter to the newspaper management mentioned about the unauthorised change of ownership of the media outlet and it took the decision following a report from the concerned magistrate in the State capital.

The editor, Samir Paul however denied any kind of irregularities in the publication of the popular daily.

## Justice Ranjan Gogoi sworn in as the Chief Justice of India by President Ram Nath Kovind

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Justice Ranjan Gogoi took oath as the 46th Chief Justice of India. He succeeds Justice Dipak Misra who retired on October 1. Justice Gogoi was administered the oath of office by President Ram Nath Kovind at Rashtrapati Bhavan.

Prime Minister Narendra Modi, Lok Sabha Speaker Sumitra Mahajan, Home Minister Rajnath Singh, Finance Minister Arun Jaitley, former prime ministers Manmohan Singh and HD Deve Gowda were among the dignitaries who were present at Rashtrapati Bhavan's



Darbar Hall for the ceremony. Justice Ranjan Gogoi, 63, is the first person from the northeast to become the Chief Justice of India. He will have a tenure of a little over 13 months and would retire on November 17, 2019. Justice Gogoi is known to be

a soft-spoken but tough judge. He was among the four judges who, in January, criticised Chief Justice Misra in a rare press conference and accused him of misusing his role of assigning cases as the Supreme Court's Master of the Roster.

Born on November 18, 1954, Justice Gogoi was enrolled as an advocate in 1978. He practised in the Gauhati High Court on constitutional, taxation and company matters. He was appointed as a Permanent Judge of the Gauhati High Court on February 28, 2001. He was transferred to the Punjab and Haryana High Court on September 9, 2010

## 7 top opposition leaders of Bangladesh get anticipatory bail

Siam Sarower Jamil,  
Dhaka, Oct 3

The High Court of Bangladesh has granted anticipatory bail to seven top bangladesh Nationalist Party (BNP), an opposition party leaders, including its Secretary General Mirza Fakhru Islam Alamgir. The case was filed at Hatirjheel Police station on charges of preventing police from carrying out their duties and "instigating subversive activities" on October 1.

The High Court bench of Justices Muhammad Abdul Hafiz and Kashefa Hossain passed the order after the BNP leaders appeared before the court, to plead for bail, on Wednesday.

The other BNP leaders accused in the case are – BNP Standing Committee members Nazrul Islam Khan, Mirza Abbas, Gayeshwar Chandra Roy, Dr Abdul Moyeen Khan, as well as BNP vice-chairmen Amanullah Aman and Ruhul Kuddus Talukder.

Barrister Moudud Ahmed, Advocate Zainul Abedin, and Barrister Mahabub Uddin Khokon represented the BNP leaders.

Zainul Abedin said the court granted the defendants bail for four weeks—until the submission of the charge sheet of the case.

On Monday, police filed a case against 55 BNP leaders, including: Mirza Fakhru Islam Alamgir, Moudud Ahmed, Mirza Abbas, and Amir Khosru Mahmud Chowdhury.

## China intruded into Ladakh 14 times in August, soldiers came 18 km into Indian territory

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New Delhi, Oct 3,

While the situation at the India-China border in Nathu La, Sikkim, has been relatively calm since the 73-day Doklam standoff ended on August 28, 2017, Beijing seems to be mounting a fresh challenge in Ladakh. Chinese soldiers are said to have made 14 incursions in Ladakh in August 2018, going in as far as 10-18 kilometres into the India territory.

According to a report by the Indo-Tibetan border police (ITBP), accessed by India

Today, the Chinese troops trespassed across the Line of Actual Control (LAC) in Ladakh 14 times between August 4 and 19.

The incursions, on foot and vehicles, took place in the Daulat Beg Oldie, Depsang, Pangong Tso and Trig Heights areas. Of these, the Depsang region saw the highest number of incursion at six and the People's Liberation Army troops travelled about 18 kilometres into the Indian territory, reported India Today.

The Depsang Plains incursions are said to have

taken place on August 4, 12, 13, 17 and 19. Meanwhile, Chinese troops were at the Pangong Tso area on five different days.

It has also been said that the PLA pitched a few tents in the Daulat Beg Oldie area and were removed only after the Indian Army intervened into the matter. However, one tent reportedly remains in the region and China has argued that the tent doesn't belong to them but to the shepherds of the area.

Strangely these incursions came at a time when India and China held the ceremonial

Border Personnel Meeting (BPM) of two separate points in Eastern Ladakh in tune with India's Independence Day. During these meetings, the two nations even pledged to maintain peace and keep up with the agreements signed by the two nations.

The Indian and Chinese troops also held a BPM on October 1, on the occasion of China's National Day and it is believed the issue was discussed.

Earlier in August, another Chinese incursion was reported from the Demchok sector of eastern Ladakh,

where soldiers are said to have intruded about 500 metres into the Indian side in July and even pitched about five tents in the area.

Sources told ANI that the Chinese soldiers crossed over to the Indian side pretending to be nomads grazing their cattle, but did not retreat even though the Indian Army conducted banner drills asking them to go back.

A few soldiers then went back with three of the tents only after the issue was raised with the nation and brigadier-level talks were

held between the two armies.

Demchok is one of the "disputed and sensitive areas" along with 22 others at the LAC that stretches from Ladakh to Arunachal Pradesh. The other areas in Ladakh are Trig Heights, Chumar, Spangur Gap, Dumchele and Pangong Tso. These areas witness Chinese transgressions quite often and on August 15, 2017, a major scuffle took place between the soldiers of the two countries along the Line of Actual Control in Ladakh.