



JCILPS urges CM for framing of effecting guidelines for BEFR 1873 which has already been extended in Manipur



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While welcoming the extension of the Inner Line Permit System in Manipur, the Joint Committee on Inner Line Permit System has urged the government of Manipur to frame a modalities or guideline for effective implementation of the Bengal Eastern Frontier Regulation, 1873 in the state of Manipur.

Speaking to media persons at JCILPS office at Imphal, Convenor of the Committee Y K Dhiren said that a memorandum has been submitted to the Chief Minister of Manipur urging him to frame guidelines for effective mechanism of the regulations. In the memorandum the JCILPS urged the government for insuring to fulfill the will of the people while framing of the

guidelines for the ILPS. The Memorandum also expressed hope that the government of Manipur will consult with representatives of the JCILPS while framing the regulation's modalities and guidelines to fulfill the aspiration of the people. YK Dhiren further said that the ILPS under the BEFR 1973 has been extended and that the regulation should be properly implemented by

accommodating some provisions from the Manipur People's Bill, as there is no base year or any sections for chalking out of the already entered outsiders. He said that the JCILPS has been spearheading various form of agitation for framing of regulations to check the influx of illegal migrants in the state of Manipur for protection of native indigenous people. During the course of the series of agitation for implementation of a ILPS like legislation, a student of Ananda Higher Secondary School, Sapam Robinhood sacrificed his life after being hit by bullets from a security force. The long demand of the people has been fulfilled while passing the CAB in Parliament and we welcome it but its no time to celebrate as the regulation is still hollow with no effective protective mechanism which the state has to frame.

Peace Rally staged demanding honourable conclusion of Indo-Naga Peace talk



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Civil Societies Organisation, Chandel organized a Peace Rally demanding Honourable and Logical Conclusion of Indo Naga Peace Talk Under the Aegis of United Naga Council (UNC) at Chandel district head quarter today.

The rally started from Maha Union Higher Secondary School ground Chandel DHQs and passed through Japhou Bazar towards DC office Chandel while the Students and Peoples held placards which read as "Translate Framework Agreement into Honourable Solution", "Naga Solution must be Honourable and Acceptable", "People Deserve Peace", "Peace is Patient, 23 Year Sufficient", "Change the History of Conflict to Peace", "Honourable Naga Solution for Peaceful Co-Existence", "Justice Delayed Justice Denied", "We Want Honourable Solution", "Respect Framework Agreement", "Resolve Political Conflict with Honour" and "Honourable Indo Naga

Settlement for Peace and Dignity" during the rally.

Later, Chandel CSOs submitted a memorandum containing their demands addressing to the Prime Minister of India Through the Deputy Commissioner Chandel, Krishna Kumar.

Speaking on the sideline of the rally, Former President UNC, Gaidon Kamei said that the Naga People acknowledged and appreciates all the former Prime Ministers of India who has made sincere efforts and immensely contributed to resolve the Indo-Naga Issues. We highly valued the recognition of the "Unique History and Situations of the Nagas" by the government of India under the leadership of the then Hon'ble Prime Minister of India, Shri Atal Bihari Vajpayee in the year 2002, which demonstrated the seriousness and genuine concern for settlement of the protracted violent conflicts in the Indian Sub-continent, it said.

Under Hon'ble Prime Minister Narendra Modi able leadership, the Historic Indo-Naga Framework Agreement was signed on 3rd August 2015 in New Delhi paving the

way for a final settlement which we hope will be acceptable and honorable to the Naga people, Gaidon Said. The Naga people wholeheartedly endorse the Framework Agreement with the belief that our Identity and Rights is respected and secured, it added.

While assuring our unwavering participation and support to the peace building initiatives in our land, we earnestly entreat you to conclude the Indo-Naga peace process keeping in mind the Unique History and Situations of the Nagas and based on the true spirit of Framework Agreement signed on 3rd August 2015. We are also convinced that a separate Naga National Flag and Constitution must be recognized by virtue of the unique history and shall form the basis of the final settlement, he added.

The Rally was also attended by Speaker of United Naga Council (UNC) WS Kanral, Secretary Education of All Naga Students Association Manipur (ANSAM) Dwanman Pola, Members of Women Societies, Village chiefs and Village authority etc.

Assembly session will have 3 days sitting

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9th Session of the Eleventh Manipur Legislative Assembly, which will begin from December 18 will have 3 sittings. According to source the first day of the session will have no question hour or calling attention motion.

The second and the third sitting that will continue on Dec. 19 and Dec 20 will have question hours and other government business.

Former Organisation Secy of UNLF felicitated

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Former Secretary Organisation of the proscribed group United National Liberation Front (UNLF), Joy alias Nongyai who return home after almost 40 years after completing conviction by NIA court from Guwahati Central Jail at Wabagai in Kakching district. The felicitation programme was attended by Sh. Chaoba, S. H. Dwijamani, M. Bhuvaneshor and Moiranthem Joy@Nongyai as dignitaries. The former UNLF Secretary Organization was arrested in October 10, 2010 and has been released after completing jail term on November 15, 2019 from Guwahati Central jail.

KSA demands for exclusion of non native SC list of Manipur

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The Kangleipak Students Association, Manipur once more draw the attention of the government for exclusion of certain non - native people including Dhoibi, Mochi, Namasudda, Patni, Sutradhar from the list of Scheduled Caste that has been listed in the Scheduled Caste & Scheduled Tribe Order (Amendment) Act 1976 and also to identify "any Kuki,

Kaha Naga and Any Mizo that has been listed in the similar act amended in 2002.

A statement by the KSA said that the matter has been put up to the notice of the government time and again and till today after assurance from them nothing has been notice that initiates for exclusion of the non native communities from the list of SC as well as no clarification of the any Kuki, any Mizo or kacha Naga has been made public.

The KSA questioned if the Dhoibi, Mochi, Namasudda, Patni, Sutradhar are native people of Manipur. Drawing the attention of the government of Manipur about the needs for identification of the so call any Kuki or Any Mizo in the ST list, the KSA question if any Kuki or Mizos who came from Myanmar or Mizoram will be included or not.

The KSA urged the government to do the needful before 2021 census.

NYK Chandel Organise Adventure Camp

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Nehru Yuva Kendra Chandel organized Adventure Camp near Chakpi River upper stream near Thangkun village in Collaboration with Manipur Sports Climbing Association and 18 Assam Rifles, Chandel from 11th Dec. to 16th Dec 2019. The Adventure Camp was flagged off by Ajit Khatri

Commandant of 18, Assam Rifles Chandel in Presence of Major Kunal Sharma and Ng Rameson Monsang District Youth Coordinator Nehru Yuva Kendra Chandel. 31 youths from Kakching district, Thoubal district, Tegnoupal district and Chandel District participated in the camp. The aim of the Camp is to encourage the spirit of

adventure and risk taking amongst youth and inculcating spirit of nature appreciation with emphasis on ecology and conservation of natural resources. Trekking, Mountain Rappelling, River Crossing and other activities were undertaken with guidance of the resource person from All Manipur Sports Climbing Association Surchand and the AR personnel.

Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat Programme

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109 Bn CRPF, Organized culinary festival/mela and free Medical camp/ Heart check up camp under Ek Bharat, Shreshtha Bharat Programme on 17/12/2019 at BNHQ, Mongsangei, Imphal. In the culinary festival/mela 109 Bn exhibited cuisine/food of different states. The mela showcased culinary practices of different parts of India like South Indian dishes, Biryani (Veg & Chicken), Gulab-Jamun, Samosa Chole Bhature, Litti chokha, Pani puri, Sugarcane juice, Jhalmuri, etc and presented

to public & Jawans/Officers through food stalls. On this occasion of gaiety & merriment, Ek Bharat, Shreshtha Bharat cultural team showcased cultural programme of various states and Nukkad-Natak displaying socio-culture richness of the country was befittingly presented to the joyous gathering. Various sporting events like Ring throwing, Spoon race, Musical chair, Foot Ball game, Magical show, dice game etc were also organized by 109 Bn and enjoyed with fervour by all participants. Last but not least, this unit arranged free Medical Camp/ Heart check up camp on 17/12/2019

from 09.30 a.m. to 04.00 p.m. in collaboration with team of SKY Hospital Doctors as well as unit doctors in which Jawans, their families and local populace availed free heart care health check up at camp. Diabetic patients also took the benefits of the free heart care Medical camp. On the joyous occasion, Dr. Ashok Kumar, DIG (Medical), Vinod Kumar, Comdt-109 Bn, Dr. Deepak Kumar, CMO, Kiyam Rajiv Singh D/C, K.K. Pau, A/C, Jugal Kishore Mahapatra, A/C and Abonnan Kaipou were present and encouraged all Jawans to enjoy the Mela with zeal and enthusiasm.

Former Pak military Chief Pervez Musharraf handed death sentence in high treason case

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A special court in Islamabad on Tuesday found former military ruler retired Gen Pervez Musharraf guilty of high treason and handed him death sentence under Article 6 of the Constitution.

This is the first time in Pakistan's history that a military chief has been declared guilty of high treason and handed death sentence. The verdict was split 2-1. Article 6 of the Constitution says: "Any person who abrogates or subverts or suspends or hold in abeyance, or attempts or conspires to abrogate or subvert or suspend or hold in abeyance the Constitution by use of force or show force or by any other unconstitutional means shall be guilty of high treason."

The punishment for high



treason is death or lifetime imprisonment, according to the High Treason (Punishment) Act, 1973.

The three-member bench of the special court—headed by Peshawar High Court Chief Justice Waqar Ahmad Seth and comprising Justice Nazir Akbar of the Sindh High Court (SHC) and Justice Shahid Karim of the LHC—announced the verdict in the long-drawn high treason case against Musharraf after hearing final arguments today. A detailed verdict will be issued in 48 hours.

The former military chief is

currently in Dubai in the United Arab Emirates. His team can appeal the verdict in the Supreme Court. If the top court upholds the special court's verdict, the president possesses the constitutional authority under Article 45 to pardon a death row defendant. The high treason trial of the former military dictator for imposing the state of emergency on Nov 3, 2007, had been pending since December 2013.

He was booked in the treason case in December 2013, when the PML-N government was in power. Musharraf was indicted on March 31, 2014, and the prosecution had tabled the entire evidence before the special court in September the same year. However, due to litigation at appellate forums, the trial of the former military dictator lingered on and he left Pakistan in March 2016.