

Health care of labourers priority of Govt: Sadhotra

Excelsior Correspondent
SRINAGAR, June 5: Minister for Labour, Employment and Planning Ajay Sadhotra today asked functionaries of Labour Department to extend all basic facilities to the labour class particularly those registered with the department. He said that health care of the labourers is the priority of Government and several dispensaries have been opened for providing medicare to the labourers.

The Minister was interacting with officers of Labour Department after inspecting ESI Dispensaries of the Valley. Labour Commissioner, Shahid Inayatullah accompanied the Minister.

The Minister enquired about the medicare facilities being extended to the labourers suffering

from various ailments. He interacted with doctors, paramedics and other staff members. The Minister inspected the medical stores on the occasion. Reiterating Government's resolve to solve the problems confronting labour class, Mr. Sadhotra assured that the genuine problems confronting them will be solved in a phased manner.

Giving details of the achievements registered during last four years by the present Government, Mr. Sadhotra said that several landmark steps were initiated in education, health, power, drinking water, and above all for the welfare of labourers and the Government is continuing its efforts to provide succor to poor and needy through several schemes aimed at improving lot of the labour class.

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Tarigami, Prof Navnita meet Governor

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SRINAGAR, June 5: M. Y. Tarigami, CPI (M) State Secretary and MLA, called on N. N. Vohra, Governor, at Raj Bhavan, here today.

During his meeting with the Governor, Mr. Tarigami discussed various matters concerning the future growth and development of the State and issues of governance.

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3 attempt suicide, 1 dies

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SRINAGAR, June 5: Three persons including two girls consumed poisonous substances at different places in the Valley. Among them one girl died in the hospital, a police statement said today.

A 16-year-old girl today committed suicide by consuming some poisonous substance at her maternal uncle's home in Kupwara.

It said the girl was shifted to sub-district hospital where she

died. In another suicide attempt a woman, 23, resident of Yaripora, Kulgam, consumed some poisonous substance at her home. She was shifted to SMHS Hospital, Srinagar, for treatment.

Shakeel Ahmad Qureshi, 24, son of Bashir Ahmad of Sughan, Khag, today consumed some poisonous substance at his home. Police said he was shifted to JVC Hospital, Bemina, for treatment.

Police said it has registered cases in these incidents.

Villagers' plea to Director CAPD

Excelsior Correspondent
JAMMU, June 5: Allying inconvenience in getting the ration, villagers of Chattria in Bhaderwah have urged Director CAPD to look into their grievance.

The villagers explained that they were at the mercy of local dealer, who used to keep his ration depot closed and operate it from a distant area. Even as the problem was brought into the notice of TSO Bhaderwah and SDM Bhaderwah number of times, nothing was done in this regard, they rued and sought intervention of the Director CAPD for necessary action.

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Vikar reviews performance of PDD

Excelsior Correspondent
JAMMU, June 5: Minister of State for Technical Education, Power, Information and Rural Development, Vikar Rasool today stressed on evolving an effective mechanism to curb losses during transmission and distribution.

The Minister was reviewing the performance of Power Development Department at a high level meeting with the Principal Secretary PDD A.K.Mehta, Chief Engineers, SEs and other senior officers of the department.

He emphasized on the need to put in place requisite preventive measures aimed at minimizing the damages in power infrastructure. He asked the concerned officers to ensure regular monitoring on field loopholes, adding that the grievances of the people should be addressed in a time bound manner. He directed the concerned to ensure that the damaged transformer are repaired within 24 hrs to avoid unscheduled power cuts.

The chair was apprised that the revenue realization of the department ending April stands at Rs. 50.66 crore which is 46.77% of the set targets for the current financial year. It was

also informed that about Rs 845.75 lakh was recovered from the domestic consumers under the amnesty scheme of the department while about 1026 inspections were conducted and a fine of Rs 19.31 lakh was recovered from the defaulters.

Mr Vikar directed the officers to make sure that enforcement wings are strengthened adequately and frequent inspections are made to check power thefts. He also stressed on the officers to ensure metering of the unmetered areas.

The Minister also took a detailed review of the ongoing RGGVY projects under implementation by NHPC and JKPDC and asked the concerned officers to ensure better monitoring and coordination with the implementing agencies for time bound completion and handing over of these projects.

He also asked for strict compliance to the Memorandum of Understanding signed between the department and officers to ensure that the functioning of the department is streamlined and the revenue receipts improve. He asked the concerned officers to take quarterly review of the performance of the department at the grass root level so that targets are optimally realized.



A youth participating in Army recruitment rally at Sunjwan

Army recruitment rally held

Excelsior Correspondent
JAMMU, June 5: The Jammu based Army Recruiting Office conducted recruitment rally for the youth of Samba, Kathua, Jammu, Reasi, Udhampur, Rajouri and Poonch districts from May 30 to June 5 at Sunjwan Military Station.

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Bodies of two men found

Excelsior Correspondent
SRINAGAR, June 5: Police today said two bodies were recovered at two different places in the valley.

The body of a mentally challenged, 65, Ghulam Hassan Chopan, who was missing since May 2 was fished out from river Liddy, in Ashmuqam, Islamabad. After completing all medico-legal formalities, the body of deceased was handed over to his relatives for last rites, a police statement said.

Police recovered an unidentified male body of about 50 years from the banks of Wullar Lake near Larwopora. After conducting all legal formalities, the body of the deceased is lying in District Hospital Bandipora, for identification.

Man dies of electric shock

Excelsior Correspondent
SRINAGAR, June 5: Police today said Bilal Ahmad Allai, 28, son of Ghulam Ahmad of Khandipora was killed after receiving a severe electric shock while pruning the branches of a tree in Qoinoh area of district Kulgam.

Allai was shifted to District Hospital, Kulgam where he succumbed to his injuries.

Prohit Sabha for fool proof security to Sun temple of Martand

Excelsior Correspondent
JAMMU, June 5: Prohit Sabha Martand Improvement Charitable Trust in its meeting here today held under the chairmanship of its president M K Yogi has expressed grave concern over the security lapses at Durga Nag shrine that resulted into the stealing of 250 grams of gold and jewellery from the holy temple of Maa Durga on Sunday.

The meeting said the incident has come as a rude shock to the community in particular and Hindus of the country in general as their sentiments are attached to this ancient shrine which has been the seat of Shankaracharya and first halage point of Chhari Mubarak to holy cave of Amarnath.

Mr Yogi also demanded that

fool proof security be provided to world famous Sun temple at Martand and condemned the grenade attack by militants in Anantnag township especially when the holy Amarnath yatra is to start. Terming it a serious matter he demanded that extra care be taken that such attacks don't take place when the holy yatra is round the corner. He assured full cooperation and support to the Shrine Board and administration in smooth conduct of the yatra.

Jawahar Lal Kaul president J&K Minority Forum has also expressed concern over the theft in holy shrine of Durga Nag and termed it the result of mismanagement of the Trust. He demanded that the ornaments of the deity be immediately located failing which the community will come to streets.

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BOSE criticized for not changing exam centres

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JAMMU, June 5: All Jammu and Kashmir Gujjar Bakerwal Students Federation has criticized the JKBOSE Chairman for refusing to issue orders with regard to change of bi-annual examination centre of 10th and 12th class students who have already deposited fee for the same.

A meeting of the Federation was held today wherein serious concern was expressed over the

situation being faced by the affected students who are in a fix following the BOSE decision on not changing their exam centres.

If the Board had to adopt any such policy, it should not have accepted the fee for centre change from the students, said Ch Talib Hussain, president of the Federation.

The meet resolved to hold protest demonstrations if the order for change of centers is not issued within two days.

NSF activists protest against JKBOSE

Excelsior Correspondent
JAMMU, June 5: National Secular Forum (NSF) today staged a protest demonstration in front of JKBOSE office to express dissatisfaction over functioning of the Board.

They raised slogans against the BOSE officials and threatened to launch a vigorous stir if functioning of the Board is not streamlined.

Addressing the gathering, NSF vice president Sukhdev Singh accused the JKBOSE of not providing basic services to

the students. "There is no information centre to guide the students while the officers pass buck to others," he alleged.

The NSF leader also urged the Chief Minister to take strict actions against corrupt and erring officials of JKBOSE.

Among those who were present in the protest included Akshay Sharma, Sunil Kumar, Balveer Kumar, Barkat Ali, Kuldeep, Pardeep Kumar, Tanveer Amhd, Akram, Khalil Ahmed, Vikram Madhyal, and others.

Kranti Dal opposes shifting of General Bus Stand

Excelsior Correspondent
JAMMU, June 5: Kranti Dal today warned the State Government that they will not allow shifting of the General Bus Stand as it will hit the trade in Jammu city.

In a meeting of the organization held under the leadership of its chairman Anan Sharma, all the office bearers strongly opposed the move of State Government regarding shifting of decades old General Bus Stand outside the city.

Pritam Sharma, General secretary, Kranti Dal, said that Government should step back from the decision of shifting of General Bus Stand otherwise Kranti Dal with the help of Jammu people will launch a

strong agitation against the Government.

Alleging that due to shifting of Bus Stand, business of the old city and around the Bus Stand will badly effected, he demanded that instead of shifting the Bus Stand proper coordination between traffic police and other agencies be maintained for smooth regulation of vehicular movement on the road.

He further demanded that the main terminal point should be General Bus Stand and Ideal Parking be shifted to the identified places.

Army provides silver lining to women empowerment

Excelsior Correspondent
MAHORE, June 5: With the initiative of Army, MSME Department of the State will start a training programme for women of remote areas of Reasi under which they will be trained in making Jute Bags.

In September last year,

Akhtar, a 24-year old woman, who has been selected by the department as the representative of MSME in Mahore. She registered herself as a teacher on June 3, 2013 in Jammu with MSME and would conduct the classes on Jute Bag Making. She will be getting a handsome stipend from the Government for her efforts.

Earlier, in March 2010, Rubina joined a knitting and sewing class run at Nari Niketan by the RR Battalion, based at Sarh and in just over a year, she was instrumental in running the Nari Niketan herself for which she was receiving a small stipend from the Army.

It will be a great success story in Mahore as all the women who would undergo the programme, would stand a chance to be picked up by the department for a job.



Rubina Akhtar, a 24 year old woman of Mahore Sub Division, who once struggling for earning even bread, is now running a Nari Niketan run by RR Battalion.

Rashtriya Rifles Battalion under the aegis of Counter Insurgency Force (Uniform), took up the case of women empowerment with the Micro Small and Medium Enterprises (MSME) Department of the State Government to undertake certain projects in Mahore Sub Division, approached Director MSME, Verender Sharma and the project of 'Imparting Knowledge of Jute Bag Making for Women' was identified.

A total of 20 women were identified from the remote areas who would undergo this programme with the help of Rubina

the Government for her efforts.

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Jawan shoots self, dies

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SAMBA, June 5: An Army jawan allegedly shot himself dead with his service rifle in Bari Brahmana area of the district, police said.

The jawan identified as Sagar Kumar, resident of Vishakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh, who was deployed with 422 Engineers regiment at B D Bari in Bari Brahmana, this evening shot himself with his service rifle while on duty, a police spokesperson said.

He said that a suicide note written in Kumar's mother tongue was also recovered from the spot, adding, the jawan took the extreme step while on duty at ammunition depot.

A case has been registered and investigations are in progress, he said.

JWAM protests against power cuts

Excelsior Correspondent
JAMMU, June 5: Activists of Jammu West Assembly Movement (JWAM) today held demonstrations and blocked Janipur-High Court road for one hour against scheduled and unscheduled power cuts and acute scarcity of drinking water in Jammu region particularly the West Assembly Constituency.

Addressing the protestors, JWAM president, Sunil Dimple, held the Chief Minister Omar Abdullah responsible for failure of the PDD Ministry in providing uninterrupted power supply in the Jammu city, as he did nothing to solve the power

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Notification No: 01 of 2013 MBS-Minority Seats Session 2013.

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This is notified for Minority (Sikh) students that the MBS Minority Seats Entrance Test -2013 for admission to the Bachelor of Engineering (B.E) course under Minority Quota will be conducted under direct supervision of chairman, Supervisory & Monitoring Constitutional Statutory Permanent Committee constituted by J&K Govt. for this purpose.

For appearing in the MBS Minority Seats Entrance Test -2013 Sikh candidates have to fill up the prescribed application form available along with the Brochures that can be obtained from the office of Dy. Registrar (Administration Block) at M.B.S. College of Engineering & Technology on any working day between 9:00 a.m to 12:30p.m on payment of Rs. 1200/- in the form of DD favouring MBS College of Engineering & Technology, Jammu.

Sale of Brochure along with Application Form: 7th June to 25th June, 2013. Submission of filled up forms at MBS College: 8th June to 27th June, 2013.

Admissions against minority quota seats shall be strictly on the basis of merit obtained by the candidate in the MBS Minority Seats Entrance Test - 2013 which will be held under direct Supervision of Chairman, Supervisory & Monitoring Constitutional Statutory Permanent Committee constituted by J&K Govt. for this purpose. The syllabus and conditions for eligibility shall be same, as are laid by J&K BOPEE in respect of the candidates appearing in CET.

For detailed syllabus visit www.jakbopee.org or www.jakbopee.net

MBS Minority Seats Entrance Test -2013 will be held on 13th & 14th July, 2013 at M.A.M College, Jammu. The admit card will be issued from 9th to 12th July, 2013 from 9:00 a.m to 12:30 p.m. from the office of Dy. Registrar (Administration Block) at M.B.S. College of Engineering & Technology. Immediately after completion of Special Common Entrance Test. The answer key will display on Institution's website www.mbscet.org. and in event of any discrepancy either in question or the answer key, the candidate can represent either in person to the Institution or through email gopalgupta55@yahoo.com with in 48 hours. After expiry time no representation shall be entertained.

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4. The above details are also available on MES website: www.mes.gov.in and Indian Trade Journal Full Notice of Tender JATN-2162 and Enlistment Criteria is available in all Offices of MES and also on MES website.

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