

Sinha hails Modi, Rupala for support

## LG, 3 Union Ministers attend Milk Day, Summer Meet in Srinagar

Excelsior Correspondent

SRINAGAR, June 1: Lieutenant Governor Manoj Sinha addressed the World Milk Day Celebration and Summer Meet for Animal Husbandry and Dairy Sector here today.

Parshottam Rupala, Union Minister for Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying presided over the event organized by Animal Husbandry and Dairying Department and Agriculture Production Department of J&K UT.

Sanjeev Kumar Balyan, Union Minister of State; Dr. L. Murugan, Union MoS; Ministers from different States and UTs; Rajeev Rai Bhatnagar, Advisor to Lt Governor, J&K; Alka Upadhyaya, Union Secretary and Dr Arun Kumar Mehta, Chief Secretary, J&K



LG Manoj Sinha along with Parshottam Rupala, Union Minister of Fisheries, Livestock and Dairy Farming, and other dignitaries, during a function on World Milk Day and Summer Meet for Animal Husbandry and Dairy Sector at SKICC Srinagar on Thursday.

Parshottam Rupala while speaking on the occasion, extended his greetings to the farmers and all the stakeholders on the World Milk day. Enthusiastic participation of Dairy and Sheep farmers in this historic event reflects affection and

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## PM hails inauguration of projects in Baramulla

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JAMMU, June 1: Prime Minister Narendra Modi has expressed happiness over inauguration of several key infrastructure projects including seven Custom Hiring Centres for farmers and nine Poly Green Houses for Self Help Groups (SHGs) in Baramulla district of Jammu and Kashmir.

Sharing tweet threads of Office of Lieutenant Governor of J&K, the Prime Minister tweeted: "The remarkable range

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## SIA raids at 9 places, house attached

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SRINAGAR, June 1: The State Investigating Agency (SIA) Kashmir today carried out searches at nine locations in

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South Kashmir in the killing of a bank security guard.

The raids were conducted at Pulwama, Shopian and Anantnag in connection with investigation of the killing of Sanjay Kumar Sharma, Bank

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## Pak intruder shot dead

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JAMMU, June 1: A Pakistani intruder was shot dead by the Border Security Force (BSF) personnel along the International Border (IB) in

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Samba district in the early hours of this morning.

The incident took place near Mangu Chak border outpost in Samba sector around 2:50 am, the officials said.

"In the early hours today, alert BSF troops noticed suspicious

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## MHA invites LAB, KDA for talks in New Delhi on June 19

Sanjeev Pargal

JAMMU, June 1: Nearly a week after Ladakh representatives announced that they were ready for talks with the Centre, the Union Ministry of Home Affairs (MHA) has invited Lehigh Apex Body (LAB) and Kargil Democratic Alliance (KDA) for talks in New Delhi on June 19. The twin bodies spearheading agitation in Ladakh in support of their four-point agenda have accepted the invitation and a total of six representatives—three each from the two bodies—will go for talks.

This is after 21 months that stalled dialogue between MHA with LAB and KDA is being resumed. Last official talks between MHA and representatives of the two bodies were held

### Stalled dialogue to resume after 21 months

in Leh on August 29, 2021. Union Minister of State for Home Nityanand Rai had held the talks.

Officials told the Excelsior that Nityanand Rai, who heads High Powered Committee (HPC) on Ladakh issues, will lead the talks along with senior officers of the Home Ministry dealing with Jammu and Kashmir & Ladakh Affairs. However, it will not be the HPC meeting as initially the MHA will talk to six representatives from Ladakh and if the agenda is finalized, the HPC meeting may be called.

Six representatives who will proceed to New Delhi to attend

June 19 meeting are Thupstan Chhewang, a two-time Lok Sabha member from Ladakh, Chering Dorje and Nawang Rigzin Jora, both former Cabinet Ministers in erstwhile Jammu and Kashmir State, all from LAB and Qamar Ali Akhoun, also a former Cabinet Minister in previous J&K Government, Haji Asgar Ali Karbalaie, ex MLA and Sajjad Kargili, all from KDA.

"Initially, the MHA proposed the meeting on June 12. However, it was later deferred to June 19 on the request of LAB and KDA due to their pre-occupation with last rites of

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## Summer Meet

(Animal Husbandry & Dairy Sector)

📍 SKICC, Srinagar  
📅 2nd June, 2023

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