

C'garh minister visits state assembly

BHOPAL: The food minister of Chhattisgarh paid a visit to the state assembly on Thursday. The minister Amar Jeet Bhagat visited the Vidhan Sabha and observed the sitting arrangement made following the Covid-19 guidelines. He also met the assembly principal secretary AP Singh.

SILVER LINING: Govt receives 2000 investment proposals during Covid times

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This comes as a silver lining amidst corona times. Department for Industrial Policy and Investment Promotion and MSME (Medium, Small and Micro Enterprises) departments have received about 2000 investment proposals during Covid times.

amendments in several labour laws, during corona times. The effect of it has come in form of investment proposals. The officials of the state government have started working on the modalities to materialize the proposals. Highest numbers of proposals for investments have come for the Malwa region. An official from the department said that maximum proposals are intended for Pithampur and Malanpur

industrial areas. Several investors have shown interests in food processing industry. Moreover, government is developing clusters and parks for various industries across the state depending upon the proposal and demand by the investors. Commenting on investment proposals amid covid times, an official wishing anonymity said that several relaxations were provided by the banks and other

loan agencies. Moreover, the amendments in labour laws too have started showing results. But the most important factor in Madhya Pradesh is the single window system for investors. 'Single window system has been made more effective after getting feedback from investors. Most of the investors have expressed satisfaction on services provided to them by us,' said an official from department

of industrial policy and investment promotion. Relaxation in inspector-raj of labour department has encouraged the investors. According to amendment in labour laws, now labour inspector cannot pay a surprise visit to any establishment with less 50 workers without permission of labour commissioner. 'I am sure the results of these investments proposals could be seen within a year,' he added.

BJP brass directs leaders to focus on their areas

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Netas get cracking after High Command's directive



The Central leadership of the BJP has directed state party leaders to focus on those constituencies where they command influence. National party chief J P Nadda and organisational general secretary BL Santosh have told the leaders in no uncertain terms that they would have to ensure favourable results in their zones of influence.

Santosh has also demarcated the regions where the different leaders would operate. Union minister Narendra Tomar will work in the area of the Morena Lok Sabha constituency, Home Minister Narottam Mishra would focus on Dabra and Datia seats. Other leaders have also been told about the areas of their responsibility.

The BJP is on a weak wicket in the seats in the Morena district. It is facing a tough challenge from the Congress in Morena, Jaura, Dimni, Sumavali and Ambah. All these constituencies are part of the Lok Sabha constituency of Tomar and he has been mandated with the responsibility of ensuring the party's victory there. Tomar has

been told that the party should win all these seats. Sources say this means that Tomar would have to work real hard. The leadership is worried that the party is in a soup in Tomar's constituency. Besides the BJP, its candidates are also at the target of the electorate. And the party is unable to understand the reason for this situation. Mishra has been asked to devote all his energies to strengthening the party in Dabra and Bhandar. He is said to be influential in the area. Mishra has already started working as per the leadership's directives. National general secretary Kailash Vijayvargiya has been given the responsibility of five seats in the Malwa region and Lok Sabha member Nand Kumar Chouhan has been asked to concentrate on the two seats in Nimad. The chief minister Shivraj Singh Chouhan would address public meetings in all the constituencies and would be in-charge of drawing up the overall strategy. Jyotiraditya Scindia will devote his time and energy to the seats in the Gwalior-Chambal divisions. Other seats will be managed by local party leaders.

SINGRAULI POLLUTION SC notice to Centre on plea alleging non-compliance of NGT order

NEW DELHI

The Supreme Court on Thursday issued notice to the Centre on a plea seeking compliance by industries as well as the authorities concerned with the NGT order to check acute pollution in Singrauli and Sonebhadra districts of Madhya Pradesh and Uttar Pradesh. A bench of Justices R F Nariman, Navin Sinha and K M Joseph sought response from the Ministry of Environment and Forests, Central Pollution Control Board and others. The apex court was hearing a plea filed by advocate Ashwani Kumar Dubey who claimed that despite

December 6, 2017 order of the NGT neither the industries, nor the authorities concerned have taken any step to improve the environment in the area and people continue to suffer due to pollution. The petition, argued through senior advocate Ashok Kumar Sharma, said the NGT asked the petitioner to approach a Monitoring Committee, formed by the tribunal, on the issue and dismissed the plea. "It is submitted that the orders have not been complied by the respondents and polluting industries. As a matter of fact, NGT also did not look into the entire directions passed

and dismissed the execution petition," said the plea, filed through advocate Ashutosh Sharma. Dubey had filed the plea in NGT seeking execution of its December 6 order, saying although the committee has been formed, it has not taken any step to restore the environment of the area. "Singrauli Region is the Critically Polluted Zone of the Country and there are 359 Industries situated in the Singrauli Area of which 259 are located in the State of Uttar Pradesh and 80 are located in the State of Madhya Pradesh. Among these Industries, Thermal Power Plants, Aluminum, Coal

Mines and stone crushers are the major categories of Industries. There are 10 Thermal Power Plants, 2 Aluminum Plants, 10 Coal Mines dozens of explosive plants, Iron Industries, Chemical Industries, Carbon Plants and more than 500 Stone Crushers," the plea in the top court said. In 2015, the tribunal had constituted a committee for monitoring of potential hazards of industrial development in Singrauli area and five sub committees for quantification of industrial pollution and impact assessment of water, air, soil and health in and around Singrauli.

On the run murder accused arrested

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A man accused of killing a friend, who was on the run, was arrested by the police from a place in the city on Thursday. Earlier, the police arrested two maternal uncles of the accused for helping him while he was absconding.

According to Azad Nagar police, Indira Ekta Nagar resident Monu Chouhan was killed by his friend Arjun alias Kana in Mayur Nagar area of the city on October 2, 2020. Since then, accused Arjun Kana was on the run. During the investigation, the police team raided many places in Dewas, Ujjain, Pandhana, Dhulkot and Bhopal but he could not be arrested. Later, police came to know that accused Arjun's maternal uncles named Deepak Dongre of Vinoba Nagar and Tony alias Satish of Musakhedi area of the city had helped him to flee from the city. The police arrested Deepak and Tony on October 10 but the search for Arjun continued.

On Thursday, acting on a tip-off, Azad Nagar police managed to arrest accused Arjun when he reached the city. During questioning, the accused allegedly informed the police that after killing Monu, he was hiding in Dewas, Omkareshwar, Ratlam and Aurangabad.

1000 booked for wrong parking in Vijay Nagar in last 7 days



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A strict drive against wrong side driving, people parking in no parking and on service road has been started. Following the drive in the last seven days the teams of Indore Traffic Police led by DSP (traffic) Umakant Choudhary have taken action against as many as 1000 violators in Vijay Nagar area. The teams took action against 160 vehicles on Thursday. DSP Choudhary said, "Daily we are taking action against the violators. We have taken action on the vehicles

parked outside C21, Malhar Mall, Mangal City and other such buildings. We will continue the drive till people will not learn to park vehicles properly and till they will start following rules properly". In the drive on Thursday the team has taken action against 40 wrongly parking four wheelers and 125 two-wheelers. DSP Choudhary said that as it is the beginning of the drive, the police are doing spot fine and issuing challan on the spot but if people will not start following the rules properly then no spot fine will be done and the defaulter have to submit fine in the court.

DURING COVID LOCKDON

Postal Dept was beacon of hope in delivering medicines, PPE kits

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Only change is permanent and the Indian Postal System is capable of switching modes to adapt any kind of change. Speaking on the changing roles, Brijesh Kumar, Post Master General, stated that during the Lock-down, the postal department helped public and hospitals with delivery of cash, medicines at homes and PPE kits at hospitals. The postal department is always ready to change its role as per the need of the people. Kumar was addressing the valedictory function of National Postal Week here at GPO on Thursday. Various events were organized in the entire region during the National Postal Week commenced from October 9. The week includes World Post Day, Savings Bank Day, Postal Life Insurance Day, Business Development Day and Mails Day. Social worker and writer Mohan Aggarwal was the chief guest. Kumar said fax, pager, e-mail and mobile phones which had come as a result of the communication revolution in the Nineties had boosted the medium of communication and Post Office

has adapted itself to that change. Post office has lived up to all changes. Whether it is CBS banking or Aadhaar or Passport service or the recently launched Citizen Facilitation Centre service, the postal department is offering its relentless services well. If it is said that turning a disaster into an opportunity has been the specialty of the postal department, it will not be an exaggeration. During the Covid-19, when the entire country was under lockdown, the Indian Postal Department played a leading role in delivering essential medicines and essential materials to people, proving its relevance and reliability. During the lockdown, more than 100 tonnes of medicines have been delivered by the postal department across the country. The program was attended by Assistant Director OP Chauhan, Senior Superintendent Post Office MK Shrivats, Superintendent Indore Mofusal Praveen Bahulkar, Superintendent Rail Postal Service Anoop Sachan, Senior Postmaster Rajesh Kumawat of Indore GPO as well as many postal employees.

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Atal Tinkering Lab inaugurated

MHOW: The Atal Tinkering Lab was inaugurated in Kendriya Vidyalaya Mhow on Thursday. The KV Mhow Lab was started in collaboration with the NITI Aayog, under the Atal Innovation Mission by VMC KV Mhow Brigadier MS Sabarwal. He was accompanied nominee chairman lieutenant Manish Kashyap with other VMC members, students and staff. The school principal Puja Shrivastava said on the occasion that the school envisions the children including those with disabilities to make use of the lab in nurturing their curiosity, creativity and imagination. Also, innovative projects like digital ruler for the blind, smart home, visitor counter, waste segregation were displayed in the inauguration by lab coordinator Manisha Dubey PGT CS.

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