



Sabarimala temple opens for monthly rituals
PATHANAMTHITTA
The Ayyappa Temple at Sabarimala opened on Thursday evening for the five-day monthly rituals in the Malayalam month of Thulam that begins on Friday. Pilgrims from different parts of south India trekked to the hill shrine, braving heavy rain in the forests.

Telangana CM cancels election meeting
HYDERABAD
Heavy rain accompanied by lightning resulted in the cancellation of Telangana CM K. Chandrababu Naidu's visit to Huzurnagar in Suryapet district on Thursday to address an election meeting. "Aviation department has not given clearance to the helicopter in which the CM was supposed to fly to Huzurnagar," a release said.

Alliance Air connects Chennai, Jaffna via maiden flight service

Wickremesinghe sees tremendous potential for bilateral collaboration

T.K. ROHIT
JAFFNA
Amid pouring rain, an ATR 72-600 aircraft of Alliance Air, a wholly-owned subsidiary of Air India, completed its maiden international flight and touched down at the Jaffna International Airport, marking an important moment in Sri Lanka's Tamil-majority Northern Province.
The flight carried Ashwani Lohani, Air India chairman and managing director; C.S. Subbiah, Alliance Air CEO; a delegation of Air India staff and a few Indian journalists. They landed a few minutes after President Maithripala Sirisena inaugurated the airport complex by unveiling a plaque.
"India has been helping us in the development of



New service: The Alliance Air aircraft at the Jaffna airport after its maiden international flight. • T.K. ROHIT

war-affected Jaffna. There is tremendous potential for collaboration between India and Sri Lanka, especially South India and Jaffna," Sri Lankan Prime Minister Ranil Wickremesinghe said.
Commending the roles of Indian Prime Minister Narendra Modi, External Affairs Minister S. Jaishankar

and the Civil Aviation Ministry, Mr. Wickremesinghe said, "I hope this is the beginning to fly to Batticaloa and as you have requested, we granted you permission to fly to Colombo and back. So we hope to see the full programme being implemented."
Calling for a closer relationship between India and Sri Lanka, Mr. Wickremesinghe said it would lead to economic development of both countries. "Whatever issues we have, we must settle by discussing among ourselves, bilateral issues bilaterally and regional issues regionally. We cannot afford to go to war, we can't afford to clash," Mr. Wickremesinghe said.
"With the inauguration of the airport and the touch-down of our aircraft, our relations have truly touched the sky. Our projects in Sri Lanka have a direct impact on the lives of the common people," Indian High Commissioner to Sri Lanka Taranjit Singh Sandhu said.
Flights between Chennai and Jaffna are scheduled to begin from November 1.

HC pulls up ED over absence of law officer

STAFF REPORTER
NEW DELHI

The Delhi High Court on Thursday expressed displeasure at the Enforcement Directorate (ED) over the non-availability of its law officer to argue against the bail plea of Karnataka Congress leader D.K. Shivakumar, arrested in a money laundering case.
"You cannot play hide and seek with the court. This is not acceptable. Court is not supposed to wait," Justice Suresh Kait remarked after counsel for the agency sought 30 minutes to begin their argument as their law officer was in another court.
The judge resumed the hearing after Additional Solicitor General K.M. Naraj reached the court and apologised. Mr. Shivakumar had approached the HC against a trial court's order denying him bail.



On top of the world: Neeraj George Baby from Kerala on the summit of Mount Kilimanjaro. • FACEBOOK

Scaling Kilimanjaro with a will of steel

Rare feat for a man on crutches

M.P. PRAVEEN
KOCHI
Neeraj George Baby may need crutches to move around but his steely will needs no such support.
The 32-year-old from Aluva in Kerala proved it in an emphatic fashion when he conquered the snow-capped Mount Kilimanjaro, the highest mountain in Africa at 5,895 m, on crutches on Wednesday.
"That's a memorable moment in my life, a five-year-old dream achieved with a lot of pain," posted Mr. Baby on Facebook beneath a picture of him at the summit with his crutches spread out like wings. He went on to add that he endured all the pain just to prove that the differently abled without prosthetic limbs could still pursue their dreams, in a veiled barb at the government decision to tax artificial limbs.
Mr. Baby, whose leg was amputated at the age of nine following a cancerous tumour, works at the Advocate General's office in Kochi.
His family members, who were on the edge ever since he left for the challenging task, heaved a sigh of relief when he contacted them over video call after his seven-day expedition. "He had been preparing for this with strict diet and exercise. It would have been so tough for him to scale that height bearing the entire weight of his body on his hands," said his sister Nino Baby.
His family is eagerly awaiting his return on October 25.
Mr. Baby chose crutches over prosthetic limbs at some point, as he found them more comfortable without the height difference and friction caused by the latter.
Trekking is nothing new to him. He has already trekked to Pakshipathalam in Wayanad, Kurinjini peak in Tamil Nadu, and between Munnar and Kodaikanal.
He has also clinched a gold in badminton doubles and a silver in singles at the 2008 Asian Para Cup to go along with his titles at national-level tournaments.

₹6.31 crore compensation cleared for Maradu owners

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT
KOCHI

Apartment owners at Maradu who have received only part payment of the full compensation of ₹25 lakh can stake claim for the balance amount with supporting documents.
The Supreme Court had ordered the Kerala government to pay an interim compensation of ₹25 lakh each to the residents of the four high-rises in Maradu, which are to be demolished for violation of coastal zone norms.
The flat owners can claim the balance amount by providing cash receipts issued by the builder or evidence of



Demolition workers start off with prayers at an apartment in Maradu. • H. VISBU

bank transfer of the amount to the builder, said a communication from the K. Balakrishnan Nair Committee

set up for overseeing the distribution of compensation.
The quantum of compensation for individual apartment owners was decided on the basis of the documents produced by them.
On Thursday, the panel cleared claims worth ₹6.31 crore, which included the full compensation for four persons. The panel decided to consider the claims of persons who owned two or more apartments later.
One such applicant, a resident of Alfa Serene, was among the four persons who were awarded the full complement of compensation on Thursday.

Collegium recommends Patna HC judge's transfer


He had made scathing remarks on 'judicial corruption'

LEGAL CORRESPONDENT
NEW DELHI

Patna High Court judge Rakesh Kumar, who made scathing remarks about 'judicial corruption', has been recommended for transfer by the Supreme Court collegium to the Andhra Pradesh High Court.
Justice Kumar's remarks like "corruption is an open secret" had raised eyebrows within the judiciary. Though judicial work was initially withdrawn from him, it was restored to him by an 11-judge Bench of the High Court.

The collegium led by Chief Justice of India Ranjan Gogoi proposed his transfer in a meeting held on October 15.
It has further recommended the transfer of Patna HC Chief Justice A.P. Sahi to Madras High Court. Meghalaya High Court Chief Justice A.K. Mittal has been recommended for transfer to the Madhya Pradesh High Court and Tripura High Court Chief Justice Sanjay Karol to the Patna High Court.
Earlier Justice Mittal was proposed to be transferred

to Madras HC as Chief Justice in place of Justice V.K. Tahilramani, who resigned in September over the collegium's decision to shift her to Meghalaya.
Likewise, Justice Akil Kureshi was earlier recommended for appointment as Madhya Pradesh HC Chief Justice. However, the recommendation was modified when the government raised objections.
The collegium has further reiterated its recommendation to elevate judicial officer P. Krishna Bhat as a judge of the Karnataka High Court.


**GOVERNMENT OF JHARKHAND**
Department of Agriculture, Animal Husbandry & Cooperative
(Directorate of Dairy Development)
Training & Extension Institute Campus
HEC, Sector-II, Dhurwa, Ranchi-834004


-: Corrigendum :-
E-procurement Notice was published for operation and management of 1020 A.I. Centers in Zone-II (Garhwa, Palamu, Latehar, Ramgarh, Hazaribagh, Chatra, Koderma, Bokaro) in Jharkhand at Panchayat level to provide Breeding Services (Through Artificial Insemination with Frozen Semen) at the doorsteps of the Dairy Farmers vide Advertisement PR No. - 218794 Animal Husbandry (19-20):D dated - 04.10.2019 with EoI reference No. - Dairy/04/2019-20.
As per decision taken in pre-bid meeting held on 11.10.2019, clause no. 4.3 and 5.8.1 of the EoI reference No. - Dairy/04/2019-20 have been amended as mentioned below:
Clause No.-4.3:
The organization quoting the lowest rate on financial proposal (on Financial Bid Annexure-III, Part-I and Part-II together for a particular Zone) for Establishment of AI Centres to provide Breeding Services (Through Artificial Insemination with Frozen Semen) at the doorsteps of the Dairy Farmers in zone-II in the State of Jharkhand would be selected, as per the requirements within the specified time limit.
Clause No.-5.8.1:
If works are not completed within given time frame, penalty may be charged from implementing (selected) agency on behalf of the respective Zones, where the target will not be achieved (considering pooled target of all centers falling under that zone).
Sd/-
Director, Dairy
PR219880 (Animal Husbandry)19-20'D Jharkhand, Ranchi

Office of the Executive Engineer
RCD, Road Division, Chaibasa
Short term E-Procurement Notice (2nd Call)
Re E-Tender Reference No. RCD/CHAIBASA/1043
Date 15.10.2019.
PR No. 206906 (West Singhbhum) 2019-20*D

1.	Name of Work	IRQP Work of Tantanagar-Bharbharia-Kumardungi-Majhgaon Road (MDR-185) from KM 0.00 to KM 33.00 Rs. 18,20,88,463.00
2.	Estimated Cost (Rs.)	(Rupees Eighteen Crore Twenty Lac Eighty Eight Thousand Four Hundred Sixty Three) only
3.	Time of Completion	6 (Six) months
4.	Date of Publication of Tender On Website	21.10.2019 at 11.30 Noon
5.	Last date/Time for receipt of bids.	05.11.2019 Up to 3.00 P.M.
6.	Last date/Time of receipt of cost of bidding document and Bid security	06.11.2019 Up to 12.00 Noon.
7.	Date & Time of Opening of Technical Bid	06.11.2019 at 3.30 P.M.
8.	Name & address of office Inviting tender	Office of the Executive Engineer, RCD, Road Division, Chaibasa
9.	Contact no. of Procurement Officer	7979945893
10.	Helpline number of E-Procurement cell	0651-2401010

Further details can be seen on website <http://jharkhandtender.gov.in>
PR 219849 West Singhbhum(19-20):D R.C.D, Road Division, Chaibasa

**EAST CENTRAL RAILWAY**
TENDER NOTICE FOR SUPPLY OF STORES
Online "e-open tender" through Indian Railways e-procurement portal (IREPS) www.ireps.gov.in are invited, for and on behalf of the President of India, for the following stores:-
SN 1. Tender No.: PS195108 **Closing date / time of tender :** 31.10.2019, 14.45hrs. **Short Description:** Trammeling Gauges and Tools **Qty :** 01 **Set EMD amount :** 23790/- **Tender document cost :** Nil **SN 2. Tender No.:** PS195109 **Closing date / time of tender :** 31.10.2019, 14.45hrs. **Short Description:** Surface plate **Qty :** 02 **Nos. EMD amount :** Nil **Tender document cost :** Nil **1.** For full details and submission of bid kindly visit IREPS Portal www.ireps.gov.in. This tender notice is also available on the official website of Workshop Projects Organization Patna www.workshopprojects.org. **2.** The prospective firms/bidders submitting bid are advised to remain in touch with IREPS portal (www.ireps.gov.in) for updates including addendum/ Corrigendum/Cancellation with respect to the above tender because no such notice/information concerned that shall be published in newspapers.
Dy. Chief Material Manager
Workshop Projects, Patna
PR/01430/SPJ/STORE/ T/19-20/40




Lt Dheerendra Singh Atri
Kirti Chakra (Posthumous)
(12 Sep 1978-18 Oct 2003)

This historic day fills our hearts with pride and sorrow alike when in the highest traditions of the Indian Army, you laid down your life in the line of duty. World is a lesser place without you but we know that you are with the gods above and even heavens have improved by your gracious presence.

Fondly remembered by
CO and All Ranks of 3 RAJPUT

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**Government of Jharkhand**
Urban Development Department
OFFICE OF THE NAGAR PARISHAD MADHUPUR
Very Short Notice Inviting Tender
(request for proposal)
E-Tender(R.F.P) Reference No.- UDD/MMC/09/2019-20

1.	e-R.F.P Inviting Office Name	Nagar Parishad Madhupur
2.	Name of Work	Door to Door collection, Transfer, Transportation developing & operating an integrated municipal solid waste processing facility and engineered sanitary land fill facility in municipal area as per SWM rules, 2016 for MADHUPUR town in, Jharkhand on a long term design, build operate and transfer (DBOT) basis for municipal solid waste with 20yrs O & M.
3.	Estimated capital cost (Rs. in lac)	Rs. 823.16
4.	Estimated O & M cost for 20yrs (Rs. in lac)	Rs. 8835.71
5.	Completion date	16 months construction & 20 yrs O & M.
6.	Date of Publication in news paper	22/10/2019
7.	R.F.P(tender) Paper Available Online	23/10/2019 to 16/11/2019
8.	Last Date of Submission of Hard Copy of R.F.P(tender) Paper	18/11/2019
9.	Date of pre-bid meeting or query	8/11/2019
10.	Date of opening of technical bid	19-11-2019
11.	Date of opening of financial bid	26/11/2019
12.	Cost of R.F.P paper (tender fee)	Rs.25000/- (Not Refundable)
13.	R.F.P available at	www.jharkhandtenders.gov.in
14.	Earnest Money	Rs.8,30,000/-

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Sd/- **Executive Officer**
Nagar Parishad Madhupur
P.R. 219853 Deoghar(19-20)-D

कार्यपालक अभियंता का कार्यालय
पेयजल एवं स्वच्छता, प्रमण्डल, लातेहार
शुद्धि - पत्र

पेयजल एवं स्वच्छता प्रमंडल, लातेहार का ई-प्रोक्योरमेंट अलकालीन निविदा सं 11.10.2019 जो पीओआर 219412 (Drinking water and Sanitation (2019-20) (D) से विभिन्न समाचार पत्रों में प्रकाशित है निविदा में निम्न आंशिक संशोधन किया जाता है।

Sl. No.	Name of the work	Approximate value of work (Rs. In Lakhs)	Bid Security (Rs. In Lakhs)	Cost of Tender Paper (Rs)	Class of Contractor eligibility	Time of Completion	Name of the concern Office
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	Detailed survey, designing and drawing Construction of 6.0 M dia R.C.C. Intake well- cum- pump house, Gangway 60 mtr. Length and 3.00 mtr. Wide, 1 MLD capacity water treatment Plant, 1 no. ESR, Compound w all Supplying and laying Raw/Clear Water rising main & Laying Distribution Network, Supplying and installation of Vertical turbine and Centrifugal pump motor, and two years Operation and Maintenance with allied works etc all complete job for work of NAWAG ARH Rural Water Supply Scheme under Drinking Water & Sanitation Division, Latehar on turnkey basis for the year "2019-20"	344.17250	3.442	10000.00	18 (Unlimited)	21 month+3 month (trail and run)	Drinking Water & Sanitation Division, Latehar

2 वेबसाइट पर निविदा प्रकाशन की तिथि एवं समय 18.10.2019 को 5:00 बजे अपो तक।
3 प्री-बीड मीटिंग की तिथि, समय एवं स्थान 23.10.2019 को 11:00 बजे अपो में क्षेत्रीय मुख्य अभियंता, पेयजल एवं स्वच्छता विभाग, रांची प्रभेत्र रांची।
4 बीड प्राप्ति की अंतिम तिथि एवं समय 30.10.2019 को 5:00 बजे अपो तक।
5 अग्रज की राशि एवं परिमाण विपत्र का मूल्य (हार्ड कॉपी जमा करने की तिथि, समय स्थान) 31.10.2019 को 5:00 बजे अपो तक।
कार्यपालक अभियंता, पेयजल एवं स्वच्छता प्रमंडल, लातेहार।
क्षेत्रीय मुख्य अभियंता, पेयजल एवं स्वच्छता विभाग, रांची प्रभेत्र रांची।
कार्यपालक अभियंता, पेयजल एवं स्वच्छता प्रमंडल, लातेहार।
निविदा खोलने की सम्भावित तिथि, समय एवं स्थान 01.11.2019 को 2:00 बजे अपो
कार्यपालक अभियंता, पेयजल एवं स्वच्छता प्रमंडल, लातेहार।
निविदा आमंत्रण करने वाले पदाधिकारी का नाम एवं पता 91023440896
निविदा आमंत्रण करने वाले पदाधिकारी दूरभाष/ मोबाईल सं - 0651-2480345
प्रोक्योरमेंट कार्यालय (E-procurement Cell) का दूरभाष सं - 0651-2480345
कार्यपालक अभियंता
पेयजल एवं स्वच्छता प्रमण्डल लातेहार

**Bharat Nirman through Rural Roads**
Chief Engineer, JSRDA, 3rd Floor, FFP Building, Dhurwa, Ranchi
BHARAT NIRMAN
UNDER PRADHAN MANTRI GRAM SADAK YOJANA (PMGSY)-(W.B.)

Short-e-Procurement Notice
Retender (PR.NO-211423 dated 10.07.2019 and 209646 dated 20.07.2019)
The Government of India has received a loan/credit from the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development/International Development Association towards the cost of Rural Roads Project (Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana) and intends to apply a part of the funds to cover eligible payments under the contracts for construction of works as detailed in the Invitation for Bids. Bidding is open to all bidders from eligible source countries as defined in the bidding document.
Chief Engineer, JSRDA, Jharkhand on behalf of Governor of Jharkhand, invites item rate bids in electronic tendering system for construction and five years maintenance of 57 Roads in 21 Packages (estimated cost Rs. 58.68 Cr.) and 07 Bridges (1 bridge under phase-XVI, batch-II & 6 bridge under PMGSY-II, estimated cost Rs. 25.50 Cr.) sanctioned under Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana-I (Phase- XVI of Batch-II, 2018-19) and PMGSY-II, from the eligible contractors registered in appropriate classes with RCD/ RDD/ R.W.D. Jharkhand/ CPWD/ MES/ in any other State Governments/Central Government.*
Date of release of Invitation for Bids through e-procurement: 21.10.2019
Availability of Bid Documents and mode of submission: The bid document will be available online from 21.10.2019 and should be submitted online in www.pmgstendersjhr.gov.in. The bidder would be required to register in the web-site which is free of cost. For submission of the bids, the bidder is required to have Digital Signature Certificate (DSC) from one of the authorized Certifying Authorities. The bidders are required to submit (a) Original demand draft towards the cost of bid document and (b) original bid security in approved form and (c) original affidavit regarding correctness of information furnished with bid document as per provisions of Clause 4.4 B (ii) of ITB to C.E. J.S.R.R.D.A. 3rd Floor, F.F.P. Building, H.E.C. Campus, Dhurwa, Ranchi, up to 05.11.2019 till 17.00 hours, either by registered post or by hand, failing which the bids will be declared non-responsive.
Last Date/Time for receipt of bids through e-procurement: 05.11.2019 upto 13.00 hours.
For further details please log on to www.pmgstendersjhr.gov.in.
Chief Engineer,
J.S.R.R.D.A., 3rd Floor
FFP Building, Dhurwa, Ranchi

* Non registered bidders may submit bids, however the successful bidders must get registered in appropriate class with appropriate authorities before signing the contract.

PR 219836 (Rural Work Department)19-20#D जिसे अब तक नामा, समझे, को कहानी हूँ मैं, मुझे बर्बाद मत करो पानी हूँ मैं।