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on tourism and contribute to the economic growth and cultural enrichment of the region.

It is a big leap by Railways in the development of the Union Territory. The state of the art Vistadome will attract tourists in large number and open up more livelihood generation avenues for the people living in the cities, towns and villages connected to all the railway stations enroute, he added.

At the launch ceremony, the Lt Governor also shared the transformational journey of Jammu Kashmir over the past few years.

He said that there has been a substantial boost in tourism in recent times and the new Vistadome coach will further give impetus to the development of the area.

The specially designed Vistadome coach is equipped with wide windows, revolving chairs and glass rooftop, offering the passengers a panoramic view of the surrounding landscape.

Jumaid Azim Mattu, Mayor, SMC; Dr Farooq Abdullah, Member of Parliament; Aftab Malik, Chairman, DDC Srinagar; senior officials of Northern Railways, Civil and Police Administration and people in large numbers attended the launch ceremony.

The foreign tourist arrivals in Jammu and Kashmir have increased by 350 per cent this year post the G20 meeting held here in May, Lieutenant Governor Manoj Sinha said here on Thursday.

Addressing a function after inaugurating the Vistadome rail coach at Nowgam railway station here, Sinha also said 1.70 crore tourists have visited J-K so far this year.

"Srinagar hosted the G20 meeting (the third tourism working group meeting of the G20 member countries) and post that, the number of foreign tourist arrivals in J-K has gone up by 350 per cent from the last year," the LG said.

He said last year J-K witnessed a record 1.88 crore tourist arrivals, but this year, 1.70 crore tourists have already visited J-K till September this year.

Sinha said the Vistadome coach on the train will boost tourism in J-K.

"It will not only ferry travellers from Budgam to Banihal, but also provide livelihood opportunities to the youth at Budgam, Qazigund, and Banihal stations. The coach will help tourists see Kashmir's beauty with a new perspective," he added.

He said the introduction of the Vistadome coach is another step towards J-K's developmental journey.

The state-of-the-art Vistadome coach, which has advanced features of entertainment and sitting, will chug from Budgam to Banihal.

The coach has rotational seats, transparent glass roof, and windows, offering 360-degree views.

Giving details about the coach, chief area manager, Srinagar, Northern Railway, Saqib Yusuf said it is going to be a major tourist attraction for people visiting the valley.

"It is a glass-top coach with wide windows, rotating chairs, so that the passengers can enjoy the Kashmir valley's panoramic look especially in the coming winter season. It is expected to give a major boost to tourism in the Kashmir valley. It will run from Budgam to Banihal in the morning, and in the evening, it will run from Banihal to Budgam. It will run six days a week," Yusuf said.

Congress encouraging Naxalism...

in some places. "Elect the BJP to power in the state, we will free the entire state of the menace," Shah said.

"In 9 years of the Modi government, incidents of (Naxal) violence declined by 52 per cent, deaths (in Naxal violence) came down by 70 per cent, civilian deaths deceased by 68 per cent, while the (number of) Naxal-affected districts declined by 62 per cent," he said.

The BJP leader said, "If a policeman dies in Naxal violence, it is the tribal who dies, while if a Naxalite dies, then also it is the tribal who dies. Even when a common citizen dies in such an incident, it is the tribal who dies."

During 15 years of the Raman Singh-led BJP rule in Chhattisgarh (2003-2018), the state saw development. PM Modi's government, in the nine years of its rule, is taking the country forward on the path of progress, he said.

"(Prime Minister) Modi ji has done a lot of work in the interest of tribals across the country. Apart from protecting their jal (water), jungle, zameen (land), the Modi government has worked to provide security, respect and inclusive development to tribals," he said.

Urging people to vote for the BJP, Shah said, "There are two options in front of you, one is the Congress which encourages Naxalism while on the other hand, there is the BJP which eliminates Naxalism. The Congress which sent crores of rupees of corruption to Delhi Darbar, while the BJP which is providing gas cylinders, toilets, drinking water, health facilities, grains and houses to crores of poor people."

Targeting Chief Minister Bhupesh Baghel, Shah asked what did the CM do in five years and alleged that he turned Chhattisgarh into an "ATM for the Congress".

"The Bhupesh Baghel government opened liquor shops in the state and committed a scam of Rs 2,000 crore. The Congress government committed coal transportation scam worth Rs 540 crore, PDS scam worth Rs 600 crore, Mahadev betting and gambling app scam worth Rs 5000 crore, rice distribution scam," he said.

"I have heard of many scams, but I have not heard of such a person who would do a scam of Rs 1,300 crore in cow dung (procurement scheme)," he added.

Shah said the Congress government's "scam" in recruitment of the Scheduled Tribe and Scheduled Caste persons in jobs compelled the youth from the two communities to stage a protest by stripping their clothes (in Raipur).

The Baghel government did not fulfil its promises and just transferred the money of poor tribals to the Congress leaders by turning the state into an "ATM", he alleged.

Accusing the Congress government of lying over the Nagarnar Steel Plant, recently inaugurated by Prime Minister Modi, Shah said the Congress has been saying the steel plant (of NMDC) will be privatised.

"Today I am saying that it will not be privatised. My tribal brothers and sisters have the right over this plant and Modi ji has already made it very clear," he said.

Addressing another rally in Kondagaon, Shah accused the Congress of treating tribals as their vote bank and ignoring their welfare.

In 2018, (Congress leader) Rahul Gandhi made promises in this same place (Kondagaon). What happened to the promises then made by Bhupesh Baghel after taking the oath of 'gangajal' (water of the Ganga river). Did they fulfil the promises of half electricity bill, prohibition, unemployment allowance, etc? he asked.

The Congress rule has just become a "government of seams," he alleged.

"Will you vote for the Congress which commits loot? Will you allow the Congress to continue to loot, disrupt development, encourage religious conversion and Naxalism?" Shah asked the gathering.

If you want to stop all these things then there is only one way, that is to elect the BJP which is taking the country ahead on the path of development under the leadership of PM Modi, he said.

Twelve assembly seats of Bastar region are among the 20 constituencies in Chhattisgarh where voting will be held in the first phase. The remaining 70 constituencies will go to polls in the second phase.

NRLM helps in...

that women can go to other states, put their stalls there and make their own identity, this is very good for us," she added.

Riyaz Ahmad Beigh, additional mission director JKNRLM, said the SARAS fair happens every year across the country and gives a platform to women to sell their products directly to customers.

"This gives women a platform to sell their products. The response has been tremendous. Self-help group members from 18 states participated in it and there was a very good sale.

"The aim is to provide them encouragement and a platform where they exhibit and sell their products. These women coming out of their homes is one of the main contributions of NRLM, and this is the biggest step towards their empowerment," Beigh

Yasmeena Farooq, a self-help group member from Kashmir, said this scheme is very beneficial.

"It makes women financially independent. It gives women an opportunity to buy and sell the products which infuses confidence in them. It motivates other women as well," she said.

Farooq said the women need to supplement the earnings of their families.

"In today's times, women must be independent. The household will not run if a man is an only earning hand," she said.

Shaista, who hails from Baramulla district, said the government scheme has eliminated the middlemen and ensured that women workers get their due.

"I am thankful to the mission for such a platform. Earlier, a woman used to make shawls and sell them to middlemen. She could not make much profit then. This scheme provides us with finances. It has taken away the middlemen. We are making more than what we expected. We want such melas to continue and that all women sell their produce," she said.

Mishi Lu, block coordinator for self help groups in Arunachal Pradesh, said the response to the products from her state has been good.

"We had brought spices, atta, jewellery and pickles. We had good sales. People are sweet and they visited the stalls and bought the items. Our SHGs had a very good experience here," she said.

CS releases school...

but pragmatic approach and focused attention of teachers to innovative and pedagogical method of teaching will ensure improved results, he added

Chief Secretary said that SAMIKSHA will reflect the true performance of teachers with respect to their classroom inputs/transactions and leave no space for subjectivity.

Dr. Mehta advised the School Education department to make the feedback a benchmark while analysing the teachers' annual performance and advised that all the officers shall analyse the reports at their level and shall work on making education system more vibrant and aligned with NEP 2020.

Chief Secretary reiterated that, J&K UT is moving towards 100 % Digital & Transparent system, by introducing various online services to provide access to these services in the most effective manner; to each & every citizen, at all the locations. With these initiatives, J&K has become the first in the country, to make ranking of schools through digital platform of SAMIKSHA App. Quarterly review shall be taken and Plan will be prepared for the implementation in phased manner as per availability of resources.

He hoped that the UT should be seen as a model to be replicated by other States/UTs in the country. He underscored that J&K has the requisite capacity, capability, drive and desire to be best in the nation which has been done through various digital initiatives.

Principal Secretary Alok Kumar, informed that Samiksha provides System generated reports about the performance of Teachers and the status of schools on the basis of the Students' inputs. Students have the facility to provide feedback in Hindi, English and Urdu languages to about 25 questions based on different facilities/ schemes run for the benefit of students in schools and teaching techniques and behaviour of teacher in the classroom while teaching.

The response of the students of class 6th to 12th have been obtained through this mobile app on these parameters and depending on the score obtained in process, ranking of the schools have been determined and grading of teachers have been made. This feedback will be obtained on a monthly basis, he informed.

Project Director, Samagra Shiksha made a brief presentation and informed that system has been developed in-house and first feedback for the month of September, 2023 was obtained as per direction of the Government to evaluate the schools and identify performers and low achievers amongst teachers.

He apprised that 642231 students from class 6th onwards have been registered in the portal and mapped with 74790 teachers imparting education to them in 9757 such schools. During the month of September ,2023,10.97 Lakh feedbacks have been received from 2.49 Lakh students for 55772 teachers of 8163 schools. Ranking of schools and grading of teachers have been defined on the basis of scores obtained by the schools and teachers on 100 point basis. During this evaluation process, 3696 schools ranked as Daksh (Efficient), 4441 as Uttkarsh (Flourishing), 1134 as AttiUttam (Very Good), 154 as Uttam (Good) and 29 as Parehestha (Striving).

Similarly, among the teachers, 1857 have been graded as excellent, 31340 as Very Good, 20836 as Good, 863 as average and 216 as below average.

J&K Bank wins...

He attributed the awards to the Bank's commitment to system excellence and commend the dedication and professionalism of the concerned departments.

He further added, "It really is a timely recognition for us as we are in the midst of a great transformation that, I believe, is leading us to become one of the best customer-friendly, secure, digitally smarter and successful financial institutions of the country. The gesture will encourage us to further excel in the rewarded categories."

Notably, the organisers had explained the event as a way to recognize, reward and celebrate models of inclusive growth and sustainable development as well as innovative approaches to creating value for society and business together. The underlying principle, as per ASSOCHAM, is that Banking and Financial Sector Lending Companies will highlight their accomplishments that are sustainable in all appropriate areas of operation and exert positive influence on their stakeholders, their peers and their communities.

DB directs Sr...

them either at Jammu or in Kashmir and in this regard three days time was given to them. Advocate Ahmed further submitted that Estates Department is deliberately and intentionally delaying the matter which is of wide public importance and because of the delay, the illegal action of overstaying is getting perpetuated.

At this stage, Sr. AAG S. S. Nanda submitted that he may be allowed some more time to furnish the list as the Estates Department is verifying the matter with regard to the list furnished by Advocate Ahmed and before the next date the needful shall be done. Needless to mention herein that Advocate S.S. Ahmed on September 19, 2023 filed the complete details of the residential houses owned/possessed by the 48 Politicians in Jammu/Kashmir and their names are: Ghulam Nabi Azad (Former CM), Shamsher Singh Manhas (Ex-MP), Muzaffar Hussain Beigh (Ex-MP), Chander Mohan Gupta (Former Mayor, JMC), Kavinder Gupta (Former Deputy Chief Minister), Sunil Sharma (Former Minister), Ravinder Raina (State President, BJP), G.M. Saroori (Ex-MLA), Neelam Langeh (Ex-MLA), Daleep Singh Parihar (Ex-MLA), Sheikh Ishfaq Jabbar (Ex-MLA), Bali Bhagat (Former Minister), Sat Sharma (Former Minister), R.S. Pathania (Ex-MLA), Family of Late Rajesh Gupta (Ex-MLA), Molvi Imran Raza Ansari (Former Minister), Ravinder Sharma (Ex-MLC/Spokesperson JKPC), Vibodh Gupta (Ex-MLC), Pardeep Sharma (Ex-MLC), Tariq Ahmed Keen (Political Person), Wazira Begum (Political Person), Shilpi Verma (Political Person), Shaffiq Mir (Chairman, Panchayat Conference), Hakeem Mohammad Yasin (Ex-MLA), Sajjad Gani Lone (Ex-MLA), M.Y. Tarigami (Ex-MLA), Abdul Rahim Rather (Ex-MLA), Soff Yousuf (Ex-MLC), Abdul Majid Padder (Ex-MLA), Zafar Iqbal Manhas (Ex-MLC), Nizam-u-Din Bhat (Ex-Vice Chairperson), Fayaz Ahmed Mir (Ex-MP), Abdul Gani Vakil (Ex-MLC), Surinder Ambardar (Ex-MLC), Sona Ullah Lone (Political Person), Zahid Hussain Jan (District President, Congress), S.S. Channi (Political Person), Raja Manzoor (Ex-MLA), Muzaffar Shah (General Secretary, Awami National Conference), Bashir Ahmed Dar (Ex-MLA), Vikram Randhawa (Ex-MLC) (BJP Office), Haji Ab Rashid (Ex-MLA), Yasir Reshi (Ex-MLC), Abdul Rahim Rather (Ex-MLA, JKPC), Mohammad Amin Bhat (Ex-MLA), Shoaib Nabi Lone (Ex-MLA) and Mohammad Abbas Wani (Ex-MLA).

After considering the rival contentions, the Division Bench headed by Chief Justice N. Kotiswar Singh directed Sr. AAG S.S. Nanda to furnish the list as directed by the Court on the last date of hearing September 19, 2023.

At this stage Advocate Muzaffar Khan appearing in CM No.4083/2023 submitted that former Finance Minister Abdul Rahim Rather has already vacated the Govt. accommodation since March, 2023 but his name still finds mention the list of 48 occupants and his name is required to be deleted from the said list. The Division Bench directed Sr. AAG S.S. Nanda that he shall clarify in this regard on the next date of hearing.

Dr Jitendra asks...

the above twin factors, the toppers in the Central Civil Services are coming from States like Punjab, Haryana and Jammu and Kashmir.

Dr Jitendra Singh said, Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi has special penchant for Governance Reforms and soon after taking charge in May, 2014, a number of measures were taken to streamline the administration to make it more Transparent, more Accountable and to have Citizen-Centricity.

Dr Jitendra Singh said, the public policy in our country is currently aimed at enhanced transparency and accountability in governance with focus on fiscal federalism, transforming rural India, and improving the quality of public service delivery.

The Minister said, India has improved systems of grievance redressal to make them more relevant to our times, and has tried to address any lingering sense of injustice springing from an administrative act by simplification of administrative processes and strengthening institutions. It is to this end that digital advancement has enabled citizens grievance redressal.

Dr Jitendra Singh also promised to implement a Call Centre approach in J&K, currently being implemented at the Centre to personally ascertain the Satisfaction level of the Persons having redressed their grievances.

Referring to the Digital India programme, Dr Jitendra Singh said, it is centred on three key vision areas, namely digital infrastructure as a core utility to every citizen, governance and services on demand, and digital empowerment of citizens. He said, the overall goal is to ensure that digital technologies improve the life of every citizen, expand India's digital economy, and create investment and employment opportunities and create digital technological capabilities in India.

The Minister said, Digital India has considerably reduced the gap between Government and citizens and it has also helped in delivering substantial services directly to the beneficiary in a transparent and corruption free manner. In the process, India has emerged as one of the pre-eminent nations of the world to use technology to transform the lives of its citizens, he added.

Dr Jitendra Singh said, the new age competency of civil servants has to be anchored in ethics and accountability. The Government of India has maintained a "Zero Tolerance Approach to Corruption" bringing greater transparency to government processes, enhanced supervision and severe penalties in cases of proven misconduct. India's Legislative and Constitutional Framework to fight corruption has been greatly strengthened with mandatory declaration of assets by civil servants on an annual basis, thereby focusing on preventive vigilance, the Minister added.

V. Srinivas, Secretary, DARPG said that the training is a platform for collective learn-

ing and sharing and working towards improving the quality of life. He said, there is need for accelerated and inclusive development for resilient growth and stressed on the importance of technology in transforming the lives of citizens.

Srinivas said, the officials should create a conceptual framework to meet the needs and expectations of people and work for holistic development in the State. The capacity building programme by NCGG provided a platform for collective learning and sharing, ultimately working towards improving the quality of life.

The 6th capacity building programme is being conducted from the 9th October, 2023 to 20th October,2023 at NCGG. The programme is attended by 37 officers of the JKAS working in the ranks of Secretaries, Special secretaries, Additional Secretaries, CEOs, Directors, Joint Commissioners, Mission Directors among others.

During this programme, civil servants of the Jammu & Kashmir interacted with domain experts on diverse topics, viz., communication strategies, poverty elimination, Rural Housing, Skill India, Artificial Intelligence in Government, Tourism & Culture, Jal Jeevan Mission, digital India, approach to SDGs by 2030, Ayushman Bharat, anti-corruption strategies, vigilance administration, circular economy, rejuvenation of rivers, innovation & entrepreneurship, etc. among other important areas. The participants will also take for exposure visit to the Indian Parliament.

The capacity building programme is scientifically tailored to equip civil servants of Jammu & Kashmir to deliver robust and seamless services to the people. The cutting-edge knowledge and new skill set acquired during this programme will help these civil servants in efficient public service delivery to improve the lives of people. The aim of this programme is to reorient officers to work with single-mindedness to improve the quality of life and create opportunities for the people. The officers are given exposure to the best practices in governance to emulate these practices of good governance, transparency and efficient service delivery in Jammu & Kashmir. The focus of the programme is on sharing the practical aspects of governance, to work with speed and scale, and be accountable to citizens and address their grievances proactively.

Dr. Des Raj Bhagat, Nisar Ahmad Wani, Jatinder Singh, Anoo Malhotra, Hakeem Tanveer Ahmad, Riyaz Ahmad Shah, Prem Singh, Tej Krishan Bhat, Khwaja Nazir Ahmad, Dr. Bharat Bhushan, Wassem Raja, Ashok Kumar, Indu Kanwal Chib, Inam Din, Shabir Hussain Bhat, Sham Lal, Krishan Lal, Dr. Raj Kumar Thapa, Kuldeep Krishan Sidha, Sushil Kesar, Atul Gupta, Surender Mohan Sharma, Tilak Raj, Rajeev Magotra, Devinder Singh Katoch, Parveen Sajad Ganai, Shaffiq Ahmed, Shalmanawaz Shah, Jahangir Hashmi, Dhananter Singh, Qazi Irfan, Rakesh Kumar, Romin Ahmad, Sudershan Kumar, Veavik Puri, Subhash Chander Dogra, Asif Hamid Khan took part in the training programme and attended the valedictory session addressed by Dr Jitendra Singh.

Fine balance between...

rediscover their passion and contribute in nation building with complete dedication. "Every person is unique. He or she just needs to recognize it. Our every step in this journey should be dedicated to the service of others. It should be our mission to wipe every tear from every eye and eradicate inequality. Dignity of life, pride, prayers can be meaningful only when we can wipe someone's tears and show him the right path," he said.

The Lt Governor congratulated the Inner Space Centre and welcomed the international motivational speaker Sister Shivani to the UT of J&K.

Vijay Kumar, ADGP Kashmir; Prof. Nilofer Khan, Vice Chancellor Kashmir University; senior officials of UT and Police Administration; members of Inner Space Centre and Prajapita Brahma Kumaris Ishwariya Vishwa Vidyalaya, and youth in large number were present.

Congress appoints JKPC...

Singh, Ravinder Sharma and Mohd Anwar Bhat.

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Dr Karan Singh, Vikramaditya assess damage caused to Ranbireswar Temple

■ STATE TIMES NEWS
JAMMU: Chairman Trustee of J&K Dharmarth Trust, and former Member of Parliament, Dr. Karan Singh and Vikramaditya Singh, Trustee of Trust and former MLC on Thursday assessed damaged caused to Shri Ranbireswar Temple due to heavy rainfall and lightning which struck the temple on Tuesday.

Moved by the unfortunate incident, Dr Karan Singh reached the historical temple directly after arriving at Jammu Airport as he was in Delhi when this natural catastrophe occurred two days back.

The Chairman Trustee also visited inside the temple premises, took stock of the whole temple complex, paid obeisance and performed Pooja.

Dr Karan Singh expressed deep concern over the damage caused to the temple after the lightning struck the ancient building holding lot of significance among the devotees of Lord Shiva hailing from J&K and even from outside the UT.

After a thorough assessment of the damaged portion, Dr Karan Singh has assured that sooner than later, the building will be restored to its original shape as already the restoration work is in progress.

In a press briefing, the former Member Parliament also assured that the concerned government agencies shall be approached for the safety audit of the building before giving a green signal to the devotees to resume normal course of offering prayers.

Speaking with media persons, Vikramaditya Singh, who has come from Srinagar directly to the temple, said that it was the grace of the Almighty that no loss of life or injury was reported despite collapse of the building due to incessant rain and lightning. He also laid stress on scientific audit of the entire building for its structural viability and safety concerns.

He said that Dharmarth Trust is committed to restore the pristine glory of the temple but it is not in favour of compromising on the matter of safety and therefore every possible step will be taken prior to its reconstruction to ensure safety of the building. "The J&K Dharmarth Trust remains resolute in its commitment to preserve this revered place of worship and ensuring the safety of all those who visit Shri Ranbireswar Temple. The restoration process will proceed with the utmost care and diligence, underscoring the trust's dedication to upholding the spiritual heritage of the region", he added. Later, the former MLC has also paid obeisance and performed Pooja in the temple premises. Brig. R.S Langeh (Retd), President of the Trust, Ashok Kumar Sharma, Secretary and Varinder Jamwal, Additional Secretary were also present.