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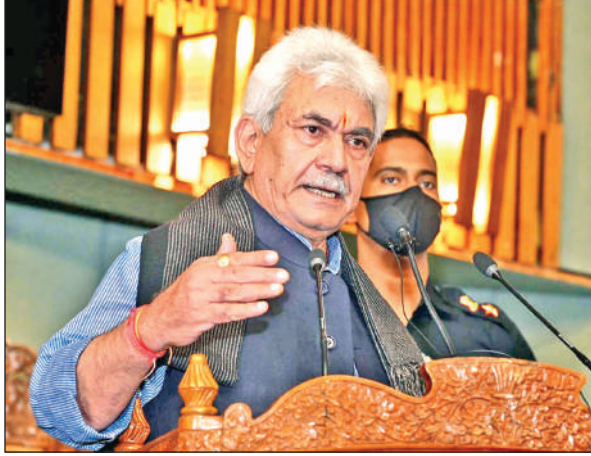
Will strike last nail in coffin of terrorism in one year: LG

■ **STATE TIMES NEWS**

SRINAGAR: Lieutenant Governor Manoj Sinha on Friday asserted that the government will push last nail in the coffin of terrorism in Jammu and Kashmir in one year.

"We have lost many innocent lives, now it has to stop", the Lieutenant Governor said while laying the foundation stone of 25 DDC, BDC buildings and inaugurating 1000 Amrit Sarovars across J&K UT, in a function at SKICC, Srinagar.

Sinha said: "The right time has come to strike the



LG Manoj Sinha speaking during a function at SKICC, Srinagar.

last nail in the coffin of Terrorism and its ecosystem. Your younger generation should not face the hardships that their forefathers went through. They must make the nation proud'.

The Lt Governor said that it is our sacred obligation to defend every inch of the motherland and even if we have to sacrifice everything, we shall be ready.

"Some people, on behalf of the neighbouring country, are trying to create disturbance in Jammu and Kashmir. The neighboring

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Railways unveils overarch deck on Chenab railway bridge
■ **STATE TIMES NEWS**

JAMMU: The 'golden joint' of the Chenab railway bridge, connecting two ends of the deck of the world's highest railway bridge, was unveiled in Reasi district on Saturday.

The bridge will prove direct connectivity to the Kashmir valley.

The unveiling of the overarch deck saw bursting of firecrackers and people from different parts of the country singing the national anthem and chanting 'Bharat Mata ki Jai' on it.

"This is a historic moment," a senior official said, adding that the

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Hizb chief's son, wife of 'Bitta Karate' among 4 employees sacked

■ **STATE TIMES NEWS**

SRINAGAR: The Jammu and Kashmir government on Saturday sacked four employees including son of Syed Salahuddin, the self-styled chief of banned terror group Hizbul Mujahideen, and the wife of a jailed separatist who was also involved in fatal attack on minority community members.

All the four have been dismissed for allegedly having links with forces working against India and spreading malicious propaganda, officials said.

They have been dismissed under Article 311 of the

Constitution which enables the government to sack its employees without any inquiry.

Syed Abdul Mueed, son of Salahuddin (Syed Mohd Yusuf) and Manager (Information and Technology) at the Commerce and Industries Department, is among the dismissed employees.

He is the third son of the Hizb chief to have been sacked from the government job. Syed Ahmed Shakeel and Shahid Yusuf were dismissed from service last year.

According to the officials, Mueed has allegedly been

found having a role in three terror attacks on the Jammu and Kashmir Entrepreneurship Development Institute (JKEDI) complex at Sempora in Pampore and his presence in the institution has led to increased sympathy with the secessionist forces.

Assabah-ul-Arjamand Khan, the wife of Farooq Ahmed Dar alias 'Bitta Karate' and a 2011-batch Jammu and Kashmir Administrative Service officer (JKAS), is alleged to have been found involved

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CRPF personnel injured in Srinagar grenade attack
■ **STATE TIMES NEWS**

SRINAGAR: A CRPF personnel was injured when militants hurled a grenade at security forces personnel in Eidgah locality of Srinagar on Saturday, police said.

"One grenade was lobbed by terrorist(s) towards security forces on Ali Jan Road, Eidgah," the Srinagar police tweeted.

The police said the explosion caused minor splinter injuries to one personnel of the Central Reserve

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Zero-tolerance for terrorism: Terror supporters, sleeper cells will also be punished: Chugh

■ **STATE TIMES NEWS**

JAMMU: National General Secretary BJP and Incharge Jammu and Kashmir UT affairs Tarun Chugh during media interaction today, clarified the Government's policy of 'Zero Tolerance' for terrorism.

He said that Govt will not spare those working with the agenda of disintegrating the country by spreading malicious propaganda. He further said



that terror supporters, their sympathizers and sleeper cells will also be punished.

Where there's a will, there's a way: LG Sinha shows the way



JAMMU: Drenched in patriotic fervor, the picturesque Kashmir Valley is beaming the vivid saga of young and the old making the national campaign of Har Ghar Tiranga a grand success. The colorful visuals of the enthusiastic bike and boat rallies, dominating prime time slots on the national television channels, must be worrisome for a few some-like Mehbooba Mufti, who is on record having dared the mighty India, saying if Article 370 is tinkered with, there won't be anybody to hold the Tricolour.

The people in Kashmir are proudly carrying Tiranga in rallies and various other events besides hoisting it at their houses-Har Ghar Tiranga. This all is happening in a place infamous for 'Ragdo

Ragdo', once upon a time, when the anti-national elements used to trample Tiranga under their feet in full media gaze. The virus of this ugly scenario had even travelled to parts of the Jammu region. On November 22, 2017, a most provocative and indecent incident happened in the Baba Ghulam Shah Badshah University in Rajouri when disrespect was shown towards the National Anthem in presence of the then Governor N. N Vohra. Two students were booked for capturing the ugly moments of the disrespect on their mobile phones and taking selfies. Sometime later pro-Pakistan slogans were raised in Nowshera in the rally of a former MLA.

Now the scenario is quite different. The visuals emanating from the Valley are inspiring. Tiranga rallies in the cities, towns and rural areas speak a lot about the changing times. The mood was cap-

tured in the world famous Dal Lake where Lieutenant Governor Manoj Sinha flagged off the Tiranga Rally.

This is how LG has shown the way, proving the adage, 'Where there's a will, there's a way'. Kashmir has transformed and traversed a long way, which is why the nationalistic campaign like 'Har Ghar Tiranga' is evoking huge response and witnessing variety of activities in different departments and in schools all over the Union Territory in general and the Kashmir Valley in particular.

Painting, National Anthem singing, essay competitions, quiz programmes, debates and seminars are being held in the colleges, schools besides, Tiranga Rallies, Flag hoisting on buildings as well as homes are also being held across the districts.

The spirit of the young generation is so high that they have started

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HAR GHAR TIRANGA

Let's celebrate Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav by Hoisting Tiranga at our Homes, Shops and other establishments from 13-15 August

Whenever the National Flag is displayed, it should occupy the position of honour and should be distinctly placed.

A damaged or dishevelled Flag shall not be displayed

No other flag or bunting should be placed higher than or above or side by side with the National Flag

Flag can now be hoisted in homes for 24hours

The National Flag shall not be displayed in an inverted manner

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