

BJP will seek people's support over development, tightening noose around anti-nationals: Kavinder



Former Dy CM, Kavinder Gupta planting a sapling.

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JAMMU: Senior BJP leader and former Deputy Chief Minister Kavinder Gupta on Monday said that BJP will decimate opposition in forthcoming polls for it has ensured unprecedented development and tightened the noose around anti-nationals.

He was speaking after launching a plantation drive at Bharat Mata Mandir Park to mark the birthday of Prime Minister Narendra Modi. Kavinder made this statement in response to

PDP chief's allegation that BJP is using the name of Taliban and Pakistan to garner people's support.

He said that anti-nationals and those who deliberately bashed India to radicalize J&K must note that nationalist BJP need not to evoke anyone or any country to seek people's support as the party is toeing the line which will ensure jail for those acting against the country and make India part of pool of developed countries unlike Mehbooba's role model Taliban and

Pakistan who feel elated after demonizing women and children.

He said that BJP has given due rights to daughters of the J&K including Mehbooba by nullifying the Article 370 and opening up vistas of opportunities for the people who were earlier subjected to injustice in the name of this contentious Article of the Constitution which was used by Mufti clan and its ilk to satiate their very own vested interests. He said that BJP government has taught a lesson of life to anti-nationals and soft separatists and that is enough to get a resounding majority in J&K and in the Lok Sabha elections.

Others present during the event include Vinay Gupta, Neeraj Puri, Pawan Singh, Ajay Gupta, Rahul Kumar, Maheep Puri, Manohar Lal Menia, Arjun Suri, Indu Puri, Sarojini Sharma, Ashwani Gupra and Vishal Gupta.

Mayor starts development works at Graveyard



Mayor, Chander Mohan Gupta starting development work.

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JAMMU: Continuing his endeavour to provide more development & civic amenities to the people of Jammu, Chander Mohan Gupta Mayor JMC along with Satpal Karlupia Councillor of Ward 32 today kick started the construction work of Boundary wall around the Muslim Graveyard situated at Auqaf land near Gol Panjpeer Talab Tillo Jammu.

Mayor said that it was one of the oldest

Graveyard in Jammu and due to open area, our Muslim brothers were facing great hardships in performing the last sites of their known deceased persons as passersby often throw garbage, wastes in the area creating unhygienic condition.

He further told that JMC is committed to provide sufficient funds especially for the upliftment/renovation of cremation grounds/Shishu Samadhian/Graveyards etc. in various wards of the city.

Commandant 25th Bn IRP Ladakh visits RSETI Leh

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LEH: A training programme on Fast Food Stall Udyami conducted by State Bank of India Rural Self Employment Training Institute Leh (SBI RSETI) concluded here on Monday. A total of 38 unemployed youths were trained for 15 days in two batches from different areas of Leh including remote villages of Changthang and Nubra valley.

The participants learned to prepare various types of cakes. Other items including donut, cookies, chowmein, fried rice, chilly chicken, veg roll, bread toast, sandwich, honey chilli potato, burger, mohito, coconut cookies pizza, pani puri, potato bites, patties etc.

The training programme was assessed online by officials of National Academy of RUD-SETI which included viva by two NAR officials through video conferencing and then online exam. All the participants who appeared in online exam cleared it successfully.

On the occasion, a function was organized in which certificates of participations were dis-



Participants posing with dignitaries after receiving certificates.

turbed by SSP Stanzin Nurboo (AIG Personal)/ Commandant IRP 25th BN Ladakh who was also the Chief Guest of the occasion.

He insisted that there is good scope of fast food and bakery products in Leh especially during the winter. He advised the trainees to setup their unit in outskirts of city where there is no parking issues for customers.

Anil Singh, Director SBI RSETI Leh congratulated the participants on successful completion of training. He also told them that the institute will make timely and regular follow up with each participant. He maintained that the institute will soon conduct new courses in Construction work, building painting, soft toys making,

brass craft apart from the regular courses being conducted presently depending upon the local requirement.

The programme was also attended by Tsewang Dorjay (Chief Manager SBI RACC Leh), Rohit Kumar Sharma (Manager SBI RACC Leh) & by Rigzin Gurmenth (BM SBI Choglamsar).

RSETI Leh was established on September 16, 2013 and a total of 2305 unemployed youths have been trained in 107 batches, out of which 1468 trainees has been settled. 664 trainees has been provided Bank finance.

The programme ended with word of thanks by Sonam Chozang, Faculty SBI RSETI Leh.

DGP sanctions relief in favour of SPOs & NoKs of martyrs

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SRINAGAR: Continuing with its endeavour to provide succour to the NoKs of martyrs, SPOs in the time of need, the Director General of Police (DGP) J&K Dilbag Singh on Monday sanctioned financial assistance/medical relief over Rs 11.60 lakh in favour of 40 SPOs and welfare relief of Rs 90,000 in favour of NoKs of martyred police personnel vide two different orders.

Vide order No. 2895 financial assistance/medical relief of Rs 11,68,965 has been sanctioned in favour of 40 SPOs engaged with J&K Police in different districts/wings. The assistance provided has been sanctioned out of SPOs Contributory Fund/Police Pariwar fund ranges from Rs 10,000 to Rs 50,000.

Similarly, vide order no. 2892 welfare relief of Rs 90,000 has been sanctioned in favour of NoKs of three martyred police personnel to defray the expenses in connection with self treatment or treatment of their dependents. The welfare relief amount ranges from Rs 15,000 to Rs 50,000 and has been sanctioned out of the Police Pariwar fund.

It is pertinent to note here that Police Headquarters is running many schemes for the welfare of its personnel and their families. There are also schemes for the wards of Police personnel and SPOs. Besides, there are schemes for the NoKs of martyrs, their wards and also for the retired Police personnel and their spouses.

KPS urges Govt to arrange payment of relief to migrants

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JAMMU: The Kashmiri Pandit Sabha held a meeting under the Chairmanship of its President K.K Khosa to take stock of the pressing issues being faced by the displaced Kashmiri Pandit community.

While discussing various steps being taken by the UT Govt. to ease the lives of the community especially the downtrodden section, the members urged the government to arrange the payment of much delayed relief to mitigate their sufferings immediately.

The members hailed the statement made by the Lt. Governor Manoj Sinha that GoI and the UT government are committed to return of Pandits to the Valley while speaking in his monthly pro-

gramme on all India radio yesterday.

"Since neither the GoI nor the UT government have spelt out a well thought out and pragmatic plan for ensuring the return and rehabilitation of the Kashmiri Pandits in the Valley in a time bound period therefore the community continues to remain confused and skeptical about their future," they said adding that inspite of umpteen requests made to GoI and UT government that community representatives should be taken into confidence before finalizing the return policy.

The latest step taken to create a web portal for registration of complaints regarding properties alienated by the Pandits by way of distress sales etc. is a good step but

again return policy cannot remain hostage to removal of encroachments and restoration of properties to the original owners.

It is essential that decent accommodation be created for the entire Kashmiri Pandit community so that they have a place where they can move and settle down with dignity and honor and a full sense of security.

Most of the Kashmiri Pandits who were hounded out in 1990 were living in their own houses having decent accommodation. Any further delay in framing return policy will be detrimental to the safety of our culture and identity.

Even in the new recruitment of 1997 PM Package employees, the Government has unfairly subjected their

recruitment to the provisions of SO 194.

The members also showed concern over the fact that the much touted new accommodation being constructed for PM package employees is having just one BHK which by no standards is decent enough.

The members demanded that two BHK quarters should be constructed and allotted to PM package employees who have been living in inhuman conditions during the past 10 years.

The meeting was attended by J.L Zutshi, S.L Bagati, G.J Kampassi, Ashok Khar, Subash Dhar, B.L Tiku, Jitender Parimoo, Rajinder Tiku, Anil Wakhloo, Dr. Usha Tickoo, Asha Kitchloo, Deepak Dhar, Verinder Raina and Vijay Mukhi.

CVPPPL holds 10th Annual General Meeting



Chairman CVPPPL, Suresh Kumar chairing a meeting.

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JAMMU: 10th Annual General Meeting of Chenab Valley Power Projects Private Limited (CVPPPL), now a Joint Venture Company of NHPC Ltd. & JKSPDC Limited which is entrusted with the implementation of four hydroelectric projects i.e Pakal Dul (1000 MW), Kiru (624 MW), Kwar (540 MW) and Kirthai-II (930 MW) HE Projects in Chenab basin, was held on Monday under the Chairmanship of Suresh Kumar, IAS (Retd.), Chairman CVPPPL at

Jammu. Annual account for the year 2020-21 was adopted in the AGM and shareholders approved implementation of Kirthai-II 930 MW HEP Project by CVPPPL and transfer of Dulhasti Stage-II to NHPC Limited as per MOU signed on January 3, 2021 along with increase in Authorised Share Capital of the Company from Rs 3500 crore to Rs 5200 crore.

In the meeting, Shareholders took note of the change in shareholding pattern of CVPPPL from 49

(NHPC): 49 (JKSPDC): 2 (PTC) to 51 (NHPC): 49 (JKSPDC) and resolved that pursuant to applicable provisions of Section 2(87) of the Companies Act, 2013, CVPPPL has become a Subsidiary of NHPC Limited, which is Government of India Enterprise, in which NHPC Limited holds 51% shareholding and further consequential follow up action shall be taken by CVPPPL after receipt of signed Supplementary Promoters Agreement between NHPC and JKSPDC.

The AGM was attended by Board members namely R.P Goyal, Director (Finance) NHPC, Y.K Choubey, Director (Technical) NHPC and A.K Choudhary, MD CVPPPL along with K.K Goel, ED (Finance) and S. Anand, Company Secretary besides CA Raj Mehra, Statutory Auditors through video conferencing.

Federation of Retailers Association extends support to Jammu Bandh

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JAMMU: A meeting of the Executive Members of the Federation of Retailers Association was held under the chairmanship of Yash Paul Gupta president of the Federation.

In the meeting it was unanimously decided that we will support to Jammu Bandh on September 22, 2021 against the Multinational Companies like Reliance/Jio Mart and others who want to capture the whole Business in the Jammu Region, they are not capturing the Retail Business only but they are controlling the whole business with opening hundreds of out lets.

The members were of the opinion that we should not allow them in the Jammu region in any cost.

"Sewa aur Samarpan" is inherent aptitude of BJP: Baru

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JAMMU: To gear up the "Sewa aur Samarpan Abhiyan" BJP Leader and Incharge JKUT Booth Activities for the "Sewa aur Samarpan Abhiyan" Sanjay Kumar Baru chaired a meeting of BJP Organizational District Jammu (Rural) presided by its President Rajinder Singh Chib in District office at Nagbani.

While addressing the meeting, Sanjay Kumar Baru said by following the "Antyodaya" ideology of Pt. Dindayal Upadhyaya our Prime Minister Shree Narinder Modi always dedicated himself for the welfare of poor; deprived, Dalits, Tribals, backward classes and farmers. After over decades of neglecting attitude towards these sections of society, now are being heard by the Bharatiya Janata Party led Modi Government and they have also been empowered to fulfill their aspirations.

Baru further said that on the direction of National Leadership



BJP leader Sanjay Kumar Baru chairing a meeting of party's Organizational District Jammu (Rural).

and BJP, Jammu-Kashmir(UT) President Ravinder Raina and General Secretary(Org.) Ashok Koul presided over different activities under "Sewa aur Samarpan Abhiyan" starting from 17th September on the birthday of Prime Minister Narinder Modi including booth level programmes, Environmental programmes, Health Medical and Blood donation Camps, Sewa(Donation) programmes, Publicity of Achievement of Modi's Government, birthday celebration of Pt.Dindayal Upadhyaya on 25th September, "Mann ki Baat" on 26th September, Celebration of Gandhi's Jayanti on 02

October and this Abhiyan will close on 07 October,2021 the day Modi completing 20 years as Chief Minister of Gujarat and Prime Minister of World largest Democracy. Rajinder Singh Chib said that district office bearers along with Morecha's teams, Mandal Presidents and district Incharges of all these activities are putting their best efforts to arrange different activities and programmes in Jammu-Rural district to make success of "Sewa aur Samarpan Abhiyan".

District General Secretaries K.L Sharma and Pardeep Singh Chib, Mandal Presidents

NC seeks course correction in relief mechanism of Kashmiri Migrants

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JAMMU: Expressing serious concern and anguish over the indifference of the administration towards the displaced Kashmiri Migrants especially for stopping the cash assistance to the eligible card holders, National Conference Provincial Vice President Anil Dhar on Monday sought the intervention by the Lieutenant Governor Manoj Sinha for resolving the issue forthwith.

"Monthly cash assistance is the only source of sustenance for many displaced Kashmiri Pandit families and how can the concerned agency can be so callous by not understanding and appreciating this fact", Dhar said while interacting with the senior functionaries and members of the NC Minority Cell here this afternoon. He said the insensitivity of stoppage of this the administration speaks volumes about its callousness and high moral grandstanding with regard to mitigating the sufferings of the segment of society bound-

ed out from their homes and hearths over three decades ago, Dhar said and sought immediate course correction in the mechanism to avert recurrence of such insensitivities. Dhar exhorted the administration to delink the payment of relief from the payment of dues to contractors, which results in such contingencies. He hoped early redressal of the problem and also sought registration of all displaced Kashmiri Migrants under Aynush scheme.

While seeking immediate and regulated release of cash assistance to accredited displaced population, Chairman NC Minority Cell and former MLC Bushan Lal Bhat also made a strong plea for raising adequate number of apartments in all the cities, towns and other urban centres in the Valley for safe, dignified and smooth return and rehabilitation of the unfortunate community after three decades of exile as refugees in their own country.

their condolence message. They also prayed to God to give eternal peace to the noble soul

in the heaven and courage to her family to bear this irreparable loss.

Power shutdown

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JAMMU: Chief Engineer (Distribution) JPDCL, Jammu on Monday informed that power supply to Gandhi Nagar; Shastri Nagar; Gole Market, Govt. Hospital Gandhi Nagar; Nanak Nagar; Sanjay Nagar and adjoining areas shall remain affected on September 21 from 7:00 AM to 10:00 AM.

Similarly, the power supply to Malhori, Kupar; Tutan Di Khui, Badyal Brahmana, BSF, Kadyal Mandal, Gurha, Raya, Smailpur and adjoining areas shall remain affected on September 21 from 8:00 AM to 1:00 PM.

Likewise, the power supply to Billawar; Mandi, Phinter, Parnalla and adjoining areas of Baggan, Batera, GREF, Sua No. 1, Gharkhal and adjoining areas shall remain affected on September 21 from 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM.

Meanwhile, Superintending Engineer, O&M Circle, Jammu (JPDCL) has informed that power supply to Greater Kailash and its adjoining areas shall remain affected on September 21 from 8:00 AM to 2:00 PM.

Similarly, the power supply to Nanak Nagar and its adjoining areas shall remain affected on September 23 from 7:00 AM to 1:00 PM.

Likewise, the power supply to Trikuta Nagar and its adjoining areas shall remain affected on September 21 and 23 from 7:00 AM to 1:00 PM.

Similarly, the power supply to Barnai, Natar Kotha, Lower Muthi, KC Door, PHE adjoining, Lower Barnai, Industrial Area and their adjoining areas shall remain affected on September 21 from 7:00 AM to 12:00 noon.

Meanwhile, Superintending Engineer (Distribution), (JPDCL), O&M Circle, Kathua has informed that power supply to Near 220 KV GSS and Phase III SIDCO Samba and adjoining areas shall remain affected on September 22 from 8:00 AM to 12:00 Noon.

Similarly, the power supply near Doordarshan and adjoining areas shall remain affected on September 22 from 8:00 AM to 12:00 Noon.

Likewise, the power supply to Kothi Morh, Patayari, W. No 5 & 6, Bari Brahmana, Birpur Ansal and adjoining areas shall remain affected on September 21, 23 and 25 from 7:00 AM to 1:00 PM.

Similarly, the power supply to Hiranagar Town, Hospital, Deepak Chowk, Main Bazaar and adjoining areas shall remain affected on September 21 from 8:00 AM to 2:00 PM.