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Looking forward to strong ties with Brunei: Modi



PM Narendra Modi arrived at Omar Ali Saifuddien Mosque in Brunei on Tuesday.

■ STATE TIMES NEWS
BANDAR SERI BEGAWAN: Prime Minister Narendra Modi on Tuesday said he was looking forward to strong ties with Brunei, as he arrived here on the first leg of his two-nation trip meant to strengthen cooperation in sectors like defence, trade and investment, energy

as well as people-to-people exchanges.
Modi, the first Indian Prime Minister to travel to Brunei on a bilateral visit, said he was looking forward to his meetings with Sultan Hassanal Bolkiah and other members of the royal family to take the historical relationship to new heights.

Two inter-state drug trafficking gangs busted; NCB arrests 4 narco smugglers

■ STATE TIMES NEWS
JAMMU: In the wake of upcoming Legislative Assembly elections, the National Control Bureau (NCB) sleuths have intensified crackdown on drug peddlers and seized huge cache of Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances in two separate cases.
Four narco smugglers have been arrested so far in connection with these cases.
On a specific information, the NCB Jammu Zonal Unit recovered and seized 3,000 Alprazolam Tablets, 14,106 Spasmo Proxyvon Plus (Tramadol) Capsules, 221 Bottles of Codeine based

Cough Syrup (100 ml each) and Approx 5 Litres of Codeine based Cough syrup in water bottles at Near Zamindara Dhaba, Ring Road, Samba from the possession of two accused persons, Mohd Abbas Bhat, son of Nazir Ahmad Bhat, resident of Noorpora, Pulwama and Zahoor Ahmad Shah, resident of Takeya, Ghulab Bagh, Pulwama, who were arrested day before in this connection.
"Today, the receiver of the seized drugs namely Sareed Ahmad Ganie, son of Abdul Rasheed Ganie, residen t of Anantnag has been

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Assembly Elections: DPAP releases second list of 10 candidates


■ STATE TIMES NEWS
JAMMU: The Democratic Progressive Azad Party (DPAP) on Tuesday released second list of ten candidates for the Assembly elections in Jammu and Kashmir. The party's General Secretary (organisation) R S Chib released the list.
The party has decided to field Ch Gharu Ram from the Jammu South

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Rahul to launch Cong's J&K poll campaign with 2 rallies today

■ STATE TIMES NEWS
JAMMU: Leader of Opposition in the Lok Sabha Rahul Gandhi will address two public rallies in Ramban and Anantnag districts on Wednesday, kickstarting the Congress' campaign for the Jammu and Kashmir assembly polls being held after a gap of 10 years.
These rallies are part of the campaign for the party's candidates contesting in the first phase of the elections

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WEATHER

Temperature (Jammu)
Max: 32.7°C Min: 22.0°C

Humidity
Max: 91 Min: 37

Temperature (Srinagar)
Max: 24.4°C Min: 17.8°C

Humidity
Max: 90 Min: 68

Sunset : 18:53 Hours
Sunrise : 06:06 Hours

PM visits iconic Omar Ali Saifuddien Mosque

BANDAR SERI BEGAWAN: Prime Minister Narendra Modi Tuesday visited Brunei's iconic Omar Ali Saifuddien Mosque built by the father of the current Sultan Hassanal Bolkiah.
"Went to the Omar Ali Saifuddien Mosque in Brunei," Modi said in a post on X.
The prime minister was received by Minister of Religious Affairs Pehin Dato Ustaz Awang Badaruddin at the mosque, where he also watched a video depicting its history. Minister of Health Mohammad Isham was also present.
The mosque is named after Omar Ali Saifuddien III, the 28th Sultan of Brunei (father of the current Sultan, who also initiated its construction), and was completed in 1958.
A gathering of Indian community members was also present to greet the prime minister. Currently, approximately 14,000 Indians are residing in Brunei.
Modi, who arrived here on the first leg of his two-nation trip earlier in the day, is the first Indian Prime Minister to travel to the country on a bilateral visit. Then Prime Minister Manmohan Singh visited Brunei

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As a special gesture, Modi was received by Crown Prince Al-Muhtadee Billah at the airport. From Brunei, Modi will travel to Singapore on Wednesday.
Modi visited the iconic

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Omar Ali Saifuddien Mosque in Brunei, which was built by the current Sultan's father. He also inaugurated the new chancery premises of the High Commission

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BJP will make J&K industrial hub: Chugh

"Abdullahs, Muftis, Gandhis deliberately kept J&K on the boil to fill their coffers"

■ STATE TIMES NEWS
BHADARWAI: BJP National General Secretary Tarun Chugh, who is also the party incharge for J&K, on Tuesday promised to set up industrial clusters in Jammu and Kashmir where the skilled youth would find new avenues of enterprise.

Addressing a public gathering in favour of the BJP candidate for the coming Assembly elections, Chugh said the youth of J&K need to touch new heights in different professions, be it lawyer, doctor or engineer.
"The time of stones and AK-47s is over and now



Prime Minister Narendra Modi has given a new sunrise to J&K where prosperity and development would take place by leaps and bounds",

said Chugh amid thundering applause from the public gathering.
He said the Prime Minister has ensured foodgrains for

every poor family. He has promised a shelter for every person and ensured adequate health facilities for the poor.
Making a strong appeal to the people to vote for the BJP, Chugh said it is time Abdullahs and Muftis are shown the door because in the past more than 70 years they have "looted the people and their resources to fill their coffers".
The trio of Abdullahs, Muftis and Gandhis had deliberately made J&K a capital of terrorists by secretly joining hands with the Pakistan ISI. Now

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IGP reviews preparedness for upcoming Assembly polls

■ STATE TIMES NEWS
SRINAGAR: Kashmir's top cop on Tuesday reviewed the security preparedness for the forthcoming Assembly polls in the valley.

"In order to review the preparedness for the Assembly election, IGP, Kashmir Zone V K Birdi chaired a meeting with the senior police officers of the Kashmir Zone at the Police Control Room here," a police spokesperson said, adding that the meeting was attended by all range deputy inspectors general and senior superintendents of police of the districts of the valley.
Birdi briefed the officers

regarding the overall election preparedness and arrival of Central Armed Paramilitary Forces (CAPF) to the Union Territory of Jammu and Kashmir.
All the district police chiefs were briefed about the phase-wise deployments available, inter and intra-district movement of forces and their induction and de-induction in the districts, the spokesperson said.
He said Viridi stressed upon all the district police chiefs to ensure proper logistics and transportation arrangement for the CAPF in their respective districts.

He said his CAPF counterpart may also be involved during the deployment process and directed that all efforts be taken for a smooth induction of the CAPF and to ensure their meticulous deployment in all three phases of the upcoming polls.
The district police heads briefed the IGP with regard to the preparations on the ground and assured him that all necessary measures would be taken to ensure a smooth and peaceful conduct of the election.
The IGP directed the range heads and district

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K Rajalakshmi Menon is new DG (Aero) DRDO

■ STATE TIMES NEWS
BENGALURU: K Rajalakshmi Menon has taken over as Director



General (Aero) of DRDO with additional charge of Director, Centre for Airborne Systems (CABS).
"Dr K Rajalakshmi Menon as DG (Aero) will now be responsible for all programmes under Aero Cluster, which will function under her creative leadership," an official

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CJ (A) issues additional guidelines for Action Plan to achieve zero 5 year plus cases target in J&K, Ladakh

■ STATE TIMES NEWS
JAMMU: Chief Justice (A) Tashi Rabstan issued additional guidelines for action Plan to achieve target of zero five year plus cases in J&K, Ladakh.
According to the circular issued by Registrar General J&K High Court Shahzad Azeem that in continuation to the Action Plan circulated vide High Court Circular No. 08 of 2023 /RG/GS dated 05.12.2023 and with an intent to curb and decrease the pendency of five years plus old case, to indicate and suggest measures aimed at the disposal of oldest case, to ensure equitable and rationalized distribution / allocation of oldest case among the Judicial officers and to discuss measures to generally maximize the disposal of cases, the following guidelines are hereby issued for its adherence by the District Judiciary:-
The Principal District

Judges of each District shall constitute a 'District Case Management Committee' presided over by himself, a senior Additional District Judge (if available) and a Senior Civil Judge preferably CJM to supervise the case management strategy in each District. The committee may invite the Judicial Officers concerned in whose courts the oldest cases are pending, the President(s), office bearers and members of the Bar Associations as well as Govt. Pleaders and Public Prosecutors to the meetings if it is felt necessary;
The District Case Management Committee shall hold periodical meetings at the District Headquarters preferably in the afternoon (after court hours) on the last working day of every month. The Judicial officers working at places other than the District Headquarters may opt to attend the meeting through virtual mode;
The Pr. District Judge shall set the schedule & Agenda of review meetings of the Case Management Committee on monthly basis to monitor the progress of disposal of old cases and to issue directions or make suggestions to Judicial Officers for the speedy disposal of such oldest/target cases. The Principal District Judge shall submit the minutes of monthly review meetings of the District Case Management Committee to the Member Secretary to the SCMS Committee by the 5th day of every month. The Member-Secretary of the Committee shall, in turn, place the same before the Hon'ble Committee for perusal and soliciting directions/instructions;
The District Case Management Committee shall identify and

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All commercial establishments of J&K asked to observe mandatory 'Close Day'

■ STATE TIMES NEWS
SRINAGAR: The Office of Labour Commissioner has asked all the Shops and Commercial Establishment of UT of Jammu and Kashmir to remain entirely closed on one day of the week to observe the mandatory 'Close Day'.
A circular issued by the Office of Labour Commissioner reads, "in terms of Section-13 of the Jammu and Kashmir Shops & Establishment Act, 1966, every Shop or Commercial Establishment of the UT of Jammu and Kashmir, registered under the Act, shall remain entirely closed on one

day of the week to observe the mandatory Close Day".
It adds that it has come to the notice of this department that most of the Shops or Commercial Establishment owners do not close their shops or establishments on their designated 'Close Days', thereby violating the provisions of J&K Shops & Establishment Act, 1966.
The circular further reads that Section-13 of the Act also provides that it shall not be lawful for an employer to call an employee at his shop or commercial establishment or any other place for any work in connection

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Speed up transfer of technology to artisans: CS



Chief Secretary, Atal Dulloo chairing a meeting at Srinagar.

■ STATE TIMES NEWS
SRINAGAR: Chief Secretary, Atal Dulloo, on Tuesday called upon the National Institute of Fashion Technology (NIFT) Srinagar to speed up efforts to transfer technologies from the lab to the grassroots level.
While chairing the 4th meeting of the State Level Advisory Committee (SLAC) of NIFT at Civil Secretariat here, Atal Dulloo said that fusion of craftsmanship and

technology will pave the way for new opportunities, expanded markets, and enriched creative processes.
CS said that NIFT and Craft Development Institute (CDI), Srinagar should come up with a comprehensive framework for capacity building and training of master trainers who would later train the local artisans.
He said that NIFT should think about introduction

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Result Notification
Engagement of Apprentices

Pursuant to Advertisement No. JKB/HRD/Rectt/2024-267 Dated: 09.05.2024 read with Advertisement No. JKB/HR/Rectt/2024-380 Dated: 02.07.2024, result of candidates who appeared in Online Examination for Engagement as Apprentice has been made available on Bank's website @ www.jkbank.com under careers tab as shared by IBPS Mumbai. Candidates can check their result by clicking the link "Online Result - Engagement of Apprentice"

Date & Venue for Document Verification of shortlisted candidates will be communicated separately via registered Email IDs as well as Bank's website.
Note: Shortlisted candidates are informed to regularly check careers tab of Bank's website and their registered Email for further updates.

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