

SHORT STORIES

6,692 fresh COVID cases registered in UP

**Lucknow:** With 6,692 people testing positive for COVID-19, Uttar Pradesh on Saturday reported the highest single-day surge in the number of fresh cases with state capital Lucknow topping the chart with 1,006 cases. With 81 fresh COVID-19 deaths, so far 3,843 patients have succumbed to the viral disease in the state. The previous single-day highest spike in COVID cases, registered on August 30, was 6,233. According to the UP government's Saturday health bulletin, the bulk of 81 deaths was reported from Lucknow, followed by seven deaths from Kanpur. Gorakhpur and Hardoi reported 5 deaths each. Varanasi reported 4 deaths and Ghaziabad three.

Deaths in single figures were reported from each of the 75 districts of the state, barring a few. Allahabad reported 413 fresh COVID-19 cases followed by 362 from Kanpur. Cases were also reported from Gautam Buddha Nagar (213), Gorakhpur (206), Saharanpur (198), Varanasi (190), Shahjahanpur (184), Ghaziabad (167), Meerut (156), Pratapgarh (148), Bareilly (133), Ramapur (132), Moradabad (128), Ayodhya (124), Barabanki (120), Aligarh (116), Jhansi (104). So far, as many as 1,95,959 COVID-19 patients have recovered from the viral disease. The count of active COVID-19 cases in the state stands at 59,963, the bulletin said. The count of total COVID-19 cases in the state is 2,59,765.

Man arrested for making objection remarks against PM

**Baghpat:** A 42-year-old man arrested in Odisha's Cuttack district for allegedly posting hate messages against Prime Minister Narendra Modi and Uttar Pradesh Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath on social media is being brought to Baghpat on transit remand, police said on Saturday. "The Uttar Pradesh police team has started from Odisha with accused Hasan Ahmed," SHO Shiv Pratap Singh of Singhwali Aheer police station in Baghpat Shiv Pratap Singh said.

Ahmed has one case of similar nature for targeting Hindu leaders registered against him in Lucknow and three in Varanasi, he said, adding the identity of his accomplices would be clear during his questioning after he is brought here. The case against Cuttack resident Ahmed was registered at the Singhwali Aheer police station on July 10 on the complaint of VHP office bearer Kuldeep Panchal, who had accused him of making objectionable comments against the Prime Minister and UP chief minister, said the SHO.

"After he lodged the complaint, the VHP leader got a call from Pakistan number and a letter in Urdu threatening to kill him. Subsequently, a case was registered against the accused person under various sections of the IPC. On Friday, the IT cell informed that accused Hasan Ahmed was arrested in Cuttack," Singh said.

The accused, hailing from Kusumbi village, was held by an Uttar Pradesh police team on Thursday. Ahmed has been booked under different sections of the Indian Penal Code, including Section 124A for sedition, he said. "The Uttar Pradesh police had sought the help of the local police here. Our personnel extended necessary cooperation to the team in nabbing the accused," Superintendent of Police, Cuttack (Sadar), Jugal Kishore Banoth, said.

Amarinder asks Congress MLAs to counter AAP's vicious Covid propaganda

**Jag Mohan Thaken Chandigarh:** Moving aggressively to counter the much highlighted vicious propaganda allegedly launched in several villages against the state government's Covid containment and management strategy, Punjab Chief Minister Captain Amarinder Singh on Saturday asked Congress Ministers and MLAs of the concerned constituencies to liaise with the villages on the ground to combat the negative campaign on testing and organ harvesting, which was actively being propagated by the Aam Aadmi Party (AAP). A media spokesperson of the Chief Minister divulged this.

The spokesperson stated that the Chief Minister has said AAP was spreading senseless fear in the minds of the villagers, thus deterring them from getting themselves tested for coronavirus and endangering their lives.

CM also said that his government would seek advice from the Government of India about the web channels that had mushroomed recently and were actively involved in spreading misinformation about the pandemic. Action will be taken against them, he added.

The Chief Minister was presiding over a high-level virtual meeting attended by several cabinet ministers and MLAs representing some of the constituencies where Gram Panchayats had purportedly passed resolutions against the state government's Covid management programme. He shall be holding more rounds of similar meetings next week.

The Chief Minister said AAP had been promoting 'no testing' and an activist of their party had also been arrested for spreading false information on Covid testing/treatment. LIP leader Simrajit Singh Bains had also joined in creating an atmosphere of fear among the people by himself refusing to be tested and calling for no testing and no masks, he said.

Termining AAP's announcement of distributing Oxymeters a political stunt, Captain Amarinder said Oxymeters had no connection with testing, and delay in the latter was the main reason for the state's growing fatality rate. Given the pa-

J-K LG inaugurates State Council of Education, Research and Training

**Srinagar:** Jammu and Kashmir Lt Governor Manoj Sinha on Saturday inaugurated the State Council of Education, Research and Training (SCERT) on the lines of NCERT to assist the administration in implementing policies for human resource development, an official spokesperson said. The Lieutenant Governor also announced union territory-level awards for the teaching fraternity in Jammu and Kashmir from next year.

In an online event, the Lt governor, while addressing scores of teachers and students from across the union territory, greeted the teaching fraternity on the occasion of Teachers' Day, which is observed as a mark of respect for the nation-builders, underscoring their indispensable role in the overall development and progress of our great country, he said.

At the event, Sinha formally launched the Early Childhood Care and Education (ECCE) scheme through online mode and also dedicated projects, worth Rs 20 crores, of the School Education Department, accentuating overall education infrastructure in the UT, the spokesperson said. He said the SCERT was also inaugurated on this occasion through electronic mode. The SCERT will function in the union territory on the lines of the National Council of Educational Research and Training (NCERT), which is the apex institution of educational research and training at the national level. During the event, the Lt governor took note of the efforts of the teaching fraternity during the prevailing COVID-19 pandemic and said they have shown the society that tough times can be used as an opportunity.



thetic Covid situation in Delhi, where AAP was in power, their pretension of being concerned about the people of Punjab was ridiculous, he said.

Stressing that the Oxymeters were no substitute for testing, the Chief Minister said blood Oxygen levels can fall very fast, so the only key to saving lives is early testing and diagnosis. He pointed out that 85% of all the infected patients recover, as long as they get themselves tested in time. Of the remaining 15% who have complications, only 5% need ICU or Oxygen support, he said, adding that the Oxymeters were being unnecessarily and wrongly hyped by AAP, in a bid to mislead the people.

AAP and people like Bains are not bothered about the lives of the people and are only concerned about taking political mileage from the crisis, said the Chief Minister, urging the elected representatives to mobilise and liaison with Panchayats to counter the false and mischievous propaganda. Sarpanches, Panches and local opinion makers should be asked to take the lead in getting themselves tested, he said.

Besides Health & Family Welfare Minister Balbir Singh Sidhu and Rural Development & Panchayats Minister Tript Singh Bajwa, Medical Education & Minister OP Soni, other Cabinet ministers who attended the virtual meeting were Raza Sultana, Rana Gurmeet Singh Sodhi, Gurpreet Singh Kangar, Sukhbinder Singh Sarkaria, and Vijay Inder Singla.

Haryana Universities Celebrated Teachers Day

**TSN/Chandigarh:** "A teacher is the backbone of a country, he plays an important role in laying the foundation of the country's future. Therefore, every teacher should imbibe his ideals in his life."

These views were expressed by Prof. Samar Singh, Vice Chancellor, Chaudhary Charan Singh Haryana Agricultural University, Hisar, in a ceremony organized to honour the teachers of the University on the occasion of Teachers' Day.

Professor Samar Singh said that the post of teacher is very prestigious. Therefore, the teacher should contribute positively in nation building with constructive thinking. He congratulated the teachers of the University and said that even during the ongoing crisis due to the corona pandemic, teachers

Mosque in Ayodhya will be of same size as Babri Masjid: Trust

**Lucknow:** A mosque that will come up in Ayodhya pursuant to the Supreme Court verdict in the Ram Janmabhoomi case will be of the same size as Babri Masjid, said an office-bearer of the trust formed for its construction.

The five-acre complex in Ayodhya's Dhannipur village will also house a hospital, a library and a mu-

seum among others, the office-bearer said, adding that retired professor and noted food critic Pushpesh Pant will be consultant curator of the museum. "...the complex of the mosque, which will be built in Dhannipur, will also have facilities like a hospital, a museum at the Indo-Islamic Research Centre. The mosque will be on 15,000 square feet, while

the rest of the land will have these facilities," Athar Hussain, the secretary and spokesperson of Indo-Islamic Cultural Foundation (IICF), said on Saturday. "Yesterday, noted food critic Pushpesh Pant gave his consent to curate the museum," Hussain said. The Uttar Pradesh Sunni Central Waqf Board has formed the Indo-Islamic Cultural Foundation

through public appreciation of their good work.

PCC Chief Sunil Jakhar said whether or not a formal resolution had been passed by villages, the role of miscreants was definitely evident and a close watch should be kept on such elements. He underscored the coincidence between the deadly campaign and the AAP decision to distribute Oxymeters, saying this clearly indicated AAP role in the false propaganda.

Panchayats should be encouraged to propagate early testing and home quarantine, Jakhar said. The Punjab Congress president also lauded the excellent work done by the concerned departments and teams at hospitals in battling the pandemic and called for recognising the contribution of doctors and other health staff.

In a brief presentation, Health Secretary Hussan Lal said the vicious campaign to discredit the government's efforts had impacted testing, which had gone down. With patients reporting late in tertiary care institutions, the number of deaths there had gone up, he said. The Secretary said the department was being liberal on home isolation to mitigate the fear of the patients and encourage people to get themselves tested.

To encourage testing for Covid, Punjab Chief Minister Captain Amarinder Singh on Saturday announced distribution of free food packets to poor families who do not want to get themselves tested for fear of isolation impacting their meager earnings.

The Chief Minister said the distribution of free food packets would help encourage poor families to go for early testing, which was imperative to check the spread of the pandemic and control the increasing fatality rate in Punjab.

The programme will start from Patiala, one of the worst affected districts with widespread false propaganda, he said. The Chief Minister directed other districts to make similar arrangements for distribution of free food packets to poor Covid patients in home isolation so that they get motivated to come out for testing and do not live in fear of losing their earnings during isolation.

Hizbul trying to reestablish its base in North Kashmir: Army

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Addressing a joint press conference with Deputy Inspector General of Police (North Kashmir Range) Muhammad Sulaiman Choudhary at Pattan, Commander 10 Sector of the Rashtriya Rifles of the Army Brigadier N K Mishra said it was after a long gap that militants belonging to the HM were killed in north Kashmir where, in the recent years, only the ultras from Lashkar-e-Toiba and Jaish-e-Mohammad had been neutralised.

"The activity of the HM outfit was very less here (in north Kashmir). It seems that Hizbul is trying to re-establish its base in north Kashmir," the Army officer said. However, he said the security forces were alert and ready to foil all the plans of the outfit aimed at its revival in the north Kashmir.

"If anyone (among the militants) wishes to join the mainstream, they are always welcome, but if anyone wants to become a terrorist, he will not be given any opportunity," Brigadier Mishra said.

The DIG North Kashmir Range said the three militants killed on Friday in Yed-dipora area of Pattan in north Kashmir's Baramulla district were affiliated with the HM outfit. "Two of the slain militants were locals and were identified as Shafkat Ali Khan of Rawatpora, Delina and Hanan Bilal Sofi of old town Baramulla. The identity of the third one is being ascertained," he said.

7 lakh Haryana farmers registered on 'Meri Fasal Mera Byora' portal

**TSN/Chandigarh:** As many as 7,01,061 farmers have so far registered 38,88,304.45 acres on the 'Meri Fasal Mera Byora' (MFMB) portal. With a view to ensuring accurate and timely verification of bajra crop data, the Haryana Agriculture and Farmers' Welfare Department has deployed more than 1,500 officials in all districts and made a fool-proof mechanism to redress the grievances of the farmers.

While stating this here today, Additional Chief Secretary, Agriculture and Farmers' Welfare Department, Sanjeev Kaushal, said that 727 Agriculture Graduates and 800 Saksham Yuva had already been deployed in the districts to ensure complete verification of bajra crop sown during Kharif-2020, by September 10, 2020. Arrangements had also been made to engage and deploy additional manpower. Inaccuracies would not be tolerated and stringent action would be taken against the officers in case of any lapse, he added.

Giving details of the redressal mechanism, Kaushal said that farmers who wished to seek redressal for issues related to land records should contact the District Revenue Officer (DRO) through the MFMB portal. However, for any other grievance, they should contact the Deputy Director, Agriculture (DDA) concerned through telephone or e-mail. The DDAs would ensure resolution of their issue within seven days.

Urging the farmers to register on the MFMB portal, he said that the Department

had set a target to ensure 100 per cent coverage of farmers under the MFMB scheme. This would ensure that farmers in the State are able to get their harvest procured at Minimum Support Price, besides being able to avail incentives and subsidies being offered by the Department. This would also help put a curb on malpractices such as sale of stored harvest or crop brought in from other states, which puts extra burden on the resources of the State.

Farmers may register on the MFMB portal by September 7. They may contact helpline numbers 1800-180-2117 and 1800-180-2060 between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. for any assistance, he added. For the verification, the Agriculture Development Officer (ADO) in each district would download and take a print-out of the Murba/Khe-wat/Killa/Area in respect of villages assigned to him. The information would be downloaded and printed in the provided template with pre-filled information, except the name of the crop. The ADO concerned and his representative or supporting manpower would verify and fill only the name of the crop sown in the particular khasra number through the drop-down option. There is no option for verification of the owner of the land. At any stage, if any ADO or his representative or supporting staff would like to view the list of the owners in a particular khasra number, they may click on khasra number. A popup window containing the details of all the land owners in that particular khasra would open.

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**NOTICE**  
 NOTICE is hereby given that the 36<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting ("AGM") of the members of Morning Glory Leasing and Finance Limited will be held on Wednesday, the 30<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2020 at 11:00 A.M. at its registered office at IRIS House, 16, Business Centre, Nangal Raya, New Delhi-110046.

Notice is further given that pursuant to the provisions of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 and Companies Act, 2013 read with Rules made thereunder, the Register of Members and Share Transfer Books of the Company will remain closed from Thursday, 24<sup>th</sup> September, 2020 to Wednesday, 30<sup>th</sup> September, 2020 (both days inclusive) for the purpose of ascertaining the shareholders attending the AGM. Members holding shares either in physical form or in dematerialized form, as on 23<sup>rd</sup> September, 2020 (i.e. Cut-off date) may cast their vote electronically on the Business as set out in the Notice of the 36<sup>th</sup> AGM through Remote E-voting system provided by National Securities Depository Ltd. (NSDL). All the members are informed that:

- notice of 36<sup>th</sup> AGM along with Annual Report for the FY 2019-20 has been sent to all the members in Physical form on their registered address through permissible mode.
- the remote e-voting shall commence on 27<sup>th</sup> September, 2020 (8.00 a.m. IST) and end on 29<sup>th</sup> September, 2020 (5.00 p.m. IST). The remote e-voting shall not be allowed beyond 29<sup>th</sup> September, 2020 (5.00 p.m. IST).
- any person, who acquires shares of the Company and become member of the Company after dispatch of the notice and holding shares as on the cut-off date i.e. 23<sup>rd</sup> September, 2020, may obtain the Login ID and password by sending a request at [evoting@nsdl.co.in](mailto:evoting@nsdl.co.in) or [bssdelhi@bissaharoonline.com](mailto:bssdelhi@bissaharoonline.com).
- the facility for voting through Ballot Paper/Polling Paper shall be made available at the AGM and the members exercising their right who have not cast their vote by remote e-voting shall be able to exercise their right at the meeting through Ballot paper/Polling Paper.
- a member may participate in the AGM even after exercising his right to vote through remote e-voting but shall not be allowed to vote again at the AGM.
- a person, whose name is recorded in the register of members or in the register of beneficial owners maintained by the depositories as on the cut-off date only shall be entitled to avail the facility of remote e-voting as well as voting at the AGM through Ballot paper/Polling Paper.
- the Notice of 36<sup>th</sup> AGM is available on the Company's website [www.morninggloryleasing.in](http://www.morninggloryleasing.in) and also on the NSDL's website [www.evoting.nsdl.com](http://www.evoting.nsdl.com).
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**For Morning Glory Leasing & Finance Limited**  
 Sd/-  
 Payal Madaan  
 Company Secretary cum Compliance Officer

Date : 05.09.2020  
 Place : New Delhi