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Partly cloudy sky and dry weather most likely over Sri Vijaya Puram. Maximum and Minimum temperature will be around 32.8°C and 24.1°C respectively on Monday 31/03/2025.

**Weather Report**

Maximum Temperature (°C) of Date: 31.6  
 Minimum Temperature (°C) of Date: 23.4  
 Relative Humidity (%) at 0830 IST: 054  
 Relative Humidity (%) at 1730 IST: 062  
 Sunrise time on 31/03/2025 (in IST): 0517  
 Sunset time on 31/03/2025 (in IST): 1731  
 Rainfall upto 0830 hrs of date (last 24 hrs)- in mm: 000.0  
 Rainfall upto 1730 hrs of date in mm: 000.0  
 Rainfall (Progressive total from 1<sup>st</sup> January 2025 upto 0830 hrs (of date) in mm: 102.6 mm

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## State Level Conference on 'Child Marriage & Child Sexual Exploitation and Abuse' organized by A&N State Legal Services Authority

Sri Vijaya Puram, Mar. 30  
 The Andaman and Nicobar State Legal Services Authority successfully organized a State Level Conference on 'Child Marriage & Child Sexual Exploitation and Abuse' on 29<sup>th</sup> March, 2025 in the Conference Hall of Dr. Bhimrao Ambedkar Institute of Technology, Sri Vijaya Puram in collaboration with the Association for Voluntary formerly known as Bachpan Bachao Andolan and India Child Protection.



The conference began with the traditional lighting of the lamp and National Anthem and was graced by the Hon'ble Justice T.S. Sivagnanam, the Hon'ble The Chief Justice, High Court at Calcutta and the Patron-in-Chief, Andaman and Nicobar State Legal Services Authority and the Hon'ble

Justice Sabyasachi Bhattacharyya, Judge, High Court at Calcutta, Zonal Judge, Andaman and Nicobar Islands and the Executive Chairman, Andaman and Nicobar State Legal Services Authority. The Hon'ble Justice T a p a b r a t a Chakraborty and the Hon'ble Justice Apruba Sinha Ray,

who arrived in Port Blair for holding Circuit Bench also graced the occasion by their auspicious presence during the programme.

Welcome address was given by Registrar-cum-Member Secretary, Andaman and Nicobar State Legal Services Authority and in his welcome address, he expressed

his gratitude towards the Hon'ble Justices

gracing the occasion and also welcomed the high dignitaries and other stakeholders present in the conference. The officials of the different Department from Andaman and Nicobar Administration, Police, Social Welfare, Health, Education, PRI, Tribal Community, members of the Andaman and Nicobar Bar Association and other Non-Governmental Organization were present.

The Presidential Address was delivered by the Hon'ble Justice T.S. Sivagnanam wherein the Hon'ble Justice

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### Eid-ul-Fitr to be celebrated today

Sri Vijaya Puram, Mar. 30

Based on the sighting of moon in these Islands, the Andaman & Nicobar Hilal Committee in its meeting unanimously decided that Eid-ul-Fitr will be celebrated in these Islands tomorrow (March 31). The Hilal Committee has conveyed its good wishes on this auspicious occasion to all the people of these Islands. May this Eid strengthen world, peace, prosperity, bonds of brotherhood and bring happiness amongst all the people, a press release from A&N Hilal Committee said.

### GREETINGS

On the auspicious occasion of Eid-ul-Fitr, I extend my heartfelt greetings and warm wishes to all the residents of A & N Islands.

Eid-ul-Fitr marks the end of the sacred month of Ramadan, a time dedicated to fasting, prayer and acts of charity, all aimed at fostering inner purification. This month encourages self-realization and inspires us to contribute to the well-being of the world. The festival carries a powerful message of love, unity, and mutual support, urging us to embrace compassion and togetherness.

On this joyous occasion, I pray that Eid brings prosperity and happiness to the lives of all Islanders and that our Islands continue to progress on the path of development.

On my behalf, Eid Mubarak to all the Islanders!



(Admiral D K Joshi)

PVSM, AVSM, YSM, NM, VSM (Retd.)

Lieutenant Governor

Andaman & Nicobar Islands

&

Vice Chairman, Islands Development Agency

### GREETINGS

I extend my heartfelt greetings and best wishes to all Islanders, particularly to the Muslim brothers and sisters, on the joyous occasion of Eid-ul-Fitr.

Eid is a festival of peace, brotherhood and compassion, reflecting the values of unity and harmony. It is a time to spread love, share happiness and strengthen the bonds of togetherness. On this auspicious occasion, I extend my warm wishes to the people of Andaman & Nicobar Islands, praying for their prosperity, well-being and happiness. May this festival bring peace, joy and success to every home.

I urge everyone to celebrate the festival with joy and in the true spirit of togetherness, reinforcing the rich cultural fabric of the Andaman & Nicobar Islands.



Sd/-

(Bishnu Pada Ray)

Member of Parliament

Andaman & Nicobar Islands

### Chargesheet filed in Narcotics Case involving 6016 Kgs of Methamphetamine by A&N Police

Sri Vijaya Puram, Mar. 30

The investigation related to the case, registered vide FIR No. 111/24 U/s 8(c)/22(c)/23(c)/29 of the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances (NDPS) Act, 1985, r.w.s. 14 of the Foreigners Act, 1946, was initiated at Police Station Crime & Economic Offence, CID, A&N Police following information received from the Indian Coast Guard regarding the

apprehension of six M y a n m a r e s e Nationals and the seizure of a huge quantity of methamphetamine on 25/11/24 from Indian territorial waters near Barren Island. In addition to the seizure, the six M y a n m a r e s e Nationals involved in the case were arrested.

Considering the gravity of the case, a Special Investigation Team (SIT) comprising of IGP (L&O), Smt. Sindhu

Pillai, IPS, SSP (CID), Shri Jitendra Kumar Meena, IPS, SSP South Andaman, Shri Manoj Kumar Meena, IPS and SP (Coastal Security/PMF), Smt. Niharika Bhatt, IPS was constituted to monitor & investigate the case under the overall supervision of Director General of Police, Shri Hargobinder Singh Dhaliwal, IPS.

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### Hotspot Centre under Ang Katha Project for Jarawa Tribe inaugurated at Lakralungta in Middle Andaman

Rangat, Mar. 30

The Middle Andaman Forest Division constructed a Hotspot Centre at Lakralungta, under the Ang Katha Project aimed at providing informal education to the Jarawa community, a Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Group (PVTG).

The Centre was inaugurated by Cheo and Benon, Elderly Ang (Jarawa Couple) in the presence of officials from the Andaman Adim



Janjati Vikas Samiti (AAJVS) and the Middle Andaman Forest Division. This new facility replaces the earlier Hotspot Centre, which had suffered extensive damage.

Responding to a

specific request from the AAJVS, the Forest Department undertook this initiative, which was funded by AAJVS with an allocation of Rs. 14 lakh. The project faced

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## Mega 'Andaman Nicobar Book Fair' at ITF Ground from April 1-10

Around 30,000 books of different genre to be on display-cum-sale  
 Curated literary sessions, food stalls to be part of the event

Sri Vijaya Puram, Mar. 30

The Art & Culture Department, A&N Administration, in association with the National Book Trust (NBT), will be organizing a grand ten-day 'Andaman Nicobar Book Fair', to be held at the sprawling ITF Ground at Sri Vijaya Puram, from April 1 to 10, 2025. Admiral D K Joshi, PVSM, AVSM, YSM, NM, VSM (Retd.), the Hon'ble Lt. Governor, A&N Islands and the Vice Chairman, Islands Development Agency will inaugurate this Book Fair as the chief guest at 10 am on April 1, 2025 at the ITF Ground. The Chief Secretary, A&N Administration, Dr. Chandra Bhushan Kumar, IAS and the Director, National Book Trust, New Delhi, Shri Yuvraj Malik will also be present on the occasion.

This event aims to foster a love for reading and promote literary culture amongst the people, especially students and youth of these Islands. This Book Fair would not only benefit readers of all ages but also serve as an opportunity for publishing houses and authors to connect with the public of these Islands. The Book Fair will remain open from 11 AM to 9 PM everyday till April 10, 2025.

The Book Fair will feature 31 stalls displaying around 30,000 books of various genres and authors from different publishers from mainland India. It will provide an excellent opportunity for people to browse through a wide variety of books and purchase them directly from the publishers.

In addition, curated literary programmes besides some book releases will also be organized in the evening hours. A children's corner is also being organised in the forenoon from 10 am, at the venue for students of all classes everyday where they will be involved in many interesting learning activities.

Apart from this, food stalls presenting flavourful cuisines will be an added attraction during this ten-day Book Fair which will serve as

Directorate of Art & Culture, A&N Administration  
 And National Book Trust, India

Cordially invite you to

## ANDAMAN NICOBAR BOOK FAIR

01-10 APRIL 2025  
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On 01 April 2025  
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By  
**Admiral D.K. Joshi**  
 PVSM, AVSM, YSM, NM, VSM (Retd.)  
 Hon'ble Lt. Governor, Andaman & Nicobar Islands and  
 Vice-Chairman, Islands Development Agency

In the presence of

**Dr Chandra Bhushan Kumar, IAS** Chief Secretary  
 A&N Administration

**Shri Yuvraj Malik** Director  
 NBT INDIA

a hub for literary enthusiasts, educators, students, and the general public to explore new ideas, gain knowledge, and celebrate the joy of reading.

All have been invited to participate in this exciting Book Fair, explore the world of literature, and enrich themselves with the books of great authors from across the globe, a press release from Art & Culture Department said.



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Passenger tickets for the sailing schedules of Foreshore Sector/Inter Island Sector vessels is being issued to the general public from 28.03.2025 (Friday) onwards.  
Passengers may book their tickets from DSS e-ticketing portal (<https://dss.andaman.gov.in/eticketing>) on all days from 09.00 AM to 04.00 PM and from STARS Ticketing Counter in all working days from 9.00 AM to 04.00 PM, except on Saturday from 09.00 AM to 12.00 PM.

SRI VIJAYA PURAM - MAYABUNDER & DIGLIPUR							
Passenger tickets for the sailing schedule w.e.f. 31 <sup>st</sup> March, 2025 is being issued from 28.03.2025 onwards.							
Sl. No.	Name of the vessel	Date & Time of Sailing	From	To	Date & Time of Return Sailing	From	To
1.	MV Hut Bay	31.03.2025 0600 Hrs	Sri Vijaya Puram	Diglipur via Mayabunder	01.04.2025 0600 Hrs	Diglipur	Sri Vijaya Puram via Mayabunder
2.	MV Jolly Buoy	02.04.2025 0600 Hrs	Sri Vijaya Puram	Diglipur via Mayabunder	03.04.2025 0600 Hrs	Diglipur	Sri Vijaya Puram via Mayabunder
3.	MV Choudari	04.04.2025 0600 Hrs	Sri Vijaya Puram	Diglipur via Mayabunder	05.04.2025 0600 Hrs	Diglipur	Sri Vijaya Puram via Mayabunder
SRI VIJAYA PURAM - LITTLE ANDAMAN							
Passenger tickets for the sailing schedule w.e.f. 1 <sup>st</sup> April, 2025 is being issued from 28.03.2025 onwards.							
1.	MV Campbell Bay	01.04.2025 0800 Hrs	Sri Vijaya Puram	Little Andaman	01.04.2025 2100 Hrs	Little Andaman	Sri Vijaya Puram
2.	MV Choudari	03.04.2025 0615 Hrs	Sri Vijaya Puram	Little Andaman	03.04.2025 1300 Hrs	Little Andaman	Sri Vijaya Puram
3.	MV Campbell Bay	04.04.2025 2100 Hrs	Sri Vijaya Puram	Little Andaman	05.04.2025 1000 Hrs	Little Andaman	Sri Vijaya Puram
4.	MV Campbell Bay	06.04.2025 0800 Hrs	Sri Vijaya Puram	Little Andaman	06.04.2025 2100 Hrs	Little Andaman	Sri Vijaya Puram
SRI VIJAYA PURAM - CAR NICOBAR & LITTLE ANDAMAN							
Passenger tickets for the sailing schedule on 5 <sup>th</sup> April, 2025 is being issued from 28.03.2025 onwards.							
1.	MV Sentinel	05.04.2025 0700 Hrs	Sri Vijaya Puram	Car Nicobar via Little Andaman	06.04.2025 1600 Hrs	Car Nicobar	Sri Vijaya Puram via Little Andaman
SRI VIJAYA PURAM - CAMPBELL BAY VIA LITTLE ANDAMAN, CAR NICOBAR, CHOWRA, TERESSA, KATCHAL & NANCOWRY.							
Passenger tickets for the sailing schedule on 10 <sup>th</sup> April, 2025 is being issued from 28.03.2025 onwards.							
1.	MV Sentinel	10.04.2025 0700 Hrs	Sri Vijaya Puram	Campbell Bay via Little Andaman, Car Nicobar, Chowra, Teressa, Katchal & Nancowry	13.04.2025 2000 Hrs	Campbell Bay	Sri Vijaya Puram via Nancowry, Katchal, Teressa, Chowra, Car Nicobar & Little Andaman
SRI VIJAYA PURAM - NANCOWRY VIA LITTLE ANDAMAN, CAR NICOBAR, CHOWRA, TERESSA & KATCHAL							
Passenger tickets for the following schedule is being issued from 28.03.2025 onwards.							
2.	MV Sentinel	24.04.2025 0700 Hrs	Sri Vijaya Puram	Nancowry via Little Andaman, Car Nicobar, Chowra, Teressa & Katchal	27.04.2025 0500 Hrs	Nancowry	Sri Vijaya Puram via Katchal, Teressa, Chowra, Car Nicobar & Little Andaman
SRI VIJAYA PURAM - CAMPBELL BAY - NANCOWRY							
Passenger tickets for the sailing schedule w.e.f. 1 <sup>st</sup> April, 2025 is being issued from 28.03.2025 onwards.							
1.	Nalanda	01.04.2025 0900 Hrs	Sri Vijaya Puram	Campbell Bay via Nancowry & Katchal	03.04.2025 0800 Hrs	Campbell Bay	Sri Vijaya Puram via Nancowry
2.	MV Campbell Bay	08.04.2025 0900 Hrs	Sri Vijaya Puram	Campbell Bay via Nancowry	10.04.2025 0800 Hrs	Campbell Bay	Sri Vijaya Puram via Nancowry
3.	Nalanda	15.04.2025 0900 Hrs	Sri Vijaya Puram	Campbell Bay via Nancowry & Katchal	17.04.2025 0800 Hrs	Campbell Bay	Sri Vijaya Puram via Nancowry
4.	MV Campbell Bay	22.04.2025 0900 Hrs	Sri Vijaya Puram	Campbell Bay via Nancowry	24.04.2025 0800 Hrs	Campbell Bay	Sri Vijaya Puram via Nancowry
5.	Nalanda	29.04.2025 0900 Hrs	Sri Vijaya Puram	Campbell Bay via Nancowry & Katchal	01.05.2025 0800 Hrs	Campbell Bay	Sri Vijaya Puram via Nancowry
Note: Embarkation of passengers will commence 02 Hours prior to the scheduled departure time of the vessel and boarding will be closed 30 Minutes before departure time. Passengers arriving late will not be allowed to board the vessel. The vessel will sail only after completion of survey procedure which will commence on completion of embarkation of passengers for issuance of 'B' Certificate as per MS Act. Further, with regard to cargo all the consignors are hereby advised to book actual quantity of cargo to be transhipped, as no excess cargo will be allowed.							
FORESHORE SECTOR							
31.03.2025 (MONDAY)							
1.	MV Bambooka	31.03.2025 0600 Hrs	Sri Vijaya Puram	Rangat via Swaraj Dweep & Long Island	31.03.2025 1200 Hrs	Rangat	Sri Vijaya Puram via Long Island & Swaraj Dweep
2.	MV Long Island	31.03.2025 0630 Hrs	Sri Vijaya Puram	Shaheed Dweep	31.03.2025 0845 Hrs	Shaheed Dweep	Sri Vijaya Puram
3.	MV Strait Island	31.03.2025 0630 Hrs	Sri Vijaya Puram	Swaraj Dweep	31.03.2025 0900 Hrs	Swaraj Dweep	Sri Vijaya Puram
4.	MV Rani Lakshmi	31.03.2025 1100 Hrs	Sri Vijaya Puram	Shaheed Dweep	31.03.2025 1300 Hrs	Shaheed Dweep	Swaraj Dweep
					31.03.2025 1430 Hrs	Swaraj Dweep	Sri Vijaya Puram
5.	MV Jolly Buoy	31.03.2025 1130 Hrs	Sri Vijaya Puram	Swaraj Dweep	31.03.2025 1400 Hrs	Swaraj Dweep	Shaheed Dweep
					31.03.2025 1530 Hrs	Shaheed Dweep	Sri Vijaya Puram
6.	MV Choudari	31.03.2025 1430 Hrs	Sri Vijaya Puram	Swaraj Dweep via Shaheed Dweep	01.04.2025 0530 Hrs	Swaraj Dweep	Sri Vijaya Puram via Shaheed Dweep
01.04.2025 (TUESDAY)							
1.	MV North Passage	01.04.2025 0600 Hrs	Sri Vijaya Puram	Rangat via Swaraj Dweep & Long Island	01.04.2025 1200 Hrs	Rangat	Sri Vijaya Puram via Long Island & Swaraj Dweep
2.	MV Long Island	01.04.2025 0630 Hrs	Sri Vijaya Puram	Shaheed Dweep	01.04.2025 0845 Hrs	Shaheed Dweep	Sri Vijaya Puram
3.	MV Bambooka	01.04.2025 0630 Hrs	Sri Vijaya Puram	Swaraj Dweep	01.04.2025 0900 Hrs	Swaraj Dweep	Sri Vijaya Puram
4.	MV Choudari	01.04.2025 1100 Hrs	Sri Vijaya Puram	Shaheed Dweep	01.04.2025 1300 Hrs	Shaheed Dweep	Swaraj Dweep
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6.	MV Rani Lakshmi	01.04.2025 1430 Hrs	Sri Vijaya Puram	Swaraj Dweep via Shaheed Dweep	02.04.2025 0530 Hrs	Swaraj Dweep	Sri Vijaya Puram via Shaheed Dweep
02.04.2025 (WEDNESDAY)							
1.	MV Strait Island	02.04.2025 0600 Hrs	Sri Vijaya Puram	Rangat via Swaraj Dweep & Long Island	02.04.2025 1200 Hrs	Rangat	Sri Vijaya Puram via Long Island & Swaraj Dweep
2.	MV Choudari	02.04.2025 0630 Hrs	Sri Vijaya Puram	Shaheed Dweep	02.04.2025 0845 Hrs	Shaheed Dweep	Sri Vijaya Puram
3.	MV North Passage	02.04.2025 0630 Hrs	Sri Vijaya Puram	Swaraj Dweep	02.04.2025 0900 Hrs	Swaraj Dweep	Sri Vijaya Puram
4.	MV Long Island	02.04.2025 0700 Hrs	Sri Vijaya Puram	Rangat via Shaheed Dweep, Swaraj Dweep, Strait Island, Kadamtala & Long Island	03.04.2025 0700 Hrs	Rangat	Sri Vijaya Puram via Long Island, Kadamtala, Strait Island, Swaraj Dweep, Shaheed Dweep
5.	MV Rani Lakshmi	02.04.2025 1100 Hrs	Sri Vijaya Puram	Shaheed Dweep	02.04.2025 1300 Hrs	Shaheed Dweep	Swaraj Dweep
					02.04.2025 1430 Hrs	Swaraj Dweep	Sri Vijaya Puram
6.	MV Bambooka	02.04.2025 1130 Hrs	Sri Vijaya Puram	Swaraj Dweep	02.04.2025 1400 Hrs	Swaraj Dweep	Shaheed Dweep
					02.04.2025 1530 Hrs	Shaheed Dweep	Sri Vijaya Puram
7.	MV Hut Bay	02.04.2025 1430 Hrs	Sri Vijaya Puram	Swaraj Dweep via Shaheed Dweep	03.04.2025 0530 Hrs	Swaraj Dweep	Sri Vijaya Puram via Shaheed Dweep
03.04.2025 (THURSDAY)							
1.	MV Rani Lakshmi	03.04.2025 0600 Hrs	Sri Vijaya Puram	Rangat via Swaraj Dweep & Long Island	03.04.2025 1200 Hrs	Rangat	Sri Vijaya Puram via Long Island & Swaraj Dweep
2.	MV Strait Island	03.04.2025 0630 Hrs	Sri Vijaya Puram	Shaheed Dweep	03.04.2025 0845 Hrs	Shaheed Dweep	Sri Vijaya Puram
3.	MV Bambooka	03.04.2025 0630 Hrs	Sri Vijaya Puram	Swaraj Dweep	03.04.2025 0900 Hrs	Swaraj Dweep	Sri Vijaya Puram
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**State Level Conference on 'Child Marriage & Child Sexual...'**  
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quoted the lines of Nelson Mandela, Former President of South Africa, "Safety and security don't just happen, they are the result of collective consensus and public investment. We owe our children, the most vulnerable citizens in our society, a life free of violence and fear" and also highlighted the statistics relating to the cases of child marriage and child sexual exploitation and abuse and cases of POCSO which poses a threat and also highlighted the provisions of law dealing with the issues and urged all the stakeholders for taking collective action and laid emphasis on public awareness campaign and acknowledging the pro-active role of legal services institutions including Andaman and Nicobar State Legal Services Authority.



The Hon'ble Justice Sabyasachi Bhattacharyya, in his address, highlighted the various provisions of laws, as existed in the past, and amendments thereto as well as the enactment of special laws like Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act, 2012, Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2015, Prohibition of Child Marriage Act, 2006 and urged all the stakeholders for collective action to curb the menace of child marriage & child sexual exploitation and abuse.

Amongst others, various speakers expressed their views on the subject from different sectors be it from the Andaman and Nicobar Administration, Police, Tribal Community, Non-Governmental Organizations, the retired Police Officer, Law Experts in the field. Ms. Sampurna Behura, Ms. Rachna Tyagi, Mr. Sudhir Kumar, District & Sessions Judge, A & N Islands, Mr. D.C. Kabir, Sr. Advocate, Ms. Tasneem Abid, Special Public Prosecutor, Ms. A.S. Zinu, Special Public Prosecutor, Mr. Manoj Kumar Meena, IPS, Sr.S.P, South Andaman, Dr. Arpita Saha, Assistant Medical Superintendent, Mr. Derik and Mr. Paul, Headmen, from Car Nicobar Island and experts from Indian Police Foundation, Advisor, India Child Protection and Child Rights Activists and Founder, Just Rights for Children, National Convener Just Rights for Children, Ms. Ajita Menon. The Judicial Officers of A & N Islands, Professors from JNRM, DIET, ANCOL, Andaman Law College, Doctors from Health Department, Block Development Officer (RD) and PRI members and the members of PRAYAS, Child Welfare Committee and Juvenile Justice Board also participated in the conference.

The experts and Child Rights Activists and Founder, Just Rights for Children expressed his views that "The law of the land is the same for one and all."

The programme went on with interaction wherein Their Lordships activity participated and the conference highlighted the gravity of the issues and the way to dealing with the same wherein the Hon'ble Justice Sabyasachi Bhattacharyya stressed to take forward the key highlights of the views of the speakers.

Dr. Chandra Bhushan Kumar, IAS, Chief Secretary, A&N Administration, Mr. A.S.P.S Raviprakash, IAS who is holding the charge of Law Department, Shri L.Kumar, Secretary (Education/Social Welfare), Mr. Arjun Sharma, Deputy Commissioner, South Andaman District expressed their valuable views and emphasized for collective action by all the stakeholders effectively to deal with the issues.

The programme has seen active participation of all sectors and will immensely benefit the inhabitants of these Islands as the children are the future of the country and their protection needs to be taken care of.

The programme was successfully moderated by Shri Dhananjay Tingal, Executive Director, Association for Voluntary Action, Ms. Sampurna Behura, Ms. Rachna Tyagi, Ms. Ajita Menon and other experts in the field. The programme ended with the way forward key note of Hon'ble Justice Sabyasachi Bhattacharyya and followed by a vote of thanks of Mr. Vinay Singh, a press release from Registrar-cum-Member Secretary (A&N SLSA) said.

**District Level Training on SAANS Programme successfully organised by District Health Society, N&M Andaman**

Mayabunder, Mar. 30  
The District Level Training on Social Awareness & Action to Neutralize Pneumonia Successfully (SAANS) Programme was successfully conducted for Nursing Officers, ANMs/AANMs at Dr. RP Hospital, Mayabunder on March 27. Shri Ashish Joon, Assistant Commissioner (HQ), N&M Andaman, graced the occasion as the chief guest.



The training, organized by the District Health Society, North & Middle Andaman, was held under the guidance of Ms. Nandini Maharaj, IAS, Deputy Commissioner, N&M Andaman. It was attended by an enthusiastic group of healthcare workers, including Nursing Officers and ANM/AANMs.

(Paediatrics), MNAMS, Community Health Centre (CHC), Rangat, the resource official shared the valuable insights on pneumonia prevention, diagnosis, and treatment. Participants were introduced to the key components of the SAANS program, which emphasizes a community-centered approach to addressing pneumonia. Topics covered the preventive strategies, early identification of symptoms, appropriate treatment protocols, and the importance of patient education in managing pneumonia effectively. Special attention was given to

raising awareness in local communities and strengthening collaborative efforts between healthcare professionals and community leaders to ensure better health outcomes. The event concluded with a strong commitment from the participants to actively apply the knowledge gained in their communities, focusing on improving health outcomes and combating pneumonia through better prevention and management strategies, a press release from District Health Society, N&M Andaman said.

**Chargesheet filed in Narcotics Case...**  
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thorough investigation, the Chargesheet has been prepared and filed in the Hon'ble Special Court against the six Myanmar nationals who are presently running in Judicial Custody.

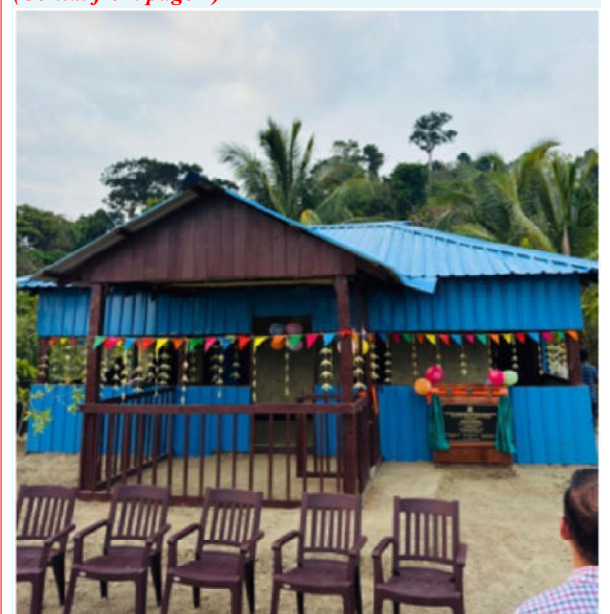
The investigation comprised of collecting multiple electronic evidences and forensic reports including those of Satellite phones & GPS devices. The role of an international drug syndicate operating from the Golden Triangle (near the border of Myanmar, Thailand & Laos) has been established in the investigation. Interrogation of the accused persons revealed an extensive transnational drug smuggling network operated by a syndicate based in Yangon, Myanmar. The network had previously executed similar consignments, including a shipment smuggled to Malaysia in August 2024. The chargesheet has been filed in the Hon'ble Court containing of 2017 Pages.

The chargesheet has been filed against the following accused persons (all Myanmarese nationals) viz. Kyan Lin Khing, Zay Yar Soe, Moe Zar Oo, Htet Myat Aung, Zin Min Soe and Khin Mg Kyi. The charges against them include violations U/s 8(c)/22(c)/23(c)/29 of the NDPS Act, 1985, r.w.s 14 of the Foreigners Act, 1946, and Section 238 of BNS Act, 2023.

This seizure marks one of the largest drug busts in the region, underscoring the growing challenge of transnational narcotics trafficking. The swift interception by the Indian Coast Guard and coordinated efforts by the Andaman & Nicobar Police prevented a substantial quantity of Methamphetamine from reaching international markets.

This successful operation reaffirms the commitment of Indian law enforcement agencies in combating drug trafficking and safeguarding national security, a press release from SSP, CID said.

**Hotspot Centre under Ang Katha...**  
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significant logistical challenges due to the remoteness of the site and the lack of road connectivity. All materials, manpower, and machinery were transported by engine dinghies, followed by head load carriage through small hillocks. Despite these challenges, the project was successfully completed within the stipulated time frame, marking a significant milestone in the efforts to uplift and support the Jarawa community through sustainable, community-driven development initiatives.

During the inaugural ceremony, Dr. Abdul Qayum, IFS, Divisional Forest Officer, Middle Andaman, while appreciating the commendable work done by the Bajalungta Range, shared various other initiatives undertaken by the Middle Andaman Forest Division for the Jarawa tribe. These initiatives include the plantation of fruit-bearing and tuberous plant species to provide a sustainable source of nutrition for the Jarawa community as well as the construction of a Jarawa Ward at the CHC in Kadamtala, designed with Jarawa-friendly elements. Additionally, a dedicated hut has been established at the Nature Interpretation Centre (NIC) at Uttara Jetty, which showcases the artifacts and culture of the tribe.

Furthermore, nearly three years ago, the Department released several captive-bred Andaman Wild Pigs into the wild to ensure nutritional security for the primitive tribe.

The inauguration ceremony was attended by Ms. Saheli Chakraborty, Tribal Welfare Officer, Kadamtala, Shri Pawan Gupta, IFS (OJT), and Shri Anil Saha, ACF, Middle Andaman, along with other distinguished representatives from both Departments, a press release from DFO, MA said.



# The New Mother, Motherhood and Psychological Problems.



### New Mother

#### Time for

- Enjoying the baby
- Feeding and playing with the baby
- Getting used to parenthood

#### Bonding With Your Baby

- Your baby is the most miraculous thing you have ever seen
- Touch is an essential part of bonding even when there are complications

#### Taking Care of Your Baby

- Expect sleep deprivation
- Postpartum blues is common and occurs 3-5 days after birth
- Most women find that they are isolated during the first 2-3 months after birth, so try to maintain social relationships

#### So what can happen to your health ?

- Are all new mothers happy?
- What problems can they encounter?



### Post Partum Blues

- Variable mood, rapid mood changes
- Sadness, crying
- Difficulty in sleeping
- Irritable, anxious, restlessness
- Short lasting- begin within 5-8 days, last 8-10 days

### Problems New Mothers face

- Tired all the time
- Losing sleep
- Being alone at home
- Little help or guidance
- Baby demanding a lots of care and attention
- Other young children who need care
- No time for self
- Complete loss of control over time



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### E-AUCTION NOTICE

Deputy Conservator of Forests, Working Plan Division, Haddo, Sri Vijaya Puram invites online e-Auction for the following

S. No.	e-Auction No.	Brief Description
1	WP/S-10/767 dated 25/03/2025  GeM Auction ID: 19967	e-Auction Notice for "disposal of condemned vehicles bearing No. AN-01-B-0322 and AN-01-B-0322 (Royal Enfield Bullet Motor Cycle) lying in the premises of Deputy Conservator of Forests, Working Plan Division, Haddo.

Complete e-Auction documents are available in the GeM Portal (<https://www.gem.gov.in>).

Deputy Conservator of Forests  
Working Plan Division

I.D. No. 11528

### HIGH COURT FORM NO. (P) 5

(Order 5, Rule 20 (1 a), Code of Civil Procedure)

DISTRICT: ANDAMANS

IN THE COURT OF THE CIVIL JUDGE JUNIOR DIVISION-I

AT PORT BLAIR

Other Suit No. 13 of 2022

Smti. Zohra Bibi ..... Plaintiff

-Versus-

Shri K. Surendran ... Defendant

To,

**Shri K. Surendran,**  
S/o Late Kunjayan,  
R/o Biggi Line Village,  
Sri Vijaya Puram  
South Andaman.

Whereas, the above named plaintiff Smti. Zohra Bibi, W/o Late Mohammed Farooq, R/o Phoenix Bay, Sri Vijaya Puram, South Andaman has filed a suit for eviction and for recovery of khass possession over the Shop Room No. 8 measuring an area of 9.5 Feet X 30 Feet of the RCC Building standing on the land bearing Survey No. 77 / 5 corresponding to new Survey No. 1345 situated at Phoenix Bay village under Sri Vijaya Puram Tehsil, South Andaman.

You are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a Pleader duly instructed and able to answer all materials questions relating to the suit (or who shall be accompanied by some persons able to answer all such questions) on the 4<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2025 at 9 'O' Clock.

To state whether you contest or do not contest the claim either in whole or in part and if you contest to receives directions of the Court as to the date on which your written statement is to be filed, the witness or the witnesses upon whose evidence you intend to rely in support of your defense are to be produced, the document (s) upon which you intend to rely are to be file, also the date of trial and other matters, take notice that in the event of your admitting the claim either in whole or in part the Court will forthwith pass Judgement in accordance with such admissions, or in the event of the claim not being contested the suit shall be decided at once.

Take notice that in default of your appearance on the day before mention the appeal will be heard and determine in your absence.

Given under my hand and seal of the Court on this 12<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2025.

SEAL

CIVIL JUDGE JUNIOR DIVISION - I  
AT PORT BLAIR  
By Order of Court  
Sd/-  
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**Smt. Anjana Mazumder**  
Senior Assistant, ANIIDCO Ltd.




**Shri. Gautam Mondal**  
Junior Assistant, ANIIDCO Ltd.

It is with a blend of appreciation and gratitude that we announce the retirement of officials, w.e.f. 31/03/2025. Their career has been marked by dedication, professionalism and an unwavering commitment towards the growth of Corporation. As they retire, the entire staffs extended heartfelt appreciation and best wishes for a happy and fulfilling retirement.  
General Manager (P&A)  
ANIIDCO Ltd.


**SUPERANNUATION**  
**On 31.03.2025**

**Usha S Kumar**  
Head clerk, DSS office  
Sri Vijaya Puram  
*Your dedication and hard work, have been truly inspiring as you step into the new chapter, may your day's filled with happiness, good health and prosperity, best wishes for a fulfilling and relaxing retirement..*



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R.C. No.467/2024/DC(SA)/598  
OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER  
SOUTH ANDAMAN DISTRICT

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
Sri Vijaya Puram, dated the 13<sup>th</sup> March, 2025.  
This is for the information of the general public that Smt. ZAINAB BIBI, W/o A VEERAN KUTTY, requested the Deputy Commissioner (SA) for correction of her name as "ZAINAB BIBI", instead of "ZAINABA BIBI" jointly recorded in the revenue records in respect of land bearing Survey No. 23 measuring an area of 0.0340 Hects., situated at Ograbraj Village under Ferrargunj Tehsil.  
The persons having any claims or objections in the above matter, shall submit their claims / objections before this Court within 15 days from the date of publication of this Notice in The Daily Telegrams in person or through authorized agent alongwith all relevant records.  
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Reader to Deputy Commissioner  
South Andaman District

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