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Both the Houses of Parliament have been adjourned till tomorrow amid uproar by Opposition parties over various issues including alleged bribery charges against a prominent business group. When the Lok Sabha met this morning, opposition parties including Congress, Samajwadi Party, DMK and others continued sloganeering, disrupting the proceedings. In the Rajya Sabha, when the House met this morning, Congress MP Pramod Tiwari urged the Chair to hold discussion under rule 267 on various issues including alleged bribery charges against a prominent business group. Chairman Jagdeep Dhankhar rejected the adjournment notices moved by the opposition parties. Later, he adjourned the House till 12 Noon. Earlier, Congress leader Priyanka Gandhi Vadra and Ravindra Vasantrya Chavan, who won the recently held bypolls, took oath as Members of Parliament in the Lok Sabha.

Chief Minister Pema Khandu on Wednesday said that the future vision for Arunachal Pradesh's tourism is to position the state as a premier global tourists' destination. Speaking at the inaugural ceremony of the 12th International Tourism Mart at Kaziranga, Assam, Khandu hailed the event as of utmost significance in strengthening the tourism ecosystem of the Northeast by connecting stakeholders, promoting partnerships and providing visibility to the region's unique offerings. Such events, he said, foster unity and collaboration among Northeastern states to promote the region as a cohesive destination. Khandu informed that Arunachal recorded over 200 percent increase in tourist footfall during the last 10 years, which proves that the state has grown leaps and bounds in the tourism sector.

Agriculture minister Gabriel D. Wangsu, visited the Indian Council of Forestry Research and Education (ICFRE) at the Tropical Forest Research Institute (TFRI) in Jabalpur, Madhya Pradesh, to explore innovative agro-forestry practices and strengthen ties for environmental conservation. Highlighting the shared heritage of Arunachal Pradesh and Madhya Pradesh, Wangsu said that both the states are home to rich tribal communities and biodiversity. He also added that these similarities have brought us here today to learn how efforts in Madhya Pradesh are encouraging tribal participation in

forest conservation and ecosystem balance. Wangsu and his team also toured the institute's laboratories and key research centers, gaining insight into critical projects.

The Centre has sanctioned Rs 28,229 crore for the Arunachal Frontier Highway-913, which will connect 1,683 villages. The national highway being built parallel to the MacMohan Line will be completed by 2027. Chief Engineer of Border Roads Organisation and head of Project Brahman, Subhash Chandra Lunia said that the highway is being constructed along the 'India-Tibet-China-Myanmar' border and the road project will be as close as 20 km from the LAC and international borders. While talking to a news agency at Aalo,, he also added that it will start from Bomdila and pass through Nafra, Huri and Monigong towns, which are closer to the LAC or the McMahon Line, and conclude in Vijaynagar near the India-Myanmar border.

The Central Bureau of Communication Itanagar regional office organized a 3-day long Integrated Communication and Outreach Programme on the theme "Viksit Bharat" at Dera Natung Government College, Itanagar, from 26th to 28th November 2024, in collaboration with the college. The primary objective of the programme was to raise awareness among the public about the Government of India's initiatives and efforts towards building a "Viksit Bharat". The event saw active participation from students, faculty members, and various stakeholders. The awareness campaign included a Swachhta Abhiyan and a Tree Plantation Drive. The event culminated in an Inter-College Extempore Speech Competition and Written Quiz Competition. CBC Regional Office also organized a Photo Exhibition showcasing various central government schemes aimed at the upliftment of the common public.

Union Information and Broadcasting Minister Ashwini Vaishnaw has called for stricter laws on social media and OTT platforms. Replying to supplementaries in Lok Sabha, he said that the existing laws definitely need to be strengthened further to check vulgar contents on social media. Mr Vaishnaw said, today social media is a very big medium of freedom of the press on one hand but at the same time, on the other hand, due to the absence of editorial check in social media, many types of vulgar content are also displayed.

A young male Small Indian Civet, rescued in June from Papu Hill in Papum Pare district, Arunachal Pradesh has been successfully translocated to a release site for acclimatisation. Estimated to be about two months old at the time of rescue, the civet has been undergoing rehabilitation at the Centre for Bear Rehabilitation and Conservation (CBRC) in Pakke-Kessang district, which is jointly operated by the Pakke Tiger Reserve and the Wildlife Trust of India and is supported by the International Fund for Animal Welfare. The civet was initially housed at the Itanagar Biological Park before being transferred to CBRC in June. Upon arrival, following intensive care and treatment, it has shown significant improvement, displaying a healthy appetite and normal eating habits.

The body of the Principal Chief Security Officer of NFR, Subhendu Kumar Choudhary has been found after three days when he was swept away by river currents in Lohit District. His body was found on Wednesday 20 km downstream from the incident site, officials said. The Principal Chief Security Officer of NFR, Subhendu Kumar Choudhary, had been missing since Sunday afternoon after he was swept away by the strong currents of the Lohit River near Parshuram Kund in Arunachal Pradesh.

That's all, in this news bulletin, Namaskar