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Prime Minister Narendra Modi has said, when youth participates in nation building, the nation develops rapidly and also makes its mark in the world. He said, with their hard work and innovation today the youth of the country is showing the world that how much potential the nation has. He was speaking at the Rozgar Mela after distributing over 51 thousand appointment letters to newly appointed youth in various government departments through video-conferencing today. PM Modi said, the youth who have received their appointment letters today, have the big responsibility to strengthen the nation's economy, internal security, develop modern infrastructure and bring changes in the lives of labourers.

Union Power Minister Manohar Lal has stated that the hill states of North East alongwith Uttarakhand, Himachal Pradesh and Jammu & Kashmir are being given more funds for infrastructure in comparison to the plain areas. He said, there are opportunities of hydropower sector in Northeast states of Sikkim and Arunachal Pradesh. He was talking to media at Gangtok, Sikkim today after attending the regional conference of the Energy Ministers of North Eastern region. He said, issues related to power generation, transmission and distribution were discussed in the meeting.

Union Jal Shakti Minister C R Patil has emphasised the importance of suspending the Indus Waters Treaty of 1960 with Pakistan. He asserted that government will ensure that not even a single drop of water from the Indus River reaches Pakistan. Patil was speaking to media yesterday after attending a high-level meeting chaired by Home Minister Amit Shah in New Delhi to discuss future course of action following suspension of Indus Waters Treaty in the wake of Pahalgam terror attack.

The Information and Broadcasting Ministry has issued an advisory to all media channels to refrain from showing live coverage of anti-terrorist operations and movement of security forces in the interest of national security. It said that the media, digital platforms, and individuals play a vital role in safeguarding national security.

The Ministry asked them to refrain from reporting based on sources-based information related to defence operations or movement. It said, premature disclosure of sensitive information may inadvertently assist hostile elements and endanger operational effectiveness and the safety of personnel.

The UN Security Council has strongly condemned the terror attack in Jammu and Kashmir's Pahalgam. In a statement, Council members emphasised that terrorism is a major threat to global peace and must be fought in all its forms. The Council called for the perpetrators, supporters, and sponsors of the attack to be brought to justice, urging all countries to cooperate under international law.

Prime Minister Narendra Modi will share his thoughts with the people of the country and abroad in the Mann Ki Baat programme on Akashvani tomorrow at 11 AM. It will be the 121st episode of the monthly radio programme. The programme will be broadcast across the entire Akashvani and Doordarshan network, the AIR News website, and the Newsonair mobile app.

Deputy Chief Minister Chowna Mein was conferred the Doctor of Philosophy (Honoris Causa) by Gauhati University during its 32nd Convocation on Friday. The honorary degree was awarded in recognition of Mein's exceptional contributions to political leadership, cultural preservation, and regional development. The degree was presented to him by Assam Governor and University Chancellor Lakshman Prasad Acharya, in presence of Chief Minister Himanta Biswa Sarma, and Education Minister Dr Ranoj Pequ.

Akashvani won a total of six awards in various categories at the India Audio Summit and Awards 2025. The third edition of the awards, which recognise excellence in radio and audio content production, was held in Mumbai last night. Among the top accolades for Akashvani, former Union Minister Smriti Irani's programme 'Nai Soch Nai Kahani – A Radio Journey with Smriti Irani' was named Series of the Year on radio. The News Services Division's popular weekly phone-in show, Public Speak, was recognised as the Best Produced Audio Streaming Programme in the Health and Fitness category.

The India Meteorological Department has issued an Orange alert over East Siang, Lower Dibang Valley and Lohit districts of Arunachal Pradesh. IMD has said that these places are very likely to receive thunderstorms with lightning and very heavy rainfall in isolated places over the next 24 hours. The IMD has also issued a Yellow alert over 15 districts in the state.

The NSS Unit & NCC Units of Indira Gandhi Govt College, Tezu jointly with Bamboosa Library organised the 1st "Capt KK Venkatraman Memorial Patriotic Group-song Competition" at the college premises on Friday. The competition was sponsored by the 6 Kumaon Regiment of the Indian Army and coordinated by Dr Tame Achi, NSS Officer, IGG College. 12 teams participated in the enchanting musical contest. The Coordinator of Lohit Youth Library Network S Mundayoor highlighted the memorable contributions of Capt Venkatraman, who dedicated his entire life for promoting educational advancement of first-generation Arunachali youth, through various innovative interventions.

That's all, in this news bulletin, Namaskar