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The launch of the Axiom-4 mission, which would carry India's astronaut Shubhanshu Shukla to space is scheduled for tomorrow after it has been postponed today due to bad weather. In a social media post, ISRO Chairman V Narayanan said that the targeted time of the launch was scheduled at 5:30 PM tomorrow. This historic mission was to carry four astronauts from the US, India, Poland, and Hungary to the International Space Station for a 14-day scientific mission in Low Earth Orbit. The four astronauts on the Axiom-4 mission were Subhanshu Shukla from India, Sławosz Uznański from Poland, Tibor Kapu from Hungary, and Peggy Whitson from the US. The astronauts were supposed to carry out around 60 scientific studies from 31 countries, including several groundbreaking research projects led by ISRO.

Prime Minister Narendra Modi has highlighted the remarkable transformation in India's defence sector over the last eleven years. In a social media post, the Prime Minister said that the focus has been on both modernisation and achieving self-reliance in defence production. He noted that it is heartening to witness how the people of India have united with a shared resolve to strengthen the nation.

The Government will facilitate an additional provision of 25 crore rupees for 2,060 houses damaged in border areas. This comes after Prime Minister Narendra Modi's announcement regarding additional compensation for houses damaged by Pakistani shelling in the border districts of Jammu and Kashmir following Operation Sindoor. The Ministry of Home Affairs, in a statement, said that the Prime Minister announced additional compensation of 2 lakh rupees for each fully damaged house and one lakh rupees for each partially damaged house.

Indian Navy, in a closely coordinated Search and Rescue operation with the Coast Guard, has safely rescued 18 out of 22 crew members of the Singaporean-flagged MV Wan Hai 503 today. The MV had reported an internal container explosion and a resultant major fire onboard. The Indian Navy said that the incident inputs were received at about 9:30 AM on Monday. INS Surat and a Dornier aircraft were immediately deployed by the Indian Navy to render necessary assistance.

Bharatiya Janata Party today organized an Interaction Programme with its party workers at the DK Convention Hall, Itanagar, commemorating 11 years of governance under Prime Minister Narendra Modi. Union Minister Kiren Rijiju, while addressing the gathering, highlighted the progress India has achieved over the past decade. He said, after Prime Minister Narendra Modi came to power, the central government's focus has been on developing border infrastructure, improving connectivity, and promoting inclusive growth, which has opened new doors of opportunity for the Northeast. Deputy Chief Minister Chowna Mein, on the occasion, said that the Northeastern states are no longer neglected, unlike during the tenure of previous governments. He said that under Mr. Modi's leadership and his special attention towards the Northeast, the region has witnessed unprecedented development. He added that in the past 11 years, violence in the Northeast has reduced by 71 percent and 10,500 insurgents have surrendered, thus paving the way for long-lasting peace.

After witnessing widespread protests in five valley districts of Manipur since last Saturday night affecting normal lives of general people, the Meetei outfit- Arambai Tenggol suspended its ongoing ten days total shutdown in the State with immediate effect from today. The outfit said that the decision to relax the shutdown with immediate effect was taken after unwanted elements had hijacked the movement leading to disturbances to the general people. The Arambai Tenggol had called for total shutdown from the late evening of 7th June following the arrest of a senior member of the organisation by the Central Bureau of Investigation in a case connected to the ethnic violence in the State.

All Arunachal Pradesh Students' Union on Monday took out statewide rallies against illegal immigration in Arunachal Pradesh. All district student bodies under the apex students' organization of the state took part in the rally, with the theme 'Save Arunachal from Illegal Immigrants'.

Sonalika Jiwani , IAS has Joined as the new Deputy Commissioner of East Siang District today. After joining the office she expressed her commitment take forward the district a "notch higher" in all aspects of public services and development initiatives adding that she is inspired by her predecessor and outgoing DC Tayi Taggu's zeal towards public service.

In Jammu and Kashmir, security forces busted a terrorist hideout in a remote area in Rajouri district today. It was unearthed

during a joint search operation by the Police and the Army. The security forces have seized ten Under Barrel Grenade Launchers and other materials. However, no arrest has been made in this connection.

A Pottery training course of Guru Shishya Hastashilp Parikshan programme under National Handicrafts Development Programme Scheme was inaugurated today at Studio 3103 in E Sector, Naharlagun. About 30 participants received pottery kits and will undergo training till 9th of August this year under Potteress Karter Lombi. The training is being organized by the Office of the Development Commissioner (Handicraft) Ministry of Textile, Government of India, Handicraft Centre Itanagar.