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President Droupadi Murmu has said that the Indian economy is consistent and the fastest-growing economy in the World. In her address at the 120-year celebration of the City Union Bank at Chennai today, the President asserted that every citizen of India is financially empowered through various schemes of the Government. She said that the banking sector is playing a pivotal role in the economic growth of the Country and congratulated the Finance Minister for bringing citizen-centric schemes to bridge the rural-urban divide.

Prime Minister Narendra Modi has said that India is creating a robust semiconductor ecosystem, which will make the nation self-reliant and globally competitive. Addressing the gathering after inaugurating the Semicon India – 2025 in New Delhi today, Mr Modi highlighted that the global semiconductor market has already reached six hundred billion dollars, and in the coming years, it is expected to surpass one trillion dollars. He expressed confidence that India will hold a significant share in this global semiconductor market. The Prime Minister stated that India is building a comprehensive ecosystem which encompasses designing, manufacturing, packaging, and high-tech devices, all within the country.

Minister for Education, PD Sona chaired a review meeting today on the guidelines vis-à-vis private schools at Itanagar. The meeting focused on strengthening regulatory measures and ensuring that private schools align with the broader vision of providing quality and equitable education to all. In a social media post, Sona said that the State Government remains committed to fostering a student-centric education system. Commissioner, Education, Amjad Tak, Advisor to Education Minister, Mutchu Mithi along with senior officials from the Education Department, shared their valuable insights.

Minister for RD and Panchayati Raj, Ojing Tasing today attended the Town Planning Meeting at Boleng. The meeting reviewed the Draft Final Report of the Strategic Urban Development Plan for Boleng Urban Agglomeration Area and deliberated upon a comprehensive vision for the future growth and expansion of Boleng. In a social media post, the Minister emphasised that the

Draft Report will ensure holistic and inclusive development, create opportunities for economic growth, and enhance the quality of life for citizens, making Boleng a vibrant and well-planned urban agglomeration for generations to come.

Itanagar Mayor Tamme Phassang is participating in the 53rd Annual General Meeting of the All India Council of Mayors, which began today in Karnal, Haryana. Phassang is scheduled to present Itanagar's journey highlighting IMC's achievements in infrastructure development, sustainable urban practices, and citizen-centric initiatives. The two-day event, inaugurated by Union Minister for Power, Housing and Urban Affairs, Manohar Lal Khattar brought together over 70 municipal leaders from 21 states to deliberate on strategies for urban transformation and to strengthen municipal governance across the country.

Acting swiftly on a missing complaint, the Naharlagun Police team led by SI Sunny Hodong today successfully traced and rescued a 17-year-old girl from Likhok Gaon in Tezpur, Assam. The accused was also apprehended on the spot. Accordingly, a case has been registered at Naharlagun Police Station and further investigation is underway. Meanwhile, Superintendent of Police, Naharlagun, Dr. Nyelam Nega has appealed the youths to focus on education, skills, and personal development to build a brighter future.

A high-level delegation from the National Disaster Management Authority and the State Disaster Management Authority visited Tawang today to review and strengthen the district's disaster preparedness and response mechanisms. The visit aimed to understand the functioning of SDMA and DDMA from a disaster risk perspective, assist districts in enhancing preparedness and response systems.

A workshop on Stress Management in the Workplace was organized at Directorate of Printing and Stationary, Naharlagun today. The workshop aimed at creating awareness among employees about maintaining a healthy balance between professional responsibilities and personal well-being. The session brought together office staff, administrators, and resource persons specializing in mental health and productivity enhancement.

The Meteorological Centre Itanagar has issued a yellow alert for fifteen districts of Arunachal Pradesh. MCI has predicted that

thunderstorm with lightning and heavy rain very likely at isolated places.