

NORTH EAST NEWS BULLETIN

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NEWS IN ORDER:-

VICE PRESIDENT

Ruling NDA candidate, CP Radhakrishnan has been elected as the new Vice President of the country. He is the 15th Vice President who was elected in the election yesterday which was necessitated due to the sudden resignation

of Jagdeep Dhankar as Vice President on July 21. Radhakrishnan defeated the Opposition candidate and former Supreme Court judge, B Sudershan Reddy by a margin of 152 votes. Radhakrishnan got 452 votes while Reddy sponsored as candidate of the I.N.D.I.A bloc got 300 votes. Out of 781 electors, 767 Members of Parliament voted in the Vice-Presidential election yesterday. Rajya Sabha Secretary General, PC Mody informed that out of 767 votes, 752 were found valid and 15 votes were declared invalid. Meanwhile President, Droupadi Murmu, Prime Minister Narendra Modi and other leaders have congratulated Radhakrishnan on being elected as the Vice President of India.

CEASEFIRE

The Government of India and the National Socialist Council of Nagaland (NSCN-K) Niki faction have agreed to extend their ceasefire agreement for another year, effective from September 8, 2025, to September 7, 2026. According to the agreement, the extension aims to facilitate lasting peace in Nagaland with the active involvement of the Naga people. The ceasefire will remain subject to adherence to the mutually agreed Ceasefire Ground Rules, which may be reviewed and amended with the participation of both parties. The agreement was formally signed in New Delhi yesterday by Joint Secretary to the Government of India, Ministry of Home Affairs, Prashant Lokhande, Supervisor, Ceasefire Supervisory Board, NSCN (K) Niki, Abel Zingru Thuer, and Secretary, CFSB, NSCN (K) Niki, Ameka Achumi.

CHOPPER

The Mizoram government will introduce chopper service to connect Manipur's Churachandpur town in its efforts to improve connectivity and foster ethnic ties with the Mizo or Zo communities in the neighbouring state. During a meeting with leaders of Hmar Students Association from Mizoram, Assam and Manipur, the Chief Minister Lalduhoma informed them that his government is planning to introduce helicopter service between Aizawl and Churachandpur to enhance connectivity. He said that a Mizoram House will be also constructed in Churachandpur. The chopper service between Churachandpur and Aizawl operated by the Manipur government is not regular, officials said. Aizawl has become an important transit point for the people living in Manipur's Churachandpur and Mizoram's Pherzawl district to travel to other parts of the country.

MANIPUR GOVERNOR

Manipur Governor, Ajay Kumar Bhalla visited Churachandpur district of the State yesterday and inspected the preparation made for the arrival of the Prime Minister in the district. Prime Minister Narendra Modi is expected to arrive on Saturday. The Governor inspected the helipad constructed in the complex of BSF Subsidiary Centre in Gangtimon. He also inspected the arrangements made at Tuibong Peace Ground in the district where the Prime Minister is expected to address a public meeting. The Governor also chaired a meeting with the State Chief Secretary, State Security Advisor, DGP and

Deputy Commissioner of Churachandpur and instructed all to take all necessary arrangements.

MEETING

Arunachal Pradesh Minister for Urban Affairs, Balo Raja yesterday attended the Video Conference jointly convened by Union Ministers for Housing, Urban Affairs & Jalshakti to discuss planning and preparatory arrangements for Swachhata Hi Seva 2025 scheduled to be rolled out on the 17th of this month. The theme for Swachhata Hi Seva 2025, "Swachhotsav", aims to promote cleanliness and sanitation through collective efforts. During the meeting, the Minister emphasized the importance of community participation in achieving the objectives of Swachhata Hi Seva 2025 and urged all stakeholders to come forward and contribute to the initiative's success and take part in the nationwide shramdaan, 'Ek Din, Ek Ghanta, Ek Saath.'

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Nagaland's Department of Health & Family Welfare has signed a Memorandum of Understanding with the Centre for Cellular and Molecular Platforms to enhance the state's public health system through innovative, indigenous health technologies. The partnership was unveiled yesterday by the Commissioner & Secretary, Health & Family Welfare, Anoop Khinchi and other officials. Through the MoU, the Centre for Cellular and Molecular Platforms and the Government of Nagaland will work together to introduce innovative health technologies to address state-specific health challenges, strengthen healthcare infrastructure and enhance clinical capacity in priority areas.

SAINIK

General Officer Commanding 3 Corps, Lieutenant General Abhijit S. Pendharkar made a historic visit yesterday to the Rajya Sainik Board, Imphal in Manipur, the first ever visit by a Corps Commander to the board. Office bearers of the Rajya Sainik Board Manipur briefed him on responsibilities, including welfare and resettlement of ex-servicemen, war widows and families of defence personnel as well as pension related benefits and recognition of gallantry award winners. The GOC stressed on the importance of sustained efforts to address the challenges and assured continued support for the welfare of ex-servicemen and their families in Manipur.

ADALAT

Along with the rest of the nation, Nagaland State Legal Services Authority will observe the 3rd Quarterly National Lok Adalat for 2025 in all district headquarters on the 13th of this month. As part of the initiative, the NSLSA said, 11 Lok Adalat Benches will be set up by the District Legal Services Authorities. The Lok Adalats will take up pre-litigation and pending civil

and criminal cases tied to Motor Accident claims, Family disputes, Land Acquisition, pension, rent, Electricity & Water Bills, among others. During the 2nd Quarter National Lok Adalat held on May 10 has disposed off 219 cases with a settlement amount of more than 2 crore rupees.

EXERCISE

In Arunachal Pradesh, the Department of Disaster Management in collaboration with the National Disaster Management Authority, organized an orientation-cum-coordination meeting yesterday with all key stakeholders to prepare for the upcoming Statewide Mock Exercise. The State-Level Mock Exercise, simulating earthquake, landslide, and Glacial Lake Outburst Flood scenarios will be conducted simultaneously across all districts of Arunachal Pradesh on the 17th and 18th of this month.

POLLUTION

In Nagaland, Dimapur has been categorised as a non-attainment city by the Central Pollution Control Board, with pollution levels rising by 35 percent between 2020 and 2024. This was informed by the Nodal Officer, National Clean Air Programme, Yanathung Kithan, during a talk show on air quality in Dimapur yesterday. The talk was conducted under the National Clean Air Programme to mark the International Day of Clean Air for Blue Skies. He said, the National Clean Air Programme is targeting 40 percent reduction in air pollution by 2026, and called for collective efforts from all sections of the society. Policymakers, youth, and media discussed the air quality issues. Meanwhile, the Kohima District Administration also held a public engagement at Don Bosco College, highlighting the importance of clean air and combating air pollution. AIR

JUBILEE

Tripura Chief Minister, Dr. Manik Saha yesterday inaugurated the five-day long Golden Jubilee celebrations of the Government College of Art & Craft at Lichubagan in Agartala. The celebration was symbolically inaugurated by Dr. Saha who applied the first strokes of color on canvas. In his welcome address, Principal, Abhijit Bhattacharya highlighted the 50-year journey of the institution and outlined the year-long programs, which include seminars, workshops, and exhibitions. The college’s first batch of students, along with retired principals who guided the institution over the decades were honoured on the occasion. Two recipients of the prestigious Lalit Kala Akademi National Award were also felicitated. The program was attended by Higher Education Secretary, Ravel Hemendrakumar, Director Animesh Debbarma, eminent artist Sanghamitra Nandi, besides other dignitaries.
