

## Pan-India celebrations mark Jan Jatiya Gaurav Divas on birth anniversary of tribal freedom fighter Bhagwan Birsa Munda PM flags of Viksit Bharat Sankalp Yatra to ensure that benefits of flagships schemes reach targeted beneficiaries in a time-bound manner

Chennai, Nov 17 2023: Pan-India celebrations marked the Jan Jatiya Gaurav Divas on 15th November 2023 to pay tributes to Bhagwan Birsa Munda on his birth anniversary. The day is also dedicated to the memory of brave tribal freedom fighters so that coming generations could know about their sacrifices about the country.

The Jan Jatiya Gaurav Divas celebrations were led by the President, Smt. Draupadi Murmu; Prime Minister Sh. Narendra Modi; Vice President Sh. Jagdeep Dhankar, and Speaker Sh. Om Birla. Celebratory events were attended by 6 CMs, 22 Governors, 7 Ministers from Central Government and several MPs, Ministers and MLAs from state Governments who joined virtually with the PM's event at Khunti, Jharkhand. Tribal Research Institutes, Eklavya Model Residential Schools, Centres of Excellence, Central ministries, State Tribal Welfare Departments and other partner organisations

organised several events across the country to mark the Janjatiya Gaurav Divas.

The occasion also coincided with the launch of nationwide 'Viksit Bharat Sankalp Yatra'. The Prime Minister flagged off IEC (Information, Education and Communication) vans in Khunti, Jharkhand, marking the launch of 'Viksit Bharat Sankalp Yatra'. The Yatra started from Gram Panchayats of 68 districts with significant tribal populations initially and then will cover all Gram panchayats across the country. The main objective behind the yatra is to attain saturation of flagship schemes of the government by ensuring that the benefits of these schemes reach all targeted beneficiaries in a time-bound manner. In tribal areas, 5 area of focus would be Sickle Cell testing, awareness and enrolment in Eklavya Model Residential Schools and Scholarship Schemes. The livelihood of tribal communities will also be ensured through Forest

Right Titles and Van Dhan Vikas Kendra Self Help Groups are also being addressed. The events were also organised at more than 200 Gram Panchayats.

Smt Droupadi Murmu, paid floral tributes to Bhagwan Birsa Munda on his birth anniversary on November 15, 2023 at Parliament House. Vice President Sh. Jagdeep Dhankar, OM Birla, Minister Smt Meenakshi Lekhi and several MPs also paid floral tributes to Bhagwan Birsa. The President was given a traditional welcome by tribal dancers wearing colourful dresses playing tribal music instruments.

The President conveyed her wishes on 'the occasion of Janjatiya Gaurav Divas' through a recorded audio visual message, which was displayed at mega event at Khunti which was attended by Prime Minister Sh. Narendra Modi; Union Minister of Tribal Affairs Sh. Arjun Munda; Governor of Jharkhand Sh. C. P. Radha Krishnan; Chief Minister of Jharkhand Sh. Hemat Soren, and



MoS, Education Smt Annapurna Devi, as well as ex-CM Sh. Babulal Marandi, and several MLAs from Khunti. The message of the President was displayed at more than 100 locations in different states and UTs.

During the public program at Khunti, the Prime Minister launched PM JANMAN (PM-Janjati Adivasi Nyaya Maha Abhiyan) and inaugurated several development projects in the state. PM also flagged off 'Viksit

was imprisoned (Karakaksh). In the museum, PM visited Karakaksh, Chalchitra kaksh and replica of Ulihatu village curated inside the museum.

PM, thereafter visited Ulihatu Village in Jharkhand, the birthplace of Bhagwan Birsa Munda, which is about 60 km from Ranchi. He paid floral tribute at his statue and had interacted with descendants of Bhagwan Birsa and Birsayat community members, the followers, of Bhagwan Birsa. Shri Modi became the first Prime Minister to visit Ulihatu Village. Sh. Arjun Munda, Sh. Hemat Soren, and Sh. C. P. Radha Krishnan accompanied him during his visit to Ranchi museum and Ulihatu.

The PM JANMAN (PM-Janjati Adivasi Nyaya Maha Abhiyan) is aimed at comprehensive development of 75 vulnerable tribal communities residing in 18 states and 1 UT who continue to lag behind in socioeconomic indicators of educational, health and livelihood and therefore

called Particularly Vulnerable Tribal groups (PVTGs). The population of these communities is about 28 lakh and are living in about 22000 habitations in more than 800 blocks located in 200 districts. Even after 75 years of independence various development schemes of Central and State Government have not been able to adequately address the critical infrastructure needs of the villages and habitations of these communities being located in remote areas and with sparse population.

The PM also launched the portal on PM Gatishatki Platform which will be used for reaching out and monitoring the progress and outcomes of the PM-JANMAN.

While remembering sacrifices of our tribal heroes, PM mentioned their role in freedom movement in different parts of country. PM said that many tribal heroes remained unsung in last 75 years and how the sacrifices made by them were remembered during Azadi ka Amrit

Mahotsav.

Shri Modi stressed the importance of focusing on the four 'Amrit Stambhs of Viksit Bharat' - women power, farmers, youth, and India's neo-middle class and the poor. Discussing PM JANMAN, the Prime Minister highlighted the government's commitment to connect the lives of tribal communities and primitive tribes. Expressing gratitude to President Droupadi Murmu for her commitment to tribal development, the Prime Minister emphasized the significance of women-led development. He highlighted various schemes empowering women, such as Beti Bachao Beti Padhao, PM Awas Yojana, and initiatives supporting self-help groups. PM spoke about PM Vishwakarma Yojana, demonstrating the government's commitment to harnessing the potential of every individual, with an allocation of 13 thousand crore rupees for modern training and tools.

## Ministry of Culture to organize "India Art, Architecture & Design Biennale" at Red Fort to provide a global platform for the promotion of arts and the artist fraternity

Chennai, Nov 17 2023: The Ministry of Culture is organizing India Art, Architecture and Design Biennale 2023 at Red Fort, to be inaugurated on 8th December 2023. Following the Inaugural & VIP preview, the exhibitions along with

panel discussions, workshops and the art bazaar will be held from 9th to 15th December and will be open to public. The keynote addresses by international artists, architects, and designers, public art installations, art bazaar

and cultural programs are the major attractions of the Biennale. The pavilions set up as part of the Biennale will be on display till the 31st of March 2024.

Building on the success of past events like the International Museum Expo &



The curated pavilions at the event offer a fascinating journey through diverse aspects of India's cultural heritage. Mr. Aditya Arya guides visitors through "Pravesh" exploring the symbolism of doors and gateways. Ms. Anjchita B Nair curates "Bagh-e-Bahar," a pavilion delving into the concept of gardens as universes. Mr. Amit Pasricha takes on "Sthaypatya" exploring the timeless design and architectural resilience of temples. "Sampravah" is curated by Mr. Ratish Nanda and Mr. Vikramjit Roorprai, focusing on Baolis in India. Ms. Shikha Jain and Ms. Adriana A. Garreta present "Vismaya" a

pavilion celebrating India's post-independence architectural splendour. Mr. Anubhav Nath brings forth "Deshaj": exploring folk art and design traditions. Finally, Ms. Swati Janu curates "Samatva" an exploration of women's contribution to architecture.

In addition to the above, the Ministry also invited artists and curators to submit their work for IAADB'23 through an open call on social media. The Ministry received 560 queries and 260 submissions of which 150 entries were selected and will be on display at the venue. In conjunction with the

IAADB's mandate for inclusivity, a Student Biennale is also being organised from the 9th of December at the Lalit Kala Akademi and will serve as a platform for emerging talent to showcase creativity and imagination.

The India Art, Architecture & Design Biennale is set to be a unique event that aims to mobilise the community of artists and designers by providing a platform for both established and emerging artists. Its goal is to energize cultural and creative industries by fostering dialogue among practitioners in art, architecture, and design.

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Festival of Libraries, the Biennale seeks to create a prominent global cultural event, comparable to those in Venice, Sao Paulo, and Dubai. Inspired by the Prime Minister's directive to establish five cultural spaces in India, including one at the Red Fort, IAADB'23 is an innovative initiative to highlight India's diverse art, architecture and design.

Addressing a curtain raiser press conference at National Museum, here today, Minister of State for Culture and External Affairs Smt. Meenakshi Lekhi said that the biennale showcases a diverse range, including traditional artisans, contemporary artists, designers, curators, and thought leaders. The Biennale is an innovative initiative to celebrate the rich tapestry of our country's artistic heritage, spanning ancient, modern, contemporary art, architecture and design, said the Minister.

The week-long event is organised around daily themes, each aimed at showcasing different aspects of India's rich cultural heritage. Seven esteemed curators are involved in IAADB'23, ensuring a captivating experience that combines physical and digital exhibitions, interactive installations, sessions and panel discussions. Expertly curated catalogues will accompany each exhibition along with a comprehensive coffee table book for the entire event.

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## "Label web series will give me good recognition" - Actor Arish Kumar

Chennai, Nov 17 2023: Arish Kumar made his debut through director Kasthuri Raja's 'Idhu Kadhal Varum Paruvam'. It is worth mentioning that the filmmaker owns a speciality of introducing ace actors like Raj Kiran, Meena and Vadivelu alongside many artistes in the industry. But what's surprising is that Kasthuri Raja got to know that Arish Kumar is none other than the son of versatile editor Ganesh Kumar, who has worked in more than 300 movies. Such happens to be the wonderful gesture of Arish Kumar, who for past 18 years has been striving with his hard work and deception without using the family background and support in the movie industry. Despite delivering promising performances in the movies like *Maaathiyosi*, *Gorippalayam*, *Muthukku Muthaaga*, *Miga Miga Avasaram* and few more movies, he couldn't make a steady stride in the industry. Maybe due to the fact that he is not making use of support and influence in the movie industry. He has now made his comeback through his promising performance in the web series 'Label' directed by Arunraja Kamaraj that stars Jai, Tanya Hope, Master Mahendran and many more prominent actors. The web series premiered on November 10 on Disney Plus Hotstar. Arish Kumar has played a pivotal role in this web series, which has got him good reception. Arish Kumar says, "We have come across many remake movies, but Arunraja Kamaraj's remake - *Nenjukku Neethi* left a deep impact on everyone. I am a great fan of his writing. Soon after watching the movie, I immediately called and congratulated him on his movie." "I requested him expressing my desire to work with him in his forthcoming projects. I usually, don't prefer asking such offers out of friendship. However, as an artiste,



one might develop a penchant taste of liking towards a filmmaker's work and they desperately desire to work with them. Such was my intention, and that's how 'Label' happened." "Web series own a special and unique feature of giving importance to all the characters, and such is my role in 'Label', where I perform a pivotal role as a police officer. Label signifies identity, and I'm glad that I have found an identity working in this web series." "This web series has been made with top-notch quality, and has the same output and impact of a movie with high-octane action sequences and good songs as well. Many arrive in the film industry out of fascination, but only few filmmakers desire to make or bring a change or revolution in the cinema industry. Arunraja Kamaraj belongs to the latter category. I see him as a filmmaker, who can perfectly exhibit and project works based on social equality and justice. Even his 'Label' boasts of such a great theme as the backdrop.

This is my first web series. I don't find much difference between the movie and the web series for both demand same amount of effort. Although both the release platforms are different, the web series will remain in the minds of the fans for a long time. Convincing a fan in a two-hour film is often impossible. But a web series will savour the fans eventually. This is the sole

difference I find between a web series and a movie. However, I had an experience of shooting for a movie while working in web series. I will wait and watch if there is any difference of experience in my upcoming web series in near future." "I have started acting again after almost six years. Earlier every year one kind of cinema would be trending. Nowadays the trend changes every three months. Fans' tastes are changing. Before we grasp the current trend, and then start working on it, there comes a new trend. So, I see a vast difference in the trend after 6 years. Of course, I blame myself for such a long gap." "Just like I approached Director Arunraja Kamaraj and got this opportunity, I should have done it before with my other friends in the circle. It took some time to realise that only such motives and approach will take us to the next level. We cannot be sure that all the doors that we knock will be opened, but at least some doors will open to your request. But we shouldn't stop knocking." The entire shooting of this web series was completed by Arunraja Kamaraj in 70 days. This is comparatively less than a film's shoot, but to see that such a long series has been filmed in a short span of time, surprises me a lot. Especially, Director Arunraja Kamaraj was so cool and composed at the shooting spot without getting tensed or pressurised under any situation.

Although it's an action-packed movie, the shooting was done with lots of jolliness and fun. Cinematographer Dinesh Krishnan has done a remarkable job with his visuals, and Sam CS has elevated the entire web series with his powerful score. Undoubtedly, he is the most spellbinding music director with extraordinary BGMS and is a boon to Tamil film industry. Following label series, I am now playing the lead role in Tamil movie titled 'Kannadasan'. I am again playing a police officer character in this movie. This has a different story premise and is directed by Sujan Kumar, who hasn't worked as assistant to any directors before. I was approached for Kannadasan movie while shooting for LABEL series and I was totally astonished. But I have showcased different mannerisms and body languages for these movies. Usually, we have seen many actors having a breakthrough after playing cop roles in their career. And I am now keeping my fingers crossed, expecting the same. I am again acting in a web series after completing 'Kannadasan' movie, and the shooting has already started. There is a general saying that in film industry, one movie will win, other will lose and another earn you reputation. I have now realized it, and decided to act consistently without taking any breaks. More than waiting for good opportunities, I have started believing that its better to take up the opportunities that I come across. There is a philosophical statement that we can find the things at the place, where we lost it. I am working towards it. As a director, Suresh Kamatchi sir gave me a movie like 'Miga Miga Avasaram' that has now completed four years, and is making good waves even now. I'm waiting again to act under his direction. It's a great support to have a person like Suresh Kamatchi sir as a pillar in the industry."

## Honda India Power Products launches an attractive customer benefit scheme; Offers free gifts along with scratch-and-win during the festive season

Chennai, Nov 17 2023: Honda India Power Products Limited (HIPP), India's leading and best-in-class power product manufacturer, and market leader in the Power Products segment for an impressive 38-year span, is thrilled to unveil the 'Honda Festive Dhamaka', a range of captivating festive offers on HIPP's proven line-up of agricultural Products specifically on Water Pump, Tillers, Brush Cutter, Engines. With the launch of this campaign, the company fortifies its stance of being a customer-first brand and offers unparalleled advantages and rewards for its extensive range of agricultural products to add impetus to the festive season offerings.

With this exclusive retail initiative, customers will get an opportunity to win free gifts with select products from the extensive range of agricultural, and construction portfolios. To make the festive season even more exciting the company is offering scratch cards



providing customers a chance to win another Dhamaka gift which could be an Android Smartphone/ LED TV/ Smartwatches. The initiative will be valid from 15th October 2023 to 30th November 2023. The campaign will be active in PAN India and will assist the farming & construction communities and other applicants across the length and breadth of the country.

Details of Honda Festive Dhamaka schemes:

**Water Pump:** Customers will get an LED Torch/ Duffle Bag as a Free Gift along with a scratch card standing a chance to win another exciting gift.

**Brush Cutters:** Along with a gift (Duffle bag)

customers will stand a chance to win another exciting gift.

**Tiller:** With Tiller, consumers will win a gift (Bluetooth Speaker) and a scratch card standing a chance to win another exciting Gift.

**General Purpose Engine:** With GPE, customers will be offered an LED Torch as a Free Gift and a scratch card standing a chance to win another exciting gift.

HIPP is excited to offer its customers this exceptional retail scheme during the festive season and add another vigor to the festive celebration of its patrons. These initiatives solidify HIPP's stance as it keeps customer satisfaction at the forefront and positions itself as a brand that

offers a wide range of technologies to foster innovation. The extensive range of agricultural products is tailor-made for the growing needs of India's agricultural sector supported by its engines for Agri, construction, and various other applications.

The opportunity to win free gifts and scratch-and-win gifts can be availed at HIPP's dealer outlets or via online channels over the wide range of agricultural products. HIPP's team of dedicated experts will assist customers with the product specifications and understanding customer needs to fit their requirements elevating their experience. Customers can call Honda's Toll-Free number 1800-11-2323, for any offer-related inquiry or visit their nearest Honda dealership to avail the limited-period offer.

More information about the Honda India Power Products range can be found at [www.hondaindiapower.com](http://www.hondaindiapower.com) and Facebook page [/hondaindiapowerproductsindia](https://www.facebook.com/hondaindiapowerproductsindia).

## Coal Secretary Amrit Lal Meena visits Coal India Ltd pavilion at IITF 2023

Chennai, Nov 17 2023: Amrit Lal Meena, Secretary, Ministry of Coal, visited the exhibition arena of Coal India Limited at the ongoing two-week-long India International Trade Fair (IITF) 2023 at Pragati Maidan, New Delhi. He was accompanied by Smt. Vismita Tej, Additional Secretary and other officials of the Ministry. Shri Meena appreciated Coal India's efforts and called upon CIL to continue on the path of growth, organizing initiatives to raise awareness among citizens about the

progress made by India's coal sector. Various steps are being taken to safeguard the nation's interests, with top priority given to community welfare and environmental protection, following all the policies of the Government of India.

Also, on display are CMPDI's capabilities and its commitment to take expert consultancy services on global platforms through diversification efforts and various international collaborations and assignments.

The pavilion showcased Coal India's

accomplishments over the past decade, emphasizing its commitment to ensuring the nation's energy security and dedication to environmental sustainability and the welfare of nearby communities. On display are various initiatives illustrating how an Indian PSU operates transparently, prioritizing safety, quality and employing modern technologies to supply fuel to a progressing nation.

Live portals like 'CoalDashboard' show the real-time status of coal production and

offtake, subsidiary-wise, as well as by newly inducted commercial miners. Another portal, 'Uttam,' highlights the quality of coal produced in various areas of CIL. The citizen-centric initiative of Coal Mine Surveillance Management System (CMSMS) is also on display, allowing any citizen to report illegal or suspicious activity near a coal mine through their phone via the 'Khanan Prahari' app. Reports are then uploaded to the CMSMS portal for authorities to take cognizance and necessary actions.

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## DP World's 'Beyond Boundaries Initiative' pledges over 2,000 cricket kits to grassroots cricket clubs across the ICC Men's Cricket World Cup 2023

Chennai, Nov 17 2023: DP World, a global leader in end-to-end logistics solutions, brought the Beyond Boundaries initiative to Chennai today, delivering high quality cricket kits to local cricket clubs in the city. As part of this initiative, a bespoke container with cricketing gear was unveiled at Chennai Boys Higher Secondary School in Chennai by Ravi Shastri and Rizwan Soomar, CEO and Managing Director for Middle East, North Africa and India Subcontinent for DP World. With this unveiling, DP World has already delivered 750 of the 2000 plus cricket kits committed across the ICC Men's Cricket World Cup 2023.



shipping containers placed in cricket playing communities across the world.

Each of these containers contain 250 kits including bats, helmets, gloves, and pads. The containers also serve the dual purpose of having an in-built scoreboard and shade for protection from the sun, a place where aspiring cricket talent can rest and rejuvenate.

This not only signifies a pivotal moment in the Beyond Boundaries initiative but also encapsulates the full journey till date in India, following the unveiling of the first two containers in Mumbai and Ahmedabad. The container unveiled at Chennai will be stationed at the Gen-Next Cricket Institute, Loyola College Ground, with the kits distributed to players of the Gen-Next Cricket Academy, Supers Kings Academy, and other Government Schools in the city of Chennai.

During the ICC Men's Cricket World Cup 2023, DP World has committed to delivering 10 kits for every 100 runs scored, resulting in a pledge of over 2,000 kits to grassroots clubs worldwide through this impactful initiative. Through Beyond Boundaries, DP World will leverage its end-to-end network and smart logistics capabilities to deliver cricket kits and equipment through at least fifty bespoke

Ravi Shastri, Cricket Commentator, Former India Men's Coach and former India Men's Cricketer said: "I commend DP World for the visionary 'Beyond Boundaries' initiative, an endeavour that transcends the traditional confines of cricket. By generously providing essential cricket gear to budding talents, DP World has not only elevated the accessibility of the game but has also instigated a transformative shift at the grassroots level. This impactful initiative is a game-changer, showcasing DP World's unwavering commitment to nurturing the sporting spirit and aspiring cricketers now have the tools they need to dream big. This holistic approach to cricket development is a true testament to DP World's dedication to the game and its profound impact on inspiring the next generation of cricketers."

The container

thriving industrial ecosystem not only enhance efficiency but also drives accelerated growth for the region. This initiative in the region is poised to deepen community connections, making the sport not only possible but also immensely enjoyable for the people of the state."

Over the next five years, DP World will continue to leverage its interconnected global network across 73 countries and six continents to distribute the remaining 47 containers at strategic locations around the world; including another two during this year's tournament, with more details to follow.

DP World entered Tamil Nadu in 2001, developing the Chennai Container Terminal (CCTL) with four berths with the capacity to handle 1.2 million TEUs per annum, in the Chennai port. The company expanded its presence with container freight facilities, cold storage, and third-party logistics (3PL) warehousing units. Beyond port operations, DP World's second free trade warehousing zone (FTWZ)- Integrated Chennai Business Park (ICBP)- offers customers a 600,000 sqft of warehousing space with a plan to further develop another 140,000 sqft. This will provide boost to EXIM trade from the state and allow local MSMEs and large businesses to explore global markets. The state's diverse manufacturing sectors, including automobiles, engineering, pharmaceuticals, garments, textiles, and chemicals, stand to gain significantly from our world class ICBP FTWZ facility, fostering future growth.

Railway Police (GRP) personnel have been alerted and additional staff have been deployed to ensure safe travel.

Further, stringent measures are in place to ensure the thorough scanning of luggage and parcel items before loading onto trains.

If a passenger onboard or at a railway station comes across any co-passenger in possession of inflammables like crackers, Railway Helpline 139 can be accessed for registering complaints.

## 11-month-old brave infant defeats Liver Cancer: Innovative Live Liver Transplant Successfully Performed by Doctors at MGM Healthcare



Chennai, Nov 17 2023: MGM Healthcare, a renowned multi-specialty quaternary care hospital located in the heart of Chennai, proudly announces the successful life-saving living donor liver transplant performed on an 11-month-old underweight baby from Orissa. The infant, weighing only 7 Kilogram had Hepatoblastoma (Liver Cancer) and also suffered from a rare congenital condition called Beckwith-Wiedemann Syndrome.

The child was admitted to MGM Healthcare Chennai in July 2023, presenting with hepatoblastoma, a rare liver tumor. Having previously undergone eight cycles of chemotherapy in other hospitals, the parents sought a solution at MGM Healthcare. Further examinations by Dr. Thiagarajan Srinivasan, Senior Consultant & Director of the Institute of Liver Diseases, Transplant & HPB Surgery, and ably supported by Dr Karthik Mathivanan (Senior Consultant & Associate Director) and multidisciplinary team revealed the additional challenge of Beckwith-Wiedemann Syndrome—a rare genetic disorder

associated with overgrowth and an elevated risk of tumors. With an incidence affecting 1 in 10,500 to 13,700 newborns globally, this syndrome presented a unique medical challenge.

Explaining the treatment details, Dr. Thiagarajan Srinivasan said, owing to central location of Tumour in the liver rendered it unsafe for removal without damaging the organ, a decision was made to perform a living donor liver transplant. Further he said "We encountered multiple challenges, including the unavailability of a suitable related living liver donor and post-chemotherapy complications such as cachexia and infection. Overcoming these obstacles required stabilizing the patient through nutritional support and infection treatment, leading to a successful swap living donor liver transplant from a 42-year-old donor from Tamil Nadu, providing a new lease of life to the infant. The swap transplant required excellent coordination and an operating team of 40 medical professionals simultaneously to successfully execute this complex feat for 16 long hours.

"The liver from

donor was too big for the small child and we employed special techniques to reduce the size of donor liver preserving its functionality and transplanted the reduced liver into the child. This was facilitated by Pre-operative 3D computerized reconstruction of the donor liver anatomy and virtual planning of the resection. The child successfully underwent liver transplant and now child is active and doing well with normal liver functions and no Tumour on follow up imaging," he added.

Reflecting on the intricate surgery, Dr Karthik Mathivanan, Senior Consultant & Associate Director, Institute of Liver Transplant and HPB Surgery, MGM Healthcare, said, "As the child was extremely delicate to handle and underweight the surgery was a great challenge for us. The surgery took 12-hours-to replace the baby's affected liver."

"The awareness for such kind of liver cancers in Pediatric age group is very less. The option of liver transplant for complex cases like this is generally not considered. Early referral to specialised liver centres is the key to cure such cancer and

save every children's life," Dr. Karthik added.

Mr. Harish Manian, Group CEO, MGM Healthcare said, "Our doctors have accomplished a remarkable feat in saving a child's life through a highly critical surgery, involving the reduction of the donor's liver size to ensure a perfect fit for the infant's small body. At MGM Healthcare, our foremost priority has always been the well-being of our patients, and in this instance, we were privileged to offer a precious life a second chance. The success of this surgery underscores the skill and commitment of our entire medical team, along with the generosity of the donor. Our thoughts and best wishes are extended to the baby and the family."

This successful surgery at MGM Healthcare highlights the hospital's unwavering commitment to delivering the highest quality medical care and its dedication to pioneering treatments and surgeries. Dr. Srinivasan, Dr. Karthik Mathivanan and their team's expertise in complex liver surgeries and transplants continues to make a significant impact on the lives of patients and their families.

## Southern Railway launches intensive drive against carriage of inflammable articles in trains

Chennai, Nov 17 2023: In a proactive move to ensure the safety of passengers during the ongoing festive season, Southern Railway has launched an intensive awareness campaign against the carriage of inflammable items on trains and at stations. The initiative aims to create a safer travel environment for all the passengers on board and promote a collective commitment to safety.

Passengers are urged to exercise caution and refrain from carrying, as

well as preventing their co-passengers from carrying, inflammable objects such as firecrackers, gas cylinders, acid, petrol, kerosene, and other potentially hazardous materials during train journeys.

As per Sections 67, 164, and 165 of the Railway Act 1989, carrying flammable and explosive articles on railways constitutes a punishable offence, with penalties of up to 1,000 or imprisonment for up to three years, or both, in addition to being

responsible for any loss, injury, or damage caused.

To reinforce this message, regular announcements are being made at railway stations, appealing to passengers to avoid bringing inflammable and explosive items on board trains. The goal is to enhance awareness and Field officials have been instructed to maintain a vigilant watch on passenger movements during train travel. The Railway Protection Force (RPF) and Government

## Tata Motors' hyperlocal strategy continues to script success for the Tiago.ev in Tamil Nadu

Chennai, Nov 17 2023: As the electric vehicle (EV) revolution gains momentum in Tamil Nadu, Tier 2 and Tier 3 cities in the state are proving to be key contributors in driving the adoption of EVs, with maximum sales coming from cities like Coimbatore, Madurai, Salem, and Tiruchirappalli, amongst others. This percentage split is a testament to the resounding success of the Tiago.ev as a product, with people across geographies and demographics trusting the electric hatchback as the EV market grows. Tamil Nadu contributes to 7% of overall EV sales.

The Tiago.ev, Tata Motors' first electric hatchback, has promptly become the symbol of sustainable and eco-friendly transportation in

India. Its affordable pricing, impressive range, and advanced features have made it the preferred choice for consumers in non-metro areas, proving that electric mobility is not just for urban centers. Intriguingly, it has been noted that over 24% of Tiago.ev buyers are women, a figure that doubles the typical industry average for four-wheeled vehicles. This trend continues to build strongly because of the modern features and enhanced comfort offered by an EV, making it a compelling value proposition.

Key Points behind the success of Tiago.ev:

1. Impressive Range: With a MIDC range of 315 km, the Tiago.ev has addressed concerns about the limited range of electric vehicles, making it

suitable for longer commutes common in non-metro areas.

2. Eco-Friendly Initiative: The Tiago.ev aligns with the government's push for cleaner transportation and reduced carbon emissions. Tier II and Tier III markets are showing a strong commitment to environmental conservation.

3. Easy drivability: The car comes with two driving modes City and Sport along with four levels of regen settings in each of the drive modes. This provides ultimate customization according to customer driving styles. With level 3 regen settings, it delivers one pedal like driving experience.

4. Affordability: The Tiago.ev has been

embraced by Tier II and Tier III markets due to its competitive pricing. TATA.ev has ensured that electric mobility is accessible to a wide range of consumers.

5. Evolving Charging Infrastructure: The expansion of charging infrastructure in these markets has made EV ownership a practical and convenient choice. Charging stations are now available at strategic locations, ensuring that drivers can recharge their vehicles with ease.

Educational Initiatives: TATA.ev has taken steps to educate consumers about the benefits of EVs and provide information about government incentives, making it easier for Tier II and Tier III markets to transition to electric mobility.

## Rameswaram Station redevelopment works progress at a steady pace

Chennai, Nov 17 2023: In order to offer globally competitive infrastructure, ambience and facilities for rail passengers, Southern Railway has taken up Station Redevelopment projects. The transformation of Rameswaram railway station is poised to revolutionize the travel experience of rail passengers, given its status as a renowned pilgrimage site and popular tourist destination. Tender was awarded for the redevelopment work in September 2022 and the work has begun and progressing at a steady pace.



Parcel office roof slab and plastering work completed

Existing platform shelter removed at FOB area

Officers Rest House- Pile cap concreting completed.

Works in progress

Multi-functional Complex building - Fire fighting, fire alarm, Extra Low Voltage (ELV) Systems & signage work in progress

Proposed Parcel Office Building - Plumbing, painting and tiling work in progress

Substation building - Plastering work in progress

Residential Tower - FF column and roof slab shuttering work in progress

Officers Rest House - GF column and roof slab shuttering works in progress

East Terminal and Departure forecourt Pile & Pile cap work in progress with 237/621 piles being placed

Sewage Treatment Plant - Wall reinforcement & shuttering work on progress

Desalination plant - Wall reinforcement & shuttering work on progress.

Rameswaram Station Redevelopment

The work of Redevelopment of Rameswaram Railway station was awarded as

EPC contract to M/s Sabari URC JV, Coimbatore at a cost of Rs.90.20 Crores. M/s TUV India Private Limited, Mumbai have been tasked with the work of Project Management services (PMS) at a cost of Rs.4.41 Crore.

Two terminals are proposed to be constructed, one at the East and one at the North side. The East Terminal Building is proposed as a G+2 structure, with G+6 foundation, accommodating world class amenities like waiting lounge, ticketing area, commercial area, Railway offices and Roof plaza etc. Segregation of departing and arrival passengers, adequate Lifts and escalators are planned in this building. The proposed North Terminal building houses a prepaid taxi counter, Railway offices and various help line centres. Surface Parking planned with separate driveway to parking.

## Legends League Cricket all set to start its first leg in Ranchi tomorrow

### Munaf Patel, Pravin Tambe and Hashim Amla along with Andrew Leipus and Raman Raheja unveiled the trophy of the Legends League Cricket

Chennai, Nov 17 2023: The cricketing world is set to witness a grand reunion as legendary cricketers, Munaf Patel, Pravin Tambe, and Hashim Amla along with Andrew Leipus and Raman Raheja took center stage to kickstart the highly anticipated season of Legends League Cricket (LLC) on Saturday at the JSCA Stadium in Ranchi. The league will see Bhilwara Kings and India Capitals, led by Irfan Pathan, clash against the other, promising fans a nostalgic journey and a spectacular display of cricketing prowess. Speaking on the eve of tournament, former Indian cricketer Munaf Patel said, "Legends League Cricket is one of the biggest leagues of the country. And talking about starting the league in Ranchi, only one name comes to mind, my captain, M.S. Dhoni. The stadium that also has his name on the pavilion, is definitely one of the best stadiums in the country." Talking about India clash with Australia, he further



added that "we are really excited and looking forward for India's win in the finals of ICC World Cup." The Legends League Cricket, a six-team tournament will be played across five cities in India - Ranchi, Dehradun, Jammu, Vizag, and Surat and is scheduled to run from November 18 to December 9, 2023. The much-anticipated season will commence with a thrilling rematch between Bhilwara Kings and India Capitals on Saturday, a repeat of last season's final where India Capitals emerged victorious, lifting the coveted trophy. "Legends League Cricket is a platform to relive the joy and passion for cricket. India Capitals is a team filled with talent, and I

batting duo of Irfan and Yusuf Pathan, combined with the strategic prowess of Shane Watson, adds a dynamic edge to the team. The bowling attack, featuring the likes of Ryan Sidebottom and Iqbal Abdulla, promises to keep opponents on their toes. The India Capitals present a formidable combination of seasoned campaigners and rising stars. The team's bowling arsenal is strengthened by the presence of Pravin Tambe, the dynamic Ashley Nurse, and the experienced Fidel Edwards. Star spinner Pravin Tambe said, "Legends League Cricket is a platform to relive the joy and passion for cricket. India Capitals is a team filled with talent, and I

am honored to be part of this journey." Raman Raheja, CEO and Co-founder, Legends League Cricket said, "We are hoping for an exciting and scintillating season starting from November 18. We would like to take the opportunity to thank our fans for the huge response and are looking forward to packed stadiums for all the matches. The matches will be reminiscent of cricketing talent that the entire country has loved over the years." 19 matches will be played across 22 days in what promises to be a mouth-watering tournament. After Ranchi, the action will shift to Dehradun on November 24, with the Bhilwara Kings clashing with the Gujarat Giants in what will be the sixth match of the season. Six teams; India Capitals, Bhilwara Kings, Gujarat Giants, Manipal Tigers, Southern Super Stars, and Urbanisers Hyderabad will be fighting their way to the coveted trophy.

## OKX Launches X1, New zKEVM Layer-2 Network, Built with Polygon CDK

Chennai, Nov 17 2023: In a landmark strategic collaboration, OKX, a global-leading crypto exchange and Web3 ecosystem, and Polygon Labs, a leading international blockchain software technology company, today announced the launch of the testnet for 'X1,' a new, highly performant and secure Ethereum-based Zero Knowledge (ZK) Layer-2 (L2) network, built with the Polygon Chain Development Kit (CDK).

Designed with developers in mind, X1 enables anyone to build on its on-chain ecosystem and will drive the future of Web3, attracting builders across DeFi, enterprise and other verticals by connecting OKX's more than 50 million users with the Polygon and the Ethereum communities - two of the biggest globally in Web3 in terms of developer participation.

Additionally, and as part of the collaboration

between OKX and Polygon Labs, OKX will become a core contributor to Polygon CDK, and will invest substantial engineering resources to enhance the technology stack for Ethereum scaling solutions.

X1 will serve as OKX's new native network and will provide users and developers access to the world's biggest blockchain ecosystems. X1's native token will be OKX's platform token OKB, which will be used to pay for gas fees on the network.

A state-of-the-art, user-friendly protocol for builders, creators and Web3 enthusiasts, X1 utilizes ZK proofs, making it highly secure and scalable while also reducing transaction costs. The network is compatible with Ethereum, allowing seamless and secure deployment of EVM-based DApps and connectivity with a broad spectrum of smart contracts, wallets and tools.

OKX Chief Innovation Officer Jason Lau said: "X1 will be a key pillar of our efforts to educate and bring our users onchain and into the world of Web3. This scalable and accessible network is perfect for developers, who can build on X1 to deliver user friendly world-class consumer Web3 applications, all while maintaining interoperability with other networks and ecosystems. By collaborating with Polygon Labs, we look to bring more builders, more use cases, and ultimately the mass adoption of Web3."

Polygon co-founder Sandeep Nailwal said: "The X1 network offers developers an affordable and user-friendly platform to create decentralized apps, seamlessly bridging the vast OKX community with the Polygon and wider Ethereum ecosystems. The utilization of Polygon CDK technology represents a

significant leap forward, enabling developers to design and deploy ZK L2 solutions on Ethereum with ease. Looking ahead, Polygon CDK-deployed chains can interoperate and coexist within a larger network of ZK-powered L2s in the Polygon CDK ecosystem. We're excited to collaborate with OKX's team to advance this technology and drive the success of the X1 network."

Polygon CDK launched in late August and allows enterprises and developers to launch ZK-powered Layer 2 chains on Ethereum, offering infinite scalability and unified liquidity. Many tech and enterprise companies have announced plans to build their own Ethereum ZK L2s, including Astar (the largest chain from Polkadot), Canto (the largest public common chains from Cosmos), Gnosis Pay, Palm and IDEX.

## TATA AutoComp & FORTACO Group Unveils Cutting-edge Cabin Facility

Pune, Nov 17 2023: TATA AutoComp, a leading auto-component conglomerate, is proud to announce the inauguration of its manufacturing facility for state-of-the-art cabins for tractors & off-highway equipment's. These cabins are developed in collaboration with FORTACO (a globally renowned design engineering

and manufacturing solutions provider & the leading European strategic partner to the heavy off-highway equipment). The new facility promises to revolutionize the agricultural industry by offering; safe, advanced, and innovative cabin solutions for tractors.

The inauguration ceremony took place on 7th November 2023 at TATA AutoComp's Composite Division Manufacturing Facility in Chakan, Pune. The event was attended by the representatives from TATA AutoComp, FORTACO and key customers.



TATA AutoComp's new cabin facility for tractors & off-highway segment incorporates cutting-edge technology and design, providing farmers with comfortable, safe, and ergonomic cabins. FORTACO will provide the design and technology for this advanced cabin facility.

Speaking on the occasion, Arvind Goel, Chairman, Tata AutoComp said "Tata AutoComp has always been a pioneer in introducing cutting edge technology to its customers. The Off-Highway vehicle market is developing rapidly in India and demand for safety and comfort have started increasing amongst users. With strong design &

technology collaboration with Fortaco, this new cabin facility will offer safe, comfortable cabins to the Tractor and Off Highway industry, thereby strengthening our presence in these segments across India & Global Markets".

Safety cabin manufacturing is made by Tata AutoComp, based on the technology, design, and specifications by FORTACO. This association supports the Tractor & Off-highway OEMs for safe & reliable cabins. Tata AutoComp and FORTACO will deliver the cabins to key Tractor & Off-highway OEMs, which will be fitted on their tractors sold in the domestic and

international markets.

On a similar note, Lars Hellberg, President and CEO for Fortaco Group "Our Collaboration with TATA AutoComp has allowed us to leverage our technical capabilities to create a cabin facility that sets new standards in the industry. We are proud to be part of this project, which emphasizes innovation, quality, and customer satisfaction. The collaboration between our teams has been fruitful, and we are confident that the tractors equipped with these cabins will make a positive impact on the farming community."

The newly inaugurated cabin facility aligns with TATA AutoComp's & FORTACO's mission to enhance the efficiency and productivity of the agricultural sector. By integrating cutting-edge technology and design, the company aims to empower farmers and contribute to the overall growth of the agricultural industry.