



Two community groups clash during the second Mangala (Mangalwari) procession ahead of the Ram Navami festival, in Hazaribagh district of Jharkhand



Lawyers during the second day of their indefinite strike over Justice Yashwant Varma's transfer to the Allahabad High Court, in Prayagraj



Odisha Govt's outsourced employees stage a protest at Mahatma Gandhi Marg during the Budget session of Assembly, in Bhubaneswar



Army jawans during the 4th day of their search operation in the Hiranagar sector area, in Kathua district, Jammu and Kashmir

CHANGE IN NAME
I Remediana Moura H. No 206/B Battim Cuelim Cansaulim Mormugao South Goa would like to correct my name from Remediana Souza to Remediana Moura herein after in all my dealings and documents I will be known by my new name Remediana Moura.

COMMUNIDADE OF CHINCHINIM
Chinchinim, Salcete Goa, 403715
Date: 22/03/2025
NOTICE
It is hereby announced that the Auction of the Fishing rights of the Comunidade de Chinchinim for the Triennium Period of 2025 to 2028 is fixed on 6th April 2025, at 10.30 a.m., in the meeting hall of the Comunidade de Chinchinim. The interested Bidders /Persons may remain present at the venue.
Sd/- (OLENCIO ALMEIDA) ATTORNEY Comunidade de Chinchinim

CHANGE OF NAME
I, MARIQUINHA ANITA RODRIGUES, r/o H. No. 117/B, Nr. Borim Bridge, Borim, North Goa, has changed my name from MARIQUINHA ANITA DIAS to MARIQUINHA ANITA RODRIGUES. Hereafter, in all my dealings and documents, I will be known by the name MARIQUINHA ANITA RODRIGUES.
Sd/- MARIQUINHA ANITA RODRIGUES

COMMUNIDADE OF CHINCHINIM
Chinchinim, Salcete Goa, 403715
Date: 22/03/2025
NOTICE
COMMUNIDADE OF CHINCHINIM HEREBY ANNOUNCES THAT A GENERAL BODY MEETING WILL BE HELD ON SUNDAY, 13th OF APRIL 2025, AT 11.00 A.M. IN THE COMUNIDADE HALL TO DISCUSS THE FOLLOWING AGENDA.
AGENDA: TO DISCUSS THE BYPASS OF NH66 HIGHWAY PASSING THROUGH COMUNIDADE FIELDS.
SD/- (OLENCIO ALMEIDA) ATTORNEY COMUNIDADE OF CHINCHINIM

Xaverian Educational Society
Fr. Agnel College of Arts & Commerce
Pilar - Goa 403 203
TENDER NOTICE
Sealed tenders are invited for awarding contract for out-sourcing the security service from Registered Security Agencies. The tender form/document can be collected from the Office of Fr. Agnel College of Arts & Commerce, Pilar, Goa, from 28-03-2025 to 01-04-2025 between 9.00am to 12.30pm against non-refundable payment of Rs. 200/- through cash/Demand Draft favouring Fr. Agnel College of Arts & Commerce, payable at Pilar.
Last date/time for submission of tender document: 02-04-2025 by 9.30 am
Date/time of opening a tender document: 02-04-2025 at 11.00 am
Sd/-
Dr. (Fr.) Fredrick Rodrigues
Offg. Principal

PUBLIC NOTICE
Members of the general public are hereby notified that my client, is desirous of purchasing the below described biguanoty property / paddy field, from Mr. Meghnath Ramnath Painsi alias Meganath Ramnath Painsi, resident of 192/2, Painsi Wada, Shirgao, Assonora, North Goa, Goa - 403503; subject to the making out a clear and marketable title thereto. The said Vendor has represented that he has acquired the said property from his erstwhile predecessor, reading as, Pundalik Naik and his wife, Manikabai Naik.
Any person or entity (Corporate or otherwise) having any valid right, title, interest, benefit, claim or demand of whatsoever nature with respect to the said property / field or any part thereof, by virtue of either inheritance, agreement, sale, exchange, gift, lease, tenancy, license, assignment, mortgage, charge, lien, trust, family arrangement/settlement, encumbrance, development rights, order/decree/judgement of any Court, or otherwise in terms of law are called upon to file his/her/its claim or objection at my Office with all valid documentary evidence in support thereof within a period of 10 days from the date of publication hereof, failing which my client shall proceed with the intended purchase and execute the final Sale Deed, presuming that the transferor's/vendor's title thereto is valid and marketable and that any claims and objections, if any, from any person/s whatsoever, after the expiry of the notice period, shall be considered as waived and/or abandoned.
SCHEDULE
An agricultural property / paddy field known as "AFORAMENTO DEUCASANA" also known by the other names as "BACREACHI BORN" or "BHAKRO" totally admeasuring an area 8325 Sq. mts., situated at Village Malar, Parish of Sao Mathias, which is within the jurisdiction of Village Panchayat of Malar, Tiswadi Taluka, Sub District of Ilhas, North Goa District and State of Goa, described in the Land Registration Office of Ilhas under Description no.18023 of Book B-47 at page 197 bearing Matriz no.468 new with the denomination of "Bacreachi Born" and presently surveyed under Survey no.149 with Sub-Division no.3 (Survey no.149/3) and is bounded as under:-
On the north: by the property bearing Survey no.149/2 and by rivulet of Comunidade de Malar; On the south: by rivulet of Comunidade de Malar; On the east: by rivulet of Comunidade de Malar; On the west: by the properties bearing Survey nos.149/2, 149/4 and 151/1.
(Sd/-)
Panaji - Goa, 27th March 2025
Adv. Alisha Subhas Vernekar
Office no.205, 2nd Floor, Ambrosia Corporate Park,
Patto Plaza, Panaji, Goa - 403001
Contact no - 8378966526 e-mail : md@chodankars.com

SC remark on cutting trees a wake-up call for govt, say environmentalists

PTI, NEW DELHI: The Supreme Court's remark that cutting a large number of trees is worse than killing human beings should be a "wake-up call" for the central government, which has been "weakening" forest protection laws, and for states that have been "mindlessly" clearing green cover for development, environmentalists said on Wednesday.
The apex court made the observation while rejecting the plea of a man who had chopped down 454 trees in the protected Jay Trapezium Zone.
"There should be no mercy in the environmental case. Felling a large number of trees is worse than killing a human," it said.
Environmentalists welcomed the apex court's strong stand on forest and tree protection but questioned if governments



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projects such as hydropower, dams, roads, tunnels and railways has led to the loss of thousands of hectares of pristine forests. This has increased disaster risks, vulnerability and fatalities in the region," he said.
Union Environment Minister Bhupender Yadav told the Lok Sabha on Monday that India had diverted 1,734 square kilometres of forest land, significantly larger (much more) than the total geographical area of Delhi, for development activities in the 10 years starting 2014-15.
Last July, Union Minister of State for Environment Kirti Vardhan Singh had informed the Lower House that 957.25 square kilometres of forest area had been diverted for non-forestry use over five years from April 2019.
He had said 881 projects were approved in national

and wildlife sanctuaries across the country during this period.
Meanwhile, SANDRP's Rawat also claimed that the judiciary "failed" to protect forests, citing the Char Dham all-weather road project in Uttarakhand as an example.
Neelam Ahluwalia, environmentalist and founder member of People for Aravallis, said India was highly vulnerable to climate change, facing everything from extreme heat waves to glacial lake outburst floods.
"Our forests and natural ecosystems are our only protective shields, yet we are destroying them in the name of so-called development projects. From (Great) Nicobar to Hasdeo, Odisha, the northeast and the Aravallis, forests are being axed across the country," she said.

PUBLIC NOTICE
TO ALL PERSONS: It is to be known that I/Wife, MRS. AVRIL FREDA COUTINHO, 60 year of age, daughter of late Terrence Dominic Travasso, wife of Francisco Xavier Coutinho, r/o House No. 10/A-4, Peddem, Camarcasan, Mapusa, Bardez, Goa do hereby REVOKE IN ITS ENTIRETY, cancel, withdraw, terminate and made void the Power of Attorney dated 20/08/2024 signed and executed before the Notary A. K. Phadte at Mapusa bearing Registration No. 5011/2024 in favour of MR. SAVIO ANTHONY TRAVASSO, 49 years of age, son of late Maximus Alex Sebastian Travasso, married, resident of House No. 49/2, Fuldem Vaddo, Nagoa, Bardez, Goa.
This revocation of Power of Attorney is conclusive for all purposes with immediate effect from 26/02/2025. Any actions taken by the said Savio Anthony Travasso by virtue of the aforesaid power of attorney, shall henceforth not be binding on me the undersigned hence the public is hereby made aware not to deal with the said Savio Anthony Travasso on my concerning any matter or documents or incidents of any nature whatsoever for which I or my representatives are not liable and I am hereby absolved from any liability / action/ costs/ risks/ responsibilities / expenses and consequences thereof if any taken as such, in accordance with the aforesaid Power of attorney.
Date: 26/03/2025
Sd/- Mrs. Avril Freda Coutinho

BEFORE THE JOINT MAMLATDAR-V OF BARDEZ TALUKA MAPUSA, BARDEZ GOA
Mutation Case No.: 100399
Village: Arpora
Lucindo Domingos Antonio De Faria alias Lucindo Faria, ...Applicant.
R/o Morod Mapusa Goa V/S
1. Acas Viegas ...Opponents
2. St. Joseph Socyety

PUBLIC NOTICE
To all opponents/legal heirs/any other interested parties
Whereas the applicant Lucindo Domingos Antonio De Faria alias Lucindo Faria, R/o Morod Mapusa Goa, applied for mutation under Section 96 of L.R.C. 1968, to include his name in the Occupant Column under Sy. No. 6/11 of Village Arpora Taluka Bardez. As the applicant has acquired right in the said property, As per Deed of Sale, Book- 1 Document, Registration Number- 470, at pages 188 to 199, Book No. 1 Volume No. 991 dated 03/03/2003, executed before Sub Registrar Bardez.
And whereas the notices in Form no. X were served to all the interested parties by registered A/D. However some A. D. card returned back with the Postal remarks "Party Expired/Party Left/Not Known/Address out of Station" and he do not know the detailed addresses of the Legal heirs and whereabouts of the interested parties.
And whereas the applicant has prayed vide his application for substitute service, by publication of public notice in any one daily newspaper as required under Order V Rule 20(1A) of C.P.C. as the applicants do not know the legal heirs and the address of the interested parties.
All the interested parties are hereby given notice of the said mutation entry and called upon to submit to me their objection if any to the mutation entry within 15 days from the date of publication of this notice failing which the suitable order under the provision of L.R.C shall be issued by the Certifying Officer.
SEAL (Meghana Naik)
Place: Mapusa Jt. Mamlatadar-V of Bardez
Date: 13/03/2025

Kerala Chief Secy speaks out against being labelled 'black'

PTI, THIRUVANANTHAPURAM: Kerala Chief Secretary Sarada Muraliedharan has spoken out about the colour and gender bias she has faced and its continued presence in society, sparking a debate on social media with many people showing their support.
What prompted the Chief Secretary to ignite the social debate was a comment made by someone comparing her work with that of her husband and predecessor V Venu by saying "it is as black as my husband's was white." Hurt by the comment, Muraliedharan had put up a Facebook post about it but later deleted it because she was "flustered by the flurry of responses".
"I am reposting it because certain well-wishers said that there were things that needed to be discussed. I agree. So here goes, once again," she said in her post, which garnered over 1,000 reactions and has been commented upon and shared hundreds of times.
In the FB post on Tuesday night, Muraliedharan also shared how she grew up feeling like she was worth less because of her dark skin. It was only later, with her children's help, that she realised black is "beautiful".
Speaking to a TV channel on Wednesday, she said that society needs to change its attitudes and overcome these biases. According to her, this change must begin at home and in schools.

DAILY STRUGGLE



Women carry firewood at a tea estate, in Nagaon district, Assam

CBI raids Bhupesh Baghel's houses in Chhattisgarh; won't bow down, says Cong

PTI, RAIPUR/NEW DELHI: The CBI on Wednesday conducted searches at 60 locations, including the residence of former Chhattisgarh chief minister Bhupesh Baghel, in connection with the alleged Rs 6,000 crore Mahadev betting app scam, officials said.
The agency teams swooped down at Baghel's residences in Raipur and Bhillai, as well as the houses of a senior police officer and a close associate of the former CM, they said.
In a post from Baghel's X handle, the Congress leader the premises of Congress MLA Devendra Yadav in Bhillai town of Durg district and of IPS officers Anand Chhabra, Abhishek Pallava and Arif Sheikh, among others, sources said.
"In the investigation of Mahadev Book online betting scam, the Central Bureau of Investigation (CBI) today is conducting searches at 60 locations across Chhattisgarh, Bhopal, Kolkata, and Delhi including premises linked to politicians, senior bureaucrats, police officers, key functionaries of Mahadev Book, and other private individuals suspected of involvement in the case," a CBI Spokesperson said in a statement.
The agency said that the case pertains to the illegal operations of Mahadev Book, an online betting platform promoted by Ravi Uppal and Saunabh Chandrakar, both of whom are currently based in Dubai.

er's office said, "Now CBI has arrived. Former Chief Minister Bhupesh Baghel is scheduled to go to Delhi today for the meeting of the Drafting Committee constituted for the AICC meeting to be held in Ahmedabad (Gujarat) on 8 and 9 April. Before that, the CBI has reached Raipur and Bhillai Niwas."
The Congress said the CBI's searches at Baghel's residences were politically motivated, and asserted it will not be intimidated by such actions.
The searches also covered the premises of Congress MLA Devendra Yadav in Bhillai town of Durg district and of IPS officers Anand Chhabra, Abhishek Pallava and Arif Sheikh, among others, sources said.
"Investigations have revealed that the promoters allegedly paid substantial amounts as 'protection money' to public servants to ensure the smooth and uninterrupted functioning of their illegal betting network," the statement said.
In the course of searches, which continue, incriminating digital and documentary evidence were found and seized, it said.
The state government last year handed over to the CBI 70 cases related to the alleged Mahadev scam lodged with different police stations and one case registered with the Economic Offences Wing (EOW) in the state.
The CBI has taken over the investigation from the EOW of the Chhattisgarh Police, which had earlier named Baghel, promoters of the app, Uppal, Chandrakar, Shubham Soni, and Anil Kumar Agrawal, and 14 others in its FIR.

Transgender shelter attacked; cops analyse CCTV grab

PTI, INDORE: A group of "third gender" individuals dressed in women's clothes allegedly forced their way inside a facility for transgenders in Indore and assaulted inmates, police said.
This incident was captured by a CCTV camera installed in the shelter home run by an NGO. A complaint lodged by the management of "Mera Kunba" shelter home stated that about 15 individuals of the third gender category, who beg on streets dressed in women's clothes forcibly entered the institute and allegedly beat up its transgender residents, a police officer said.
The accused threatened the operators of the shelter to shut the facility within two days or it will be razed with a bulldozer. Nikunj Jain, director of the "Mera Kunba" shelter and a member of the District Transgender Welfare Board, said that some "trans-women" live in the facility.

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VILLAGE PANCHAYAT ADVALPAL BICHOLIM - GOA.
Gaonkarwada - Advalpal, Bicholim - Goa, 403503.
Phone No:- (T) 0832-2215211 E-mail:- vpadvpal@gmail.com.
Ref. No. VPA/BICH/Tender- Notice/2024-2025/644 Date: 26/03/2025.

TENDER NOTICE
The Sarpanch of village Panchayat Advalpal, Bicholim Goa invites sealed percentage rate tenders from the approved and eligible contractors in appropriate class and category of PWD for the execution of below mentioned works.

Sr. No	Name of works	Estimate amount put to tender (Excluding GST)	E.M.D (Rs.)	Time period	Class of category of contractor		Cost of Tender Form
					As per old registration	As per new registration	
1	Repair and maintenance of road from main road to Shri Altmaram Parab house at Kolanwada, Advalpal Bicholim Goa Under Atmanirbhar Bharat Swayampurna Goa fund	498841.36	9977.00	90 days (Incl/Excl. Monsoon)	Class III & Above (RBLD)	Class V & Above (BLDG/RBLD)	4000.00
2	Beautification of Bhraman Devasthan near Shri Vithal Gaonkar house at ward no II Gaonkarwada, Advalpal, Bicholim Goa under Atmanirbhar Bharat Swayampurna Goa Scheme fund	484587.92	9692.00	90 days (Incl/Excl. Monsoon)	Class III & Above (BLDG)	Class IV and above (BLDG)	4000.00

Terms & Conditions.
1. The last date of receiving application for tender form 07/04/2025 up to 11.30 am along with cost of Tender Form fees (Non Refundable) and EMD amount.
2. The date of issue of blank tender form 09/04/2025 up to 12.30 pm.
3. The date of receipt of sealed tender 11/04/2025 up to 12.00 pm and will be opened on same day at 12.30 pm. in the presence of Sarpanch & V.P. members & contractors, if any.
4. Application for issue of tender form shall be accompanied with (a) Attested copy of valid registration certificate of the contractor in the concerned category of work. (b) Attested copy of valid GST registration certificate and acknowledgement of up to date filed returns with ARN (Application Reference number generated on GST common portal). (d) Declaration of the work in hand shall be submitted with details list indicating the present of present status on Rs. 100/- stamp paper (however tender form will not be issued to the person/contractor who has works in hand more than four times the tendering limit).
5. EMD shall be in form of Demand draft /Deposit Call Receipt (DCR)/pay order from nationalize Bank or scheduled bank drawn in favor of "The Sarpanch Village Panchayat Advalpal Bicholim Goa" payable at Sarpanch.
6. Contractor shall submit separate application for each work along with EMD amount and Tender form Fees.
7. Unsealed and conditional tenders will be rejected outright.
8. The contractor shall quote the tender excluding GST and GST as applicable shall be paid separately on total value of work executed.
9. For the tenders/items of tender in case of being quoted abnormally below i.e. 20% below the estimated cost, than the contractor shall furnish on demand an additional performance security in the form of Bank guarantee from National/Schedule Bank for that amount which is worked out as difference between quoted amount and reasonable amount reduced by 20%. 10. Right to accept any tender or to reject all the tenders without assigning any reasons thereof are reserved by the undersigned.
Place: V.P. Advalpal, Bicholim, Goa
SEAL Sd/- [Smt. Subatta V. Samant] Sarpanch

PUBLIC NOTICE
The Public are hereby informed that M/S SOUSA TRADING COMPANY PVT. LTD., a Company registered under the Indian Companies Act, having its registered office at 1st floor, Church View Building, Fr. Agnelo Road, Altinho, Panaji, Goa, has a valid and subsisting agreement with the GOA SALESIAN SOCIETY, having its office at the Provincial House at Odxel, next to Goa University, Tiswadi, Goa, towards the development and purchase of the property better described in the Schedule hereinafter below.
Pursuant to the said Agreement, M/S SOUSA TRADING COMPANY PVT. LTD. has developed the said property and part consideration has already been paid by M/S SOUSA TRADING COMPANY PVT. LTD. TO THE GOA SALESIAN SOCIETY.
It has come to the knowledge of M/S SOUSA TRADING COMPANY PVT. LTD. that the GOA SALESIAN SOCIETY is attempting to sell the property better described in the Schedule herein below to third parties, by ignoring the rights of M/S SOUSA TRADING COMPANY PVT. LTD.
Accordingly, the Public is hereby informed and cautioned that no one should enter into any transactions including agreements, sale, lease, mortgage etc., with the GOA SALESIAN SOCIETY towards the sale of the property better described in the Schedule herein below and anyone doing so shall do so at his/her own risk and the same shall not be binding on M/S SOUSA TRADING COMPANY PVT. LTD. and the said transactions shall be null and void.
SCHEDULE:
All that immovable property known as "KOREM" or "BAILEM HORTA" or "KEREM" admeasuring an area of 5,350 sq. mts. and situated within the limits of the Village Panchayat of Tivim, Taluka of Bardez, District of North Goa, State of Goa, neither described in Land Registration Office of Bicholim nor enrolled in the Taluka Revenue Office, presently bearing Survey Number 282, Sub-Division 38 of village Tivim
Place: Panaji-Goa, SD/-
Date: 26/03/2025
M/S SOUSA TRADING COMPANY PVT. LTD. represented herein by its Director Mr. Luis Domingos de Menezes Roque de Sousa alias Luis Sousa

APPOINTMENTS
REQUIRED
Accounts Assistant (Female)
With 2 to 3 years experience.
Knowledge of Tally & GST is essential. Candidate from in & around Margao.
Mail your CV or walk in interview Pritivi IT Products Pvt. Ltd. Aguem, Margao Goa.
Email: gimmy3030@gmail.com or Contact
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