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HEADLINES:-

- 1. Prime Minister Narendra Modi hails the completion of ten years of Make In India initiative.
- 2. Sikkim State Commission for Women organises the 7th Rashtriya Poshan Maah Importance of Nutrition in Gangtok.
- 3. Arunachal Pradesh Chief Minister Pema Khandu said Arunachal Pradesh is the only state in the North East that has adopted Hindi as its lingua franca.
- 4. Meghalaya's Ri Bhoi Deputy Commissioner issues notice prohibiting sale of tobacco products to minors in the area within a radius of one hundred yards of any educational institution.
- 5. A team from National Institute of Mountaineering and Adventure Sports successfully scaled an unnamed and unclimbed peak in Gorichen range of Arunachal Pradesh Himalayas on Tawang-West Kameng region.

MODI

Prime Minister Narendra Modi has hailed the completion of 10 Years of Make In India initiative. In a social media post, Mr Modi underlined that 'Make in India' illustrates the collective resolve of 140 crore Indians to transform the nation into a manufacturing and innovation powerhouse. He reiterated the government's commitment to encouraging 'Make in India' through all possible ways. Mr Modi said that it is noteworthy how exports have risen in various sectors, capacities have been built, and thus, the economy has been strengthened. He complimented all those who are tirelessly working to make this movement a success over the last decade. He added that India's strides in reforms will continue and together we will build an Atmanirbhar and Viksit Bharat.

WOMAN

Sikkim State Commission for Women in collaboration with National Commission for Women, New Delhi organised the 7th Rashtriya Poshan Maah - Importance of Nutrition at the Conference Hall of the State Agricultural Management and Extension Training Institute in Gangtok yesterday. State Commission for Protection of Child Rights Chairperson Deepa Khatri, Social Welfare Inspectors from State Women and Child Development Department, Members from Self Help Groups, Anganwadi Workers and students from Sikkim Government College of Nursing attended the function. Speaking on the occasion, Ms. Khatri urged the members of the SHGs and Anganwadi workers to play an active role in disseminating the importance of nutrition and Rashtriya Poshan Maah to the grass root level to ensure that the benefits of the programme reach those in need.

HINDI

Arunachal Pradesh Chief Minister Pema Khandu said that Arunachal Pradesh is the only state in the North East that has adopted Hindi as its lingua franca for enhancing the quality of the language. It is obvious that a regional centre of the Kendriya Hindi Sansthan is established in Itanagar. The Chief Minister said this while attending the Silver Jubilee celebration of the Department of Hindi, Rajiv Gandhi University in Doimukh yesterday. He said that government of Arunachal Pradesh will provide a suitable plot of land for early establishment of a Kendriya Hindi Sansthan (Central Institute of Hindi) Regional Centre in the state. The Sansthan, an autonomous organization under the Ministry of Education, Govt of India with its headquarters at Agra, runs eight Regional Centres – three of them in the North East viz. Guwahati, Shillong and Dimapur.

TOBACCO

In Meghalaya, in view of that some vendors and stall/shop keepers are selling cigarettes and other tobacco products to minor at market places and within the proximity of Educational Institutions openly without any hindrance. The Deputy Commissioner, Ri Bhoi District of Meghalaya has issued notice to prohibit sale of cigarettes and other tobacco products to any person who is deemed as minor by law in commercial and market places and in the area within a radius of one hundred yards of any educational institution. All Vendors and stall and shopkeepers where tobacco products are sold shall display a notice containing the warning: "Sale of cigarettes and other tobacco products to a person under the age of eighteen years is strictly prohibited and is a punishable offence.

MOUNTAIN

In an extraordinary mountaineering achievement, a team from the National Institute of Mountaineering and Adventure Sports, Dirang in West Kameng District of Arunachal Pradesh has successfully scaled an unnamed and unclimbed peak in Gorichen range of Arunachal Pradesh Himalayas on Tawang-West Kameng region. The 20,942 ft high peak has been named "Tsangyang Gyatso Peak" in honor of His Holiness the 6th Dalai Lama Rigzen Tsangyang Gyatso. This historic climb not only celebrates Arunachal Pradesh's rich cultural heritage but also positions the region as a key destination for mountaineering and adventure sports, attracting explorers and adventure enthusiasts from around the globe, NIMAS said.
