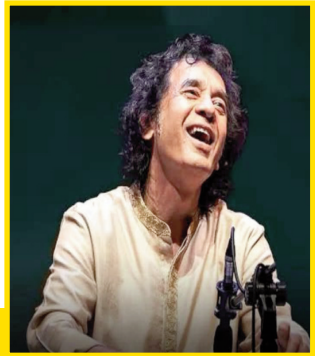


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High Court Bench Movement to Become More Effective: Chandra Bhan Singh Shaktawat

"Efforts Will Be Made to Allocate DMG Premises and Collector's Residence for Court Expansion"

Udaipur: In a significant victory, Chandra Bhan Singh Shaktawat defeated his closest rival, Chetanpuri Goswami, to become the newly elected President of the Udaipur Bar

Association. In an exclusive interview, Shaktawat shared his priorities, emphasizing that the movement for establishing a High Court bench in Udaipur will be revitalized and made more impactful.

Shaktawat stated, "The current movement, which has largely become symbolic, will be turned into an effective campaign, much like the one in Telangana, where a High Court bench was established after 13 years of persistent effort. The Mewar region urgently needs a High Court bench, as tribal residents find it extremely difficult to travel



to Jodhpur for justice. A new strategy for this movement will be developed in collaboration with senior lawyers who have

played a key role in the campaign."

He further elaborated on his plans, saying, "There is a

noticeable gap between senior and junior advocates, and fostering harmony between the two will be a priority.

The persistent issue of parking in the court premises will also be resolved. To ensure cleanliness in the court every day, I will push for the permanent appointment of two municipal employees here."

Regarding the proposal to relocate the court to Balicha, Shaktawat firmly expressed his disagreement. "Instead of moving the court to Balicha, it is necessary to expand the current court premises. Balicha

is not a feasible location for common citizens or senior advocates to visit daily. Efforts will be made to allocate the Collector's residence and the DMG premises for court expansion.

This would resolve many existing issues in the court complex. Relocating the DMG office to another part of the city will not have a significant impact, but asking people to travel to Balicha for justice would be both costly and inconvenient, with limited transport facilities."

On other positions in the Bar Association elections,

Shaktawat mentioned, "Devi Lal Jat won the General Secretary post, Mahavir Sharma was elected as Joint Secretary, Abhishek Kothari secured the Secretary position, Rajkumar Sharma was elected as Treasurer, and Khemraj Dangi won the Library President post."

Shaktawat concluded by reiterating his commitment to improving the court's infrastructure and ensuring justice is accessible to all, particularly for the tribal population in Mewar.

Interviewer: Dr. Munesh Arora

Narayan Seva Sansthan's Strong Global Collaboration for Human Service



Udaipur: Recently, Narayan Seva Sansthan had the privilege of becoming a global participant in the "Global Partnership Exchange (GPEX) Summit," organized in collaboration with the International Society for Prosthetics and Orthotics (ISPO). The summit was held online on 12th December at the service headquarters of Narayan Seva Sansthan in Udaipur, with over 10 international organizations from countries including Italy, Sweden, Germany, the USA, India, and Bangladesh, participating alongside Narayan Seva Sansthan.

During the summit, Narayan Seva Sansthan's International President, Sevak Prashant Agarwal, shared the institution's legacy and mission. The Vice President of the organization, Mr. Manoj Barot, provided detailed information about the institution's major initiative, "GOT LIMBS," which aims to provide artificial limbs to 100,000 disabled individuals globally by 2030, through a presentation.

Dr. Manas Ranjan Sahu, head of the Prosthetics and Orthotics department at Narayan Seva Sansthan, showcased the advanced technology and extensive work being done by the institution in the field of prosthetics and orthotics, further emphasizing the global impact of the organization's efforts.

The International Society for Prosthetics and Orthotics (ISPO) is a globally recognized organization that brings together professionals worldwide to improve the lives of disabled individuals. Its goal is to promote knowledge and research in the field of prosthetics and orthotics to ensure greater access and inclusion for people with disabilities. Narayan Seva Sansthan is committed to expanding these efforts, strengthening global partnerships, and making a meaningful global impact on the lives of disabled individuals.

37 Water Protectors Honored with Jal Prahari Samman

Thirty-seven individuals and organizations from across the country have been recognized for their exceptional contributions to water conservation through the prestigious 5th Jal Prahari Samman, to be held at New Maharashtra Sadan in Delhi on Wednesday, Uttar Pradesh, acknowledged as the partner state for its exemplary work in water conservation, has several awardees, including District Magistrates from Ghaziabad and Gautam Buddha Nagar, who played pivotal roles in creating and rejuvenating water sources.

The organizing committee's convener, Anil Singh, highlighted that this year's selection prioritized projects emphasizing water conservation and public participation. The jury, chaired by Justice Sangeeta Dhingra Sehgal, included experts from NITI Aayog and the National Water Mission. Union Water Power Minister CR Patil and other dignitaries, alongside ambassadors from various countries, will grace the ceremony as chief guests.

Notable awardees include Amity School Pushp Vihar from Delhi and individuals like IAS officer Kailash Karthik from Assam, Savji Dholakia from Gujarat, and Kanupriya Harish of Rajasthan's Jal Bhagirathi Foundation. Other honorees represent diverse sectors, such as NGOs, administrative departments, and grassroots initiatives, from states like Bihar, Maharashtra, Odisha, and Kerala.

Their efforts range from reviving water bodies and implementing efficient water management systems to mobilizing communities for sustainable practices. The Jal Prahari Samman underscores the importance of water conservation and recognizes those who inspire others through their impactful contributions. This initiative sets an example of collective commitment to addressing India's water challenges.

Bhajan Lal Sharma's Government Marks One Year of Achievements with Grand Celebrations and Upcoming Projects

Jaipur: After the tremendous success of the Rising Rajasthan Global Investment Summit, Chief Minister Bhajan Lal Sharma is preparing for an even more enthusiastic celebration of his government's one-year anniversary, with Prime Minister Narendra Modi set to visit Rajasthan once again.

The three-day Rising Rajasthan Global Investment Summit 2024, held in Jaipur, the capital of Rajasthan, marked a milestone in the state's industrial and economic progress. Chief Minister Bhajan Lal Sharma is beaming with pride as he reflects on the summit's success, which was praised by Prime Minister Narendra Modi during his inaugural speech. Additionally, several central ministers and prominent industrialists, foreign investors, and diplomats who attended the event lauded Sharma's leadership.

Under Chief Minister Sharma's leadership, the state attracted investors from 32 countries, securing Memorandums of Understanding (MOUs) worth 35 lakh crore rupees. The state's efforts to simplify industrial processes have made Rajasthan an attractive investment destination, particularly in the solar energy sector, where agreements totaling 20 lakh crore rupees were signed. The chief minister promised to implement these investments within the next year, benefiting the state's 8 crore citizens.

With the successful conclusion of the Rising Rajasthan Global Investment Summit, Chief Minister Bhajan Lal Sharma is now focused on his government's one-year anniversary celebrations and the launch of key projects. Prime Minister Modi is set to visit Rajasthan twice in December to mark the completion of the first year of the Bhajan Lal Sharma-led BJP government. The main event will take place on December 15, coinciding with the chief minister's birthday.

One of the major highlights of the visit will be the foundation-laying ceremony of the ambitious Eastern Rajasthan Canal Project (ERCP), which aims to provide irrigation and drinking water to 21 districts in the state. The project, which had earlier been planned to benefit 13 districts, will now cover 21 districts, including Jaipur, Tonk, Ajmer, and Kota, among others. This large-scale project is expected to significantly improve the agricultural, industrial, and drinking water supply sectors in the state.

In addition to the ERCP, Prime Minister Modi will address a massive public gathering in Dadiya village, located on the Tonk Road, where he will lay the foundation for this crucial project. The government has already signed a MoU between the central government, Rajasthan, and Madhya Pradesh for the project, which is set to cost 45,000 crore rupees. The one-year anniversary celebrations will also include district- and division-level events across the state, where the government will announce new initiatives for the welfare of farmers, women, youth, and other sections of society. Chief Minister



Sharma's government has been committed to fulfilling the promises made during the elections, and the ongoing initiatives reflect this dedication. During its first year, the Bhajan Lal Sharma government has earned praise for its transparent, responsive, and sensitive administration. Key achievements include job creation for youth, significant improvements in education, healthcare, industrial development, women's empower-

ment, and tackling inflation. The government has also introduced various schemes, such as the expansion of the PM Kisan Samman Nidhi Yojana, which now provides farmers with 8,000 rupees annually, and initiatives aimed at empowering women, such as the Lado Protsahan Yojana and Ladli Suraksha Yojana.

In addition, the government has provided subsidies for LPG cylinders to beneficiaries under the Ujjwala Yojana, strengthened water management and irrigation projects, and introduced the Ayushman Aarogya Yojana, which offers cashless treatment up to 25 lakh rupees.

As the first year of the Bhajan Lal Sharma-led government concludes, the BJP workers believe the government has made historic strides in promoting development, and further relief and progress are anticipated in the coming year.

Lions Club International President Inaugurates Lions Dialysis Center

Udaipur: The President of Lions Club International, Frebisio Oliveira from Brazil, along with his wife Emerilace Oliveira, visited Udaipur on a two-day trip. During their visit, they inaugurated the state's first Lions Dialysis Center at the Lions Bhavan, located in Hiranmagri Sector 4, by cutting the ribbon. The project, which has been established at a cost of 80 lakh rupees, aims to provide free dialysis services to those in need. Speaking at the felicitation ceremony held at Hotel Ramada Encore on So Bhagpur Road after the inauguration, Frebisio Oliveira said that for the past 109 years, the service-oriented organization Lions Club has been benefiting the needy and suffering people. He emphasized that this Dialysis Center would offer free services to those in need.

He also noted that over the course of 109 years, Lions Club has established many milestones of permanent service, which have benefited millions of people worldwide.

On the same occasion, his wife Emerilace Oliveira expressed her joy at the opportunity to visit the city of lakes, saying that Lions' service work made her visit to this beautiful city possible. She highlighted that Lions Club has been at the forefront of service work in the city.

Lions Club International's former director, Lion Dr. V.K. Ladiya, shared that this dialysis center was established with the help of Lions Club International Foundation, Pacific College & Hospital, and about 25 local donors. The center is equipped with six modern dialysis machines and will provide free dialysis treatment to underprivileged, economically weak BPL kidney patients. The management of the center will be handled by Pacific Medical College & Hospital located in Bheelon Ka Bedia. Kidney patients will receive dialysis treatment under the supervision of Dr. Ashutosh Soni and his team from the PMCH. International President Frebisio Oliveira also presented medals and certificates to several Lions members for their outstanding service. Lion Arvind Sharma, B.D. Maheshwari, and Dr. Alok Vyas were honored with the Presidential Medal. Leadership Medals were awarded to Sudhir Sogani, G.K. Somani, Mrs. Nainawati, Prem Kumar Goyal Hemraj, R.L. Kunawat, Radheshyam Soni, and others. Certificates and mementos were presented to members, including 23 newly inducted MJF Lions.

The International President also provided charters to two newly formed Lions Clubs in the province, Lions Club Didwana and Lions Club Bhiwara City. On this occasion, he inducted Dr. Ashutosh Soni and Prem Kumar Goyal as new Lions Club members.

The program began with V.K. Ladiya, Pramod Kumar Choudhary, Province Head Shyamsunder Minister, Arvind Sharma, and Ramkishore honoring Frebisio Oliveira with a turban and presenting him with a memento. Mrs. Poonam Ladiya sang the patriotic song "Vande Mataram." In the end, the newly appointed Province Head Nishant Jain expressed gratitude, and the event was concluded with thanks. The ceremony was hosted by Dr. Alok Vyas and Arvind Sharma.

Inauguration of 15 New Classrooms at Vidya Bhavan

Udaipur: District Collector Arvind Poswal inaugurated 15 newly constructed classrooms at Vidya Bhavan Society's auditorium on Monday. These classrooms were built with the support of Kotak Mahindra Bank Limited under their CSR initiative.

Speaking on the occasion, District Collector Poswal praised Vidya Bhavan for its decades-long commitment to educational development in the region.

He highlighted the institution's efforts in shaping academic talent through quality education and acknowledged Kotak Mahindra Bank's valuable contribution.

Kotak Mahindra Bank CSR representative Mrs. Radha Balaram stated that the bank has contributed a total of ₹5.16 crore to Vidya Bhavan over the past two years. She encouraged the students to dream big and work tirelessly to achieve their goals, emphasizing that perseverance is the key to success.

Vidya Bhavan Society's Chief Director Rajendra Bhatt announced upcoming initiatives, including the construction of a fully-equipped nursery school and the launch of new skill development programs for youth.

Project Coordinator Mrs. Jaya Rathore provided details about various activities supported by Kotak's CSR funds. These include setting up smart classrooms, a mini science center, classroom libraries, teacher capacity-building training, counseling clinics for mental health, environmental education programs, and events like "Run to Support Mental Health."

Vice President of Vidya Bhavan, Mr. Hansraj Choudhary, shared plans to develop a Nature Wellness Center and assured that the upcoming nursery school will be the best in Udaipur within four months. He thanked all guests and urged Kotak representatives to continue their support for Vidya Bhavan in the future.

During the event, Collector Poswal and other dignitaries inaugurated the classrooms by cutting the ribbon and congratulated the Vidya Bhavan team. Students of Vidya Bhavan Public School added charm to the event with captivating performances.