

When you've got the Power

Life's all about how you react to a certain action of nature. If you take a sorrow very seriously, it will leave you in blues. And your strong and positive attitude gives you a way to tackle the thing more comprehensively. Someone to whom you loved the most dumped you for no specific reason. Now your reaction to this will decide how your heart will take that. But going against the obvious is really difficult. And something called your inner-self does not respond your call to go against the situation to fight it out. This makes it all the more difficult as you have to fight the situation as well as drag your inner-self in opposite direction.

But this is all about countering the life's action. And life acts

based upon our own past actions. Today you are sad and feeling low. And you want the other people to act carefully and sympathetically towards

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you. And most of the people you hope for a help turn their backs towards you. Why? They are normal and powerful today. Unlike you who has been broken down with the hit of the circumstances. Now, recall the time when you were on the other side and someone else was in place where you are at the moment. How did you react? Were you same as you are hoping people to be with you today? Probably not!

Yes, Life's all about reacting on certain situations. When you are powerful, you do not get a license to act loosely, instead, you have to be very responsible and humble if nothing else. The power given to you by nature is a test and most of us fail because we forget that the lie is a circle and we have to be in the shoes of those powerless at the moment sooner or later. So your good deeds is a sort of insurance that when you will be in that bad patch of your life, people will react positively and humbly to you. But remember, you can never avoid that bad patch. Life is a circle and it keeps moving in front of situations. At times it is facing the Sun and black dark on the other.

HDFC Life launches HDFC Life Cardiac Care

Udaipur: HDFC Life, one of India's leading life insurance companies, announced the launch of HDFC Life Cardiac Care, a comprehensive and affordable cardiac care plan which offers cover for 18 heart conditions. These 18 conditions are classified into three categories as per the severity - High Severity, Moderate Severity and Mild Severity. A lump sum benefit is given to the insured as per the category. HDFC Life has a research oriented approach for understanding customer needs. Cardiac Care is designed based on the insights from HDFC Life's Health Planning Index (HPI). The product is designed to meet the needs of a typical working Indian who leads a fast-paced lifestyle. Cardiac ailments are on the rise among young Indians who are stress-prone. When such a lifestyle is combined with unhealthy habits such as eating junk food, lack of exercise, use of intoxicants, etc. it increases the chances of cardiac ailments. These diseases can have a huge impact on one's finances. Ambulance rides, diagnostic treatment, hospital stays and surgeries can deplete one's savings as well as hamper one's earning capacity.

Further, the cost of medical treatment keeps increasing and it is necessary for individuals to be financially prepared to deal with such costs which would otherwise drain their savings. Mr. Subrat Mohanty, Sr. Executive Vice President, said - "This product is designed to provide financial protection from cardiac ailments. In addition to a lump sum payout on diagnosis, the plan offers benefits such as waiver of premiums which ensures that individuals can meet expenses for the treatment over the long-term (for moderate to mild categories). An individual can make multiple claims for conditions of the same or different severities. A number of cardiac conditions or procedures which are usually not covered or are excluded under critical illness policies are covered under HDFC Life Cardiac Care Plan. The Indexation benefit in the product provides an automatic increase of cover which takes care of increasing medical costs. Additional benefits such as hospitalization benefit and income benefit are offered, to ensure maximum convenience for customers."

Five Star Rating awarded to Rampura Agucha Mine



Hindustan Zinc's Rampura Agucha Mine received Five Star Rating for exemplary performance in implementation of Sustainable Development Framework in the 3rd National Conclave on Mines & Minerals, at a glittering ceremony in New Delhi on 20th March 2018. The prestigious award was presented by Hon'ble Union Minister of Mines - Mr. Narendra Singh Tomar. The Sustainable Development Framework is a concept developed as a guiding principle for Indian mining industry at national level by the Ministry

of Mines, Government of India, under the aegis of Indian Bureau of Mines encompassing the critical issues, vital for development of mining in India, as a contributor to inclusive growth, without adversely affecting the social, financial and environmental well-being, at present and also in the future, of fellow countrymen. The conclave was organized by Ministry of Mines, Government of India where around 1043 mines participated from all over India. Rampura Agucha Mine has been rated '5 star' category and received the award in opening session. The Star rating system evaluates performance of mines on technical, socio-economic, environmental parameters; final and progressive mine closure and adoption of international standards with the objective to bring standardization in mining operation and for minimizing impacts of mining.

Akhilesh Yadav says SP ready to give extra seats to BSP

"Seat sharing will not be a problem in UP. The Samajwadi Party is ready to give some extra seats to BSP just to make sure the SP-BSP alliance remains effective and potent," said Akhilesh Yadav. Indications of increasing warmth in the relationship between Akhilesh Yadav's Samajwadi Party and Mayawati's Bahujan Samaj Party were visible when Akhilesh said that he was ready to walk an extra mile to ensure that this alliance remains effective in Uttar Pradesh. "Seat sharing will not be a problem in Uttar Pradesh. The Samajwadi Party is ready to give some extra seats to BSP just to make sure the SP-BSP alliance remains effective and potent. Mark my words, this

alliance will throw BJP away not only out from UP but also from national politics," Akhilesh told in a press meet. With this statement, Akhilesh has sought to both quell speculation over the longevity of the alliance, as well as silence murmurs among the SP rank and file, who have reportedly raised fears about about seat-sharing with BSP as they believe Mayawati to be a tough bargainer. "This is not a question of party. This is the question of survival of the country. We are pitted against a party which thrives politically by igniting passion on the name of religion and caste. They talk about 'Sabka Saath, Sabka Vikas' but appointed a person as Chief Minister who publicly claims



that he does not celebrate Eid and took oath of office on the name of 'Ishwar' and not on the name of Indian Constitution," Yadav said. When asked whether he has spoken to Mayawati about seat sharing, he said that till date he had not spoken to any-

one about this but the "formula will be simple" and it will be revealed at the opportune time. Akhilesh Yadav: "Seat sharing will not be a problem in Uttar Pradesh. The Samajwadi Party is ready to give some extra seats to BSP just to make sure the SP-BSP alliance remains

effective and potent. Mark my words, this alliance will throw BJP away not only out from UP but also from national politics" Akhilesh even addressed the past BSP-SP alliance which went sour and culminated in the infamous guest house (case). "Past is dead. When I met Mayawati ji she never talked about it. In fact, she said that I was not in politics when it happened," he said, adding that the Lok Sabha byelection results have broken the myth that Yadavs and Dalits will not work together at ground level. Samajwadi Party has now started plans to celebrate Ambedkar Jayanti across the state with fanfare, to which BSP leaders will also be invited. What about other political parties like

Congress and Rashtriya Lok Dal? "I have a very good relationship with Congress leadership and had contested last assembly election as alliance partner. I have also spoken to RLD people before byelection of Phulpur and Gorakhpur. We are in touch with each other as all of us share the same opinion that Modi should not come to power," said Akhilesh. Akhilesh's latest statements reflect his resolve to defeat BJP at any cost. If the SP-BSP alliance can stop the forward march of BJP in Uttar Pradesh, Modi's dream of retaining power could well be dashed. "BJP will be relegated to pre-2012 position where it was politically a non-entity," says Akhilesh, with a smile.

Much awaited UIT Budget

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The annual budget of UIT much awaited event for Udaipurites as it reveals how the city is going to be developed in a different way. In the Urban Improvement Trust, Udaipur for the next financial year the expenditure is 309 crore while the revenue income is 308 crores. The budget this year is 20.17 crore more than that of last year. The biggest portion of budget i.e. 82.82 crores is to be spent on houses for the needy.

According to Home Minister Gulab Chand Kataria, one survey has shown that 4800 houses are needed in the city and efforts are to be made to provide them soon. Under the new housing schemes, about 3500 houses are to be built in Umarda, Titardi, and Bhilon ka Bedla. Tenders have already been invited for the construction of 984 flats on an area of 4379 hectares near Umarda railway station. The work on 304 EWS flats under the proposed Mukhyamantri Aawas Yojana at the cost of 1200 lac in Dangion ki Pancholi would start in April this year and will be completed in about two years in the surrounding areas of Udaipur city. Under the mega housing scheme, 1696 houses in Bedwas and 464 in Satodi Magri Bedwas are to be handed over to the allottee in the next financial year. This year 1900 houses are to be built under the Shabri Jan Awas Yojana.

The budget for Roads and bridges and underpasses Construction of roads, over bridges, and underpasses is to get priority. For smooth traffic, an underpass in Sector 9 Hiranmagri, RK Puram, and Gokul Village is to be built at a cost of 2.25 crore. Rupees 2.60 crores are to be spent on the road from NH8 to Bhuwana. A 100 ft. a road to connect Bhuwana

Chouraha to Bedla Pulia is to be built at a cost of 1.1 crores. An amount of 1.48 cr is proposed to be spent on construction of 160 ft. link road between Aapni Dhani and Old RTO office Dhikali. This would reduce the pressure of traffic on Pratap Nagar road as those living in these areas would use this road. Rupees 1 crore is to be spent for linking the roads from NH76 to Gewa Aawas to Pindwara bypass. For extension of the two-lane road from Rampura Chouraha to Sisarma a sum of rupees, 1.1 crore is to be spent. An amount of 56 lacs has been proposed for Manoharpura Chikalwas road. Rupees 1.10 crore have been earmarked for improvement of the road from Devendra Dham to Mewar Hospital and to one from Paras Tiraha to Reti Stand. For the repair of Rani Road, 1.9 crores have been allotted. The construction of overbridge at Thokar Chouraha gets 3 crores. Rupees 325.86 lac have been earmarked for construction of 'nullah' by the side of 100 ft. the road in Shrinath Nagar Bedwas, and 100 ft. a road from J.C Bose Hostel to Mali Colony. Extending the proposed 100 ft. a road between Bedwas Mount View School and Mega Aawas Yojana to Pindwara Bypass would cost 1 crore. An amount of 260 lac is to be spent on the road for those entering the city from the side of Jodhpur and Abu Road. A lot of projects are being undertaken for the development of tourism in the city. There would be plantation on the road to Neemach Mata, High-tech musical fountains are to be set up in Rajiv Gandhi Park and Vibhuti Park. Jogi Talab, Badgaon Hills, Badbadeshwar Mahadev Mandir, Amrakhi dumping

yard, Nandeshwar Mandir and Thoor Ki Paal are to be developed. The amount earmarked for Nandeshwar and Thoor Ki Paal is 60 lacs, for Badbadeshwar Mahadev is 1.8 crore, for Amrakhi and Hirwa Ground 75 lac and for development of Badgaon Hill and dumping yard as tourist spots Rs. 75 lacs. UIT initially proposed to spend 5 crores on the construction of a flyover on the Pratapnagar



Chouraha. But on the insistence of Home Minister Gulab Chand Kataria, the amount was raised to 15 crores. The construction work of this project would take a practical shape only after the completion of Debari-Kaya bypass. UIT has decided to complete the survey, demarcation, utility shifting etc. in advance. UIT is also to focus attention on the development of 130 villages that fall in its periphery. Rupees 9 crore is to be spent on construction of link roads, CC roads, drains etc. in these villages. It is proposed to spend 10 crores on solving the problem of water supply in areas of Pratap Nagar, Bedwas etc. The budget has also been set aside for water supply in colonies near Rakampura, Bedwas (375 lac), Housing colony of Satodi Magri (110 lac), Mukhyamantri Jan Aawas Yojana in South Extension (3 crores) and other areas (1.95 crores). It is proposed to spend 5 crores in addition to the amount sanctioned in the Smart Project for the development of Ayad river in works such as the construction of boundary wall, ancients, fencing, and plantation.

The budget for several other programs

Budget has also been earmarked for several other programs such as provision of facilities in Govt. schools (2.6 crore), consultancy of development projects (50 lac), development of Shamshans and Kabristan (56 lac), drainage and electrification (13.15 crore), repair of Udaisarag Paal, development of Roopsagar Talab, construction of 'nullah' in areas of Madri-Manwakheda and R.K Chouraha, Mewar Hospital, Mewar Hospital, Meera Nagar, Bhuwana, and construction of playground in Savina. It is also proposed to set up a statue of Maharana Bhupal Singh in Govt. MB Hospital and that of Sant Chhatrasingh Bhoj. The budget allotted in different hands is development of Nyas Yojana (3673 lac), development of road network and Chourahas (2781 lac), affordable housing project (8282 lac), conversion (1363 lac), water supply project (1045 lac), development of 'Kuchi Basti' (10 lac), Sahabagita Yojana (30 lac), cleanliness of roads (100 lac), and non-plan item (8872 lac). According to UIT Chairman, Ravindra Shrimali, the budget has been prepared to keep in view all the sections of the society and the whole city. Efforts are being made to provide houses for all. Construction of roads is being taken up for better transportation. Steps are being taken to boost tourism in the city. Priority is being given to the development of road network and housing. Home Minister Kataria is of the opinion that the UIT budget would help in the all-round development of the city. There would be no shortage of money for development.

Celebs came for 1st Cinema Aajtak Awards 2018 at Mayor Hall, Andheri



Narendera Sharma owner of Cinema Aajtak magazine organised his 1st award in association with Puneet Khare and Satish Agarwal at Mayor Hall, Andheri. They invited guest from all walks of life. Producer-Director Saawan Kumar Tak, Champak

Jain of Venus Records, Navraj Hans, Ekta Jain of Dwapar Promoters, Child actress Nitanshi Goel, Aditya Kumar of Telly Chaska Website, Lizaa Malik, Gurinder Chadha, Shabab Sabri and many more came to receive the award.

A separate ministry to address welfare for senior citizens



Mumbai: In India there are millions of senior citizens and their position in an advanced and developing country is really a sensitive issue. Government constitutes concern for the senior citizens which are not properly initiated. How should they fend for themselves and solve their problems and take concrete steps on it is the need of the hour. In Mumbai, the plight of this growing group is being addressed by a social and non-profit organisation. Manmohan Gupta, Chairman of Borivali based social organisation, 'Gandhi Vihar Manch' and President of Senior Citizens' cell of Mumbai Divisional Congress Committee has demanded the government for a separate 'Mantralaya' - a distinct and detached cell for the senior citizens.

Manmohan Gupta says, "According to reports India has more than 30 crores senior citizen and there is not a single governmental department to look and understand their various and address their grievances. Just like Child Development, Women Welfare Ministry, there should also be a ministry division for senior citizens too. The person who retires belongs to IPS officers, government staff, private workers, shop-keepers, businessman, journalists, teachers, bankers, army officers and others give their valuable

time and money through various taxation in their 60-years journey of life to the country too." Gupta points out, "After retirement, senior citizens are treated like a garbage waste. Government can use their services in their respective departments for the development of the country. But it is not so... Nor there is no one to listen and understand the plight of these senior citizens. That is why; our organisation has come forward to demand a separate cell for the senior citizens in Mumbai. Senior citizens within a family are like a bark of the tree with its roots firmly on the ground. The rest of the generations are like branches and leaves. If the tree is endangered or cut, then the whole family encircling the tree will also fall and scatter. I am reaching out to the government to make a separate Mantralaya or Ministry for senior citizens. Just like the armed forces who get all their basic necessities from their canteen at reasonable rates, waiving off flying passengers, free medical assistance, subsidised or free hospitalisation and others should be provided for the seniors. I am initiating a web-site and an App for the senior citizens which will be launched soon. This will help in necessitating the problems of the senior citizen and helping them out by taking concrete steps."

By recalling late Maharaja's words, Gehlot clears priority

Jodhpur: Newly-appointed AICC general secretary in-charge for organisation and training Ashok Gehlot Saturday said his new role at the national level notwithstanding, he would continue to play an active role in Rajasthan politics. It was believed that with Gehlot getting the vital responsibility in the organization, state Congress president Sachin Pilot will now get a free hand in managing the affairs of the party's state unit. Gehlot, however, has indicated that his involvement in Rajasthan politics was far from over. Recalling the words of former Jodhpur Maharaja Hanuwant Singh after being elected to the first Lok Sabha, Gehlot said: "Mai thansu door nahin (I am not far from you)." Speaking to media here, he said that Rajasthan was and would always be close to his heart. Asked whether after getting the new responsibility, he would be away from the state's politics, Gehlot said that even when he was made in-charge of Gujarat elections, such rumors did the rounds. The former Rajasthan CM who a day ago replaced Congress veteran Janardan Dwivedi as in-charge for organisation and training, said he would work towards strengthening the Congress before the 2019 general elections. Gehlot also said that he was given the new responsibility because of his loyalty towards the party and Congress president Rahul Gandhi's trust in him. "I would do everything possible to rise to his (Gandhi) expect-

ation," he told reporters.

The Congress leader arrived in Jodhpur Friday to condole the death of his close friend Jawahar Surana. A senior Rajasthan Congress functionary, Surana died Friday at a private hospital following prolonged illness.

Terming his new role in the party a "huge responsibility", Gehlot said, "I would do my best to meet the party's expectations. I have always treated myself as a simple worker of the party regardless of the responsibilities and have always tried to put in my best." "This is a huge responsibility for me and I would now work to further consolidate the position of the party keeping in view the general election next year," he said. "We together would work for strengthening the party, expand its base and bring it back to the power by infusing a new life in the Congress and its cadres across the country," Gehlot said. He said more youths would associate with the Congress after they are told about the party's ideology and the contribution and sacrifices of great leaders. "We need to think about the atmosphere of fear, hatred, intolerance, and violence that has been prevailing in the country these days," Gehlot said. The Congress would work for "restoration of affection, love and humanity across communities and bring a peaceful atmosphere in the country," he said.