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**RS. 89 CR ALSO RELEASED AS 2ND INSTALMENT OF RS. 3000 EACH FOR CONSTRUCTION WORKERS AMID COVID-19 CRISIS**

CHANDIGARH, APRIL 7:

The Captain Amarinder Singh led Punjab Government on Tuesday released Rs 183 crore for disbursement of social security pensions, Rs. 296 crore for MGNREGA related payments and Rs 89 crore towards the second instalment of the special assistance announced for construction workers to tide over the COVID-19 exigency.

The social security pension amount will benefit nearly 24.69 lakh beneficiaries including elderly, widow and disabled, according to an official spokesperson.

Of the Rs 296 crore released by the Finance Department under MGNREGA, Rs 71 crore would be spent on material and the remaining Rs 225 crore would be paid as wages to 1.30 lakh workers. Notably, the wage rate of MGNREGA workers has recently been increased from Rs. 241 to Rs. 263 for the current fiscal to provide enhanced benefits rural job card holders.

The sum of Rs 89 crore has been sanctioned for the Labour Department for disbursement of financial assistance @ Rs 3000 each to about 2.98 lakh registered construction workers, said the spokesperson. Notably, the Labour Department has earlier transferred around Rs 86 crores through DBT in the bank accounts of nearly 2.86 lacs construction workers registered with the Punjab Building and Other Construction Workers Welfare Board on March 22.

It may be recalled that in the light of the COVID-restrictions, the State Government had decided to distribute social security pensions and benefits to the beneficiaries in villages through business correspondents to the extent possible.

The State Government has also approached the Department of Posts, which provides the facility of disbursement of social security benefits through India Post Payments Bank (IPPB). With Aadhaar Enabled Payment Service (AEPS) provided by IPPB, any bank account holder can

**CALENDAR**



Lists of Holidays

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**Punjab Chief minister Relief fund- COVID- 19**



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ISSUES DETAILED  
DIRECTIONS FOR  
CONTAINMENT OF  
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withdraw amount upto Rs. 10,000 at a time through 4639 post offices across Punjab. The Deputy Commissioners have been asked to get in touch with the officers of Department of Post in their districts for disbursement of benefits through IPPB.

GALLERY



Punjab Chief Minister Captain Amarinder Singh Released A Booklet 'Because We Haven't Forgotten...' Along With A CD Of Documentary Film 'Jallianwala Bagh Punjab Da Dil' In Punjabi And Hindi Dedicated To Jallianwala Bagh Centenary Commemoration



PUNJAB INKS MoU WITH SINGAPORE'S CIG TO EXPLORE LEADERSHIP TRAINING, SHOWCASE STATE AS INVESTMENT DESTINATION



Punjab Chief Minister Captain Amarinder Singh During Fourth Day Of Budget Session Of Punjab Vidhan Sabha On Wednesday.



CAPT AMARINDER CONFERRED WITH 10th BCS 'IDEAL CHIEF MINISTER' AWARD FOR UNIQUE INITIATIVES TO BOOST STATE'S HOLISTIC GROWTH



Punjab Chief Minister Captain Amarinder Singh Receiving Cheques Worth US Dollar 16,000 From Chicago-Based NRIs Zorawar Singh Natt And Arjinder Singh Sandhu Towards The Chief Minister's Relief Fund, As Monetary Assistance To The Families



CAPT AMARINDER ANNOUNCES BRAVERY AWARD, FREE EDUCATION FOR AMANDEEP KAUR



Decrease In Arrival Of Migratory Birds In Country Is A Matter Of Concern: Sadhu Singh Dharmasot



Punjab Chief Minister Captain Amarinder Singh Presenting A Memento To A Group Of Specially-Abled Children Which Performed National Anthem During 71st Republic Day Function At SAS Nagar (Mohali) On Sunday.



Punjab Chief Minister Captain Amarinder Singh Presenting A Memento To The Budding Gatka Players On 71st Republic Day Function At SAS Nagar (Mohali) On Sunday.



Punjab Chief Minister Captain Amarinder Singh Along With Dignitaries Witnessing The Cultural Programme On 71st Republic Day Function At SAS Nagar (Mohali) On Sunday.



PUNJAB CEO DR. S. KARUNA RAJU RECEIVES



CAPT AMARINDER MEETS NHAI CHAIRMAN, BOTH



Speaker Rana KP Singh Release Table Calendar



Punjab Chief Minister Captain Amarinder Singh



AT PUNJAB CONGRESS PROTEST DHARNA, CM

BEST CEO NATIONAL AWARD- 2019 FROM HON`BLE PRESIDENT OF INDIA RAM NATH KOVIND DURING NATIONAL VOTERS' DAY FUNCTION AT MANEKSHAW CENTRE NEW DELHI ON SATURDAY.

AGREE ON EXPEDITIOUS COMMENCEMENT OF WORK ON DELHI-AMRITSAR-KATRA EXPRESSWAY PROJECT

Dedicated To Sri Guru Nanak Dev Ji

On Saturday Released The Punjab Government's Diary And Calendar For The Year 2020. The New Year Calendar Is Dedicated To The Khulle Darshan-Didar Of Sri Darbar Sahib In Kartarpur, Pakistan.

DECLARES `WE WILL NOT TOLERATE ANY ATTEMPT TO TINKER WITH CONSTITUTION'S PREAMBLE'



Chief Guest Punjab Food, Civil Supplies & Consumer Affairs Minister Bharat Bhushan Ashu And His Wife Mamta Ashu Being Honoured During The State-Level Function Organised On The Occasion Of National Consumer Day At Dr Manmohan Singh Auditorium, PAU



Dr. Ram Lal Jassi Assumes Charge As Vice Chairman Punjab Scheduled Castes Land Development & Finance Corporation In Presence Of Sadhu Singh Dharamsot



Mohinder Singh KP Assumes Charge Of Chairman Technical Education Board In The Presence Of Cabinet Ministers Channi & Aruna Chaudhary



2nd KPS Gill Memorial Lecture NOTED US TERROR EXPERT DR CHALK WARNS OF USE OF SOCIAL PLATFORMS BY PAK TO ATTACK INDIAN ECONOMY, SAYS US PLAYING DOUBLE ROLE ON ISLAMABAD



JAPANESE AMBASSADOR MEETS CAPT. AMARINDER, DISCUSSES INVESTMENT OPPORTUNITIES IN PUNJAB



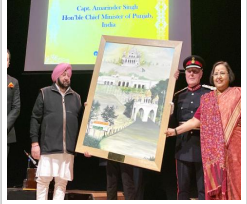
PUNJAB GOVT COMMITTED TO TRANSFORMING MSMEs INTO INDUSTRIAL GIANTS: VINI MAHAJAN



PPIS 2019 KICKS OFF WITH EXHIBITION SHOWCASING PRODUCTS OF TOP INDUSTRIES, MSMEs & STARTUPS



VIRSAT-E-KHALSA BAGS ANOTHER AWARD, GETS LISTED IN 'WORLD BOOK OF RECORDS'



HIGH COMMISSIONER OF INDIA TO UK RUCHI GHANASHYAM PRESENTING A HAND PAINTED PHOTOGRAPH OF SRI KARTARPUR SAHIB GURDWARA TO PUNJAB CHIEF MINISTER CAPTAIN AMARINDER SINGH DURING A SPECIAL FUNCTION ORGANIZED BY INDIAN DIASPORA TO MARK 550TH BIRTH ANNIVERSARY



Health Minister S. Balbir Singh Sidhu Hands Over Appointment Letters To 74 Medical Lab Technicians



STUPENDOUS FLOATING MULTIMEDIA LIGHT AND SOUND SHOW DRAWS UNPRECEDENTED RUSH OF PEOPLE



Floating Light And Sound Show At SUKHNA LAKE Chandigarh



The President Of India Ram Nath Kovind, Governor Punjab VP Singh Badnore And Punjab Chief Minister Captain Amarinder Singh, Rajasthan Chief Minister Ashok Gehlot, Patiala Member Parliament Preet Kaur, Cultural Affairs Minister Charanjit Singh Channi



Prime Minister Mr. Narendra Modi Being Received By Punjab Governor Mr. VP Singh Badnore And Chief Minister Captain Amarinder Singh At Bussawal Village In Sultanpur Lodhi On Saturday.



CAPT AMARINDER SINGH HOPES CORRIDOR WOULD LEAD TO PEACEFUL ENVIRONMENT BETWEEN BOTH COUNTRIES LEADING TO EASY ACCESS TO OTHER GURDWARAS



Prime Minister Narendra Modi Along With Punjab Governor VP Singh Badnore And Chief Minister Captain Amarinder Singh Inaugurating The Integrated Check Post At Dera Baba Nanak To Mark The Opening Of Kartarpur Corridor On Saturday.



PM ALONG WITH CAPTAIN AMARINDER PARTAKES LANGAR IN PUNJAB GOVERNMENT PANDAL



ਪੰਜਾਬ ਦੇ ਵਿੱਤ ਮੰਤਰੀ ਮਨਜੀਤ ਸਿੰਘ ਬਾਦਲ ਲਲਿਤ ਹੋਟਲ ਚੰਡੀਗੜ੍ਹ ਵਿਖੇ 'ਪੰਜਾਬ ਇਨੋਵੇਸ਼ਨ ਅਤੇ ਤਕਨਾਲੋਜੀ ਸਮਿੱਟ 2019' ਦੌਰਾਨ



CAPT AMARINDER USHERS IN WEEK-LONG 550TH PRAKASH PURB CELEBRATIONS AT SULTANPUR LODHI WITH GURU GRANTH SAHIB SAROOP SEWA



PUNJAB GOES TOTALLY HI-TECH AS CAPT AMARINDER LAUNCHES OFFICE FOR ELECTRONIC FILE MOVEMENT



CAPTAIN AMARINDER SINGH LAUNCHES VERKA'S PIO NATURAL VANILA MILK & CHEALTED MINERAL MIXTURE



Balbir Singh Sidhu Gives Appointment Letters To 519 Community Health Officers



CAPT AMARINDER LAUNCHES 1ST OF ITS KIND 'PUNJAB JOB HELPLINE' FOR UNEMPLOYED YOUTH



A ROOM SEEPED IN VALOUR - CAPT AMARINDER'S ODE TO 2 SIKHS



MANPREET BADAL SEEKS EARLY RELEASE OF GST ARREARS FROM NIRMALA SITHARAMAN



CAPT AMARINDER SEEKS WB SUPPORT TO HELP PUNJAB'S FARMERS SHIFT TO ALTERNATE CROPS TO BOOST INCOME & SAVE WATER



PUNJAB INKS MoU WITH INDUSTRIAL ASSOCIATIONS & GNDEC-LUDHIANA TO PROMOTE RESEARCH & INNOVATION



MORE THAN 8800 VISITORS VISIT LIGHT & SOUND SHOW ALONG WITH DIGITAL MUSEUM IN LUDHIANA



CABINET MINISTER CHARANJIT SINGH CHANNI AND BALBIR SINGH SIDHU LAUNCHED 4-MONTH ELABORATE PROGRAMME TO COMMEMORATE GURU SAHIB'S MEMORY



PUNJAB CM SEEKS INVESTMENT FROM US COMPANIES IN MEETING WITH NEW JERSEY SENATOR



Ghar Ghar Rozgar & Karobar Mission' Scheme, Punjab Chief Minister On Saturday Declared All-Out Efforts To Identify The Poorest Of The Poor Jobless In Villages For Employment, Even As He Announced A Free Coaching Scheme For Candidates To Prepare For Group



CAPT AMARINDER MOOTS A PUNJAB IRAN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE TO BOOST TRADE, INVITES IRANIAN ENVOY TO 550TH PRAKASH PURB



Manpreet Badal And Vijay Inder Singla Invite Punjabi Community To Attend Guru Nanak Dev Ji's 550th Prakash Purb Celebrations



DELEGATION OF PUNJAB GOVERNMENT HOLDS PRE-SUMMIT INTERACTION WITH INDUSTRY

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