

## MP Specific October Month Current Affairs

### Cyber Crime Investigation and Intelligence Summit 2021 concludes

- The 10-day Cyber Crime Investigation and Intelligence Summit 2021 held at the State Police Academy concluded.
- Hon'ble Governor Shri Mangal Bhai Patel, former CBI Director Rishi Kumar Shukla were present in this program.
- Strict adherence to cyber security laws, emphasis on sensitivity towards victims, as well as an attempt to increase awareness about cybercrime at the police station level.

### Foundation Day Celebrations of Bhoj Open University

- In the 29th year of the establishment of Bhoj Open University, for the first time, the foundation day program was organized, in this program Honorable Governor Mangal Bhai Patel was involved.
- On this occasion, it was directed by the Governor that all the leading colleges would be established in all the districts and at least one college would be established in all the assembly constituencies.
- Students were asked to give information regarding courses before admission and arrange career guidance.

### Mahatma Gandhi National Award decoration ceremony organized on Gandhi Jayanti

- For the year 2019, the organization 'Akhil Vishwa Gayatri Parivar' of Haridwar and for the year 2020, 'Bhatke Vimukt Vikas Pratishthan' of Osmanabad was honored.
- Under the National Mahatma Gandhi Samman, each institution was awarded an income tax-free amount of ten lakh rupees, a plaque, a shawl and a shripal.

### Swachh Bharat Mission Urban Plan and AMRUT Scheme

- Swachh Bharat Mission (Urban) 2.0 aims to make cities garbage free.

- Similarly, the main objective of AMRUT Mission-2.0 is to make a water safe city. Under which, excellent management of sewage and prevention of waste water going into water structures like rivers, ponds.

### **Jal Jeevan Mission - Water from tap in every house**

- Through the mission, it is being ensured to provide pure water from tap in every household through village-to-village tap water schemes.
- Najal scheme will be started by developing new water sources in villages where water source is not available.
- Jal Mission was announced by Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi on 15th August 2019 to get rid of drinking water problem for rural population especially women.
- Adequate allocation is being made by the Central Government for this mission.
- Through the mission, water is being made available in every household of the villages in the state from June 2020 through tap connections.
- Public participation has also been ensured under this mission, so that the villagers maintain affinity in the water supply scheme.

### **State level wildlife week organized in Madhya Pradesh**

- About 65 bird lovers presented different species of birds in the bird watching and nature camp organized in the Van Vihar National Park, Bhopal in the first week of October of the state-level wildlife week.
- These include many major species of birds like Golden Oriole, Dudhraj, Egret, Meg Pie Rabin, Bronze Wing Jakana, Kingfisher, Green Bee Eater, Tithari, Pond Heron, Red Munia, Iora, Whistling Teals, Cormorant, Moorhan, Drongo, Silver Bill Munia, etc.
- Includes Gray Pansy, Common Evening Brown, Plain Tiger, Common Village Yellow, Blue Tiger, Crimson Rose, etc.

### **Madhya Pradesh is the first state to implement the 'Saathi' scheme in the country**

- Madhya Pradesh will be the first state in the country to implement "Saathi (Sustainable Agriculture through Holistic Integration) Project".
- This project will prove beneficial in fulfilling the government's goal of doubling the farmers' income.
- Practically this scheme will bring more benefits to the farmers.

- Initially, this scheme will be implemented as a pilot project in 10 development blocks of 5 districts of the state.
- In the first phase of "Saathi" scheme, 26 districts of the state Guna, Satna, Ashoknagar, Gwalior, Rewa, Morena, Alirajpur, Balaghat, Barwani, Chhatarpur, Dhar, Panna, Rajgarh, Sheopur, Shahdol, Shivpuri, Tikamgarh, Jhabua, It has been made for 100 development blocks of Damoh including Sehore, Katni, Raisen, Anuppur, Seoni, Dewas, Umaria.
- The 5 components of this scheme will be Partner Farmer Group, Partner Processing Centre, Partner Industries, Partner Market and Common Facility Centre.

### Swamitav yojna

- The Swamitva scheme has been implemented on pilot basis in 9 states of the country, including Madhya Pradesh.
- Implementation of Swamitva Scheme has been started sequentially in three phases covering 10-10 districts.
- Under this scheme, with the help of Survey of India, the construction of maps through drones and door-to-door survey is being done in the residential area of villages.
- The process of survey has been started in 42 districts of Madhya Pradesh under this scheme, under which works are being done through drones.

### Benefits of Swamitav Scheme :

- Villagers residing by building their own house in the residential land of the village will be able to get the ownership of their house.
- By getting the documents related to the land of the population, legal aid will be easily available.
- Scrutiny will get rid of the problem of building houses and encroachment
- Having a record of the property will make it easier to take a bank loan.
- Land related disputes will also end.
- Transfer of land and building will be done easily.

### Public Welfare and Suraj Abhiyan

- In the first week of October in the Chief Minister Shri Shivraj Singh Chouhan public welfare and Suraj Abhiyan, a meeting was organized in the state level program organized in Minto Hall regarding CM public service and mobile governance services.

- Keeping in view the needs of the citizens of the state, the Public Service Guarantee Act has been implemented with the objective of providing day-to-day utility services easily and easily.
- This Jan-Kalyan and Suraj Abhiyan, which operated for 21 consecutive days from September 17 to October 7, 2021, has played an important role in the direction of Public Service Guarantee Act.
- In this campaign that lasted for 21 consecutive days, many programs have been distributed for the welfare of farmers, laborers, women, helpless and poor sections along with distribution of benefits to the beneficiaries.

#### **Establishment of sub public service centers in big gram panchayats to promote public facilities**

- Services will be provided to the citizens of the state at their doorstep. A copy of measles will be provided to the citizens only at Rs 10 per page.
- This service will be started by sending a message from the registered mobile number on 181 public service.
- Public facilities available to citizens will increase through these portals and their work will be done easily.

#### **E-rupee system will be applicable in the form of e-voucher**

- The system of "e-rupee" has been implemented in the form of e-voucher in the state.
- For the payment of treatment amount and scholarship of patients under Ayushman Bharat, through "e-rupee" is being deposited directly into the bank account of the beneficiaries

#### **"Iconic week" organized in the state from October 4 to 10**

- Under the Amrit Mahotsav of Independence celebrated as "Iconic Week" across the country from 4th to 10th October.
- Special programs related to environment, pond conservation and stopping the use of single use plastic were organized in Madhya Pradesh during the week.
- This program was organized at the state's Ramsar site Bhoj Wetland (Bada Talab Bhopal).

Reflector tape and rear marking plate mandatory on commercial vehicles in the state

- Fitness certificates will no longer be issued for commercial vehicles without standard quality reflector tapes.
- This process is being fully computerized by issuing written documents in this regard.

- The certificate of reflector tape affixed to the vehicle by the authorized dealers of the vehicle manufacturers will be generated and printed only through the portal.
- The detailed information of the reflector tape mounted on the vehicle on the certificate such as length, width, color, year of manufacture of the tape, code, name of the manufacturer and vehicle information, such as vehicle registration number, chassis number, engine number, vehicle category, vehicle type Body type etc. will be mentioned.
- It will be mandatory for the concerned RTO to verify the Reflector Tape / Rear Marking Plate Fixation Certificate through the portal before issuing the fitness certificate of the vehicle. Only after that the fitness certificate will be issued.
- At the time of vehicle verification, the enforcement staff/police will be able to verify the veracity of the certificate by checking the QR code on the certificate and checking the certificate through the portal.
- This process will not make it possible to install non-standard level reflectors, reflector tape, rear marking plates on any vehicle, which will definitely reduce vehicle accidents.

### **New system regarding number plates in vehicles in the state**

- Under this arrangement, vehicle owners will be able to use the allotted number of old 4 wheelers for their new vehicles.
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- Vehicle owners taking VIP number will be able to get direct benefit of this new arrangement made by the state government.

### **Driving license process simplified**

- The process of making a driving license has been further simplified.
- Any applicant with the application of learning license, new driving license, renewal or other category of application in driving license will be able to issue medical certificate in Form 1A online on the portal by a registered doctor.
- There was a provision to issue the said medical certificate manually before April 2021.

### **Electrical Contractors License Online**

- Taking a step towards paperless governance, the Department of Energy has made arrangements for issuing licenses to electrical contractors through online.  
Features:
- The entire process of issuing licenses is online, paperless.
- Obtaining the desired license through online within the stipulated time period.

- Informing the applicant about the progress of the work through SMS and WhatsApp on mobile.
- Facility to release all information through e-sign.
- Facility to issue notification to higher authorities in case the case is not resolved within the time limit.

### ISSF Shooting Junior World Championship

ISSF has heartily congratulated Prasiddhi Mahant, daughter of Ayushi Poddar, Ms. Nischal and Bhopal on winning the silver medal in the Shooting Junior World Championship.

### The state will get special recognition from Gadarwara's toor dal and kareli jaggery

- In the self-reliant Madhya Pradesh campaign, continuous efforts are being made to make Tuar Dal of Gadarwara and Good of Kareli a distinctive identity of Madhya Pradesh in 'One District-One Product'.
- Gadarwara Tuar Dal is known for its sweetness and taste.
- Bitter gourd also has its own distinctive identity for taste and health.
- The "One District-One Product" scheme and the efforts of all have given impetus to its branding and marketing.

### Expansion of online public services in the state

- On an average, 15 to 20 student unions from Madhya Pradesh are selected in the Public Service Commission examination every year. For the first time in the state, 38 students have been selected in the Union Public Service Commission examination.
- Millions of students of the state will join the Mantra of Success program. Some students of class 11th and 12th will also attend the Minto Hall event and engage with the event through other means.

### Certificates for the disabled were created in a virtual workshop at Seoni Balaghat

- For the certification of 21 types of disability under the Disability Rights Act-2016, a virtual workshop was organized jointly with the doctors of the Medical Board of Seoni and Balaghat districts, officials of the District Disability Rehabilitation Center and officials of the Department of Social Justice. Regional Disability Rehabilitation Center was organized in collaboration with Government of India and Site Savers.

Launch of "Anubhuti" program to understand the ecosystem of the forest

- 33 lakh 20 thousand school children of the state will be covered under "Anubhuti" program by Eco Tourism Development Board
- For the first time, 2 lakh students of non-government schools will be connected to empathy camps by receiving fees on "no profit-no loss" basis.
- For government schools, these camps will be held from December 2021 to March 2022.
- The program provides explanations of forest ecosystem components, environment, forest conservation, bio-medicine and general information on forest management.

Formation of State Level Environmental Council

- The state government has constituted a state-level environment council in line with the resolution of self-reliant Madhya Pradesh-2023.
- The Council will encourage strategic suggestions, guidance, consultation and innovation for the creation of innovative projects for the protection of the environment and natural resources of the State.
- The Council will also review the efforts being made for environmental protection, pollution control and sustainable use of natural resources and the work of various departments towards the Sustainable Development Goals related to the environment.

#### Formation of "Atal Bihari Vajpayee Memorial Trust" in Gwalior

- Late in Gwalior. An autonomous "Atal Bihari Vajpayee Memorial Trust" will be set up under the Department of Construction and Culture of the Memorial of Shri Atal Bihari Vajpayee.
- Efforts will be made to spread sensitivity and awareness towards nation building and nation development among the youth and youth through this memorial trust.
- In order to spread sensitivity and awareness towards nation building and nation development, creation of facilities like collection of films, audio-visual / multimedia, museum, Muktakash Manch and auditorium etc., their intellectual intensity, will be disseminated through literature.

#### Organizing Ladli Lakshmi Utsav

- Under this, virtual program will be organized in every Anganwadi and Panchayat buildings of the state and girls will join. The program will be



broadcast live on webcast link Doordarshan, All India Radio, Twitter of public relations, Facebook and all social media of Women and Child Development Department and YouTube.

- The Ladli Lakshmi Yojana was implemented on April 1, 2007 in Madhya Pradesh with the objective of improving the positive thinking of the people towards the birth of girls, improving the sex ratio, improving the educational status and health status of girls and laying the foundation stone of their good future.

### Ladli Lakshmi Yojana-2

- Even such daughters, who have been left behind or who have none, will also be considered Ladli Lakshmi and will be given the benefit of the scheme.
- Based on the number of births of daughters, Ladli Lakshmi will declare a friendly Gram Panchayat / Gram.
- Every Ladli Lakshmi will be given training on learning driving license at the age of 18 years.

### "PM Speed Power Master Plan"

- This plan will give momentum and strength to present India, "Next Generation Infrastructure and Multi Model Connectivity" will give the country a direction of progress.
- Gati Shakti is a digital platform that will bring together 16 ministries, including rail and road, through the simultaneous implementation of integrated planning and infrastructure connectivity projects.

### Shri Ravi Vijaykumar Malimuth appointed Chief Justice of Madhya Pradesh High Court

Shri Ravi Vijaykumar Malimath was appointed as the Chief Justice of Madhya Pradesh Chief Court, administered oath by Governor Shri Manubhai Patel.

### The introduction of "Jaika " at the Indira Gandhi National Museum of Humanities

- Indira Gandhi National Museum of Humanity, Bhopal has started the traditional food program of Bhil tribe, Jaika, on the demand of the visitors visiting the museum.
- The traditional food of the Bhil tribe of Madhya Pradesh will be the availability of corn bread, brinjal bhurta, coriander, garlic chutney, good etc.
- Corn bread contains fiber, which helps in relieving digestive problems.



- It helps in controlling the cholesterol level in the body. At the same time, a diet rich in fiber helps to keep the stomach full for a long time.

### Significant efforts for each person's own house in Madhya Pradesh

- 21 lakh 5 thousand houses have been constructed in the state under Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana (Rural)
- Housing houses have been provided for three special backward tribes of Madhya Pradesh, Baiga, Sahariya and Bharia under a special project.
- Under this scheme, every poor family in the state will be given land lease and amount of housing construction as per eligibility.
- The period of housing construction is 114 days nationally. If we look, housing construction works have been completed in Madhya Pradesh with good speed.

### Jeevadaya Gauseva Samman Award

- Jeev Daya Samman Award was organized on 20th October in Jabalpur district of Madhya Pradesh, Hon'ble Chief Minister Shivraj Singh Chouhan and Acharya Sri Vidyasagar were present in this event.
- In this program, the best cowsheds of the state and service-oriented institutions and individuals towards animals were awarded.
- A total of 7 awards were given in the institutional category. 4 consolation prizes are to be given along with first, second, third, the amount of which is 5 lakh, 3 lakh, 2 lakh and 50-50 thousand respectively. The first, second and third prizes in the individual category were awarded in the amount of one lakh, 50 thousand and 20 thousand respectively.

### Use of Hybrid Switch Gear Module System in Transmission System in Indore for the first time in the State

- Madhya Pradesh Power Transmission Company has used hybrid switch gear module system in the expansion of transmission system in Indore for the first time in the state.
- A new transformer of 50 MVA capacity was installed by the transmission company at 220 KV substation Bicholi located at Indore East. In this, hybrid switch gear module system was used for the first time in the state.
- For the first time in the state, additional transformer was installed in a small space in Indore and underground cable was used in the sub station.

- The system taking the supply from the transformer was connected to it at 33 kV voltage level using underground insulated cable.
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**Related facts:**

- The hybrid model can be used for expansion or replacement in any conventional substation.
- It utilizes the technology of air insulated switchgear and high electrical resistance sulfur hexafluoride based gas switchgear through a single model.
- This hybrid technology reduces the space used in sub-stations by up to 50% which is a cost effective and reliable cost for new installation or expansion.
- In the coming time, it will be able to be used in many such needy sub stations of Madhya Pradesh Power Transmission Company.
- This will provide another option of power supply in densely populated sub stations.

**Subsidy of more than Rs. 20,000 crore in electricity rates**

- For the financial year 2021-22, a subsidy of more than Rs 20,000 crore will be given to domestic and agricultural consumers in electricity rates.
- In the scheme implemented for domestic consumers, a maximum payment of Rs. Provision has been made for domestic consumers, whose monthly consumption is 30 units, to be charged Rs. 100 in 4 months at a value of only Rs. 25 per month.
- A flat rate of Rs. 750 per horsepower per year will be payable to a permanent agricultural pump consumer without a meter with a capacity of up to 10 horsepower.
- A flat rate of Rs. 1500 flat rate of per horsepower per year will be payable to the consumer without a meterless permanent agricultural pump with a capacity of more than 10 horsepower.
- Free electricity will be provided to agricultural consumers of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes up to 5 horsepower with land up to one hectare.
- High pressure lifting / group irrigation consumers will be exempted from energy charges and annual minimum charges.

### Approval of "Mukhyamantri Ration Aapke Dwar" scheme

- For the convenience of poor tribal families, the scheme "Mukhyamantri Ration Aapke Dwar" has been started to distribute ration materials from their own village to the eligible families dependent on fair price shops of tribal development blocks of the state.
- This scheme will be implemented from November, 2021 in the tribal development blocks of the remaining districts except the districts of the by-election code of conduct.
- Under this scheme, tribal families of approx 7511 villages in 74 development blocks of 16 districts will get benefits
- On an average 22 to 25 days (excluding holidays) 220 to 440 quintals of food items will be delivered by one vehicle in a month.

### Organizing a puppet festival based on puppetry

- Madhya Pradesh Sanskriti Parishad organized a four-day 'Puppet Festival' (20 to 24 October 2021) at Madhya Pradesh Tribal Museum Bhopal on various styles of puppetry.
- In the puppet festival, historical and mythological characters and stories are shown through puppets.
- At the present time, contemporary subjects have also been taken as the basis in this art, so that the young generation can be told about this centuries-old genre and the method of preserving life values through it.

### 8 percent increase in the rate of dearness allowance payable to government servants and permanent workers

- The Department of Finance has increased the rate of dearness allowance payable to government servants and permanent staff by 8% from October 2021.
- 8% increase in DA rate will be payable as 20% DA as per 7<sup>th</sup> pay scale.
- The arrears payable as a result of the annual increment payable from July 2020 to January 1, 2021 will be paid in two equal installments. The first installment will be paid in November 2021 and the second installment will be paid in March 2022.

### "Prime Minister Ayushman Bharat Health Infrastructure Mission"

- The "Prime Minister Ayushman Bharat Health Infrastructure Mission" will prove to be a milestone in strengthening the health infrastructure of primary, secondary and sub-health centers and existing national health institutions.
- With the expansion of health services through "PM Ayushman Bharat Health Infrastructure Mission", simple, accessible and affordable healthcare facility will be available to the citizens.
- In the mission, the health infrastructure of the entire country will be made at a high level. At the same time better health facilities will be provided to all sections of the society.

### CM Rise Plan

- In the field of education, the scheme aims to provide high quality education to school children, improve students' learning outcomes and enable schools to achieve national and international standards.
- In the light of National Education Policy 2020, 9 thousand 200 well-equipped 'CM Rise Schools' will be started in the state. A provision of Rs. 1500 crore has been made in the budget for this.
- Under this, there will also be a system of vocational education for the students, so that the students will be able to develop economic understanding along with education.

### Chief Minister Awasiya Bhoo Adhikar Yojana

- The government will provide free plots to the families who do not have Avasiyabhu section to live.
- Guidelines for allotment of plots of land on populated lands in rural areas under Mukhyamantri Awasiya Bhoo Adhikar Yojana have been issued by the State Government.
- The land rights scheme was introduced by the state government to provide residential plots to eligible families on the land of residential area in each gram panchayat.
- The maximum area of land to be allotted will be 60 sq.m. The meaning of family will be husband and wife and their unmarried sons and daughters. Only applicant families who are residents of the respective village will be eligible to apply. Applications must be submitted through the online SAARA portal to obtain residential plots.

- Eligible applicants under the land rights scheme will be given land ownership certificates in the joint name of husband and wife on the basis of availability.
- Such families will not be eligible under this scheme - 1 who have a house to live independently 2 The family has more than 5 acres of land 3 The family is not eligible to receive rations from the Public Distribution System (PDS) shop The applicant wants a residential plot of land in a village where his name is not registered in the voter list of January 2021, he will not be eligible for this scheme.

### Pradhanmantri Mudra Yojna

- Pradhan Mantri Mudra Yojana is a scheme of the Central Government, under which people are given loans of Rs. 50 thousand to 10 lakhs for manufacturing, trade and service activities.
- Currency loans are given by commercial banks, RRBs, MFIs, NBFCs and microfinance banks in this scheme.
- Pradhan Mantri Mudra Yojana was widely publicized and credit outreach programs were organized by banks at district, block level from October 16 to November 15.

### Organizing National Ayurveda Day

- The Ministry of AYUSH of the Central Government has decided to celebrate Dhanwantari Jayanti (Dhanteras) as the National Ayurveda Day.
- The National Ayurveda Day program in Madhya Pradesh will start from October 30. After this, till November 2 (Dhanteras), there will be programs related to Ayurveda Day all over the state.

### Sambal Yojna

- In 7 thousand 700 cases of assistance under Sambal Yojana, an amount of Rs. 170 crore was deposited in the accounts of Sambal beneficiaries.
- Under this scheme, there is an arrangement to give an amount of Rs. 02 lakh on normal death and assistance of Rs. 05 thousand for funeral.
- Mukhyamantri Jan-Kalyan Sambal Yojana has been started from 01 April 2018.
- In Sambal Yojana, assistance of Rs. 1 lakh on partial permanent disability and Rs. 02 lakh on permanent disability is provided to the beneficiary and his family members.

### **Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee (MNREGA) Scheme**

- More than 18 lakh new job cards were issued in the country during the Kovid epidemic.
- In this financial year, employment was provided to more than 76 lakh villagers till September
- Madhya Pradesh is in the forefront in providing employment to the families of Scheduled Tribes through MGNREGA.

### **State Rural Livelihood Mission**

- Under this mission intensive work is being done in 45 thousand 135 villages of 52 districts of the state.
- Through the mission, about 53 thousand rural youth have been given employment oriented training and 2 lakh 86 thousand youth have been given self-employment training.
- Under Mukhyamantri Grameen Path Vikreta Yojana, interest free loans have been provided to more than 2 lakh 4 thousand villagers for starting self-employment.

### **Swachh Bharat Mission**

- In the second phase of Swachh Bharat Mission Grameen, about one lakh 12 thousand 613 individual family toilets and 1,990 community sanitation complexes were constructed.
- Under solid waste management, house to house garbage collection and 15 thousand 445 community composting works were done in 1,930 villages.
- The Swachh Bharat Mission was launched on October 2, 2014, with the aim of making India "open defecation free" by the time of Gandhiji's 150th birth anniversary (October 2, 2019).