Mashal rally: BJYM launches sharp attack on Cong, CPI(M)

Observer Reporter

Agartala: Nov 03. Stepping up its political campaign ahead of the upcoming Urban Local Body (ULB) elections, the Bharatiya Janata Yuva Morcha (BJYM) organised a massive torchlight procession across the streets of Agartala on Tuesday evening at around 6:30 PM. The rally was aimed at demonstrating the youth wing's organisational strength while launching a sharp political attack on the Congress and the CPI(M) over what it described as attempts to spread misinformation and create unrest in the state.

Tripura's Youth Affairs and Sports Minister and former BJYM state president Tinku Roy, who was present at the programme, accused the Congress and the Left parties of misleading people through false propaganda on various issues, including the Sub-Inspector (SI) recruitment controversy. He said the procession was organised to convey that the people of Tripura would reject divisive politics and attempts to disturb the state's peaceful atmosphere. Roy maintained that the BJP and its youth organisation stood for peace, harmony and development, with the objective of building a prosperous and progressive Tripura.

BJYM state president Arindam Deb also criticised the Congress and CPI(M), alleging that both parties were attempting to create political instability by provoking unrest. Referring to the BJP's October 31 rally under the slogan 'Save Democracy, End Anarchy', he claimed that large numbers of people, particularly young activists from different districts, had participated in the programme.

Deb alleged that opposition leaders were trying to manufacture controversies out of political frustration. He also referred to recent developments in Khowai, accusing certain Congress leaders of attempting to provoke unrest.

Expressing confidence about the BJP's prospects in the forthcoming municipal elections, Deb said the Congress and other opposition parties would struggle to secure seats in the Urban Local Bodies. He declared that BJYM workers would resist what he termed forces of anarchy and would not allow attempts to destabilise the country.

The torchlight procession formed part of the BJP's broader mobilisation campaign, as political parties intensify their activities across Agartala and other urban areas ahead of the municipal corporation and municipal council elections.

School Computer Teachers take statewide campaign to CM

Submit memorandums in eight districts

Observer Reporter

Agartala: Nov 03. Seeking an end to years of uncertainty over their salaries and service conditions, school computer teachers across Tripura on Tuesday approached Chief Minister Dr. Manik Saha with a fresh appeal for intervention, submitting memorandums through the District Magistrates of all eight districts.

The initiative was organised by the All Tripura School Computer Teachers' Association (ATSCTA), which has intensified its efforts to secure government action on a series of long-pending demands. Through the coordinated programme, the association sought to bring its grievances directly to the attention of the Chief Minister and urged the government to take concrete measures to resolve them.

At the centre of the teachers' demands is the implementation of the 2021 guidelines concerning salary enhancement, which, according to the association, is yet to be implemented. The memorandum also contains a 12-point charter highlighting various concerns involving remuneration, job security, service benefits and other employment-related issues.

The association maintained that computer teachers play an important role in developing digital literacy among school students, particularly at a time when technology-based learning is becoming increasingly important. However, their own professional future and financial stability continue to remain uncertain due to the absence of a satisfactory resolution to their demands.

The teachers pointed out that repeated appeals over the years have failed to produce the desired outcome, prompting them to launch a simultaneous representation campaign across the state. They urged the government to recognise their contribution to the education system and address their concerns without further delay.

In Khowai district, a delegation led by association representatives submitted the memorandum to the District Magistrate for forwarding it to the Chief Minister. State committee member Sanku Sarma, district president Binoy Kumar Saha, general secretary Akash Das and several other members were present during the submission.The association expressed optimism that the latest initiative would receive due consideration from the state government. It said an early decision on salary revision and other service-related demands would provide much-needed relief to computer teachers while ensuring greater stability in the delivery of computer education in schools.

With memorandums reaching the district administrations across Tripura, the teachers' organisation has now placed the responsibility on the state government to respond to its 12-point demands and resolve the prolonged grievances of the teaching community.

FM Sitharaman challenges Rahul Gandhi to debate in Parliament, not on social media

New Delhi, Nov 4 (IANS) Union Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman on Tuesday sharply rebuked Leader of Opposition Rahul Gandhi for demanding a public debate with Prime Minister Narendra Modi, asserting that Parliament itself is the proper venue for such exchanges.



Responding to Gandhi's challenge, Sitharaman said on her X handle, "Rahul ji, you ask the Prime Minister to choose a venue for a debate. There is already one: Parliament, where you happen to be the LoP."

She pointed out that Home Minister Amit Shah had only a day earlier offered a special session of Parliament to discuss the Special Intensive Revision (SIR) of electoral rolls and the functioning of Electronic Voting Machines (EVMs).

"Why not show the same enthusiasm for a debate in Parliament that you show while issuing challenges on social media?" she asked.

Sitharaman accused the Congress leader and the INDIA alliance of repeatedly walking out of the House whenever the government sought to respond to their allegations.

"Demanding answers also carries an obligation to hear them," she said.

"There have been several occasions when you and your party have walked out of Parliament while the government was responding to your allegations. How do you claim to be so eager for a debate when you don't even stay to hear the other side?" she said.

The Finance Minister further criticised the Opposition for disrupting parliamentary proceedings, resulting in entire sittings being washed out.

"If you are so keen on debating, why not allow Parliament to function in the first place?" she questioned.

Sitharaman also took aim at a recent "mock Parliament" organised by the Congress at the residence of the party president.

"Frankly, that was more a 'mockery of Parliament' than a 'mock Parliament'. You found the time and enthusiasm for that exercise. Surely, the real Parliament deserves at least as much," she said. Calling on Gandhi to uphold democratic institutions, Sitharaman said those who speak endlessly about protecting democracy and the Constitution must show equal respect for the institutions they have established.

She urged the Leader of Opposition to bring specific allegations backed by evidence rather than "frivolously" throwing together long lists of accusations.

"You say, 'Daro mat.' Then bring the facts, face the scrutiny and stay to hear the answers. In the House, uphold the standards of debate you demand from others," she concluded

Police holds all-party meeting ahead of civic polls

Observer Reporter

Dharmangar: Nov 03. Police organised an all-party meeting at the office of the Panisagar Sub-Divisional Police Officer (SDPO) to ensure peace and maintain law and order ahead of the upcoming Nagar Panchayat elections.

The meeting, chaired by SDPO Kislay Sisodia, was attended by representatives of various political parties and members of civil society. Discussions focused on election-related security arrangements and preventive measures to ensure a peaceful electoral environment across the subdivision.

Sisodia informed the participants that flag marches had already been launched in the area and regular police patrolling had been intensified. Tripura State Rifles (TSR) personnel have also been deployed as part of the additional security arrangements.

The police administration urged all political parties and local residents to extend cooperation in maintaining peace. Representatives present at the meeting assured their full support to the administration.

The police also requested people to immediately report any untoward incident or law and order issue, assuring prompt action to address such complaints.

Assembly Select Committee holds meeting

On Land Revenue Amendment Bill

Observer Reporter

Agartala: Nov 03. Tripura Transport Minister Sushanta Chowdhury on Tuesday said he attended a preparatory meeting of the Assembly Select Committee concerning The Tripura Land Revenue and Land Reforms (Fourteenth Amendment) Bill, 2026, aimed at improving the state's land revenue and land reforms administration and reviewing related legal provisions. The meeting was attended by Finance Minister Pranjit Singha Roy and senior officials of the state government. In a statement, Chowdhury said the meeting involved preliminary discussions on the scope, objectives and key provisions of the proposed legislation. The participants also exchanged views on various aspects to be taken up for a detailed examination of the Bill. The proposed amendment seeks to strengthen the state's land revenue and land reforms framework while addressing relevant legal issues. Emphasising the importance of constructive deliberations and responsible lawmaking, Chowdhury said the government remained committed to ensuring that public interest remained the top priority while pursuing the state's overall development.

Tripura to hold first state-level FOOD SARAS 1.0 in December

Observer Reporter

Agartala: Nov 03. Tripura Rural Livelihood Mission (TRLM) is set to organise the state's first-ever state-level FOOD SARAS 1.0, a 10-day food and cultural festival celebrating traditional cuisine, local flavours and women's entrepreneurship.The event will be held at Swami Vivekananda Maidan, Astabal, Agartala, from December 5 to 14, 2026. It will showcase authentic traditional delicacies and diverse culinary traditions of Tripura, while providing a platform for women Self-Help Group (SHG) members to promote their food-based enterprises.

An initial inspection of the proposed venue was conducted on Tuesday in the presence of TRLM CEO Tarit Kanti Chakma, officials of the Rural Development Department and members of the TRLM State Mission Management Unit (SMMU). The team reviewed the arrangements and preparations for the upcoming mega event.

The initiative aims to promote local food culture and strengthen women-led enterprises by providing SHG members with opportunities to showcase their products and entrepreneurial skills.

Gujarat forest guards call off agitation after talks with govt

Gandhinagar, Nov 3 (IANS) Forest Guards and Beat Guards in Gujarat have agreed to call off their agitation following discussions with the state government over their pending demands, Forest and Environment Minister Arjun Modhwadia said on Tuesday. The decision came after a meeting between senior Forest Department officials and representatives of the employees' association, held on the instructions of Chief Minister Bhupendra Patel.

The meeting focused on the various demands raised by employees of the two cadres, who had been protesting to press for their resolution. Modhwadia said the discussions had resulted in a positive outcome, with the government agreeing to address the employees' concerns.

However, some of the pending issues require approval from the General Administration Department and the Finance Department.

Poor roads, water shortages plague Golaghati Villages

Observer Reporter

Bishalgarh: Nov 03. Several rural areas under the 17-Golaghati Assembly constituency continue to lag behind in development, with residents complaining of poor road connectivity, inadequate educational infrastructure and drinking water problems despite successive governments making development promises.

Residents alleged that little has changed in many villages since the Left Front regime, with the situation continuing under the present BJP-led government. They pointed out that neighbouring Bishalgarh and Suryamaninagar constituencies have witnessed comparatively better development, while several rural areas of Golaghati remain neglected.

The constituency comprises predominantly ADC areas, along with some general areas. Residents alleged that many roads have deteriorated to the extent that they are no longer suitable for regular vehicular movement. Several schools are also reportedly facing teacher shortages and inadequate educational infrastructure.

People said that free ration supplies and the implementation of various Central government schemes alone cannot address the ground-level development problems. They alleged that political leaders make numerous promises before elections but fail to fulfil them after assuming power.

The residents also questioned the functioning of local MLA Manab Debbarma, alleging that since the last Assembly election, he has rarely visited the general outside the ADC areas. They urged to address the concerns of people across the constituency.

Residents further alleged that their grievances remain largely unheard, leaving many families to struggle with basic civic problems. They urged elected representatives and the government to take concrete steps to improve roads, education, drinking water facilities and overall rural infrastructure.

SHG, CSP women lock Karbook Block office gate

Demand transfer of TRLM Coordinator

Observer Reporter

Udaipur: Nov 03. Tension prevailed at the Karbook Block office on Tuesday after members of Self-Help Groups (SHGs) and Community Service Provider (CSP) women's groups locked the main gate of the office, demanding the transfer of Tripura Rural Livelihood Mission (TRLM) Cluster Coordinator Suman Debnath.

The protest led to an obstruction of official work, with the agitating women refusing to open the gate until their demands were addressed. The situation became tense when the Block Development Officer (BDO), who is also an Executive Magistrate, arrived at the spot and attempted to persuade the protesters to unlock the gate and hold discussions inside the office.

During the exchange, the women insisted that the administration give them a clear assurance regarding the transfer of Suman Debnath. They maintained that they would not withdraw the agitation without a definite commitment on when their grievances would be addressed.

The Executive Magistrate cautioned the protesters against locking the office gate, pointing out that official matters should be discussed inside the premises rather than through obstruction at the entrance or in a public marketplace. He repeatedly urged them to attend a meeting in the conference hall, assuring them that their concerns would be heard in the presence of the concerned officials.

However, the protesters remained firm, demanding an assurance before agreeing to enter the office.

Speaking after interacting with the women, the BDO said that he had found them protesting in front of the block office upon his arrival. He added that they had raised certain grievances concerning the Cluster Level Federation (CLF), which had been recorded by the administration.

The BDO assured that appropriate steps would be taken to address the complaints. However, the immediate outcome of the demand for Suman Debnath's transfer remained unclear.

Manipur CM directs security forces to identify armed groups involved in recent violence

Imphal, Nov 3 (IANS) Manipur Chief Minister Yumnam Khemchand Singh on Tuesday directed senior security officials to identify active armed groups, excluding those engaged in peace talks with the state government, suspected to be involved in the recent incidents of violence in the state, officials said.

A senior official of the Chief Minister's Office (CMO) said that the Chief Minister issued the directive during a review meeting on the law and order situation in the state.

He asked the security officials to identify armed outfits allegedly involved in the recent violent incidents, while keeping out of the exercise those groups currently engaged in peace negotiations with the state government.

Khemchand Singh also instructed the security agencies to submit a detailed report on the involvement of these groups at the earliest.

The Chief Minister said that, based on the findings of the report, the state Cabinet would be constrained to consider declaring such groups as unlawful if their involvement in violence against innocent civilians is established.

Such groups would be dealt with under the provisions of the Unlawful Activities (Prevention) Act (UAPA), he added.

The security review meeting, chaired by Chief Minister, held at the Cabinet Hall of the Chief Minister's Secretariat, Mantripukhri and held a detailed review of the prevailing law and order situation in Manipur and deliberated on measures to further strengthen security arrangements.

The meeting was attended by Home Minister Konthoujam Govindas Singh, Chief Secretary Rajeev Singh Thakur, Security Advisor Kuldiep Singh, Manipur Director General of Police Mukesh Singh.

General Officer in Command (GOC) of 3 Corps, Lieutenant General Girish Kalia virtually attended the meeting.

AFFIDAVIT

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