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FROM THE DESK OF RESIDENT COMMISSIONER

Dear Readers,

On the joyous occasion of Holi, I extend my warm greetings to you and your families. May this festival of colours bring joy and renewed optimism to all. With this spirit, I present the March edition of Bihar Bhawan Newsletter, highlighting key developments in governance, public initiatives, cultural engagements, and Bihar's impactful presence at the India AI Impact Summit 2026.

The month passed by marked a historic milestone with the announcement of a ₹3.47 lakh crore Budget, laying down a strong roadmap for inclusive growth. Under the visionary leadership of Hon'ble Chief Minister Shri Nitish Kumar, development and welfare progressed together as appointment letters were distributed to newly appointed doctors, financial assistance was extended to women under the Mukhyamantri Rojgar Yojana, and subsidies were transferred to farmers under agricultural schemes.

Hon'ble Chief Minister Shri Nitish Kumar actively participated in key initiatives such as Bihar Police Week, Bihar Cancer Conclave, and inspections of major infrastructure projects.

February also witnessed strong industrial momentum. Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister and Industry Minister inaugurated units of JK Cement and the Coca-Cola bottling plant. Bihar's progressive policies were showcased at Destination Bihar Expo, women entrepreneurs were celebrated at Fagunotsav 2026, and the India AI Impact Summit. Bihar unveiled its Semiconductor Policy and incentive frameworks to promote Global Capability Centres (GCCs), along with subsidised capital expenditure provisions. The State Investment Promotion Board (SIPB) held its 111th meeting to review fresh proposals, while the Project Clearance Committee (PCC) cleared projects worth several hundred crore rupees.

The state also celebrated inspiring youth achievements. Shri Shubham Kumar became the first Indian to travel to all 197 countries on an Indian passport; another Shri Shubham Kumar secured 100 percentile in JEE Mains; and Ms. Ananya won Ms. India Women of Divinity 2026.

Bihar Foundation continued expanding its global outreach, with new chapters added to strengthen the Bihar community worldwide.

These developments reflect Bihar's continued progress across sectors.

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Hon'ble Governor addresses joint session of both houses of the Bihar legislature

Patna, February 2: Hon'ble Governor Shri Arif Mohammed Khan addressed a joint session of both Houses and said that an atmosphere of social harmony and communal goodwill exists in the State.

During his speech, Hon'ble Governor said that the Government is working for all sections of society. He said that Bihar has set a target of creating more than one crore jobs in the next five years. He also said that the Government is strengthening police force to maintain law and order. Vehicles and necessary resources are being provided to the police in a timely manner.



Speaking about the health sector, he said that the number of government medical college hospitals in the state has increased from six to twelve. He added that new medical colleges are being set up in the remaining 27 districts and will be completed soon.

Referring to Mukhyamantri Mahila Rozgar Yojana, Hon'ble Governor said that one woman from each household has been given financial assistance of ₹10,000 for employment. He added that women whose businesses perform well will also receive additional financial support of up to ₹2 lakh.

Bihar highlights @ Energy Power Electrical Expo



Surat, February 6: Hon'ble Governor of Bihar, Shri Arif Mohammed Khan, inaugurated Energy Power Electrical Expo at Surat International Exhibition and Convention Centre in Sarsana. The expo is being held under the theme 'Powering the Future – Today', with a focus on green energy, smart infrastructure and the vision of Atmanirbhar Bharat.

Bihar Budget 2026–27: A record ₹3.47 lakh crore roadmap for inclusive growth



February 3, Patna: Hon'ble Finance Minister of Bihar, Shri Bijendra Prasad Yadav presented a historic Budget of ₹3,47,589.76 crore in Bihar Legislative Assembly for the financial year 2026–27. The Budget has been framed under the vision of 'Saat Nischay-3', focusing on inclusive development, employment generation, education, women empowerment, agriculture, infrastructure, and welfare of the common people.

Budget Overview & Fiscal Highlights

- **Total Budget Size:** ₹3,47,589.76 crore – the highest ever in Bihar's history.
- **Increase Over 2025–26:** Approx. ₹30,694 crore increase.
- **Revenue & Committed Expenditure:** ₹2,25,434 crore (about 65%).
- **Capital Expenditure:** ₹63,455.84 crore (approximately 18.26%).
- **Plan Expenditure:** ₹1,22,155 crore (about 35%).
- **Fiscal Deficit:** Estimated at approximately 2.99% of GSDP.
- **Long-Term Target under Saat Nischay-3:**
 - Doubling per capita income
 - Creation of 1 crore employment opportunities by 2030

Education

- ₹68,216 crore allocation (highest among all sectors)
- Focus on school education, teacher support, infrastructure, and improved learning outcomes
- Establishment of Model Schools in every Panchayat

Women Empowerment & Social Welfare

- Support for 1.56 crore women through Self-Help Groups and welfare initiatives
- ₹7,724 crore for schemes benefiting women, children, elderly, and weaker sections
- Under Mukhyamantri Mahila Rozgar Yojana, eligible women to receive financial assistance up to ₹2 lakh

Agriculture & Farmers

- Under Jananayak Karpoori Thakur Kisan Samman Nidhi, annual assistance increased to ₹9,000 per eligible farmer (₹3,000 hike)

Employment & Skills

- Target of 1 crore employment opportunities by 2030
- Skill Development Centres to be established under a Hub-and-Spoke model for employment-oriented training

Infrastructure & Connectivity

- Announcement of five new expressways
- Strengthening of road networks and urban infrastructure
- Development of airports and expansion of regional air connectivity

Health Sector Strengthening

- Upgradation of hospitals and expansion of medical facilities
- Increased bed capacity at PMCH
- Establishment of new medical colleges in additional districts

Industry & Investment

- New Industrial Policy to attract large-scale investment
- Measures to draw private investments up to ₹50 crore
- Revival of closed sugar mills under Industrial Support Mission

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Hon'ble Chief Minister distributes appointment letters to 1,224 newly appointed doctors

Patna, 07 February 2026: Hon'ble Chief Minister Shri Nitish Kumar distributed appointment letters to 1,224 newly appointed specialist and general medical officers at a programme organised by the Health Department at Urja Auditorium. On the occasion, Hon'ble Chief Minister symbolically handed over appointment letters to selected doctors. Congratulating the newly appointed doctors, he expressed confidence that they would discharge their responsibilities with dedication and commitment. He said that the state government is continuously working to strengthen Bihar's healthcare system and improve medical services.



₹2,500 crore transferred to 25 lakh women under Mukhyamantri Mahila Rozgar Yojana



Patna, 16 February 2026: Hon'ble Chief Minister Shri Nitish Kumar transferred ₹2,500 crore to the bank accounts of 25 lakh beneficiary women under Mukhyamantri Mahila Rozgar Yojana. The amount was released at the rate of ₹10,000 per beneficiary through direct benefit transfer from 'Sankalp Sabhagar' at 1 Aney Marg. With this latest transfer, a total of ₹18,100 crore has now been credited to the accounts of 1 crore 81 lakh women across the state. Earlier, ₹15,600 crore had already been transferred to 1 crore 56 lakh beneficiaries under the scheme.

Over ₹113 crore transferred to more than two lakh farmers under agricultural input subsidy scheme



Patna, 21 February 2026: Hon'ble Chief Minister Shri Nitish Kumar transferred over ₹113 crore to the bank accounts of more than two lakh affected farmers under the Agricultural Input Subsidy Scheme. The amount was released through direct benefit transfer (DBT) from 'Sankalp Sabhagar' at 1 Aney Marg. The assistance has been provided to farmers whose crops were damaged due to floods caused by excessive rainfall and the Moantha storm in 2025. A total of 2,02,000 farmers received ₹113.16 crore directly into their bank accounts as compensation for crop loss.

In 2025, heavy rainfall and flooding impacted 13 districts – Begusarai, Bhojpur, Darbhanga, Gaya, Kaimur, Kishanganj, Madhepura, Madhubani, Muzaffarpur, East Champaran, Sheohar, Sitamarhi, and Supaul – affecting 53 blocks and 493 panchayats. Applications were received online by the Agriculture Department and verified by the respective district administrations before the transfer of funds.

Director of Space Applications Centre, ISRO, calls on Hon'ble Chief Minister Shri Nitish Kumar

Patna, 17 February 2026: Director of the Space Applications Centre (SAC), Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO), Shri Nilesh M. Desai, paid a courtesy call on Hon'ble Chief Minister Shri Nitish Kumar. The meeting was held in the chamber of Chairman of Bihar Legislative Council, Shri Awadhesh Narayan Singh. Hon'ble Chief Minister Shri Nitish Kumar welcomed Shri Nilesh M. Desai with a bouquet, while Shri Desai presented a memento as a mark of respect.



Hon'ble Chief Minister Shri Nitish Kumar attends Bihar Police Week 2026 parade and awards ceremony



Patna, 24 February 2026: Hon'ble Chief Minister Shri Nitish Kumar attended the combined parade and annual awards distribution ceremony organised on the occasion of Bihar Police Week 2026 at Mithilesh Stadium, Bihar Special Armed Police-5. On the occasion, he inspected the ceremonial march past and took the salute. A total of eight contingents participated in the parade, including the Special Task Force (Patna), Bihar Special Armed Police (Gorkha Battalion), Bihar Anti-Riot Squad, Bihar Swabhiman Special Armed Force, Bihar Special Armed Police, and Women Battalion, Sasaram.

Hon'ble CM inaugurates Bihar Cancer Conclave 2026



Patna, 21 February 2026: Hon'ble Chief Minister Shri Nitish Kumar inaugurated Bihar Cancer Conclave 2026 by lighting the ceremonial lamp at Hotel Taj, Buddha Marg. The **two-day conclave**, held on February 21 and 22, brought together eminent doctors and medical experts from across the country. The event featured detailed discussions on advancements in cancer diagnosis, treatment protocols, and the latest patient care services. It also focused on spreading awareness about cancer prevention and early detection across Bihar.

Large-scale projects reaffirm investor confidence



Major industrial investments inaugurated in Buxar

The state witnessed a major industrial milestone with the inauguration of a ₹512-crore grinding unit by **JK Cement Ltd in the Brahmapur Industrial Area, Buxar**. The new facility spans nearly 96 acres and will produce cement to meet growing demand within Bihar and neighbouring regions. The project is expected to generate direct and indirect employment opportunities and contribute to improved availability of construction materials across eastern India. The investment also reflects Bihar's strengthening position as a destination for large-scale industrial development.



New beverage bottling plant boosts manufacturing

On the same day, SLMG Beverages Private Limited, a franchisee of Coca-Cola Company, inaugurated a new **₹1,200-crore Coca-Cola bottling plant in Nawanagar, Buxar** district. Sprawling across 65 acres, the facility is equipped to produce a large volume of cold-drink products, enhancing local supply and reducing dependency on out-of-state bottling operations.



Fagunotsav 2026 showcases rising women entrepreneurship in Bihar

Fagunotsav 2026, organised by Bihar Women Industrial Association, celebrated the growing strength of women-led enterprises across the state. The fair was inaugurated by Hon'ble Minister of Industries, Government of Bihar, Dr. Dilip Kumar Jaiswal. In his address, he said that the fair is not merely an exhibition, but a living example of the self-reliance, entrepreneurial spirit, and leadership of Bihar's women. He emphasised that such initiatives provide women entrepreneurs with market access, networking opportunities, and renewed motivation, strengthening their journey toward economic empowerment.



The event brought together women-led enterprises from diverse sectors, offering them a platform to showcase products, build business linkages, and expand their reach.

Udyog Varta strengthens industry-government dialogue in Bihar



The Government of Bihar held a session of Udyog Varta on February 12, reinforcing its commitment to proactive industry engagement and investor facilitation. The meeting was chaired by the Chief Secretary of Bihar, Pratyaya Amrit, and brought together entrepreneurs, industry representatives, and senior officials for structured discussions on industrial development.

Destination Bihar Expo highlights investment potential



On February 27, Shri Kundan Kumar, Secretary, Industries Department-cum-Managing Director, BIADA & IDA, graced Destination Bihar Expo 2026, organised by the Bihar Industries Association (BIA), as the Chief Guest and inaugurated the Industries & BIADA Pavilion. Addressing entrepreneurs, industrialists, and members of the Association, he emphasised that Bihar is emerging as one of India's most promising investment destinations, driven by a positive governance approach and progressive, forward-looking industrial policies. Department of Industries and BIADA Pavilion showcased Bihar's industrial strength, policy framework, and infrastructure readiness.

11th SIPB meeting reviews major investment proposals

On February 11, the 11th meeting of State Investment Promotion Board (SIPB) was held to review fresh investment proposals and strengthen Bihar's industrial expansion strategy. The meeting assessed projects across sectors and focused on facilitating faster approvals and streamlined support for investors.



Committee reviews proposals to support new entrepreneurs in Bihar

On February 12, 2026, a Selection Committee meeting was held under the chairmanship of Shri Kundan Kumar, Secretary, Department of Industries, to select beneficiaries under Chief Minister's Entrepreneurial Scheme for the financial year 2025-26. Shri Aman Sameer, Director - MSME and member of the Selection Committee, was present during the meeting along with other officials. The committee reviewed applications in detail to ensure transparent and merit-based selection of beneficiaries.



Bihar Amnesty policy extended: Bihar opens doors for revival of closed industries

Under BIADA Amnesty Policy 2025, the State has lent a helping hand to closed or disputed industrial units to restart their operations. The policy was earlier set to end on 31 December 2025 but has now been extended until 31 March 2026 so more businesses can benefit.

This policy is run by **Bihar Industrial Area Development Authority (BIADA)**. It gives industries that were closed, stalled or facing disputes a chance to sort out their issues and start working again.

Under this policy:

- Industries can apply to revive their units and clear legal or other problems.
- Government approval normally comes quickly, in about three to seven working days.
- The fee to use this scheme is just 1% of the land plot rate.



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बंद उद्योगों को फिर से चालू करने के लिए नया अवसर

बिहार औद्योगिक क्षेत्र विकास प्राधिकार (BIADA) ने औद्योगिक विकास को नई दिशा देने हेतु "बियाडा एमनेस्टी पॉलिसी, 2025" जारी की है। इसका उद्देश्य रद्द किए गए औद्योगिक प्लॉटों पर चल रहे विवादों को सुलझाना, बंद/आंशिक-क्रियाशील इकाइयों को पुनर्जीवित करना तथा बिहार में औद्योगिकीकरण और रोजगार सृजन को बढ़ावा देना है।



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नीति के प्रमुख लाभ:

- ✓ यह नीति एकमुश्त (One Time) अवसर है, जिसका लाभ 31 मार्च 2026 तक लिया जा सकता है
- ✓ यह नीति उन सभी आवंटियों के लिए लागू होगी जो स्वेच्छा से इसका लाभ प्राप्त करना चाहते हैं
- ✓ सभी लाभुकों को नए उद्यमियों की तरह उद्योग स्थापित/पुनर्जीवित करने का अवसर मिलेगा
- ✓ उद्यमी योजनांतर्गत लाभुक खुद उद्यम चला सकते हैं, अथवा
- ✓ उत्पाद में परिवर्तन/ट्रांसफर कर सकते हैं

मुख्य प्रावधान:

- ✓ **पात्रता:** सभी रद्द इकाइयाँ (सिवाय उन मामलों के जहाँ तीसरे पक्ष को भूमि आवंटित की जा चुकी है)
- ✓ **आवेदन प्रक्रिया:** इकाइयाँ शपथ पत्र, आवश्यक दस्तावेज़ और शुल्क के साथ ऑनलाइन/ऑफ़लाइन आवेदन करेंगी।
- ✓ BIADA 3 कार्य दिवस में सैद्धांतिक स्वीकृति देगा।
- ✓ इसके बाद आवेदक को लंबित न्यायालय मामलों को वापस लेना होगा तथा BIADA के शुल्क को भरना होगा।
- ✓ आवेदक की सभी औपचारिकताएँ पूरी होने पर BIADA द्वारा 7 कार्य दिवस में अंतिम स्वीकृति दी जाएगी।



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शुल्क एवं चार्जेंज:

- ✓ **प्रशासनिक शुल्क:** इकाई को भूखण्ड दर का 1 प्रतिशत प्रशासनिक शुल्क दे देना होगा

PCC meetings drive major land allotments and investment approvals in Bihar

Bihar Industrial Area Development Authority (BIADA), through its Project Clearance Committee (PCC), advanced Bihar's industrial growth agenda during its meetings held on **February 10 and February 24**. The back-to-back decisions led to substantial land allotments, fresh investments, and new employment opportunities across the state.

At the **PCC meeting on February 10**, 13 industrial units were allotted land and plug-and-play sheds across different industrial areas, covering a total area of 11.52 acres. The approved proposals are expected to attract a cumulative investment of ₹139.57 crore and generate approximately 1,010 employment opportunities.

The momentum continued at the **February 24 PCC meeting**, where Shri Kundan Kumar, Secretary, Industries Department-cum-Managing Director, BIADA and IDA, approved the allotment of 10.05 acres of land along with plug-and-play sheds to 14 industrial units across the state. The approvals were spread across multiple industrial areas, further expanding Bihar's industrial footprint.

To ensure transparency and fairness, open bidding was conducted for plots that received multiple applications. This competitive process reinforced BIADA's commitment to merit-based, transparent, and efficient land allocation.

The newly approved units span a wide range of sectors, including textiles, soft toys, electronic system design and manufacturing (ESDM), food processing, electric equipment, pharmaceuticals, plastics, green energy, and general manufacturing. This sectoral diversity supports balanced and sustainable industrial growth, reducing overdependence on any single industry while encouraging innovation and value addition.



MEET & GREET

Strengthening Bihar's energy sector

Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister of Bihar, Shri Samrat Choudhary, Hon'ble Minister of Industries, Dr. Dilip Jaiswal, Hon'ble JD(U) Working President Shri Sanjay Jha and Secretary, Department of Industries, Shri Kundan Kumar called on Hon'ble Union Minister for Petroleum and Natural Gas, Shri Hardeep Singh Puri, in New Delhi for a courtesy meeting and meaningful discussion.



The meeting focused on strengthening Bihar's energy sector, expanding gas pipeline projects, developing modern energy infrastructure, and addressing key issues related to public welfare. The discussions were positive and forward-looking, aimed at accelerating Bihar's overall development, industrial growth, and progress toward energy self-reliance.

Strengthening industrial ties with Shyam Steel

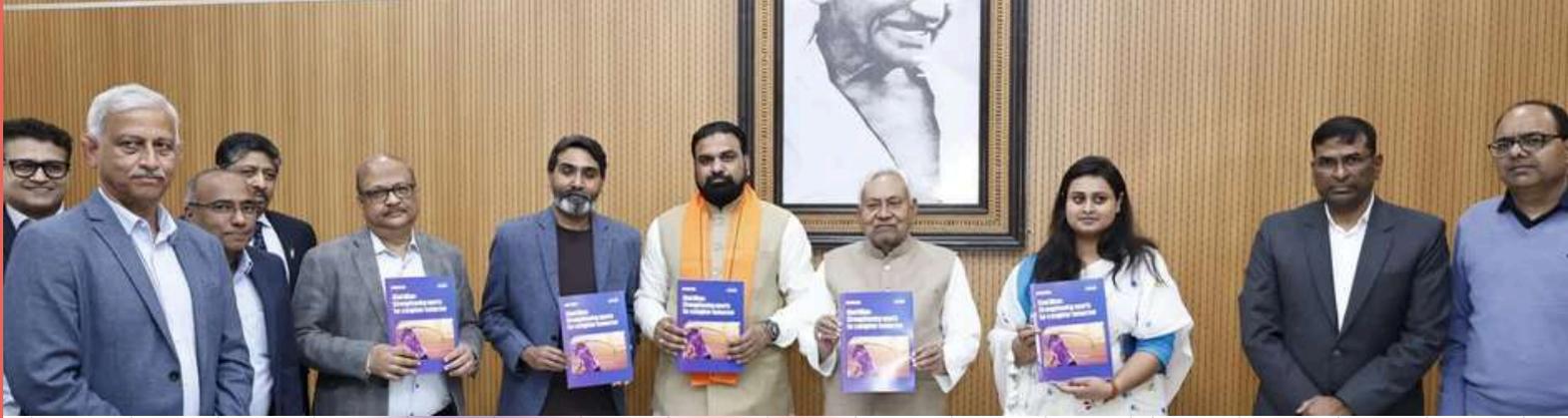
Shri Kundan Kumar, Secretary, Department of Industries-cum-Managing Director of BIADA and IDA, met Managing Director of Shyam Steel to further strengthen Bihar's industrial ecosystem. During the interaction, Shyam Steel expressed strong interest in investing in Bihar, particularly in paint and steel manufacturing. The discussion highlighted Bihar's growing reputation as an industry-friendly destination and its readiness to welcome new investments that can generate employment and accelerate economic growth.



Engaging with Tiger Analytics on technology-driven growth

Shri Kundan Kumar, Secretary, Department of Industries and Managing Director of BIADA and IDA, met representatives from Tiger Analytics to discuss Bihar's expanding industrial landscape and investment potential. The meeting underscored the state's transition toward state-of-the-art, technology-driven, and globally competitive infrastructure aligned with modern industry standards, reinforcing Bihar's vision for innovation-led industrial development.

Bihar selected as best state promoting sports at Sports Star Aces Awards 2026



Bihar has been selected as the Best State Promoting Sports at the Sports Star Aces Awards 2026, earning national recognition for its consistent progress in sports development. A Sports Star Aces delegation paid a courtesy visit to Hon'ble Chief Minister Shri Nitish Kumar to share the announcement. The delegation noted that the initiatives undertaken under his leadership to strengthen sports infrastructure and promote athletic talent are being widely appreciated at the national level. Bihar's steady advancement in sports development was acknowledged by the national jury.

Shri Vaibhav Suryavanshi receives ₹50 lakh award for outstanding performance @ U-19 World Cup



Patna, 22 February 2026: Hon'ble Chief Minister Shri Nitish Kumar felicitated Shri Vaibhav Suryavanshi at 'Sankalp Sabhagar' in 1 Aney Marg for his outstanding performance in the ICC Under-19 Cricket World Cup 2026, where India emerged victorious. He presented Shri Suryavanshi with a cheque of ₹50 lakh and an angavastram in recognition of his achievement. Congratulating him, Hon'ble Chief Minister Shri Nitish Kumar said that Shri Vaibhav Suryavanshi played an important role in India's Under-19 World Cup triumph and brought pride to Bihar through his dedication and talent. He described him as a new hope for Indian cricket and expressed confidence that he would create new milestones for the country in the future.

Tourism department highlights Bihar as an ideal destination at SATTE 2026

Bihar Tourism Department participated at SATTE 2026 – South Asia's leading travel and tourism exhibition – held at Yashobhoomi Convention Centre in New Delhi. The event brought together tourism boards, travel professionals, buyers, and industry experts from India and abroad, providing a premier platform for destination promotion.

At SATTE, Tourism Department showcased Bihar's rich and diverse tourism offerings – including its cultural, religious, heritage, and eco-tourism destinations such as Bodh Gaya, Nalanda, Vaishali, Rajgir, Patna and other notable sites – to a global audience of travel buyers and representatives from countries across Asia and beyond.

Bihar's pavilion highlighted the state's unique blend of history, spirituality, and natural beauty, reinforcing its appeal as an ideal tourist destination with something on offer for all types of travellers. Tourism stakeholders received detailed information on Bihar's tourism products and infrastructure readiness, helping to generate new interest, partnerships, and visibility on an international stage.



From Munger to the world: Shri Shubham Kumar visits all 197 countries

Shri Shubham Kumar from Munger has achieved a remarkable global milestone by visiting all 197 sovereign countries of the world. He has become the youngest Indian and Asian to travel every nation on an Indian passport. His extraordinary journey stands as an inspiring example of determination and ambition.



Shri Shubham Kumar from Gaya scores 100 percentile in JEE Main



Shri Shubham Kumar from Gaya secured a perfect 100 percentile in JEE Main, finishing among the top three candidates in India and emerging as the topper from Bihar.

General Category toppers and their NTA Score (in ascending order of Application No.) for Paper 1 (B.E. / B.Tech.) are as under:

S. No.	Category	Application No	Name of Candidate	State of Eligibility (State of passing/ appearing 12th Class)	NTA Score
1	General	260310038881	SHREYAS MISHRA	DELHI (NCT)	100.0000000
2	General	260310164042	SHUBHAM KUMAR	BIHAR	100.0000000
3	General	260310215465	KABEER CHHILLAR	RAJASTHAN	100.0000000
4	General	260310220953	CHIRANJIB KAR	RAJASTHAN	100.0000000

Ms Ananya Raj wins Ms. India Women of Divinity 2026 title

Ms Ananya Raj from Bihar has won Ms. India Women of Divinity 2026 title, impressing audiences with a powerful tribute to her cultural roots. Her performance beautifully celebrated Bihar's heritage, blending tradition, confidence, and grace on the national stage.



Belgium chapter hosts “Road to Entrepreneurship”



February 6: Bihar Foundation Belgium Chapter organised its “Road to Entrepreneurship” event at Schaerbeek, Belgium. More than 125 aspiring entrepreneurs, freelancers, and professionals attended the event. Participants gained valuable insights into Belgian residential and economic regulations, self-employment opportunities, and the growing impact of artificial intelligence on the future of work. The event reinforced the chapter’s commitment to supporting professional growth and entrepreneurship within the community.

Oman chapter showcases Bihari cuisine @ Muscat Fest



February 9: Oman Chapter of Bihar Foundation, with the support of Indian Embassy in Muscat, hosted a dedicated Bihari food stall at **Muscat Festival**. The initiative received an overwhelming response from the international community and the Indian diaspora. Visitors enjoyed authentic Bihari delicacies, including the iconic Litti Chokha, strengthening cultural outreach through cuisine.

Sikkim chapter celebrates first foundation day

February 23: Shri Ganga Prasad Chaurasia, Former Governor of Sikkim, officially unveiled the ‘Smarika Pustak’ at the First Foundation Day celebration of the Sikkim Chapter of Bihar Foundation. The event marked an important milestone for the chapter, highlighting its commitment to strengthening community bonds and promoting Bihar’s cultural and social heritage in the region.



Bihar Foundation Japan strengthens cultural ties with Indian Embassy

February 24: Shri Anand Vijay, President of Bihar Foundation Japan, paid a courtesy visit to Her Excellency Ms. Nagma Mallick, Ambassador of India to Japan. The discussion focused on taking Bihar Museum to the international stage and promoting Bihar's Buddhist Circuit among Japanese tourists. HE suggested organising a special cultural workshop to further deepen cultural engagement between the two countries and strengthen tourism linkages.

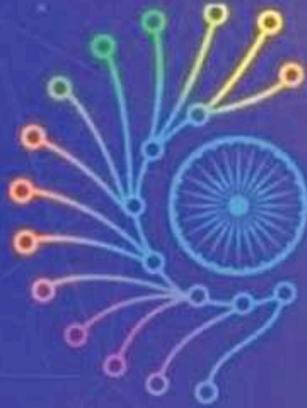


Bihar Foundation Bangkok hosts "Raga & Rhythm" cultural evening



February 9: Bihar Foundation Bangkok, in collaboration with Indian Embassy, Divine Yoga, and Suriyasom, successfully organised "Raga & Rhythm" on February 7. The evening featured soulful renditions of traditional mantras and bhajans, celebrating India's rich musical and spiritual heritage. The programme served as a vibrant platform for cultural exchange, bringing the community together through the timeless beauty of classical ragas.

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Department of Information Technology, in close coordination with the team of Bihar Bhawan, participated in India AI Impact Summit held at Bharat Mandapam, New Delhi. A dedicated Bihar Pavilion was set up to showcase the state's AI-driven initiatives and the rapid technological advancements taking place across sectors.

The pavilion was inaugurated by Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister Shri Samrat Choudhary, Hon'ble Minister of Industries Shri Dilip Jaiswal, Hon'ble Minister, Department of Information Technology, Ms. Shreyasi Singh, Hon'ble Member of Parliament (Rajya Sabha) Shri Sanjay Jha, and Hon'ble Union Minister Shri Rajiv Ranjan Singh (Lalan Singh). The participation reflected Bihar's strong commitment to innovation, digital governance, and technology-led growth.



Government of Bihar achieved a significant milestone by signing Memorandums of Understanding (MoUs) worth ₹468 crore with Indian Institute of Technology Patna and Tiger Analytics for key technology projects and investments. On the occasion, unveiling of Bihar GCC Policy 2026 and Bihar Semiconductor Policy 2026 marked a strategic leap toward positioning Bihar as the emerging Tech Hub of Eastern India.



WHAT PEOPLE SAY ABOUT SERVICES AT BIHAR BHAWAN



नेहा

मैं बिहार के सारन की निवासी हूँ। मैं आरटीपीएस अपना जाति प्रमाण पत्र बनवाने के लिए आई थी। आरटीपीएस के लोग काफी मददगार हैं। मेरा सारा कार्य अच्छे कर दिया गया और उम्मीद है कि मेरा सर्टिफिकेट भी जल्दी बन जाएगा। इस मदद के लिए मैं बिहार सरकार का आभार व्यक्त करती हूँ।

पंकज साह

मैं बिहार के भागलपुर का रहने वाला हूँ। मैं यहां जाति और आय प्रमाण पत्र बनवाने के लिए आया था। आरटीपीएस कर्मियों का सहयोग सराहनीय है। संबंधित अप्लाई फार्म भरने में भी पूरी मदद करते हैं। ऐसी सर्विस से मुझे काफी खुशी हुई है। जिन लोगों को भी मदद की जरूरत है। वह यहां जरूर आएँ, यहां के लोग उनका पूरा सहयोग करने के लिए बैठे हैं।



चंदन कुमार

मैं बिहार के वैशाली जिले के गांव सुमेरगंज का रहने वाला हूँ। मैं यहां जाति और आवासीय प्रमाण पत्र बनवाने के लिए बिहार भवन दिल्ली आया था। बिहार भवन के आरटीपीएस के लोग काफी हेल्पफुल हैं। इन्होंने उनकी काफी मदद की। यहां की सर्विस से मैं बहुत संतुष्ट हूँ। मेरा काम काफी अच्छे से हो गया।



सलामत अंसारी

मैं बिहार के समस्तीपुर का रहने वाला हूँ। मैं ओबीसी सर्टिफिकेट बनवाने के लिए बिहार भवन आया था। आरटीपीएस के लोगों का सहयोग बहुत ही सराहनीय है। मेरा सारा कार्य बहुत अच्छे से कर दिया गया। दिल्ली में दी जा रही इस प्रकार की सेवा के लिए मैं मुख्यमंत्री जी का भी आभार व्यक्त करता हूँ।



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