

# PRIMA AGRO LIMITED



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21<sup>st</sup> October, 2023

To

**Stock Code: BSE: 519262**  
**ISIN: INE297D01018**

BSE Limited  
Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers,  
Dalal Street, Fort,  
Mumbai-400 023

Dear Sir/Madam,

**Sub: Submission of Copies of Newspaper advertisement- Extract of Unaudited Financial Results for the Second Quarter and Half Year ended September 30, 2023.**

Pursuant to Regulations 30 and 47 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, we enclose herewith the public notice of the Extract of Unaudited Financial Results for the quarter and half year ended 30.09.2023, published in the following newspapers:

1. Financial Express, in English language dated October 21, 2023;
2. Janayugam, in Regional Language (Malayalam) dated October 21, 2023;

This is for your information and records.

Thanking you

Yours faithfully,  
For **Prima Agro Limited**

**V. R. Sadasivan Pillai**  
**Company Secretary and Compliance Officer**  
**Membership Number: A18409**

**EAST COAST RAILWAY**

File No. DRM/Engg/KUR/23-24/ E-Tender/93, Dt. 16.10.2023

(1) Tender No. e-Tender-CENTKUR-292-2023, Dtd.: 12.10.2023

**DESCRIPTION :** CLEANING OF INTAKE WELL, MAKING CHANNEL IN RIVER FOR WATER IN WELL AND PIPELINE REPAIR OF BRAHMANI PUMP HOUSE FOR ADEQUATE WATER SUPPLY TO TALCHER RAILWAY SETTLEMENT UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF ASSISTANT DIVISIONAL ENGINEER / DHENKANAL OF KHURDA ROAD DIVISION.

Approx. Cost of the Work : ₹ 55.49 Lakh, EMD : ₹ 1,11,000/-

(2) Tender No. e-Tender-CENTKUR-304-2023, Dtd.: 12.10.2023

**DESCRIPTION :** MISCELLANEOUS BRIDGE REPAIR WORKS SUCH AS STRENGTHENING OF MAJOR AND IMPORTANT BRIDGE APPROACHES, DESTILTING, REPAIRS TO PROTECTION WALL, GUIDE WALL, CURTAIN WALL, DROP WALL, EXPOSED REINFORCEMENT AREA, BOULDER PITCHING AND STONE PITCHING OF PIER, EPOXY PLASTER, GROUTING, JUNGLE CLEANING ETC. UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF ASSISTANT DIVISIONAL ENGINEER / BHUBANESWAR OF KHURDA ROAD DIVISION.

Approx. Cost of the Work : ₹ 297.47 Lakh, EMD : ₹ 2,98,700/-

(3) Tender No. e-Tender-SPLKUR-305-2023, Dtd.: 13.10.2023

**DESCRIPTION :** EXECUTION OF PRELIMINARY ACTIVITIES LIKE GEO-TECHNICAL INVESTIGATION, DESIGN AND PREPARATION OF GAD ETC. FOR PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION OF ROAD OVER BRIDGES IN LIEU OF LEVEL CROSSING NO.124, 133, 150, 157, 161, 167A & ST-100 OVER BHADRAK - PALASA UNDER KHURDA ROAD DIVISION OF EAST COAST RAILWAY.

Approx. Cost of the Work : ₹ 125.40 Lakh, EMD : ₹ 2,12,700/-

(4) Tender No. e-Tender-SPLKUR-306-2023, Dtd.: 13.10.2023

**DESCRIPTION :** EXECUTION OF PRELIMINARY ACTIVITIES LIKE GEO-TECHNICAL INVESTIGATION, DESIGN AND PREPARATION OF GAD ETC. FOR PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION OF ROAD OVER BRIDGES IN LIEU OF LEVEL CROSSING NO.195, 209, 227, 237, 242, 244, 255, 261, 314 & KP-9 OVER BHADRAK-PALASA UNDER KHURDA ROAD DIVISION OF EAST COAST RAILWAY.

Approx. Cost of the Work : ₹ 101.72 Lakh, EMD : ₹ 2,00,900/-

Completion Period : 12 (Twelve) Months (for Sl. No.1 & 2), 06 (Six) Months (for Sl. No.3 & 4).

Tender Closing Date and Time : At 1500 Hrs. of 03.11.2023 (for all the Tenders).

No manual offers sent by Post / Courier/ Fax or in person shall be accepted against such e-tenders even if these are submitted on firm's letter head and received in time. All such manual offers shall be considered invalid and shall be rejected summarily without any consideration.

Complete information including e-tender documents of the above e-tender is available in website : <https://www.irops.gov.in>

Note : The prospective tenderers are advised to visit the website 10 (Ten) days before the date of closing of tender to note any changes / corrigenda issued for this tender. The tenderers/bidders must have Class-III Digital Signature Certificate and must be registered on IREPS Portal. Only registered tenderer/ bidder can participate on e-tendering.

Divisional Railway Manager (Engg) / PR-689/O/23-24 / Khurda Road

**PRIMA AGRO LIMITED**  
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**Extracts of Un-audited Financial results for the quarter and half year ended 30th September, 2023**

Particulars	SECURITY CODE- 519262 (Figures in Million except for EPS)					
	Quarter Ended			Year Ended		
	30/9/2023	30/6/2023	30/9/2022	30/9/2023	30/9/2022	31/3/2023
Type	Un-Audited	Un-Audited	Un-Audited	Un-Audited	Un-Audited	Audited
Months	3	3	3	6	6	12
Operating Income	33.28	35.26	34.51	66.54	72.52	137.77
Other Income	0.61	0.52	0.91	1.13	1.26	8.88
Total Income (1+2)	33.89	35.78	35.42	67.67	73.78	146.65
Profit before tax	5.55	7.45	4.27	13	12.36	24.88
Tax	1.54	2.07	1.24	3.61	3.67	6.09
Net Profit	4.01	5.38	3.03	9.39	8.69	18.79
Paid up equity share capital(No. of Shares) (Face value per share Rs.10 each)	5.195	5.195	5.195	5.195	5.195	5.195
Basic and Diluted EPS before Extraordinary items	1.07	1.43	0.82	2.50	2.38	4.71
Basic and Diluted EPS after Extraordinary items	0.77	1.04	0.58	1.81	1.67	3.62

Notes:  
1. The above financial results have been reviewed by the Audit Committee and approved by the Board of Directors at their respective meetings held on 20.10.2023 and have reviewed by the Statutory Auditors of the Company.  
2. The above results have been prepared in accordance with the principles and procedures of Ind-AS as notified under the Companies Act, 2013.  
3. The above is an extract of the detailed format of Financial Results filed with the Stock Exchange under Regulation 33 of the Securities Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015. The full format of the financial results are available on the stock exchange website ([www.bseindia.com](http://www.bseindia.com)) and Company's web site ([www.primaagro.in](http://www.primaagro.in))  
4. There is no exceptional and extraordinary item to report for the above period.  
5. Previous Quarter/Year figures have been regrouped/ reclassified and rearranged wherever necessary to make them comparable.  
6. The EPS is calculated before considering Preference Share dividend.

For Prima Agro Limited  
S.K.Gupta  
Chairman & Managing Director  
DIN: 00248760

Cochin  
28.10.2023

**pnb Housing Finance Limited**

Regd. Office : 9th Floor, Antriksh Bhawan, 22, K.G. Marg, New Delhi-110001, Ph : 011-23357171, 23357172, 23705414, Website : [www.pnbhousing.com](http://www.pnbhousing.com)

**POSSESSION NOTICE (FOR IMMOVABLE PROPERTY)**

Branch Office: F1, KEK Tower, First Floor, Opp. To Trivandrum Development Authority, Vazhuthacaud, Trivandrum-695010  
Branch Office: 1st Floor, R P Arcade, Adjacent to Gold Souk Mall, Near Railway Overbridge, Ponnuruni, Vytilla, Cochin 682019

Whereas the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the PNB Housing Finance Ltd. under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets & in compliance of Rule 8(1) of Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued demand notice on the date mentioned against each account calling upon the respective borrowers to repay the amount as mentioned against each account within 60 days from the date of notice(s) date of receipt of the said notices. The borrower/s having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower/s and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property/ies described herein below in exercise powers conferred on him/her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 6 of the said Rules on the dates mentioned against each account.

The borrower/s in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property/ies and any dealing with the property/ies will be subject to the charge of PNB Housing Finance Ltd. for the amount and interest thereon as per loan agreement. The borrower/s attention is invited to provisions of Sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

S. No.	Loan Account No.	Name of the Borrower Co-Borrower Guarantor	Date of Demand Notice	Amount Outstanding	Date of Possession Taken	Description of the Property Mortgaged
1.	HOU/TRI/0117/346744 B.O.: TRIVANDRUM	Mr. Mash Das M & Mrs. Kaviya M S	21-04-2023	Rs. 28,75,067/- (Rupees Twenty Eight Lakhs Seventy Five Thousand Sixty Seven Only) as on 18-04-2023	18-10-2023 (Symbolic)	All that piece and parcel of the property having an extent of 3.25 Acres with building in Re Sy. No. 353/14-3-2 of Adichanalloor Grama Panchayath Limit, Adichanalloor Village, Kollam Taluk, Kottiyam Sub District, Kollam District.
2.	HOU/TRI/0918/576551 B.O.: TRIVANDRUM	Mr. Renjith.C & Ms. Subhadrayamma	15-09-2021	Rs. 18,72,847.54 (Rupees Eighteen Lakhs Seventy Two Thousand Eight Hundred Forty Seven and Fifty Four Paise Only) as on 15-09-2021	18-10-2023 (Symbolic)	All that piece and parcel of the property in Re Sy No 176/16, 175/18/2, 175/4/2/3, 175/19/2, Kareera Village, Kottarakkara Taluk, Kollam, Kerala -691505.
3.	HOU/TRI/0218/492439 B.O.: TRIVANDRUM	Mr. A.DILEEP & Mrs. MAYAVEE B	17-07-2019	Rs. 16,18,765.27/- (Rupees Sixteen Lakhs Eighteen Thousand Seven Hundred Sixty Five and Twenty Seven Paise Only) as on 17-07-2019.	18-10-2023 (Physical)	All that piece and parcel of the Property having an extent of 0.62 Acres in Re Sy No. 279/3/1, Karakulam Village, Nedumangadu Taluk, Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala -695564.
4.	HOU/COC/0221/860882 B.O.: COCHIN	Mrs. Jency P X & Mr. Antony Delin C.S.	17-08-2022	Rs. 34,71,510.42 (Rupees Thirty Four Lakhs Seventy One Thousand Five Hundred Ten and Forty Two Paise Only) as on 17-08-2022.	18-10-2023 (Physical)	All that piece and parcel of the Property having an Extent of 3.24 Acres in Re Sy No. 153/21, 153/20-2, Block No.7, Nayarambalam Village, Kochi Taluk, Nayarambalam, Ernakulam, Kerala -682501

PLACE: TRIVANDRUM, COCHIN, DATE:- 20-10-2023 AUTHORIZED OFFICER, PNB HOUSING FINANCE LTD.

**TINNA RUBBER AND INFRASTRUCTURE LIMITED**

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Website : [www.tinna.in](http://www.tinna.in), Email : [investor@tinna.in](mailto:investor@tinna.in), Telephone No.: 011-49518530 Fax no.: 011-26807073, CIN : L51909DL1987PLC027186

**INDIA'S Leading End of Life Tyre (ELT) Recycling Company**

**SALES UP BY 9% HY1 (YoY) STANDALONE**

**EBITDA UP BY 20% HY1 (YoY) STANDALONE**

**PAT UP BY 38% HY1 (YoY) STANDALONE**

**EPS Improve to 8.51 from 6.18 HY1 (YoY) STANDALONE**

**FOR THE QUARTER AND HALF YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2023**

S. No.	PARTICULARS	STANDALONE						CONSOLIDATED					
		Quarter Ended			Half Year Ended			Quarter Ended			Half Year Ended		
		30-Sep-23	30-Jun-23	30-Sep-22	30-Sep-23	30-Sep-22	31-Mar-23	30-Sep-23	30-Jun-23	30-Sep-22	30-Sep-23	30-Sep-22	31-Mar-23
		Unaudited	Unaudited	Unaudited	Unaudited	Unaudited	Audited	Unaudited	Unaudited	Unaudited	Unaudited	Unaudited	Audited
1.	Total Income from Operations	8,055.20	8,105.94	6,593.76	16,161.14	14,863.24	30,156.77	7,984.65	8,087.42	6,593.76	16,072.07	14,863.24	30,156.77
2.	Net profit/(loss) for the period (before Tax, Exceptional and/or Extraordinary items)	1,011.89	952.33	611.59	1,964.22	1,428.62	2,818.46	983.03	908.12	611.59	1,891.15	1,428.62	2,816.75
3.	Net profit/(Loss) for the period before tax (after Exceptional and/or Extraordinary items)	1,011.89	952.33	611.59	1,964.22	1,428.62	2,818.46	983.03	908.12	611.59	1,891.15	1,428.62	2,816.75
4.	Net profit/(loss) for the period after Tax (after Exceptional and/or Extraordinary items)	755.77	701.78	455.08	1,457.55	1,058.00	2,126.04	761.79	705.09	420.18	1,466.88	1,034.25	2,179.93
5.	Total Comprehensive Income for the period (comprising profit/(loss) for the period (after tax) and other comprehensive income (after Tax)	759.86	705.88	455.28	1,465.74	1,058.51	2,142.43	766.27	709.58	420.38	1,475.86	1,035.14	2,197.88
6.	Equity Share Capital (Face value of Rs. 10 each)	1,712.96	856.48	856.48	1,712.96	856.48	856.48	1,712.96	856.48	856.48	1,712.96	856.48	856.48
7.	Other Equity						9,033.59						8,741.95
8.	Earning Per Share(face value of Rs 10/- each share) (for continuing & discontinued operation)												
(a)	Basic	4.41	4.10	2.66	8.51	6.18	12.41	4.45	4.12	2.45	8.56	6.04	12.73
(b)	Diluted	4.41	4.10	2.66	8.51	6.18	12.41	4.45	4.12	2.45	8.56	6.04	12.73

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2. The above results have been reviewed by the Audit Committee on 20th October, 2023 and approved by the Board of Directors at its meeting held on 20th October, 2023 and statutory Auditor has carried out limited review of the same.

Place : New Delhi  
Date : 20th October, 2023

FOR TINNA RUBBER AND INFRASTRUCTURE LIMITED  
Director

**SBI CHENNAI CIRCLE**

Rana Ashutosh Kumar Singh, Deputy Managing Director (Transaction Banking & New Initiatives), SBI, along with Ravi Ranjan, Chief General Manager, SBI Chennai Circle, handed over Cheque for Rs.30.00 Lakhs at Local Head Office, Chennai to Dr. Shanthimalar, Director of Medical Education and Research, Tamil Nadu as part of sponsoring International Medical Conference organized by Directorate of Medical Education & Research. The event was attended by Dr. Shanmugapriya, State Nodal Officer, Directorate of Medical Education & Research and other Senior Executives from SBI.



**AWARD—VIT-AP UNIVERSITY**

Students from VIT-AP University displayed their martial arts prowess at the National Level Invitational South Indian Karate Championship held in Visakhapatnam on October 8, 2023. Outshining over 500 participants, our talented students clinched two Silver Medals and one Bronze Medal in this prestigious competition. Vatanesh Sharma, a second-year B.Tech student, demonstrated remarkable skill and earned a Silver Medal in the Black Belt category of Kata. Meanwhile, John Samuel, a third-year B.Tech student, showcased his prowess and secured a Silver Medal in the Kata event, competing in the Orange Belt category. Adding to the achievements, Sai Ganesh was awarded a Bronze Medal in Kata, underscoring his excellence in this discipline. Dr. SV Kota Reddy, the Vice Chancellor of VIT-AP University, extended his appreciation to the students for their remarkable achievements in the National Level South Indian Invitational Karate Open Championship, where they secured two Silver Medals and one Bronze Medal. We, at VIT-AP University, are immensely proud of their accomplishments, and we look forward to witnessing their continued growth and success in both academics and extracurricular pursuits.



**AWARD—REPCO BANK**

PK Vaidyanathan, GM & Public Relation Officer of Repco Bank in a statement released to the press informed that Repco Bank & Repco Bank's MD, RS Isabella, received FCBA, 2023 awards of Banking Frontiers for -  
1. Best Cooperative Bank  
2. Best Woman Leader of the Year

Among Co-operative Banks in the National Co-operative Banking Summit held at Goa, on 11th & 12th Oct., 2023. He further informed that Repco Bank established during the year 1969 by GOI for the purpose of Rehabilitation of Repatriates from Sri Lanka and Burma as a prominent presence in the Southern parts of the country. Having crossed 54 years of existence, the Bank has transformed into one of the best Bank among Co-operative Banks in India and the Bank has 108 branches with a business mix of more than Rs. 18,600 cr. The Bank under the administration control of Ministry of Home Affairs is a continuous profit making institution for the past 30 years and declaring dividend of 20% to its stakeholders.



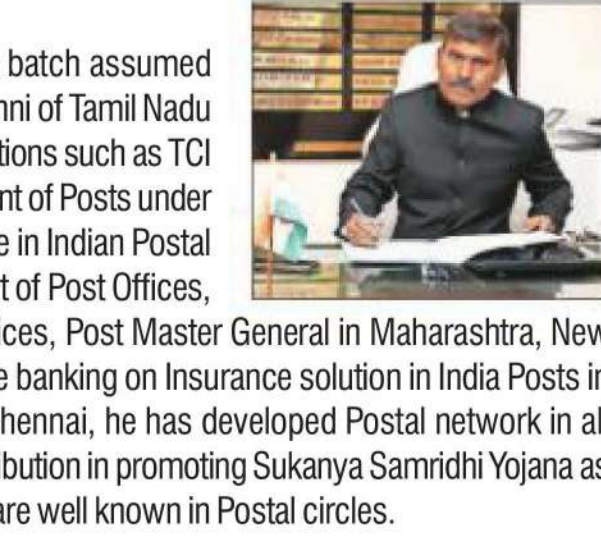
**KSIDC, LSGD CONVENE ENTREPRENEURS' MEET**

Giving a sharp economic thrust to the ongoing Maliniya Muktham Nava Keralam campaign aimed at building a sustainable and inclusive waste management system in Kerala, entrepreneurs will be roped in as key partners to tap the immense green business potential the ambitious project throws up. The State Government is making all efforts to bring in private entrepreneurs to explore the business opportunities in this field in a big way, top officials pointed out at a meet on Green Enterprises, organised jointly by the Local Self Government Department and Kerala State Industrial Development Corporation. Entrepreneurs from different sectors including those engaged in processing of waste materials like plastic, flex, hair, sanitary waste, septage, e-waste, glass and sewage participated in the meet. Inaugurating the meet, Sarada Muraleedharan, Additional Chief Secretary - LSGD, said it was important for the state to draw up a master-plan for developing Kerala into a green economy, and take it forward expeditiously. Suman Billa, Principal Secretary, Industries & NORKA, said Kerala is giving waste management a special status of industry since it is one of the biggest challenges faced by the state.



**NLCIL—APPOINTMENT**

Appakannu Govindarajan, an Indian Postal Service Officer of 2000 batch assumed charge as Chief Vigilance Officer, NLCIL 16th October 2023. An alumni of Tamil Nadu Agricultural University, Coimbatore. He has worked in various organizations such as TCI Ltd, Canara Bank and Reserve Bank of India prior to joining Department of Posts under Ministry of Communication and IT. During his twenty years of service in Indian Postal Service, he has held various positions such as Senior superintendent of Post Offices, Assistant Director General (Corporate Planning), Dir. of Postal Services, Post Master General in Maharashtra, New Delhi, Kerala & Tamil Nadu. He has played a key role in launch of Core banking on Insurance solution in India Posts in 2014 & 2015. During his tenure as Director of Postal Services in Chennai, he has developed Postal network in all upcoming localities of Greater Chennai and extension areas. His contribution in promoting Sukanya Samridhi Yojana as "Selva Mahal Thittam" and promoting SCSS as Akavai 60 Anjal 20" are well known in Postal circles.



**CORPORATE BRIEFS**

**INDUSTRIES DEPT, IIMK INK MOU TO STUDY DIVERSIFICATION OF PLANTATIONS**

The Department of Industries & Commerce has signed an MoU with the Indian Institute of Management Kozhikode for conduct of a comprehensive study on diversification & optimisation of revenue from plantations in Kerala as part of various plans envisaged in the wake of formation of the Plantation Directorate under the DIC. The MoU in this regard was inked in the presence of Minister for Law, Industries & Coir P. Rajeeve at his Chamber by Plantations Special Officer & Director, DIC, S Harikishore & IIMK Mentor Professor Anandakuttan. Additional Chief Secy., Local Self Govt. Deptt., Sarada Muraleedharan; Principal Secretaries (Industries) A.P.M. Mohammad Haneesh & Suman Billa were also present. Speaking on the occasion, the Minister said the agreement with IIMK was part of a set of upfront initiatives under way to enhance revenue from plantations & build 'Kerala Plantation' as a global brand for marketing & value-addition of a wide range of plantation crops. Noting that IIMK is glad to collaborate with the government, IIMK Dir. Prof Debashis Chatterjee said IIMK's approach will be based on authentic research, sustainable systems & comprehensive revamp in the diversification of plantation sector, which is critical in the state's economy & commerce.

**NEW OFFICE OF WAY.COM OPENED AT TECHNOPARK PHASE 3**

Stressing that resilience is the vital trait needed among youngsters, Dr Shashi Tharoor, MP, urged young professionals to be prepared for setbacks in life when it comes to developing something, besides showing the tenacity to fight the odds. Dr Tharoor was speaking while inaugurating the sprawling new office of US-based and Silicon Valley- incubated D2C (Direct-to-Consumer) marketplace Way.com, founded by Malayalee entrepreneur Binu Girija, at Technopark Phase 3 here. "Stumbling and falling happens to almost everyone but what matters is the ability to stay down and pick oneself up and show the resilience and tenacity to fight the challenges," he said. Dr Tharoor lauded the resounding emergence of way.com in the face of challenges like Covid-19 and defying issues like bankruptcy. He said the capacity for expansion is unlimited in the state for companies like way.com, and added that unlike other places, the capital city is turning out to be an ideal place for big companies as well as for leading a pleasant life.

**AGREEMENT BETWEEN SWR & JSW MINERALS RAIL LOGISTICS PRIVATE LTD. FOR OPERATION OF 7 RAKES**

An Agreement has been entered into between South Western Railway & JSW Minerals Rail Logistics Private Ltd. on 17.10.2023 for operation of 07 BOBS-NS (Hopper wagon), Special Type of Wagon with side discharge arrangement for unloading / loading of Iron Ore from the mines at Mineral Enterprises Ltd Siding, Sasalu & Swamihalli to the steel plant of JSW at Toranagalu. This is the first kind of Agreement in SWR. The rake is manufactured by M/s. Titagarh Rail System Limited, Kolkata & the first rake is expected to be operative from April-2024. M/s. JSW Minerals Rail Logistics Private Ltd. is investing Rs. 29.57 Cr per rake. A rebate of 10% is granted to the customer on base freight for every booking. Introduction of BOBSNS (Hopper wagon) will ease out the unloading difficulty through wagon tippler or manually. The Agreement has been signed by A. Sundar, Chief Commercial Manager/Freight Marketing, SWR & Sushil Nowal, Executive VP (Planning & Logistics)/JSW in the presence of Satya Prakash Shastri, Principal Chief Commercial Manager/SWR, Aravinda Herle G, Deputy Chief Commercial Manager/Freight Service/SWR & Manohan Shetty, GM, Logistics/JSW.

**DANCER ANANDA'S 'TALES FROM THE BULL AND THE TIGER' TO STAGED AT SOORYA FESTIVAL**

Hyderabad classical dancer Padma Shree Dr Ananda Shankar Jayant of Hyderabad staged her power-packed Bharatanatyam-Kuchipudi production 'Tales from the Bull and the Tiger' at the ongoing Soorya Festival at Thiruvananthapuram. The 77-minute trailblazing work, with 23 artistes, was staged on Oct. 16, bringing to life Ganeshha Skanda Devi Parvati & Bhagawan Shiva through poetry, music and philosophy in Sanskrit and Tamil. The venue was the Soorya Ganesham Hall. The experimental production, which retells the stories of Lord Shiva & Parvathi as told by the godly couple's vahanas Nandi & Simha, has been acclaimed for its riveting choreography backed by precision and aesthetics.

**KERALA TO HOST TOURISM INVESTORS MEET ON NOV 16**

Taking forward its strategic plans to rev up the state's travel and hospitality sector, Kerala Tourism will be holding an investors' meet in Thiruvananthapuram on November 16 showcasing immense investment opportunities in destinations, products and initiatives that firmly mark the state as an all-season experiential tourism hub. Chief Minister Pinarayi Vijayan will inaugurate the 'Tourism Investors Meet' (TIM). Minister for Tourism and PWD PA Mohamed Riyas will preside over the opening session, which will be attended by Planning Board Vice Chairman, Chief Secretary of Kerala, officials from various departments and investors from India and abroad. Briefing media on the salient features of the event, Riyas said that the thrust areas and locations that need more investments have been identified and they will be unveiled before the investors and other stakeholders from India and abroad. "Tourism sector is a highly promising area for Kerala, whose full investment potential is yet to be tapped effectively. The investors meet will make major strides in that direction," the minister said. The event, which will be attended by around 350 investors, will unveil before the stakeholder's abundant investment opportunities in the tourism sector of Kerala, including hospitality, eco-tourism initiatives, adventure tourism, responsible tourism and sustainable tourism projects.



**KERALA CAPITAL TO HOST GAF 2023 FROM DEC. 1 TO 5**

The ensuing Global Ayurveda Festival (GAF 2023), scheduled to be held here from December 1 to 5, has elicited overwhelming response from around the world with the scientific papers invited for the flagship event crossing 2,000, prompting the organisers to extend the deadline for submission of abstracts to October 25. The core theme of GAF 2023, the biggest ever international conclave on the time-tested Indian medicine and wellness system, is "Emerging Challenges in Healthcare & A Resurgent Ayurveda." Apart from presentation of papers and deliberations on the focal theme, papers on all sub-specialities of Ayurveda, allied knowledge systems, interdisciplinary areas in Ayurveda with modern sciences, medicinal plants drug development, policies and regulations will be considered for presentation at the event. Papers can also be submitted for special sessions on Ayurveda Biology, Vrikshayurveda and Ethno veterinary medicine. The abstracts of scientific papers should be submitted online through [www.gafindia.org](http://www.gafindia.org). The biennial event is being organized by the Centre for Innovation in Science and Social Action in association with Ministry of Ayush, GOI; Department of Ayush; Govt. of Kerala; Ayurveda fraternity represented by AMAI, AMMOI, AHMA, KISMA, ADMA, Viswa Ayurveda Parishad and 14 other Ayurveda Associations at the Greenfield International Stadium, Karyavattom, in the Kerala capital.

**MILMA'S TRCMPU AGM ADOPTS RS 2853-CRORE BUDGET**

The annual general body meeting of Thiruvananthapuram Regional Cooperative Milk Producers Union of Milma, earmarked Rs. 2 crs to offset the interest on the loans availed by dairy farmers in four southern districts for setting up farms & purchase of milch animals. Rs 2853-cr budget was adopted by the general body meeting. The budget covered capital & revenue expenditures. The Rs. 2 crs earmarked to offset the interest will cover loans totaling Rs 10 cr availed by dairy farmers from banks through TRCMPU. The scheme is expected to benefit around 10000 dairy farmers from Thiruvananthapuram, Kollam, Pathanamthitta & Alappuzha districts. The announcement was made by TRCMPU Administrative Convener N Bhasurangan at the 37th annual general body meeting held at Thiruvananthapuram. More than 800 members from the co-operative societies & TRCMPU office-bearers attended the meeting. Administrative Committee member VS Padmakumar welcomed the members. Administrative Committee Member K R Mohanan Pillai moved the resolutions and Managing Director DS Konda presented the reports.

