Committed to building Ram templein Ayodhya:BJP

HYDERABAD, OCT 20 /-/ The BJP is committed to constructing a Ram temple in Ayothya and would wait for the Supreme Court's verdict on the issue, the party spokesperson GVL Narasimha Rao said Saturday.

Speaking to reporters here, the BJP leader said

though there was a demand for a section of leaders to bring an ordinance on the Temple, Rao said the party understands the sentiments of the people. "As far as the issue of construction of the grand temple for Lord Ram is concerned, our party's position has been consistent. We have always favoured the control of the grand temple in Ayodhya. That is the aspiration and sentiment of crores of people, Hindus in this country' he said. "We are waiting for the verdict of the honourable Supreme Court and we want the process for the Ram temple construction to be gin thereafter. We are committed to it but then we want this to happen either through the court verdict or through some kind of settleties, but that has not come forth. So we will have to wait for the court verdict," Rao said.

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RSS and VHP are asking the government and the BJP for an early settlement of the issue. VHP Chief Mohan Bhagwat Thursday in Nagpur during his annual Vjiayadashmi address said the government should clear the path for construction of the Ram temple in Ayodhya through an appropriate and requisite law. The BJP leader alleged that some of the Congress lead. some of the Congress lead ers have been trying to pur roadblocks in the construc roadblocks in the construc-tion of the temple by trying to delay Supreme Court judgement by using their own "lawyer-politician" to create huddles in the court processes. The Ayodhya case is currently before the Supreme Court and the next hearing is scheduled for Oc-

indexing as structure of the control today in the run-up to the December 7 assembly elec-tions.

Delhi court frames molestation charges against RKPachauri

NEW DELHI, OCT 20 /--/ A Delhi court Saturday framed molestation charges against former TERI chief R against former TERI Chief K K Pachauri in a case of al-leged sexual harassment lodged by his former col-league. Metropolitan Magis-trate Charu Gupta put Pachauri on trial for the of-fence punishable under sections. 354 (outrains rence punishable under sections 354 (outraging modesty), 354 A (making physical contact, unwel-come and sexually coloured remarks) and 509 (teasing and using vulgar gesture

and actions) of the Indian Penal Code (IPC). The charges were framed after Pachauri, who was present in the courtroom, pleaded not guilty and claimed trial. Advocate Ashish Dixit, ap-Advocate Assists Dixit, ap-pearing for the accused, sought a speedy trial. "My (Pachauri) age is 78 years and me and my family are and me and my family are suffering from hardship. For almost last four years we are facing media trial," the coun-sel said on behalf of Pachauri after which the court put up the matter for

further proceedings on January 4, 2019.

The court also summoned the complainant on the next date for recording of her statement. On September 14, the court had discharged him from the section 354B (using criminal force against a woman), 354D (stalking) and 341 (wrongful restraint) of the (wrongful restraint) of the IPC, saying that prima facie these sections were not made out against Pachauri. Reacting to the develop-ment, the complaint said to-

day. "Spoken with my law-yers and understood all as-pects especially with re-gards to challenging for in-clusion of three charges (in which Pachauri has been discharged). Finally trial is committed. Made complete arrangements to be avail-able during the said time period. The truth will tri-umph." On February 13, 2015. an FIR was registered against Pachauri and he was granted anticipatory bail in the case on March 21, 2015.

The former TERI chief had earlier secured an interim order from Additional District Judge making it mandatory for media houses to publish or telecast the coverage of the case with a tilled the coverage of the case with a tilled the tilled the coverage of the case with a tilled the tilled tilled the tilled tilled

times larger than the font in which the article is being published."

Over 1,400-page charge sheet was filed by the Delhi Police on March 1,2016, saying there was "sufficient evidence" against Pachauri that he had sexually harrassed, stalked and threat-ened the complainant. A sumplementary charge supplementary charge sheet was filed in March 2017 after the police said it had retrieved several de-leted e-mails and chats ex-changed between the ac-

cused and the complainant. The final report had said the deleted WhatsApp chats, text messages, retrieved from the cell phones, computer hard disks and other devices, were "not fabricated". The charge sheet, which was filed a year after the former research analyst of TERI lodged the complaint had research analyst of TEMI lodged the complaint, had said Pachauri had commit-ted offences under various sections of IPC. Pachauri has denied all the allega-tions against him. (PTI)

JD (S) Supremo and Former Prime Minister H D Devegowda, KPCC President Dinesh Gundurao, Former Chie, Minister, Siddaramaiah, Karnataka Chief Minister H D Kumaraswamy, Dy Chief Minister, G Parameshawar and D K Shikumar during Congress and JD (S) joint press conference in Bengaluru on Saturday.

If Cong comes to power in Telangana Rahul promises farm loan waiver

BHAINSA (TELANGANA), OCT 20 /
COngress President Rahul Gandhion
Saturday promised farm loan waiver of
up to 8s two lask hat one go if his party
wins in Telangana and targeted Prime
Minister Narendra Modi and TRS chief
K Chandrasekhar Rao accusing them of
making false promises and indulging in
corruption. Kicking off the party's campaign for December 7 Telangana Assembly polls at a public meeting in Nirmal
district here he alleged that KCR, as Rao
is popularly known, insulted B R
project named after him. Change will
come in Telangana. RCR government
will go. And in Delhi, Narendra Modi's
government will go. I did not come here
to make false promises. If you want to
listen to false promises, then go to KCR
and Modi, they will give you false promises, 'the Congress president said.
Attacking the Telangana Rashtra
Samithi chief, Gandhi alleged that he
changed the project designs, infatting
its cost from Rs 38,000 crove to Rs one
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Chief Minister wants to indulge in corruption," he alleged. Gandhi said with

Rajiv Sagar projects too original costs were inflated.
"Wherever you see, CM indulges in corruption and benefits go to his family, relatives. As soon as he became CM, KCR started indulging in corruption, giving all the benefits to his family, 'Gandhi alleged.
He also promised that the Congress will implement the Tribal Rights Bill (The Scheduled Tribas and other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act) and Land Acquisition Acts in letter and spirit when it comes to power at the Centre as well as in the state.
"Farmers are committing suicide all over the country. Thousands of farmers committed suicide in Telangana because they didn't get proper price ause they didn't get proper price

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"The Congress party promises that Rs two lash in farm loam with be waived in one go. Not only that we will also ensure Rs 7,000 per quintal for cotton," the Congress president said and alleged that "neither Modi nor KCR is able to provide farmers' good price for their produce". "The moment Congress comes into power

in Telangana, we will protect tribal lands. We will give Rs 3,000 allowance

in Telangana, we will protect tribal lands. We will give Rs 3,000 allowance each to unemployed youth, 'Gandhi add and the said the KCR government failed to fulfill promises such as job for every family, three acres of land to every SC and ST family and two bedroom houses for all eligible people. The AICC leader alleged that Roa also failed to implement 12 per cent quota for STs and provide drinking water to every family. Similarly, Modi failed to keep up the promised Rs 15 lakh in Keep up the promised Rs 15 lakh in word of the said failed to every family. Similarly, Modi failed to every family in the said failed to every wear and fair price for farmers. Wherever Modiji and KCR go they make faile promises to waive their loans (earlier). We waived Rs 70,000 crore worth of farm loans, 'he said. Gandhi also accused Modi of spreading hatred and ennity and said "he pits people of one religion against the other, one region other, and weakens the country.' The Congress moves forward by taking everybody together, he said.

Guj bill to curb fake caste certificates gets President's nod

AHMEDABAD, OCT 20 /--/ President Ram Nath Kovind has given his assent to a bill passed by the Gujarat Assembly in March this year to penalise the use of fake caste certificates for getting jobs or admission to educational instiby given the absent we no packets the value of a fact and the value of value

caste certificate will be dismissed from service. Over the monetary benefits, such as salary and perks, he or she may have availed of. Admissions to educational institutes, secured on the basis of fake caste certificates, will be cancelled. Even the person's degree will be cancelled if he or she is found to have got admission to the course by using a fake easte certificate. As per the new mechanism introduced in the bill, no one except the "Competent Authority" appointed by the government can issue easte certificates once the Act comes into force. Persons belonging to the Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes or Other Backward Classes will have to apply to this authority. "which can be an officer designated by the government - for acquiring the caste certificate.

BhagwatonlypicksupRamtemple issue before elections:SP

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BALLIA, OCT 20 /- / Senior Samajwadi Party leader Ram
Govind Chaudhary has accused Rashtriya Swayamsevak
Sangh chief Mohan Bhagwat of remembering Lord Ram
only "months before the General Elections". Speaking to
reporters here Friday night, Chaudhary said, "RSS chief
Mohan Bhagwat has once again remembered Lord Ram.
Why is it so that he brings up Ram temple (issue) only before the elections? Why was belauft for the past two years?
Chaudhary, who is also the Leader of Opposition in UP Assembly, said, 'Lord Ram is Known as 'Maryada Purushottam'
and is a symbol of faith. He will himself destroy the B.JP.

Indiatohost UNICEF's global meet on maternal and child health

INITURE AUTORITY OF THE AUTORI Child Health Forum will emphasise the importance of people-centred accountability bringing forward the voices and lived realities of women, children and adolescents through innovative programming and creative projects. The Forum will be hosted by Ministry of Health and Family Welfare in collaboration with the in collaboration with the Partnership for Maternal, Newborn and Child Health Newborn and Child Health (PMNCH) this December. The UNICEF said Prime Minister Narendra Modi, former Chile President Michelle Bachelet and the chair of PMNCH would de-liver the keynote addresses.

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Eight new Zika cases in Rajasthan

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JAPUR, OCT 20 /-- Eight
new cases of Zika virus
were detected in Jaipur Saturday taking the total number of infected people to
117, a Rajasthan health department spokesperson
said. Out of the total 117
patients, 96 have recovered after treatment, he said. The
state health department
also formed a five-member
committee on Saturday to
investigate, examine and
track Zika virus disease in
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submit the report to the director public health from
time to time, an order said.
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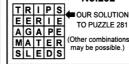
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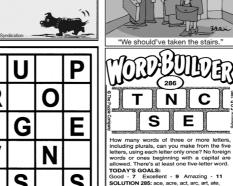
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