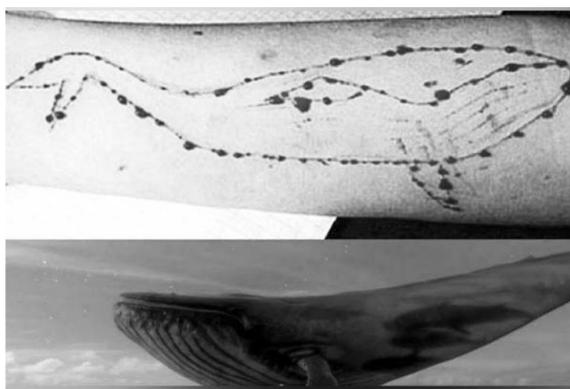


Blue Whale Challenge: Cops set up special cell

Police interrogate Vignesh's friends



NT Bureau

Chennai, Aug 31:

Following the death of a college student in Madurai taking part in the online game 'Blue Whale Challenge', the police has set up a special cell to address the issue.

Nineteen-year-old Vignesh had committed suicide by hanging himself inside his house on Wednesday, in order to complete the last challenge of the game. Being the first death reported in the State, the police are interrogating Vignesh's friends to get at the truth.

Vignesh's parents have said that almost 75 other students were playing the game. Vignesh pursuing B Com in a private college in Thiruparankundram was residing with his parents Jeyamani and Vanitha at Kalaikar Nagar at Vilacheri in the district.

On Wednesday afternoon, Vignesh took a friend along to his house for lunch. When his parents returned, they found their son had hanged himself.

The police sent his body to Tirumangalam Government Hospital for a postmortem examination. A preliminary investigation by the police officials found that Vignesh had carved the shape of a whale on his left arm using a sharp object and written the words 'Blue Whale'

Mastermind held in Russia

A 17-year-old girl has been exposed as the alleged mastermind behind the Blue Whale suicide game.

The teenager is accused of being behind the sick craze which has encouraged dozens of vulnerable children to take their own lives.

The unnamed Russian girl, who has now been arrested, issued threats to her victims to murder them or their family members if they failed to obey orders to complete tasks she set them.

The girl was arrested in the Khabarovsk Krai region in south-eastern Russia. Ilya Sidorov, 26, who was also arrested earlier this year has been accused of inciting young girls to take their own lives.

using a blue ink pen.

The police also recovered a handwritten note in Tamil that said, 'Blue Whale - this is not a game but a disaster. Once you step inside, you can never leave.'

The challenge, which tells players to perform 50 dangerous tasks, with the final one ending in killing oneself, had taken his life, the police said.

New RTO rule puts vehicle owners in tizzy

Leaves in the lurch people who use drivers

Registration only for licence-holders

NT Bureau

Chennai, Aug 31:

Following close on the heels of the Tamilnadu government's order, making it compulsory for drivers to carry their original driving licence,

WAY OUT

The Tamilnadu Police have made it easy to get a new licence if the original is lost. The person who has lost it can go to the website eservices.tnpolice.gov.in and register for the new licence. The new section will also cater to accident victims to register complaints.

the State Transport Department has directed all Regional Transport Offices (RTOs) not to register vehicles in the name of people who do not have a valid driving licence.

The order will come into effect from

CM to distribute free STBs tomorrow

NT Bureau

Chennai, Aug 31:

Chief Minister Edappadi K Palaniswami will distribute Set Top Boxes (STBs) at no cost to subscribers of Tamilnadu Arasu Cable TV Corporation tomorrow. He will also declare open the MPEF4 upgraded control room at Numngambakkam for digital signal transmission through video conferencing from Secretariat.

Among those who would present on the occasion include Deputy Chief Minister O Panner Selvam, Minister for Information & Technology Manikandan.

The Arasu Cable TV subscribers will now get 180 channels at a monthly subscription of Rs 125. The STBs comes with three year warranty.



1 September. The State Transport Department has also sent circulars to all registered automobile dealers in Tamilnadu and has instructed them to not sell or register new vehicle if buyer does not furnish driving licence details. The department has also instructed the RTOs to keep a tab on all dealerships in their jurisdiction so that the new rule is implemented in toto.

But this new order has left future vehicle owners, who do not know driving but make use of a chauffeur,

perplexed. Syra Banu from Porur, a mother of two, says, 'I do not know how to drive and I employ a driver who takes me around town and drops my kids in school. Does this new rule mean I cannot buy a new car?'

Anandan, an octogenarian from Shenoy Nagar, says, 'I'm old and I have a heart condition. It is not safe for me to drive a car and I have not renewed my licence after that. I have a driver for my needs and I prefer registering it under my name than my son's name for income-tax purposes. This new rule will make it impossible for me to own a car. This is nonsense.'

Traffic constable Anburaj, however, has a different view. He says, 'There are a number of people who let their children, who are minors, to drive their car. By making it mandatory to own a licence to buy a car, this will bring down such cases.'

Manager of JSP Honda says, 'I

NOT ORIGINAL IDEA

The State government's order making it mandatory for people to carry their original licences has come under a lot of public scrutiny. The common view of the public seems to be that at a time when the entire country and world on a whole is moving towards a digital age, there is no need for a physical licence copy. Many countries like Norway, Sweden and USA accept a digital copy of the licence as proof.

have a slight fear that this will bring down the number of people buying new vehicles. The automotive industry is already hit with loss of sales after GST and the extra cess imposed by the State government.'

Prostate in septuagenarian treated with laser in city

RG Stone Urology and Laparoscopy Hospital performs rare feat

NT Bureau

Chennai, Aug 31:

The team of doctors of RG Stone Urology and Laparoscopy Hospital have performed a rare feat. They have successfully performed endo urological surgery on a 74-year-old man.

During a press briefing here on Wednesday, hospital MD, Dr R Vijay Kumar, who lead the team of doctors, explained the successful procedure.

He said, 'A 74-year-old gentleman came to our hospital with complaints of severe obstructive lower urinary tract symptoms for the last six months. When we diagnosed it, we came to know that he had hugely enlarged prostate gland (280 grams) with retention of urine. After thorough discussion, we planned for an endourological procedure called 'HOLEP - Holmium Laser Enucleation of Prostate.' Using three lobe technique, the prostate lobes were enucleated and pushed into bladder. The lobes were retrieved subsequently by morcellation. He was discharged after four days and is under follow-up.'



RG Stone Urology and Laparoscopy Hospital MD, Dr R Vijay Kumar, explaining the procedure during a press meet in Chennai on Wednesday. Also seen is the hospital's GM, Venugopal.

'We used 100 watts Holmium laser for the procedure. With this equipment, we can successfully operate any size of prostate gland with minimum blood loss rather than the conventional trans urethral resection of prostate (TURP) in which the same size of gland would have required two or three stages with blood transfusion, long hospital stay and increased

complications,' he added.

Regarding the symptoms of the condition, he said, 'These lower urinary tract symptoms (LUTS) include frequent urination, straining while urinating, urging even after urination, pain or burning during urination, and/or some amount of blood in urine. Prostatectomy is the removal of all or part of the prostate gland.'

'Child sexual abuse on the rise in TN'

Bharat Yatra will be flagged off from Kanyakumari on 11 Sept

NT Bureau

Chennai, Aug 31:

The rate of child marriages, trafficking and sexual abuse seems to be a cause for concern as it is running high in Tamilnadu.

According to National Crime Records Bureau (NCRB) and National Family Health Survey (NFHS-3), 2,15,212 girls and 1,64,763 boys are being married off before the legal age. Concerned over it, Noble laureate Kailash Satyarthi Children's Foundation will be undertaking Bharat Yatra which fights child sexual abuse and trafficking.

Addressing mediapersons here on Wednesday, State coordinator of Bharat Yatra, Tamilnadu and Kerala, Paul Bhaskar said, 'Child trafficking is an alarming issue in

our country today. It needs to be highlighted across the country. Rampant trafficking of young girls and migrants from various parts of India are used in flesh trade. We need to work towards ensuring the availability of good quality, free education and skills training for all our children so that they do not get sucked into the vicious cycle of child trafficking, labour and sexual exploitation.'

According to reports between 2013-2015, the number of missing children reported were 10,586. This indicates the amount of child trafficking that takes place and children sold have to endure physical, mental and sexual assault, the organisers said.

Satyarthi's Bharat Yatra will be flagged off from Kanyakumari on 11

September and will culminate in New Delhi on 16 October. The yatra will come to Chennai on 13 September. 'We are launching the yatra to work towards creating India that is safe for our children. We received immense support from Prime Minister Narendra Modi,' said State Yatra committee member K Abdul Ghani.

'Children are the future of our country and enshrine our hopes for a good future. They are our best chance at securing a healthy, peaceful and prosperous nation,' he added.

The yatra is a three year campaign which aims at increasing awareness and reporting cases, ensuring protection for victims and witnesses during trails and increasing convictions of child sexual abuse in a time bound manner.

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NOTICE
NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Regulation 47 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 that a Meeting of the Board of Directors of the Company will be held on Friday, the 08 September 2017 to consider and approve, inter alia, the Unaudited Financial Results of the Company for the quarter ended 30 June 2017.
This intimation will be made available in the website of Bombay Stock Exchange Limited (www.bseindia.com) and in the website of the Company.
For Mercantile Ventures Limited
Place : Chennai E N Rangaswami
Date : 31.08.2017 Whole-Time Director

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PUBLIC NOTICE
My client Ms. Lakshmi Venkatraman, Daughter of late P.S.Venkatraman, residing at F2, No.12, Ananda Road, Alwarpet, Chennai 600018 represents that she has misplaced / lost the original Settlement Deed dated 30.01.1960 (registered as Document No. 129 of 1960 in the Office of the Sub-Registrar, Mylapore relating to the property bearing Old Door No.160, New No. 28, Eldams Road, Teynampet, Chennai - 600018, situate at Mylapore Village, Mylapore Taluk, Chennai District, comprised in R.S. NO.1548/36. Old R.S.No.1548/1, extent 4.5 grounds and in spite of a diligent search the same could not be found / traced. Any person coming across the same is called upon to contact the undersigned within 10 days of the publication of this notice. If no intimation is received it will be deemed that the said document is lost and my client will proceed to deal with the same as such.
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NOTICE TO MEMBERS
Notice is hereby given that the 24th Annual General Meeting of the Company will be held on Friday, 22nd September, 2017 at 9.30 a.m. at "Arihant Tiara", Plot No. 28, TCNS Garden, Nandambakkam, Chennai - 600089.

Notice of the meeting setting out the ordinary and special business to be transacted thereat together with the Audited Financial Statement and Consolidated Financial Statement for the year ended March 31, 2017 along with Auditors' Report, Directors' Report and Cash flow statement has been sent to the members to their registered addresses by registered book post and electronically to those members who have registered their e-mail addresses.

Members are hereby informed that the Notice of the meeting and the aforesaid documents are available on the Company's website (www.arihantfoundations.com) and copies of the said documents are also available for inspection at the Registered office of the Company on all working days, during business hours up to the date of the meeting.

A member entitled to attend and vote at the meeting is entitled to appoint a Proxy to attend and vote on behalf of himself and the Proxy need not be a member of the Company. The instrument appointing Proxy to be valid should be deposited at the Registered Office of the Company not less than 48 hours before the commencement of the meeting.

Pursuant to Section 91 of the Companies Act 2013 & Rule 10 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 and Clause 16 of the listing agreement with Stock Exchanges, the Register of Members and Share Transfer Book will remain closed from 16.09.2017 to 22.09.2017 (both the days inclusive) for the purpose of Annual General Meeting for the financial year, 2016-17.

The Members are further informed that pursuant to Section 108 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with the Rule 20 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules 2014 the Company is providing its member facility to exercise their right to vote on resolutions proposed to be passed in the Annual General Meeting ("meeting") of the Company scheduled to be held on Friday, September 22, 2017. The Company has engaged the services of M/s. Central Depository Services (India) Limited to provide the e-voting facility.

The communication relating to e-voting inter alia containing User Id and password along with a copy of the Notice convening the meeting has been dispatched to the members on August 30, 2017. This communication and Notice of the meeting are available on the website of the Company and on the website of M/s. Central Depository Services (India) Limited <https://www.evotingindia.com/>.

The remote e-voting facility shall commence on 19th September, 2017 at 9 AM and ends on 21st September, 2017 at 5 PM (IST). The remote e-voting shall not be allowed beyond the said date and time.

A person whose name appears in the register of Members as on the cut-off date i.e., September 15, 2017 only shall be entitled to avail the facility of remote e-voting as well as voting at the meeting.

Any person who becomes member of the Company after dispatch of the Notice of the meeting and holding shares as of the cut-off date i.e., September 15, 2017, may obtain the Notice of the meeting containing the detailed procedure of e-voting and the details of User Id and Password by sending a request at investors@arihants.co.in. The same is also available in the Company's website and CDSL's website.

The members who cast their vote by remote e-voting may attend the meeting but shall not be entitled to cast their vote again.

The facility for voting through Physical Ballot shall be made available at the meeting and the members attending the meeting who have not cast their vote by remote e-voting shall be able to vote at the meeting through Physical ballot.

The Board has appointed Mrs. G. Subhasree, Practicing Company Secretary, Chennai as a scrutineer for conducting the AGM Voting process in accordance with the law and in a fair and transparent manner. In case of any queries/grievances relating to voting by electronic means, the Members/Beneficial owners may contact at the following address:

Mr. Murali, M/s. Cameo Corporate Services Limited Registrar & Share Transfer Agents, Subramanian Building, No.1 Club House Road, Anna Salai, Chennai - 600 002 Ph: 28460390; e-mail: investors@arihants.co.in. By order of the Board of Directors

FOR ARIHANT FOUNDATIONS & HOUSING LIMITED
Sd/-
(Kamal Lunawathi)
Managing Director
Place: Chennai
Date: 30.08.2017
DIN: 00087324



For the first time in Chennai, the Ganesha idols that were placed in various parts of the city for Vinayagar Chaturthi festival were immersed in Pattinapakam with the help of trolleys.

Lankan Navy arrests four TN fishermen

Rameswaram, Aug 31 (PTI):

Four fishermen were arrested today by the Sri Lankan Navy when they were allegedly fishing near the Lankan coast, a fisheries department official said.

The fishermen along with their boat have been taken to Karainagar port, Rameswaram fisheries department assistant director N Manikandan said.

The fishermen from Rameswaram district were allegedly fishing near Neduntheevu when they were arrested.

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UNAUDITED FINANCIAL RESULTS (PROVISIONAL) FOR THE QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE 2017
(Rs.in Lakhs)

Sl No	Quarter ended 30.6.2017 Unaudited	Quarter ended 31.3.2017 Unaudited	Quarter ended 30.6.2016 Unaudited	For the year ended 31.3.2017 Audited
1. Total Income from Operations	112.37	84.3	142.17	772.45
2. Total earnings before Interest/Depreciation/Tax	0.84	-34.58	-4.16	44.86
3. Net Profit / (Loss) for the period before tax (after Exceptional and/or Extraordinary items#)	-4.51	-39.85	-9.09	24.57
4. Net Profit / (Loss) for the period after tax (after Exceptional and/or Extraordinary items#)	-4.51	-39.85	-9.09	28.29
5. Total Comprehensive Income for the period (Comprising Profit / (Loss) for the period (after tax) and Other Comprehensive Income (after tax)†)	-4.51	-39.85	-9.09	28.29
6. Equity Share Capital	304.2	304.2	304.2	304.2
7. Reserves (excluding Revaluation Reserve) as shown in the Audited Balance Sheet of the previous year*	-	-	-	46.23
8. Earnings Per Share (of Rs. 5/- each) (before and after extraordinary items) -				
1. Basic:	-0.08	-0.65	-0.15	0.46
2. Diluted:				

Note:
a) The above is an extract of the detailed format of Quarterly/Annual Financial Results filed with the Stock Exchanges under Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing and Other Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015. The full format of the Quarterly/Annual Financial Results are available on the websites of the Stock Exchange(s) and the listed entity. (URL of the websites).
b) The impact on net profit / loss, total comprehensive income or any other relevant financial item(s) due to change(s) in accounting policies shall be disclosed by means of a footnote.
c) # - Exceptional and/or Extraordinary items adjusted in the Statement of Profit and Loss in accordance with Ind-AS Rules, whichever is applicable.
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