

News & Notes

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Aspiration

HOUSE OF MOTHER'S AGENDA

(Continued)... But if we know that... we did not know something, we were ignorant, then the moment we have the knowledge... I am sincerely asking how one can manage to forget. One might not know something, that is a fact; there are countless things one doesn't know. But the moment one knows them, the minute one has the experience, how can one manage to forget? Within yourself you have the divine Presence, you know nothing about it - for all kinds of reasons, but still the chief reason is that you are in a state of ignorance. Yet suddenly, by a clicking of circumstances, you become conscious of this divine Presence, that is, you are before a fact - it is not imagination, it is a fact, it's something which exists. Then how do you manage to forget it once you have known it?

But still this state of ignorance is in us.

Ah! And why? Because you are convinced that it is a normal state and that one can't do otherwise.

But the moment you know that it is an absolutely abnormal state, contrary to the Truth, how does it happen that it can be repeated? It is simply because you are not convinced. It's because when you have the experience of the divine Presence it seems to you something fabulous, miraculous and extraordinary, and almost abnormal. And so... "This sublime state - how can I keep it? It is absolutely contrary to my own existence." But this indeed is the stupidity. For this sublime state is the natural state, and it's what you constantly are that is not natural but a falsification, a deformation - you see, a state... which is not normal. But to have the knowledge and live in the Truth - this indeed is the normal state. Then, how does it happen that once you have had it... it is over, the abnormal state disappears, you become normal and live in the Truth. Once one is in the Truth, how does one manage to come out of it again?

Quite simply it's that you have not entered totally into the Truth, and only one part of yourself has had the experience and the others don't yet have it; and then you don't remain in this part of yourself which had the experience and begin to live in other parts which do not have it yet; and all these parts must have this experience one after another.

This is the reply to my question, this is what you should have told me: why, it is because we are not made of a single piece and the piece which had the experience is not the only one in us and is not always there, it is replaced by all kinds of other pieces which have not yet had the experience and must have it. That's why. But truly speaking, it is not inevitable. Because even if the part which had the experience and knows is no longer right in front and master of the consciousness, if it is replaced by another part which is still in the ignorance, that's no reason for forgetting the other, for that other part is also yourself, and remains yourself, and is there. Why forget it? Why, when the obscure, unconscious and ignorant part comes up, why not put it immediately face to face with the other - like this - so that the other may show it that it is in the ignorance? This everybody can do. It's only a question of wanting it. We are not obliged to fall back into error, we are not obliged to fall back into obscurity, ignorance and stupidity. It is because something in us, through cowardice or defeatism, accepts this. If one did not accept it, it wouldn't happen.

Even when everything seems to be suddenly darkened, the flame and the Light are always there. And if one doesn't forget them, one has only to put in front of them the part which is dark; there will perhaps be a battle, there will perhaps be a little difficulty, but it will be something quite transitory; never will you lose your footing.

That is why it is said - and it is something true - that to sin through ignorance may have fatal consequences, because when one makes mistakes, well, these mistakes have results, that's obvious, and usually external and material results; but that's no great harm, I have already told you this several times. But when one knows what is true, when one has seen and had the experience of the Truth, to accept the sin again, that is, fall back again into ignorance and obscurity - this is indeed an infinitely more serious mistake. It begins to belong to the domain of ill-will. In any case, it is a sign of slackness and weakness. It means that the will is weak.

So your question is put the other way round. Instead of asking yourself how to keep it, you must ask yourself: how does one not keep it? Not having it, is a state which everybody is in before the moment of knowing; not knowing - one is in that state before knowing. But once one knows one cannot forget. And if one forgets, it means that there is something which consents to the forgetting, it means there is an assent somewhere; otherwise one would not forget.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS, 14 December 1955

MOTHER

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Never seek support elsewhere than in the Divine. Never seek satisfaction elsewhere than in the Divine. Never seek the satisfaction of your needs in anyone else than the Divine - never, for anything at all. All your needs can be satisfied only by the Divine. All your weaknesses can be borne and healed only by the Divine. He alone is capable of giving you what you need in everything, always.

THE MOTHER

The Spiritual Significance of Flowers

International Zone Monthly Report - April 16

IZCT policies/ guidelines

The IZCT has been working on updating the Membership Guidelines and the General Principles and Guidelines for the building of Pavilion Clusters. Both will be incorporated in the IZ Mission & Organisational Guidelines after inclusion of feedback received from the wider IZ Team and approval of the IZCT.

Pavilions:

Russian Pavilion

Sergei, the Russian architect, travelled to Moscow to meet Ruslan, a potential donor. Ruslan is keen on being part of the process of planning and designing the Russian Pavilion and has offered his architect to assist. Several proposals will be prepared and put forward for consideration in Auroville. The Russian Pavilion has been requested to collaborate with the East European group to reach an agreement on the upcoming cluster in the area. The IZCT sent a letter to acknowledge their collaboration with the IZCT.

East European Project

The IZCT held a meeting to discuss the Dobro Dosli project proposed by Bogi & Tatiana. It appears that the project is mainly focused on housing for Bogi and her family, although still a Pavilion Group project. As there are already several temporary housing projects in the area (Sankalpa), it would be able to fit into one of them for this need. The Eastern European group was encouraged to collaborate with the Russian group and their architects on the design of this cluster and reach an agreement for the development of the area.

Italian Pavilion

Representatives of the Italian Pavilion were invited to IZCT meeting on 18th April. They were informed that they would have a choice to build a temporary or a permanent pavilion. Once finalized, the guidelines and rationalization of the clusters concept will be conveyed to the Italian group, which will allow them to study and understand them.

The temporary European House project proposal, drawings and budget will also be shared with the Italian Pavilion, as they will contribute 1.2 Lakhs to the project. The temporary European House will be a common space.

Temporary European House

The IZ European House project received 5.5 Lakhs contributions for the temporary European House from AVI Germany, AVI Netherlands, AVI UK, AVI France, AVI Liaison Luxembourg and the contribution of the Pavilion group of Italy is in the way. However, 8 Lakhs are required to start the development. Sonny Benoit (AVI liaison Luxembourg) informed the team that she met with Claude Turmes (European Parliament Deputy), who could arrange funding of 2 Lakhs for the solar energy system. He would like to receive a budget and details of the project as soon as possible. He also expressed the desire to send an official delegation from Luxembourg for Auroville 50th Anniversary. Furthermore, he is very interested in the permanent European Centre as well and wishes to receive information about the project.

Permanent European Centre

Not all the land allocated for the European Centre is available at the moment. The European Centre group agreed to do some preliminary work and establish a budget estimate. Helmut, Vikas (AVI UK) and Christoph (AVI Germany) have worked on the project.

The European Centre group met on Friday 6th May to brainstorm ideas. The group wants to make a call for avant-projet from Auroville and Auroville related architects. The group is still working on the brief that will be included in the call.

Bharat Nivas

Several members of the IZCT had a meeting with the members of Bharat Nivas Trust to discuss Bharat Nivas Development Plan, Loop Road, Maison du Monde (temporary housing project) and the wastewater treatment plant.

Centre for International Research on Human Unity (CIRHU)

There has been a great participation, especially of youth, in the several meetings CIRHU has held during the month of April. A list of potential interns has been established by IZCT with idea for their activities (model village, IZ Crown Parameters and Unity Plaza, Framework for a Detailed Development Plan, Urban design and water management, etc). The IZCT discussed the possibility of setting up a legal structure for the organisation and administration. Linda Grace is exploring the several possibilities with Unity Fund.

Auroville Consulting

The IZCT had a second meeting with Martin & Vikram from AV Consulting, to further discuss their site and building application for a development in the International Zone (opposite Language Lab on the Crown Road). The project will be for office space, accommodation for students & lecturers as well as meeting spaces. AV Consulting will collaborate with Youth Link for additional accommodation. The IZCT is in support of the project and a building application shall be submitted to L'Avenir / TDC. AV Consulting is also requested to conduct a socio-economic study on the relationship between income generation and services in the International Zone. They may look into it.

IZ Planning & Development topics

1. The extension of the temporary French Pavilion was approved.
2. The IZ P&D will work on a site application for CIRHU.
3. A survey has been done regarding the improvement of the existing Loop Road Marking. It is suggested to use pipes filled with cement instead of the plastic tagged nail marking. As it is urgent, IZCT will advance the money to get the job done and TDC will reimburse afterwards. Machines will be rented from the Matrimandir team.
4. IZCT has decided to inform L'Avenir regarding some unauthorized development that has been done in the area of Naggapan and Grace.
5. L'Avenir has been contacted to do a geophysical survey of the Eurasia area.
6. Youth Link/ Hive project: Grace and Lakshmi were informed about the project and explained that it will come to the fenced area they are managing.
7. The IZCT wants to work on a strategy with Land Board to approach landowners for the purchase of their plots of land.
8. The physical development of single standing Caretaker Houses in the IZ was discussed and an agreement was reached that such type of housing should be discouraged. The IZCT encourages caretaker accommodation to be built either as part of the Pavilion design or be a separate housing development on the Crown Road.

Water

There has been a major break down of the water distribution installation. B undertook a major repair work to the common water system. The total expenditure for repair work and new parts was Rs. 42,000.

Auroville 50th Anniversary - Focal Points

L'Avenir / TDC explained that no approval from them was needed and they expressed their wish to see an open invitation for artistic designs for these points. The IZCT discussed the issue and agreed to detail the process that was done to invite Pierre Legrand to submit a proposal.

Sankalpa

The IZCT explained to Krupa and John (residents of Sankalpa) the rationale behind the adjustments in the Loop road made by TDC. Due to the adjustments, there will be a part of the Loop road that will touch a corner of the Sankalpa Art Centre. Krupa will contact TDC to discuss the matter.

Regarding the proposed 15 temporary houses (Housing Service project) within Sankalpa area, Krupa and John felt that there is not enough space for 15 houses. It is agreed to visit the site with some members of the IZCT and the residents of Sankalpa along with an architect, in order to come up with a solution of mutual satisfaction.

Funds and Assets Management Committee (FAMC) - April & May 2016 Report

Regular members: Anandi (Auroville Board of Services (ABS)), Angela (Working Committee (WCom)), Chali (Sri Aurobindo International Institute of Educational Research (SAIIER)), David (Forest group), Matriprasada (Auroville Council (AVC)), Michael (Auroville Unity Fund), Rathinam (Budget Coordination Committee (BCC)), Sauro (L'avenir d'Auroville), Sonja (Housing Board (HB)), and Ulli (Auroville Board of Commerce (ABC)).

Change in membership: In April Angela replaced Ranjith as the WCom representative.

Temporarily out of station (TOS): Jeff (Farm Group), Sonja (HB) in May

Temporary replacement: Robert (for HB); Ananda (for BCC) in May

Other: Mr. Srinivasmurthy (Finance & Administrative Officer, Auroville Foundation; currently Secretary-in-Charge) is no longer attending.

TRUST & UNIT TOPICS

The ABC recommended, and FAMC approved, the executive reappointment for a period of 2 years again of Happy Food executives Gunalakshmi and Ganesh. Boominathan resigned. FAMC requested the ABC to monitor the unit more closely and offer help to try and raise standards and improve performance.

The ABC recommended, and FAMC approved, Earth&Us executive changes as follows: appointment of Aviram, and resignation of Bindu. The current executive is Min.

The ABS recommended, and FAMC approved, a new service unit, AVSLI, with executives Alain B., and Joss, under Sangamam Trust. The activities are: *AVSLI will be the holding agency for the Sustainable Livelihood Institute partnership to be established in collaboration with the state government of Tamil Nadu. The partnership will be constituted and legalized as an independent Society with equal participation between Auroville and the government agency. AVSLI will also undertake other activities related to rural livelihoods and development activities as project and initiatives over a period of time.* The FAMC approved this with the understanding that a third executive will be proposed and approved in the next few months.

ABS recommended change of unit name of Welcome in AV to "Host", and Guest House Umbrella to "Volo". The FAMC inquired if the name changes were necessary and commented that the name 'host' has several connotations, and ask what the meaning of 'Volo' was. It was thereafter clarified that 'Host' stands for Home Stays and 'Volo' for Volunteer Lodging. FAMC approved the unit name changes to "Home Stays" and "Volunteer Lodgings" respectively.

ABS recommended, and FAMC approved, the executive resignation of Manfred from Integrated Health Services. The other executives are: Ruslan, Jocelyn and Sumeet.

ABS recommended, and FAMC approved, closure of the unit Auroville Water Harvest under CSR Trust. This is with effect from 31 March 2016.

ABS recommended, and FAMC approved, closure of the unit Celebration Guest House under Guest House Trust. This is with effect from 31 March 2015.

FAMC took up the application of Discovery Guest House again and inquired with Karna and Uma concerning the building assets under the care of the unit, Discovery. FAMC gave its support that Discovery Guest House register under the Guest House Trust. One dilapidated building has been requested to be demolished. FAMC have written to L'avenir d'Auroville their support of this request.

Some members of the FAMC and BCC met as a subgroup to review Pour Tous Purchasing Service (PTPS). The FAMC and BCC agree that PTPS is a service unit and changes are needed to bring it into alignment with that focus. The BCC took up the follow-up works and is in contact with the executives. Related to this, in April BCC wrote to the PTPS executives and made a public announcement about changing things at PTPS. The email and announcement inferred that the FAMC and BCC were in agreement about the process of informing both PTPS executives and the community. This was not accurate. In response, the FAMC wrote a statement to the BCC that the FAMC agreed in principle about the change needed however FAMC clearly stated it did not agree with the *process* proposed by the BCC. The FAMC would have preferred the BCC communication to be more accurate and clear on this point.

FAMC requested Stephanie to analyze how the 20% contribution on turnover from the guest houses, since its implementation in August 2009, impacted the income of the guest houses and their reserves, as well as the overall Auroville economy. One main observation of Stephanie's report is that if it is true that collection, expenses and balance are not clearly shown by accountants on the balance sheets this must be brought to the attention of the executives. It was noted that Home Stays were not included. Clarity and consistency is needed about what exactly the 20% is calculated on "currently just room and no breakfast for most". The report and FAMC observations were shared with the BCC and Guest Facilities Coordination Group (GFCG), and they were asked for their comments and observations. FAMC also wrote to the BCC stating its support for the 20% to be charged on bed and breakfast. *FAMC await their reply.*

Stephanie, in response to another FAMC request, submitted a Home Stay report for 2015-16. FAMC forwarded the report to the GFCG and asked if they have any comments. It was noted the report should be done again after 1 year. FAMC sent hearty thanks to Stephanie for all her detailed and helpful work on both reports. *The GFCG responded that they'll give their feedback after the summer break.*

In conversation with the WCom the FAMC recognized that Auroville needs an accounting support service, to include training and consultancy, for accounting related activities including internal and CAG audit processes. A consistent set of structures and functions (accounting code) is needed as well as a coordinating team who are not taking on accounting jobs through this platform. FAMC has invited knowledgeable individuals to look at accounting related topics such as: A. expenses / code (mechanics); B. procedures (dissemination of information); C. current accounting units; D. audit group (with guidelines). *The group has met once, and will take a break until July when they'll continue their discussions.*

It was agreed to move the former Progress Landscape office, now a residence, from the Auroville Child Development balance sheet to the Housing Service (HS) balance sheet. The housing asset will be made available for stewardship by the HS. *FAMC informed Andre T. of this action.*

Artisana Trust and ABC Trust changed auditor for the 2015-16 fiscal year. After being notified by the auditor that the change had taken place the FAMC advised the trustees on the steps to be taken. It should be noted by trustees that when they wish to change the auditor, advance notice should be provided in writing, the current auditor must provide a letter of 'no objection', any outstanding bills must be paid, and all units under the Trust must use the same auditor and be in agreement with the change.

In April FAMC were advised of a new depreciation method to be implemented in the 2015-16 audit year. After some clarifying communications with the Foundation office, FAMC decided to use the current method and asked for clear guidelines, to be provided well in advance, for the new method to be applied in 2016-17.

In mid-May FAMC reviewed the AVC-circulated draft of service tax guidelines for adult learning activities. FAMC gave its feedback to the AVC at the end of the month with the advice that the subgroup gets the opinion of a chartered accountant.

FINANCE TOPICS

In April the WCom requested an Rs. 1,5 crore overdraft, for ongoing construction and general needs, as an advance on the funds from the Government of India (Gol) grant which will be released later in the fiscal year. *This was approved.*

The Implementation and Monitoring Group (IMG) requested an additional loan of Rs. 77,220.70. Rs. 3 lakhs was approved in December 2015: Rs. 2,42,020.70 has been utilized; estimate to finish the work: Rs. 1,35,200. *This was approved.*

In May ABC recommended for Progress Landscape and Construction a Rs. 25 lakhs loan to complete the renovation work of Swagatham building for the new office. *This was approved.*

HS request a housing loan for David and Nadja who are in process of transferring housing assets to move. They require a loan of Rs 22 lakhs which will be paid after the transfer of the Luminosity apartment (Nadja) or the Angira's Garden house (David). *This was approved.*

LAND TOPICS

The Land Board (LB) submitted a proposal to utilize some of an unspecified donation, at the discretion of the FAMC to allocate, for land protection for fencing at Auroville's Nature Camp in Kavunji. *This was approved.*

LB proposed to purchase land in the greenbelt (Mathur revenue village 1.34 acres), North of Spa Equilibre. *This was approved.*

LB requested the support of the FAMC to survey land known as Brihaspathi Farm. When the LB surveyor arrived on site he was not allowed entry. It is noted, the steward was not there at that time. Subsequently FAMC advised the Farm group that all farm stewards are expected to cooperate with the LB surveyor, and to inform all farm stewards of the same. It was shared with the Farm group that the LB needs to ascertain the boundary, the type of land/typography, present land utilization, and total extent with a view to the possibility of (partial) land exchange. Farm group then requested clarification if a land exchange negotiation was proposed and FAMC stated clearly that no proposals had been made by the LB. FAMC encouraged the Farm group members to speak directly with the LB about their concerns. At the end of May LB requested an appointment to survey the land; *the survey is pending.*

The LB asked the FAMC to comment on an email from Balu (Mohanam) for papers requested Auroville Electrical Service for an electrical line to the new Mohanam Cultural and Heritage Centre being built. LB cite earlier questions of the FAMC about the land and the various activities. FAMC previously scrutinized the original land allocation by Land Resources Management (LRM) and have accepted the current plots totaling 5.87 (as surveyed by the LB) is the whole area of Bamboo Research Centre/Mohanam. This is the location of the approved Centre. *LB were informed.*

In early May members of the HB requested a decision be made about the assets in Felicity, and Happiness. Ongoing unclarity about what will happen there makes their work difficult with housing asset maintenance and repairs, and house-sitting arrangements. The FAMC members considered: A. need to agree on 'land use' in these two locations and; B. need to talk about putting a call out to the community for proposals. Later in the month the FAMC met with members of AVC, HB, LB and WCom. It was agreed that the conversation needs to be put to the wider community. It was suggested to make a presentation to share facts, details, and proposals. Any development ideas need to be

well researched. FAMC will consider the next step and follow-up. The next action was to get a map with details about the area/space. A map has been received. *A further review is pending.*

HOUSING TOPICS

FAMC met with the Sunship project holders about how best to work within Auroville current practices. Robert from HS will be their direct contact person. The FAMC emphasized the needs and benefits of the project holders collaborating with the HS on details such as the housing asset transfer agreement with the new stewards, and having house-sitting agreements when an Aurovilian or Friend of Auroville steward is out of station for an extended period of time. The FAMC requested also one contact person for the HS from the project team. The FAMC appreciate the work of the project team, and the housing project seems to be going smoothly.

FAMC were informed that Rauf made a verbal request that the housing asset in Aurodam, of which he was the steward, be allocated to Auroville-born Cameron who is presently 16 years old. After meeting with Auralice, Bobby, Claire, and Divya it was agreed that Clare, Erissa and Cameron will live in Rauf's house. The house that will be vacated by them, also in Aurodam, will be used by the HS on a temporary basis for Newcomers or Aurovilians in agreement with HS and the Aurodam residents. Stewardship and other occupancy agreements will be drawn up with HS. It will be stated in writing that Cameron has until she is 25 years old to inform if she would like to live in one or the other of the two Aurodam housing assets, provided she is an Aurovilian.

During April and May the FAMC was reviewing the situation of a housing asset in Angiras Garden. It was reported the representative of the TOS steward has been requesting money from the house-sitters, allegedly without the consent of the steward, in addition to the normal contribution as agreed and set forth in a house-sitting agreement facilitated by the HS. FAMC continue to work towards clarity on the facts of the situation with the HS and the steward. The house-sitters were instructed to not give any more money directly to the representative of the steward.

The residents of Samasti were concerned about the allocation of one housing asset and contacted the FAMC. The HS submitted its report to the FAMC. It was agreed to send the HS report to the Samasti residents stating that it seems they do not have all the information and perhaps a meeting together with the HS, in person, would assist in a better communication. In May the Samasti residents reached an agreement which was accepted by the HS.

In April the HS/HB requested clarification from FAMC about the situation of Jackie & Nelis, and the house-sitter LiFang, in Surrender. Jackie & Nelis requested compensation of Rs. 3,50,000 for renovation work done the last time they were here, a couple years ago. They are not planning to return to Auroville. FAMC agreed the Rs. 3,12,000 that they received directly from LiFang (current house-sitter) will be considered as an advance on the compensation, added to the Rs. 3,50,000 they're requesting now. Finally, an outstanding housing loan in the amount of Rs. 1,15,825 has been waived. This is agreeable to the FAMC only with a written document that they hold no further claim to the housing asset or the housing asset transfer value in case they decide to return to Auroville. This has been communicated to Jackie & Nelis, who have agreed.

HS/HB recommended Vika become a member of the HB, representing HS, and replacing Satyakam. FAMC approved Vika to replace Satyakam on the HB, on a 3-month trial basis as per the mandate.

AVC requested FAMC input on its recommendation that Aurovici not continue for another term in the HB as one of the three community at large representatives. The HB does not agree and made a few separate appeals stating their reasons for Aurovici to continue on the HB. After quite a lot of deliberation the FAMC accepted the Housing Board's insistence that Aurovici continue as a member. Noted: Aurovici's first 3 year term was February 2012-

15; since then he has been active in the HB for an additional 1 year already, so has 2 more years of a subsequent term, until February 2018 to serve. *FAMC informed AVC and HB.*

FAMC reviewed the situation at Sacred Groves in both April and May. FAMC have recently advised the project holders to dramatically change their approach. *FAMC await their response.*

OTHER TOPICS

The FAMC and Working Committee (WCom) met and discussed: 1. Atithi Griha and Swagatham guest houses moving from the Guest House Trust into the Bharat Nivas Trust; 2. Hospitality Trust deed to be re-drafted with further input; 3. Economy Think Tank proposal; 4. Accounting Service proposal (see more under units section above).

FAMC asked the 50th Anniversary Planning Team for details about proposals that incurred recurring costs such as maintenance. The team responded with detailed project proposal information and upon a verbal report by one team member it was decided that for the time being the FAMC doesn't have any further questions or concerns.

In mid-April Elisa and Niva gave a presentation on a proposed Appeal Process of working group decisions. FAMC members gave some feedback which was incorporated. At the end of this reporting period FAMC were requested to clarify one point in their feedback and due to the summer break, the topic is on hold until after July.

In 2014 the Auroville Foundation entered into a partnership with Airstream. It was reported to the FAMC that it is no longer necessary to be in this partnership, and therefore Mr. Srinivasmurthy, Secretary-in-Charge, should be requested to withdraw from the partnership. This was approved and Mr. Srinivasmurthy advised.

The International Zone Coordination Team (IZCT) requested funds for fundraising from the money left by the former fund raising cell. FAMC had several questions such as who would be responsible for accounting; who would make fund utilization decisions; where is the office; who is involved in the fund-raising; what are planned fund-raising activities. FAMC sent their questions to the IZCT and await their reply.

In mid-May AVC invited FAMC input on a revised Leaving Auroville Fund, and Leaving Auroville Fund Allowance process. FAMC had nothing to add or change and informed the AVC.

Savi requested the FAMC to review the volunteer contribution policy. During the discussion it was remembered that the policy was created by the BCC, therefore BCC were requested to review and assess the policy since it's been in place for 2 years. A wider team, like that which created it, should be involved in this review and assessment. FAMC asked: is it accomplishing what it was meant to? How much money is being contributed through this policy? FAMC recommended that BCC consider to: reinstate the contribution waiver; create categories of volunteers considering the whole spectrum of volunteers, ie those registered with Savi, those who are not, and that some receive remuneration, some do not; create flexibility in the policy. Finally, BCC were requested to look into volunteer remuneration as part of the overall review. FAMC offered to meet with the BCC if needed.

Following up from previous reports

Previously it was reported the FAMC were in conversation with ABC and ABS concerning the registration of Auromode Apartments. In April the FAMC reconfirmed its decision that it be registered under Guest House Trust. In May the executives requested it be registered under the newly created Hospitality Trust. *FAMC will review this request.*

In April the FAMC formed a joint subgroup with FAMC, BCC, AVC and HRT members to review maintenance. The subgroup met once and due to some people going out, they postponed a second meeting until July/August.

In follow-up with the eateries, FAMC had the idea to either request that a percentage on turnover contribution be made to

the City Services budget, or at least a 25% discount would be given to all Aurovilians. The BCC was asked for its comments which were provided at the end of May. *FAMC still need to review their input.*

In the February and March report it was shared the FAMC and WCom propose to create a Hospitality Trust. This has been done and in the last two months the Trust Deed has been written to comply with the new Regulations. The two trustees are Daniel E., and Susan S.. More trustees will be added shortly.

Forest group meeting minutes in Samriddhi 3.6.16

Present: Gopal, Guy & Malvika, Santiago from Ecuador (guest), Shivaraj, Mani, Christoph, Agnes, Rita, Tine, David, Aurore, Balu, Segar, Diego, Achilles, Venkatesh, Jasmin & Aravinda, Jeremy, Boobalan, Thananjayam, Kanniapan; chairperson: Agnes; note taker: Tine;

The Forest group approved the stewardship of Gopal from 'Infinity' for a newly purchased piece of land survey# RP224/6B near 'Infinity' of about 1 acre. Gopal wants to plant trees on the plot. The approval will be forwarded to the Green Group who in turn will submit the request of stewardship to the FAMC.

Ayyanar wants to look after a few isolated pieces of land near 'Freedom' in the NE-greenbelt. The Forest group wants him to clarify the exact location with a map and make a proposal what he plans to do on these lands. The stewardship of land brings certain responsibilities with it.

Segar has been approved as a caretaker of 3 isolated plots of land with the survey numbers: MA296/7, MA297/4, MA297/2, MA298/1, MA294/2, MA294/3,294/5 (in total 4.8 acres) under the guidance of Rishi and Enea. These lands are in the northern greenbelt between 'Baraka' and 'Nine Palms'.

The forest group guarantees that the loan Shivaji of 'Nine Palms' applied for with the FAMC to purchase a tractor will be paid back.

David announced that Achilles will help him with the complex situation on the 'Aurodam' watershed. Forest group approved.

David introduced Ecuadorian Santiago who will be helping with the forest. Forest group approved.

A piece of land behind 'Pitchandikulam' and 'Sharnga' needs to be fenced to be protected from encroachment. Balu and Shivam asked the Forest group if there are funds available for the fencing. The meeting clarified that the Land board is ultimately responsible for protecting all of Auroville's lands against encroachment and has funds for fencing. Therefore the Land board should be approached regarding funds. The land stewards are fully responsible to arrange funds and fencing for their stewarded lands.

A question was raised around SLI (Sustainable Livelihood Institute) and Paul Vincent's objection based on reported flooding of the proposed building site at Irumbai Lake at the peak of the last monsoon. In general, the forest group supports SLI but would like a clarification about the location, i.e. if the buildings are proposed to be built on wetlands. It was explained that most buildings are planned on the land donated to Auroville by Kalya, until now actively used as a stone yard, and all planning has taken into account the high water line of Irumbai as well as consciously respecting all natural features of the landscape. Fabian (TOS for a month) and Mona will be happy to share more details and show the site to anyone interested.

The meeting discussed a concern of the Green Group whether there are some communities in the Greenbelt which only have a small number of residents doing green work and whether the Forest Group still promotes the principle that those living in the green belt should do green work? The Forest group assures the Green group that the greenbelt policy has not changed. Certain residents are working outside the greenbelt and that is alright. There are many different ways of involvement with green work - educational and otherwise. Certainly the greenbelt shouldn't be

developed into a residential sector ('leafy suburbs') but many hands are needed to help maintain the places and the forest. People living in the greenbelt should take up some responsibility and should also contribute, either with work or money. It was said that foresters often have to spend their individual funds to maintain places. Building applications in the greenbelt are dealt with on a case-to-case basis by the Forest group and recommended to TDC.

Next Forest group meeting in Fertile 7th of July.

Farm Group Monthly Report for May 2016

1. **AURO-ORCHARD**; after taking legal advice it has been decided that a civil court case on behalf of Auroville should be made through the courts. This is in the process of being completed.
2. **REPORT ON SUSTENANCE AND NEW SERVICE FARM**; in the light of the conflict between Sustenance and New Service farm the Farm Group requested two of its members to write a comprehensive report about the situation. It was hoped that this would provide some clarity as the best way to move forward with resolving the problems. The report has now been completed and been sent to the FAMC for their feedback. As they were one of the main groups involved in the development of this situation. So far no feedback has been received. The report will be shared with the community in mid-June as the group feels there are many lessons to be learnt from what happened.
3. **BRIHASPATI FARM LAND EXCHANGE**; last month the FAMC/Land Board tried to undertake a survey in Brihaspathi farm without consulting either the steward or the Farm Group group. Since the Farm Group feels that a survey is often the first step in changing land use the group had grave reservations about letting this survey go ahead. Subsequently some members of the Farm Group met with the FAMC but

were unable to clarify exactly what was going on. The Land Board subsequently contacted the Farm Group and it seems that this survey is being requested because there is a possibility of some of the farm being used for land exchange. This is the **fourth farm** that has been requested for this purpose and the Farm Group cannot understand why working farms are being requested for land exchange rather than other outlying land. The Farm Group are still discussing how best to respond to this request.

4. **LAND IN ALANKKUPAM**; the Farm Group have been requesting a survey of this area for a very long time so that it is clear which plots are available for food production. A survey has at last been completed but it is still not clear how much of the land is being used by the Bamboo Centre. The Farm Group intends to request stewardship of all the unused land for food production.
5. **PGS (PARTICIPATORY GUARANTEE SCHEME)**; the group has been re-created and is working towards creating a local organic certification for Auroville farms.
6. **SIDDHARTHA FARM**; discussions are ongoing as to the best way to develop Siddhartha Lake farm and Siddhartha farm.
7. **FOODLINK**; the sub group continues to explore and deal with the many challenges that Foodlink has being the link between Auroville farms and the community. The possibility of having a better internal delivery service for Auroville is being explored and a meeting between Foodlink and customers needing this service is being set up. There continues to be ongoing discussion about quality control issues.
8. **OTHER ISSUES**; during this month the Farm Group has had to deal with several requests for an electricity connection and building requests from Windarra and Aurogreen. Vivek the coordinator of the Farm Group has resigned.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Prevention Campaign against Sexual Abuse and Harassment of Women at Workplace

Dear Service or Unit Holder,

This is to let you know that all services and units of Auroville have to comply with the recent Act of Parliament that protects against sexual abuse and harassment in the work place:

The Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition and Re-dressal) Act 2013.

To that end, we have:

1. appointed an **Internal Complaints Committee** to deal with any incident of sexual abuse or harassment at services and work places in Auroville (contact: icc@auroville.org.in)
2. produced a **poster** in both English and Tamil that gives details of the rights of employees on this matter. This laminated poster will be delivered to you within a week.
3. designed an **information seminar** that we will send you details of in due course.

Legislation requires that information on the act be displayed in all workplaces in India. We would request you to display these posters in a prominent place that workers can clearly see and to contact ICC immediately should there be any employees needing assistance. Please see the poster for full contact details.

With thanks,
The Working Committee

(Editors Note: Please also find copies of these posters at the back of this issue of the News&Notes for a wider community's reach on this important matter)

Residents Service closed for a week

Auroville Residents Service will be closed for a week from 13/06/2016 to 17/06/2016
Residents Service Team :)

Leaving Auroville Allowance Policy

As you may be aware, there is an existing policy by which an Aurovillian leaving Auroville can ask for financial assistance in case he/she needs it. The amount and validity of request in each case is determined by a few members of the "Leaving Auroville Allowance Pool". We have edited this policy based on the present reality, also keeping in mind the changes which are about to come.

Please see this link (<https://www.auroville.org.in/article/57589>) for the revised version for your perusal and feedback.

Kindly send your comments to avcoffice@auroville.org.in on or before 18th of June 2016.

Thanks and regards,
Auroville Council

L'Avenir d'Auroville / TDC - Site and Building Applications feedback 11/06/2016

The following Site and Building Applications (SA and BA) are announced for feedback from the community for a period of two weeks from the date of publication.

The announcement is made for feedback only and does not mean that the project has final approval. The final approval is given when L'Avenir d'Auroville / TDC issues an NOC (No Objection Certificate). This happens only once the feedback

period is over, the feedback has been evaluated, a final decision by TDC has been reached and the necessary financial formalities have been completed. It is only after issuing a final building permission that fencing, building or any other activity on the site can start.

It has to be noted that site permission is given to reserve the site for a maximum period of two years in order to prepare a project proposal. It does not give any right to fence and clear the site unless, for practical reasons, there is a special permission of the TDC.

Individual Projects

• Site Applications

1. Guy & Malvika, Fertile North: Dismountable House on plot no. MA 307/4

• Building Applications

1. Jung, Yantra: House Extension - Kitchen

Collective Projects

• Site application

No new SA

• Building Applications

1. Integrated Animal Care - Rita, Edayanchavady, A secure dog house on plot no IR175/5 for an area of 72 sq.m

For additional information, please write to avenir@auroville.org.in, call 2622-170 or come directly to L'Avenir d'Auroville/TDC office in the Town Hall.

For more information on the location of the plots mentioned above, you can find this same announcement with map(s) on the Auronet page of L'Avenir d'Auroville/TDC.

FROM THE ENTRY SERVICE - N&N NO- 651 dated 11.06.2016

We would like to inform the community that our team is happy to Announce the names of the Children of Aurovilians who have

signed the B Form at the age of 18+ and have been entered in The Register of Residents held by the Auroville Foundation.

Dwani VENKATAKRISHNAN - Indian
Cecilia CORTES - Italian
Lisa SUCHANEK - German
Pradyumna RATHINAM - Indian
Raffaello BALDESI - Indian/Swedish
Rosy SHANKAR - Indian
Saranya IYYAPPAN - Indian
Shanthy VELMURUGAN - Indian
Stav MERGUEI - Israelian
Suhasini DAMIEN - German

Note: The Entry Service is not closing for any summer breaks. The new Entry Policy is effective from July 1, 2016. Two important meetings will take place in June for updating everyone. Please see the note in last week's N&N.

Dear Newcomers,

The Entry Service team would like to inform you of the timings designated specifically for you to collect or submit the Newcomer Kit. Please pass by our office in Town Hall during these hours only:

Monday & Wednesday at 2pm to 4pm. Please return these Kits within one month or the process goes on hold.

We are open for B-Forms and Recommendation letter matters, **on appointment only.**

For all other matters, the office is open to the public on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 10-12am, except for **every last week of each month when we are closed to the public** to do the internal office work.

The Entry Service team

(B, Chitra, Christiane, Eva, Giridev, Ishita, Neeti)

O B I T U A R Y



Yuri passed away

It is with great sadness that I inform the community that our friend Yuri from Aspiration left his body due to a heart attack during his stay in St. Petersburg where he had gone to help his family. Yuri worked in different places during his years in Auroville, at Pitanga, at the cheese farm, and finally at YuNa farm where he was making Camembert cheese. He was also known at the old gym room of New Creation for helping young people in body building. He had also taught chess at the beginnings of Deepanam School. He lived for many years in Aspiration and Fraternity. We remember him as a great man and good friend, strong in mind and personality and with a soft heart for his close friends.

See you again Yurishka!
Namah

F O R Y O U R I N F O R M A T I O N

Sustainable Solid Waste Management Needs All of Us

Waste segregation is an easy task if started at the source of waste production - that means back at your home, office, unit etc.

However, it becomes a messy affair and often an impossible task if the waste producers - that is you- don't wash (and segregate) and the waste arrives mixed and/ or dirty at the Eco Service.

To improve Auroville's waste management and make the most of our recyclable and reusable waste, we would like to offer a three day exploration of the topic: "Let's Talk Trash"

If you, your family, community, guest house, unit... want to talk trash with us, a 3-day session will look like this:

• Day 1: Session with Aurovilians

- We will identify one or more people to take responsibility for coordinating with the Eco-service (organize waste

collection and take care of all solid waste related activities in their community).

- We (the outreach team) will understand the community's existing waste management practices and waste stream.
- If needed, we can help to find solutions for things like collection shed design, standard segregation methods.
- Share information on the size, type and number of barrels needed; where to buy this barrels and how to transport them, how to coordinate with Eco-service collection team for frequent waste collection service; notes on user fees and incentive for recyclables.
- Day 2: Session with community ammas and gardeners
 - Talk with the ammas and gardeners and improve their awareness on solid waste management and connected environmental issues and teach them how to segregate.
 - We use a "Why- How- What" strategy, posters and photographs to explain about health and environmental impacts associated with different waste management practices.

- At the end of this session we practice together how to pick specific waste material from the mixed waste barrel and move it to the appropriate barrel - this improves their understanding and helps to clear any doubts.
- **Day 3: Monitoring session a few weeks later**
- One month later we visit again to monitor the impact of the first two days of the outreach session and we provide further help or advice when needed.

Let's make Auroville a role model for solid waste management - together! Are you ready to talk trash with us? If yes, call Kali (9443090114) or Palani (9443535172) to book a session.
The Eco Service Team

50th Anniversary of Auroville - Proposal

Dear members of the community,
 After a whole year of envisioning and designing the 50th Anniversary proposal with your help and inputs, a proposal and request for funding has now been submitted to the HRD Ministry.

Background:

In May 2015, on behalf of the Envisioning Committee (EC), the Working Committee (WCom) called for proposals from the community for the celebration of Auroville's 50th Anniversary. In September 2015 after the first study of these proposals from the community, and during a General Meeting a preparatory team of Aurovilians emerged to take up the role of designing a consolidated proposal and budget for evaluation by the EC.

In November 2015, this preparatory team started its work. Through a participatory process, it designed and submitted a first proposal to the EC in February 2016, and a revised one in March 2016.

In April 2016, the EC studied the information provided by the preparatory team and prepared a final proposal which was sent to Dr. Karan Singh. Dr. Karan Singh has since, approved and recommended the proposal to the Minister, HRD, in May 2016.

The EC would now like to share this proposal with the community. Please note that this is a proposal only, which needs to be approved by the HRD Ministry. The HRD Ministry is free to decide not to approve the proposal or allocate only part funding. If the HRD Ministry allocates only part funding the EC

will have to reduce the projects to construct a programme which comes within the budget available to us.

You will find the proposal on Auronet: <https://www.auroville.org.in/article/57629>

As soon as we have a confirmation from the HRD Ministry on the amount approved we will communicate the same to the community.

We thank the Preparatory Team for their diligent work and the community for furnishing ideas. We will keep you updated on developments.

In the meantime, for any queries, please continue to contact the Working Committee.

With best regards,

The Envisioning Committee (Sir Mark Tully, Aster Patel, Ameeta Mehra, Carel, Mandakini)

All Newsletters in one place

We are happy to share with you, our latest offering - <http://newsletters.auroville.org/>

It is a micro-site for listing all newsletters from Auroville.

The purpose of this micro-site is to help visitors to:

- know that there are many newsletters available from Auroville
- easily subscribe one or more newsletters from a single place
- If you have a mailchimp newsletter mailing list and want people to subscribe to your newsletter, please write to us with the following details. We will list your newsletter on the site.
- mailchimp list id
- api key
- one-liner description
- detailed description (optional)

We also request those who have newsletters to mention <http://newsletters.auroville.org/> as a place to get many more newsletters from Auroville. This will help subscribers of one mailing list to know about other newsletters from Auroville so that everyone benefits.

Thank you

Manoj for Auroville Web Services: webservices@aurville.org.in

POSTINGS

CIRHU - collecting soil

Dear Auroville,

In view of the fiftieth anniversary, CIRHU would like to collect a handful of soil from all the sovereign States and other territories that were not present at the Foundation Ceremony on the 28th of February 1968. We invite all Aurovilians, Newcomers, volunteers, guests and friends to check our list of the missing handfuls of soil and participate at this initiative.

To check the list of missing handfuls of soil you can contact us at: giacomoauroville@gmail.com

Thank you, *Giacomo for CIRHU*

Green Belt Master Plan and Land Use Plan

Dear community,

On the Auronet, you will find *the Green Belt Master Plan and Land Use Plan* for your perusal:

<https://www.auroville.org.in/article/57597>

For feedback, please send an email to: avenir@aurville.org.in

If you do not have Auronet but would like to read these documents, please pass by the office (2622-170) with a USB stick or send us an email.

Best, *L'avenir d'Auroville/TDC*

A talk in Bologna (Italy)

On the 11th of June, in Bologna (Italy), Paola De Paolis will give a talk, in the IBIS esoteric bookshop, on "SAVITRI - A Legend and a Symbol": our past, present and future true story, in Sri Aurobindo's poetic masterpiece.

Paola De Paolis

H.E.R.S to Close for Renovations

HERS will be closed from Monday the 13th till Monday the 20th, for renovations. We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause but it is unavoidable.

The HERS team

AVAILABLE

Mangoes!

Mangoes of many varieties are available at Baraka. Please pass by between 8:30 and 12 noon Mondays through Saturdays. Sunday closed. Thanks, *Gabi and Mahi*

Row house with garden in Sanjana Housing Project

The construction of our last Block is going on; there is still one row-house with garden available, you are most welcome to have a look. For appointment and details please contact Helene at: heleneq7@hotmail.com. *Sanjana Management Team*

Windows 10 Upgrade

Microsoft is offering free upgrade to Windows 10 operating system for all licensed Windows 7, 8 and 8.1 users. This offer ends on 29th July 2016. Please read the information on the link below. You can run the upgrade installation over the Internet on your own or contact your computer services provider to do this for you. If you need help understanding and/or installing the upgrade, you may contact us at Mira Computers.

windows.microsoft.com/en-in/windows-10/upgrade-to-windows-10-faq

Bobby [Mira Computers, Aurelec / miracomputers@gmail.com / +91-413-2622747 or +91-413-2623404]

Office space for rent

A completely newly renovated office space (40 square mtrs) very quiet and green surrounding for rent at Auromode with the following facilities: 24 hours Security service / 24 hours Generator back-up / Aquadyne drinking water / Car & Bike parking. Best regards, Auromode Trust Auroshilpam, Auroville - 60510 - Tel: 0413-2622193-161 / mobile: 99433 90391

LOOKING FOR ...

Metal Cupboard and Toys

Thamarai Creche in Edayanchavady is expanding and for its new room it is looking for a metal cupboard that is lockable, as a donation or a contribution is available if needed. Children are 2 - 3 years of age and we also welcome donations of toys that are in good conditions - wooden blocks, Lego, toys for sand play etc. Please contact Kathy at: kathy@auroville.org.in or 9443135005 / www.facebook.com/AV.Thamarai/timeline

EcoFemme pads users to be interviewed:

Eco Femme is engaging a volunteer researcher to better understand the experiences of local women who have been using our cloth pads for 1 year or longer. We would like to conduct interviews with these women from the second half of June till end of July. We would be grateful if you could ask your amma or women employees if she has been using the cloth pads and would be ready to answer some questions about her experience. If the answer is yes, please let us know and we will arrange a convenient time to come and meet her. This research is important for helping us build a strategy for making cloth pads accessible to more and more rural women across India. Thank you for your support

kathy@ecofemme.org / 9443135005

www.youtube.com/watch?v=bQhm06ash3w&authuser=0

www.youtube.com/watch?v=bQhm06ash3w

www.ecofemme.org

www.facebook.com/ecofemmeindia



Kneeling office chair

Anyone in AV making chairs like this...? Or any idea where to find them in Pondy or online...? Or does anyone have an extra one lying around that I could borrow or buy? Looking for one urgently...Thanks, L'aura, 9442788016, laura.joyful@gmail.com

Volunteer visitors for Shanti

Dear AV, NC and Guests,

I am so grateful for all the support that I have received until now, from at least 40 of you. I continue to need someone with me for an hour or two - or more - at a time, while I recover from hip replacement surgery. If you come, there is not a lot to do; it's mostly just being present with me while I am in bed or while I walk with a walker. I am happy to help anyone

improve their English or to talk about how Family Constellation work might be relevant to your family. This week is covered except for 5 to 7 pm on Sat, 11 June. For the next two weeks, 13 - 27 June, I will need volunteers only in the afternoons Mon to Sat and all day Sunday. Any combination of hours from 2 pm to 7 pm will work for me. If you are to help, please contact me. Thanks a lot.

Shanti in Creativity Community (0413-2623314 or - Shanti@auroville.org.in)

Others to Buy Tetra Pack Sheets in Bulk Together

We are going to purchase tetra pack sheets. Do you want to join? Bulk purchase is cost effective. Here is some information: "Firstly thank you for showing interest in our product Green Roof and as per your request we are sending you the details of Green Roof:

-- Eco Friendly Roofing sheets made out of 100% Recycled ♻ Wastage. The sheets offer a host of structural and technical benefits over other similar products. Green Roof sheets have a wide range of application such as the Corrugated Sheets can be used for Roofing of Residential Sheds/Factory Sheds, Godowns, Fencing New Construction Site, as Roof top for Site Offices/Godowns, Plain sheets can be used for Partitions at Site Office, Sheets can be moulded to make outdoor Furniture, benches etc. And Green Roof sheets are completely water proof as they hardly have any water absorption. Also by purchasing the Green Roof you will be among the ones to use ECO FRIENDLY RECYCLED ♻ PRODUCT which will also help in promoting your Company as Environment friendly. Also You will be Executing your share of SOCIAL OBLIGATION - as the product is made from 100% wastage items which are generally picked and collected by the economically backward, under privilege class of our society and who always look for help from people like your good selves, and you also help in maintaining the Environment Balance as normally this Plastic Waste would have gone as Landfill and eaten up large portion of open land but by Re-cycling the waste we are saving the Mother Planet Earth from the Pollution of Plastic.

1.Green Roof Plain Sheets are available in 8' x 4' -- 4 mm to 25 mm in thickness which can be used for partition , flooring, Outdoor - Garden Furniture etc. & can be used as an alternative for marine ply & gurgan ply.

2.Green Roof Corrugated Sheets are available in 8' x 3'3" -- 5 mm thickness."

Siddhartha Farm Herbert

LOST & FOUND

Wallet (Found)

A wallet was found on the road near Savitri Bhavan, on Saturday night (4th of June). "Matthew James" seems to be the name of the owner. Please contact Parthipan: 8098740882

White arm-length cotton gloves (Found)

A pair of gloves was found near Madhuca about a week ago. Please pick up from the "Lost and Found" box in the News&Notes office

THANK YOU

"Latin Night" Fundraising for Ecuador Earthquake Victims

When all hearts open for a cause and Unity becomes the goal of this team, we can create something wonderful! Such as at the Latin Night, where more than 50 shiny souls helped make this cultural event happen. We had on stage musicians and singers of Latin and Ecuadorian music, drums, percussion, capoeira and fire spinning. On the menu we offered Ecuadorian ceviche, pizza, syrup drinks and chai. More than 300 people came to the Youth Center on the evening of the 21st of May to enjoy the show and support Ecuador with donations. Together, we raised more than 33,000 rupees and this amount was sent on the 31st of May 2016 to the Red Cross in Ecuador, who takes care of the earthquake victims around the coastal area of the North of Ecuador.



The following people from all over the world made this event happen:

Mohan, Anandi, Jean, Mahi, Shanks, Shakti, Vera, Swaha, Francois, Shalini, Suresh, Chandresh, Sarah, John, Annabelle, Romeo, Adishiva, Sunil, Iraguha, Alexia, Andres, Hanna, Sandeep, Samuka, Ginga Saroba Group, Aurelio, Prakash, Santosh, Anand, Susay, Arun, SVARAM, Bhavyo, Aurevan, Dyuman, Priyam, Marco S, Anahat, Miriam, Roshan, Babu, Samy, YC CREW, Marion, Sebastian, Navmeet, Saleem, TANTO, Stella, Edgar, AVATAR, FERTILE CREW, Gabriela, Max, Mudit, Vijay, Satpal, Varum, Bitna, Aejin, Siddarth, Daniella, Botanical Garden.

For all of you and the rest who are not mentioned here, THANK YOU VERY MUCH!

Santiago from Ecuador - Peace and Love - C.A.L.I. (Casa America Latina India)

APPEAL

To Aurovilians - Prosperity Service

We created in 1990, after a General Meeting, with 4 or 5 Aurovilians, a Prosperity Service. Sweet Mother created at the Ashram a Prosperity Service free of any financial implications. In Auroville also it covered the material bases for all Aurovillian adults and children, like bed, table, chair, writing table, cycle, fans, and worked several years.

Recently people asked me for some support in the collective Auroville life. One of the Matrimandir guards at the entrance asked me several times if I could offer him a cycle.

We'd like to offer this request to the collective.

If you wish to help, contact: GangaLakshmi, Savitri Bhavan 0413-2622922, personal: 0413-2623041.

With infinite gratitude,
GangaLakshmi

Preparing for the monsoon at Siddhartha Farm: tetra pack sheets roof needed

We need some financial assistance to change our cow-house roof into a permanent tetra-pack-sheet-roof. To complete the work we are looking for financial support to go ahead. Can you help? Financial help can be channelled through acc. 0486 with description: "roof for cows" Thanks for your help from the cows and myself!

Siddhartha Farm Herbert

ACCOMMODATIONS AVAILABLE AND NEEDED

Long Term Accommodation available in Surrender

Dear All, Muryarchi (Surrender community) is a common house for Youth people in Auroville. We have now an available room for a person, Newcomer or Aurovillian, between the ages of 22 to 34 to live with us as soon as possible. For more details please send an email to muyarchilist@auroville.org. Warmly, *Muryarchi members (Sara, Kiran, Nitin, Auroanand, Rani, Chandana and Margaux)*

Accommodation needed in Amsterdam (The Netherlands)

My daughter Anama is looking for somebody in Amsterdam that knows somebody that could rent a small studio or has a place for colocation at a reasonable price from this September onwards, she's going to study there and she needs a contact to find a place where to stay for the school year. She's willing to exchange the place for small work time too. If anyone has a contact please contact me and I will put them in touch. My mail address is: lele@auroville.org.in. Thank U very much, *Emanuele {Sukavati}*

TAXI SHARING

June 13th: Leaving Auroville around 3.30 pm to Chennai airport. If you would like to share either ways please call/message 8524953594 or email: simonasvrd@gmail.com - Thanks, *Simona*

June 14th: I will leave Auroville around 3.30 pm for Chennai Airport. If you wish to share the taxi please let me know: lala@auroville.org.in

June 15th: Taxi leaving Auroville at 7 am on Wednesday 15th June to airport. Taxi sharing is possible both ways. Return trip could have some time flexibility from Chennai, but most likely,

start time from Chennai could be around 5 pm or so. *Lalit*, lalit@auroville.org.in, 94437-90172

June 28th: I will leave Auroville around 3.30 pm for Chennai Airport; if you wish to share the taxi please let me know: pierre@auroville.org.in

June 30th: Going to Chennai Airport to catch a 10:30 pm flight (leaving Auroville latest 4 pm). One person going, empty on the way back. Can share either way, and adjust timings if needed. +919047244773 / astgat@gmail.com, *Dmitri*

HEALTH

AvHC - Cardiology Camp

There will be a free Cardiology Camp at AV Health Center on Sunday 19th of June 2016 between 9 am and 4 pm, held by AG Padmavathy Hospital. All Hypertension and Diabetes Patients are urged to take this opportunity.
AvHC

SPORTS

Auroville and Inter-village Athletics and Volleyball event

The rains of last weekend create a late start for the Auroville and inter village June sports event but it is ready to begin this **Sunday June 12th**. There is much enthusiasm with 580 people currently registered to take part in the month long Sunday events. The heats and finals of athletics will take place at **Dehashakti from 8.00 am to 1pm this Sunday June 12th** and the following **Sundays, June 19th and 26th**, will host the volleyball and go go events from 8am to 5pm.

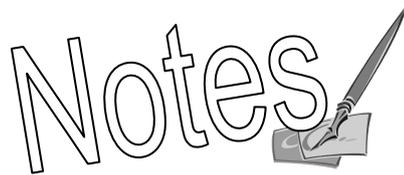
The Auroville Sports Resource Centre has teamed up with Auroville Village Action Group (AVAG), Dehashakti team and the Paalam Network (AVAG/youth network from 18 villages surrounding Auroville), to create this sports event that maybe the starting point of more concentrated development of sports in the Auroville bio-region.

This event will give Auroville a rich opportunity to fostering connection and friendships with local youth that has the potential of further co-creative initiatives.

The cost of the combined events are 1.2 lakh and contributions are very welcome to Village Action account number 0226, please mark in description: "sports event".

Those from Auroville who would like to be involved should contact jothi@auroville.org.in at the Auroville Resource Centre and village participants should contact Auroville Village Action Office in Irumbai. avagoffice@auroville.org.in.

[Village Action Website](#)[Village Action Facebook](#) / [Village Action Twitter](#) / [Village Action Youtube Channel](#)



Roundabout - Basic Principle for Best Development (Part 2 & 3 combined & abridged)

The Mother was involved in the deepest evolutionary experiment ever carried out on earth - the transformation of the body cells - when she spoke of Auroville hosting World Olympics, having a seaport, an international airport, and national pavilions of each country. When she envisioned such a lively, pulsating, diverse, multifaceted universal township, she must have had her reasons from the evolutionary point of view. As I see it that point of view was: to enhance world receptivity towards the future by the development of a unique universal township.

The proposal to build the 'Tower of Auroville Attributes' has the potential to increase receptivity of a whole group. A silent sentinel similar to Matrimandir which nourishes the imagination of Aurovillians, of all people of goodwill including visiting volunteers from around the world and, thus, start a new chapter in the life of Auroville.

What I am proposing need not be undeniably fixated in matter like the Eiffel Tower. It could be foldable, dismountable. Besides, the cost of the whole project can be within Auroville's humble budget. But the potential benefits, both in terms of collective consciousness and creativity, would simply be immeasurable.

Proposal:

To build an experimental prototype frame which rotates slowly and holds panels depicting in English, Tamil, French and Sanskrit 15 attributes, 15 characteristics of Auroville alongside suggestive pictures / photos / painting of Auroville in the larger background of corresponding Hibiscus with colour combination as illuminated by the Mother. Once the prototype is found operating successfully, to build a larger and sturdy frame with larger panels.

Technicalities:

12 meter high, 15 dimensional frame standing 1 meter above the ground and holding panels which depict 15 attributes of Auroville. These could be a laminated sheet affixed on the panels. The frame should slowly rotate, electrically.

Possible name of the installation: Tower of Auroville Attributes

Benefits:

The benefits of building "Tower of Auroville Attributes" are many:

- 1) In the Old Testament there is the story of the Tower of Babel - "a tower whose tops are in heavens". The 'Tower of Auroville Attributes' will be a symbol of Auroville's aspiration for heaven on earth through the search for 15 attributes of Auroville and their manifestation in matter.
- 2) It will serve to remind, recall, widen, deepen, heighten, strengthen people's understanding of essential Auroville attributes and characteristics
- 3) It will strengthen community's will power to realise and manifest those attributes
- 4) It will help establish Auroville's orientation and future path
- 5) It will help establish Auroville's identity
- 6) It will generate goodwill and understanding and collaboration towards Auroville from the outside world
- 7) 'The most important thing for Auroville is Auroville...the most important thing for Auroville, the most important thing for Auroville' The Mother uttered this thrice with great force and then laughed. - Udar. The proposed Tower of Auroville Attributes will help establish Auroville at the centre of the life of the community.
- 8) The Tower of Auroville Attributes will help sink those 15 attributes in the sub-conscious mind of the community and mould the psychological being of the community from within.

- 9) It will nourish the imagination of the people and foster creativity. For example: CIHRU and its coordinator Luigi has come out with 12 sections of Auroville where people can submit their ideas and vision in boxes kept at the Town Hall. Then, bring people with complementary ideas and skills and vision to collaborate. The propose Tower of Auroville Attributes will complement the whole process as it will guide people's thinking along the lines of these 15 attributes of Auroville.
- 10) *"A revolution is coming – a revolution which will be peaceful if we are wise enough; compassionate if we care enough; successful if we are fortunate enough – But a revolution which is coming whether we will it or not. We can affect its character; we cannot alter its inevitability."* - Robert Kennedy
The Tower of Auroville Attributes will help make future changes in the collective life of Auroville, peaceful, harmonious, compassionate and alter its character in a constructive way.
- 11) It will foster an environment of luminous peace, serenity, silence, joy, innocence, beauty, goodwill and collaboration.
- 12) Future possibility. *"Thought power, almost the soul power of the nation"* Sri Aurobindo
Someday, there will be a well-established Auroville Think-tank to study and deliberate on various topics and issues. They will find in the 'Tower of Auroville Attributes' their yardstick to guide their reflections, their thought processes, all considerations and research.

Aryadeep

For your calendar



AMPHITHEATRE - MATRIMANDIR

Meditation with Savitri read by Mother to Sunil's music
Every Thursday at sunset

From 6.00 to 6.30 pm (weather permitting)

Enjoy the beautiful open space, an immense sunset, heavenly music in the very center of Auroville!

Reminder to all:

The Park of Unity is a place for silence, meditation and inner work and is to be used only as such. We request everyone: please do not to use cameras, I-pads, cell phones, etc.

Dear Guests, please carry your Guest Card with you - No photos there.

Access only for the Amphitheatre from 5.45 to 6.30 pm.

Please be seated by 5.55 pm

Amphitheatre Team

INVITATIONS

Invitation to the community for an open discussion on the Solar Kitchen roundabout

The first roundabout in Auroville, at the road crossing in front of Solar Kitchen, was opened to traffic in the second week of April. The designing and planning phase took almost 3 years. Now it is open and we could try out the roundabout for several weeks and saw how it performs for people. Though refinement of the complete work is still pending, we would like to have an open discussion addressing concerns and feedback regarding safety and other issues.

L'Avenir invites the community to participate in an open discussion.

The objective is to look at positive and negative aspects of the design and see which features need to be modified and improved.

Wednesday June 15th 2016 @ 4.30 pm at SAIER conference room (2nd floor SAIER Building, adjacent to AVF Office)

Program: Introduction (Toby) 5' / Overview of the design concept (Jan) 15' / Questions 15' / Discussion 45'

L'Avenir

TALKS, SEMINARS

"The true Stories of Volunteers"

SVARAM AND INSTRUMENT MAKING IN AUROVILLE

Thursday June 16th - 5.00 pm to 7:30 pm in Pavilion of Tibetan Culture

- Vincent Boehm, an Austrian civil servant and instrument maker, has spent one year in Svaram. He will present his experience, what he has been living and learning there.
- Ulrike Strassmann, a volunteer for many times, will explain Svaram's history, how she got involved and her present activities.

Often volunteers' input is not considered at its real value; yet, many of them are genuinely connected to Auroville, and their adventure brings progress and creative solutions in many areas.

Once a month, Savi would like to share with the community the beauty of their involvement.

Everyone is welcome: volunteers, newcomers, residents and guests - Tea and snacks will be served - No previous registration.

Contact Savi at 0413 262 2121 for more info

CLASSES, WORKSHOPS



Sankalpa Art Center

- **Henna & Healing**

Our bodies carry the memory of stories, scars and injuries, both visible and invisible. Explore the traditional art form of henna as a tool for self-care within a safe space. Facilitated by Krupa Jhaveri, Aurovilian, Art Therapist & Trauma-Informed Expressive Art Therapy Consultant.

Saturday, June 18th from 9 am to 12 pm

By registration only: 9843846458, sankalpa.art@gmail.com



- **Wish Moon**

Join us on full moon eve to celebrate community and creatively share our wishes and dreams. All welcome, no registration necessary: bring an instrument and a friend!

Monday, June 20th from 5 to 6:30 pm

- Our morning flower Mandala & Meditation continues with Annabelle, with a slight adjustment in timing to 7:30 to 8:30 am, every Monday-Saturday.

- Bharatnatyam classes with Neela continue on Mondays from 5:30 to 6:30 pm, as well as Tuesdays from 5 to 6 pm.

All events at *Sankalpa Art Center*, behind Pavilion of Tibetan Culture in the International Zone (Sankalpa is a sub-unit of Thamarai). sankalpa.art@gmail.com



FILMS



THE ECO FILM CLUB

Sadhana Forest, June 17th, Friday

Schedule of Events:

16:00 Free bus from Solar Kitchen to Sadhana Forest for the Tour

16:30 Tour of Sadhana Forest

18:00 Free bus from Solar Kitchen to Sadhana Forest for the Eco Film Club

18:30 Eco Film Club begins with "previews" of short Sadhana Forest films

20:00 Dinner is served

21:30 Free bus from Sadhana Forest back to Solar Kitchen

Before the movie, at exactly 16:30 you are welcome to join us for a full tour of Sadhana Forest and an update of our most recent work! After the film you are welcome to join us for a free 100% vegan organic dinner!!

WILD RIO

2005, 50 Minutes, English, Directed by Christian Baumeister
Teeming with wondrous wildlife, the Tijuca National Park is 3,200 hectares of lush-green jungle enveloping the city of Rio. The replanting of the forest was instigated by the Emperor Dom Pedro II, who saw the need to counteract the deforestation surrounding Rio. As a result of ten years of replanting, the rainforest is now the world's largest urban

forest and home to thousands of different wildlife species including insects, birds, mammals and reptiles.

The bus service is operated by Sadhana Forest. For more information about the bus service please contact 0413-2677682/2677683, or sadhanaforest@auroville.org.in.



CINEMA - Bharat Nivas - AUDITORIUM

Reminder: No film on Friday June 10

FRIDAY JUNE 17 (Film show starting at 7.45 sharp)

"ALL IS LOST"

Directed by J.C. CHANDOR, USA/Canada, 2013

Starring: Robert Redford

Synopsis: Deep into a solo voyage in the Indian Ocean, an unnamed man (Redford) wakes to find his 39-foot yacht taking on water after a collision with a shipping container left floating on the high seas. With his navigation equipment and radio disabled, the man sails unknowingly into the path of a violent storm from which he barely survives. Using only a sextant and nautical maps to chart his progress, he finds himself staring his mortality in the face...

Original English version (Almost no dialogue) Duration: 1h.46'.

Important information about News & Notes (Absolute deadline for submissions or cancellations: Wednesday 11 am)

The contents of *News & Notes* are a reflection of the growth process of this community towards its ideals of harmony, goodwill, discipline and truth. Editing of submissions, mainly for reasons of space and clarity, is done according to an established policy.

How to submit material: Material (no pdf files, please) may be sent (in English only) to the *N&N* email address (below).

The Wednesday deadline (11am) is absolute as the News is given to the printers by Wednesday 2 pm.

We regret not being able to attend to visitors on Wednesdays due to work pressure.

Articles and Working Groups should ideally be no longer than 500 words. All notes and reports need to reach us by Tuesday noon.

Soft Version: We encourage you to ask us for a soft version of *News & Notes* send directly on your own mail. First, it saves trees, cost of paper (Rs 12.000 monthly are spent only on purchasing paper) and labor cost (900 copies are printed every week). Second we send your soft copy as a PDF file (Same formatting as the printing version with colored pictures) on Thursday morning and you can get information earlier than the printing version which is delivered only on Friday and Saturday. Don't hesitate to mail: newsandnotes@auroville.org.in or to phone 04132622133.

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News & Notes, Media Centre, Town Hall. Phone: 2622133, email: newsandnotes@auroville.org.in



Cinema Paradiso

Multimedia Center (MMC) Auditorium
Film program 13 June 2016 to 19 June 2016

Indian - Monday 13 June, 8:00 pm:

• **SAALA KHADOOS (The Final Round)**

India, Writer-Dir. Sudha Kongara w/ Madhavan, Nasser, Radha Ravi, and others, Sports-Drama, 109mins, Hindi-Tamil w/ English subtitles, Rated: U/A (PG-13)

A remake of the Tamil film *Irudhi Suttru* this film is about Adi, who other people term as a kadoos (snob). He is actually a cynic - embittered and disillusioned by the politics and apathy in sports that lead to the end of his own promising career. Friends somehow bring him back as the coach of the lowly rated Indian women's boxing team. His outspoken honesty sends jitters through his old adversaries, and he is soon transferred to Chennai - the Siberia of Indian boxing. There Adi spots a potential champion in Madhi, a free-spirited, fiery young woman from the fishing community. Thus begins an uneasy partnership between a man who loves his sport and a girl who loves her freedom in their journey towards an impossible dream.

German - Tuesday 14 June, 8:00 pm:

• **BARBARA**

Germany, 2012, Dir. Christian Petzold w/ Nina Hoss, Ronald Zehrfeld & Rainer Bock, and others, Drama, 105 mins, German w/ English subtitles, Rated: NR

Set in East Germany in 1980, the story revolves around Barbara, a young doctor, who has just got into trouble for applying to leave the country. She is now planning, with the help of her West-German lover, to flee illegally, despite being under surveillance by the state security. However, two people unexpectedly intrude into her life, and will each in their own way challenge her plan to escape.

Cultural - Wednesday 15 June, 8:00 pm:

• **FESTIVAL LES SUDS: Arles**

FRANCE, 2012, Dir. M. j. Justamon and P. Bussy, w/ Omar Sosa, Mayra Andrade, Lucilla Galleazzi and many others, Music live recording, 64mins, French w/no subtitle (not needed), Rated: NR

Since 1996 the beautiful city of Arles hosted the Festivals les Suds, a joyous musical alchemy that combines singing, music and dance, exploring the cultural art of Southern Europe and beyond. Artists from South America, Africa, Asia and Europe present a large variety of musical genre from flamenco, maqam, tango, vocal polyphony, raga, all resounding like a universal language.

French - Thursday 16 June, 8:00 pm:

• **MAESTRO**

France, 2014, Dir. Léa Fazer, w/ Michaël Lonsdale, Deborah François, Pio Marmai Comedy/Drama, 85 min, French WITH ENGLISH subtitles, Rated: G

Henri, a young actor, finds himself hired in a film by Cédric Roversé a screen legend of art house films. The conditions of the shooting are not exactly what Henri had expected...But the charm of his partner and the kindness of the master aroused in him feelings so far unknown.

International - Saturday 18 June, 8:00 pm:

• **SPOTLIGHT**

USA-Canada, 2015, Dir. Tom McCarthy w/ Mark Ruffalo, Michael Keaton, Rachel McAdams, and others, Biography-Drama, 128mins, English w/ English subtitles, Rated: R

When the Boston Globe's tenacious "Spotlight" team of reporters delves into allegations of abuse in the Catholic Church, their year-long investigation uncovers a decades-long cover-up at the highest levels of Boston's religious, legal, and government establishment, touching off a wave of revelations around the world.

Hayao Miyazaki Season for Childrens' Matinee

Children's Film - Sunday 19 June, 4:30 pm:

• **TONARI NO TOTORO (My neighbor Tortoro)**

Japan, 1988, Dir. Hayao Miyazaki, w/ Hitoshi Takagi, Noriko Hidaka, Chika Sakamoto, and others, Animation, 86mins, English w/English subtitles, Rated: G

When two girls move to the country to be near their ailing mother, they have adventures with the wondrous forest spirits who live nearby.

MIRA NAIR Film Festival @ Ciné-Club

Ciné-Club - Sunday 19 June, 8:00 pm:

• **THE RELUCTANT FUNDAMENTALIST**

UK-USA, 2012, Dir. Mira Nair w/Riz Ahmed, Live Schreiber, and others, Drama-Thriller, 130mins, English w/English subtitles, Rated: R

At an outdoor café a Pakistani man named Changez tells Bobby, an American journalist, about his experiences in the United States. Roll back ten years, and we find a younger Changez fresh from Princeton, seeking fortune and glory on Wall Street. The American Dream seems well within his grasp, complete with a smart and gorgeous girlfriend, Erica. But when the Twin Towers are attacked, a cultural divide slowly begins to crack open between them and his dream soon begins to slip into nightmare. It is a story of conflicting ideologies where perception and suspicion have the power to determine life or death.

Rating codes we often use are from Motion Picture Association of America (MPAA): G=General Audiences, PG=Parental guidance suggested, PG-13=Parents strongly cautioned, R=Restricted (equivalent to Indian rating: A i.e. for Adults), NR=Film Not rated, Rating awaited, or Rating not available.

Kindly do not bring food, drinks, snacks, munchies or your pets into the auditorium.

As a courtesy to the fellow viewers please be sweet and stop chatting after the film starts.

For scheduling programs at MMC/CP venue: please email us at mmcauditorium@auroville.org.in.

We appreciate your continued support. Please make a contribution to "Cinema Paradiso" account (#105106) at the Financial Service.

Thanking You,
MMC/CP Group

THE SEXUAL HARASSMENT OF WOMEN AT WORKPLACE (PREVENTION, PROHIBITION AND REDRESSAL) ACT, 2013

For what can you file a complaint:

If you are subjected to any form of sexual harassment including any of the following unwelcome acts (whether directly or by implication), namely:

- Physical contact and advances
- A demand or request for sexual favours
- Making sexually coloured remarks
- Showing pornography
- Any other unwelcome physical, verbal or non-verbal conduct of sexual nature
- Promise of preferential treatment in your work
- Threat of detrimental treatment in your work
- Threat about your present or future employment status
- Interference of your work or creating an intimidating or offensive or hostile work environment
- Humiliating treatment likely to affect your health or safety

Who can File a Complaint:

Any one residing in Auroville as an Aurovilian, Newcomer, Volunteer, Student, Guest or any person employed by, or working for any Auroville legal entity.

Where do you file complaint

With The Auroville Internal Complaints Committee who has been officially constituted by Auroville's Working Committee

All have
equal right
to respect
and dignity



Aggrieved women may make a complaint of sexual harassment to the Committee within a period of three months from the date of incident. The Committee is required to complete the inquiry within a time period of 90 days.

Non-compliance with
the Act is punishable
with a fine of upto
Rs.50,000

Repeated violations
may lead to higher
penalties



Auroville Internal Complaints Committee, (Auroville ICC),
Kailash building, Auroville 605101, Tamil Nadu.
Tel: 7639305678, Email: icc@auroville.org.in

பணியிடங்களில் பெண்கள் மீதான பாலியல் வன்முறை [தடுப்பு, ஒழிப்பு மற்றும் குறைதீர்ப்பு சட்டம்] 2013

எதற்கு நீங்கள் ஒரு புகாரை அளிக்க முடியும்:

- பாலியல் வன்முறைகளை ஏதேனும் ஒரு செயல் உட்பட ஏதேனும் வகை பாலியல் வன்முறைக்கு நீங்கள் (நேரடியாகவோ அல்லது சம்பந்தப்பட்டோ இருந்தால்) ஆளாக்கப்பட்டிருந்தால்:
- உட்கீழ்வான தொடர்பு மற்றும் ஒருநேரக்கூத்துடன் முன்னேக்கி நகர்தல்
- பாலியல் ஆதரவர்களுக்கான ஒரு கோரிக்கை அல்லது வேண்டுகோள்
- பாலியல் சம்பந்தமான வார்த்தைகளைக் கூறுதல்
- ஆபாசப் படங்களைக் காட்டுதல்
- பாலியல் தன்மையுள்ள உட்கீழ்வான, வாய்வெழியாக அல்லது வாய்வெழி அல்லாத மற்ற ஏதேனும் நடக்கை
- உங்கள் பணியில் சலுகை அளிப்பதற்கான வாக்குறுதி
- உங்கள் பணியில் தீவிர ஏற்படுத்தும் நோக்கத்தில் நடக்க அங்கீகரிக்கல்
- தற்போதைய அல்லது வருங்கால வேலை நிலை பற்றி அங்கீகரிக்கல்
- உங்கள் பணியில் குறைதீர்ப்பு அல்லது மிரட்டுதல் அல்லது தீவிர விளைவித்தல் அல்லது வீராதமான பணிச் சூழலை ஏற்படுத்துதல்
- உங்கள் உட்கீழ்வான மற்றும் பாதுகாப்பை பாதிக்கின்ற வகையில் அவமானப்படுத்தும் வகையில் நடத்துதல்

யார் புகார் செய்யலாம்:

ஆரோவில்லில் வசிக்கும் எந்தவொரு ஆரோவில்லாசி, நியூகம், நன்னாம்பலர், மாணவர், விருந்தினர் அல்லது ஆரோவில்லின் சட்டப்பூர்வ அமைப்பால் தயாரிக்கப்பட்ட அல்லது பணியாற்றும் ஒரு ஊழியர்.

எங்கே நீங்கள் புகார் செய்யலாம்:

ஆரோவில்லில் செயற்குழுவால் அதிகாரப்பூர்வமாக அமைக்கப்பட்டுள்ள ஆரோவில்லின் உட்புகார்கள் குழுவிடம் அளிக்கலாம்.

மரியாதையாகவும்,
கண்ணியமாகவும்
நடத்தப்பட
அனைவருக்கும்
சம உரிமை உண்டு



பாதக்கப்பட்ட பெண்கள் இக்குழுவிடம் சம்பவம் நடந்த தேதியில் இருந்து முன்று மாத காலத்திற்குள் பாலியல் வன்முறை குறிக்க ஒரு புகாரை அளிக்கலாம். இக்குழு 90 நாட்களுக்குள் விசாரணையை முடிக்கவேண்டும்.

இச்சட்டத்திற்கு இணக்கமாக
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இத்தண்டனைக்கு ரூ. 50,000
வரை அபராதம் விதிக்கப்படும்.

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அதிகத் தண்டனைக்கு
வழிவகுக்கலாம்.



ஆரோவில்லில் உட்புகார்கள் குழு, ஆரோவில்லில் (ஐசிசி),
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