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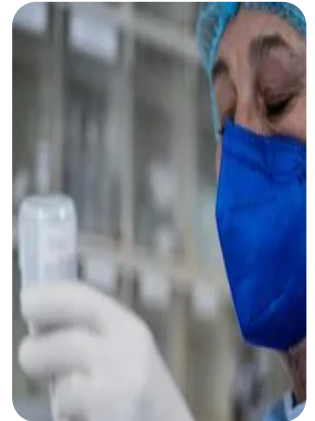
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unmanned aerial craft. Health Minister Mansukh Mandaviya launched ICMR's Drone Response and Outreach in North East (i-Drone) on Monday. The delivery model is aimed at ensuring that life-saving vaccines reach all.

"This is for the first time that a 'Make in India' drone has been used in South Asia to transport COVID vaccine over an aerial distance of 15 km in 12-15 mins from the Bishnupur district hospital to Loktak lake, Karang island in Manipur for administration at the primary health centre. The actual road distance between these locations is 26 k.m. Today, 10 beneficiaries will receive the first dose and 8 will receive the second dose at the PHC," said the Health Minister.

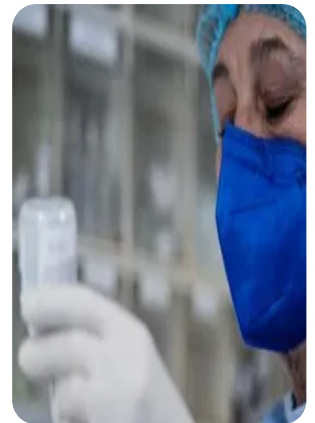
India's top medical body ICMR successfully delivered the jabs from Manipur's Bishnupur via Loktak Lake to Karang Island. Officials plan to deliver vaccines to two more districts of Manipur with drones in the coming days.

Union Health Minister took to his Twitter handle and wrote, "Addressed launch of ICMR's initiative for 'drone-based vaccine delivery system' in North-Eastern India. Covering 31 km in 15 minutes, vaccines were transported from Bishnupur District Hospital to Karang Health Centre, Loktak Lake, Manipur. This distance usually takes 3-4 hours."

"Along with vaccine transportation, drone technology would speed up healthcare-related supply to the last



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mile and expand the supply scope of life-saving and emergency medicines," added Health Minister.

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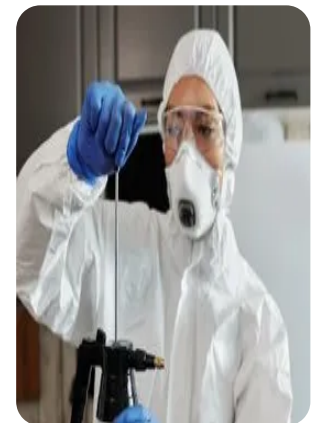
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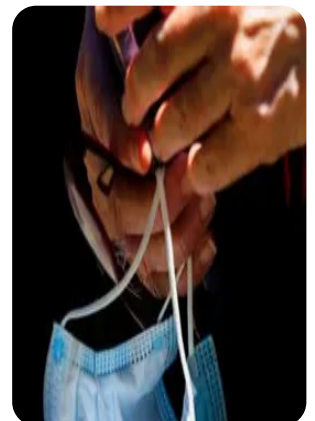
Sonam Kapoor Ahuja, who is quite active on social media, is often seen treating fans with beautiful pics of herself and her loved ones. However, this morning, the Neerja actress took social media by storm as shared a couple of love-filled pics with husband Anand Ahuja and announced her pregnancy. Yes! Sonam Kapoor Ahuja, who took the plunge with Anand in May 2018, is expecting her first child and the



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couple will be welcoming the baby in the fall this year.

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Inseong: courtesy of FNC Entertainment

March 21, 2022 will hold a special place in the heart of all Fantasys as the eldest member of boy group **SF9** enlists in the military to complete his mandatory service. Inseong is the first from the 9 member group to enter the military and will be serving for a period of one year and six months in the military's band.

As announced on February 5, **Inseong** enlisted privately and had requested the understanding of his fans not to be present on the site of his entry to avoid the spread of COVID-19 and as respect to other military personnel. The singer however had his trusted members by his side as he took on a new path. Hwiyoung, Zuho, Jaeyoon and Yoo Taeyang accompanied him en route to the enlistment location and they did a live broadcast in the car on their way.

They spoke about how they wished for his safe return and tried to liven up the mood.

Just a day before, the same five members did a Naver VLIVE broadcast where they talked about his enlistment and chatted with fans. Soon, Inseong shared an update with his fans about his new haircut. He revealed how his fellow members did the cut for him and uploaded a video of the same. Jaeyoon, Yoo Taeyang, Dawon and Chani can be seen in the video helping Inseong chop off his precious bangs.

The singer also shared a pic of them just before entering his enlistment location and promised to return back in good health. Leader **Youngbin** will be the second member to enlist from SF9. He will serve as an active duty soldier from March 29.

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confirmed as leads in JTBC's new drama 'Cleaning Up'

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Jeon So Min; Picture Courtesy: News1

JTBC confirmed a powerful all-women cast of Yum Jung Ah, **Jeon So Min** and Kim Jae Hwa for the upcoming drama 'Cleaning Up' which tells the story about the struggle cleaners at a security firm have as they try to create a new destiny for themselves after overhearing about insider trading. The first episode will be broadcasting after 'My Liberation Notes' ends.

Yeom Jung Ah returns to the small screen after 4 years of 'Sky Castle'. Eo Yong Mi is a cleaning service provider for Bested Investment & Securities. She splits the day as a janitor on weekdays and a homemaker on weekends. She is a strong mother and head of household who has to take care of her two daughters who will not get sick even if they put them in her eyes. On the brink of survival, she hears insider trading information and makes a decision.

She and her colleagues Ahn In Kyung (**Jeon So Min**) and Maeng Soo Ja (Kim Jae Hwa) dream of setting up their own food truck and starting their own mobile cafe. They constantly collect their money while cleaning. Yong Mi is entangled in her decisions, but her cowardly and timid personality puts the brakes on the stock war.

'**Cleaning Up**' is the Korean remake of the British series with the same name. The series was written and created by Mark Marlow. The six-part series premiered on ITV on 9 January 2019.

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