

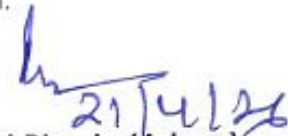
PRESS RELEASE

**APPROVAL OF GUIDELINES/SOP FOR OPERATION OF NIGHT SEA KAYAKING (BASIC)
IN ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ISLANDS**

The Andaman and Nicobar Administration has approved the Guidelines/SOP for the Operation of Night Sea Kayaking (Basic) in the Andaman and Nicobar Islands. These guidelines have been formulated with the objective of regulating Night Sea Kayaking (Basic) activities and ensuring the safety, security, and overall experience of both tourists and operators.

The activity has been introduced with an aim to promote tourism while ensuring safety and environmental safeguards. All tourism stakeholders and the general public are hereby informed that the operation of this activity shall be governed strictly as per the prescribed guidelines.

The detailed guidelines are available on the official website of the Directorate of Information, Publicity & Tourism: <https://tourism.andamannicobar.gov.in>.


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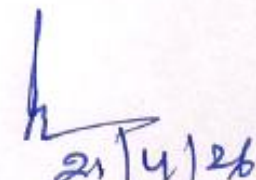
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