



OVERSEAS NEWS AND EMPLOYMENT

PASSPORT TO GLOBAL JOB OPPORTUNITIES



MUMBAI: TUESDAY, APRIL 23, 2024 • VOL. NO. 1 • Issue • No. 22. DIV. OF FLYCREATIVE ONLINE PVT. LTD. (A unit of Creative Group) • 6 PAGES

Kuwait lifts curbs on overseas hiring

KUWAIT CITY: The Public Authority of Manpower has announced re-opening of recruitment of expat manpower from outside the country from June 1 in a move aimed at reducing the cost of labour in the domestic market and fighting trafficking in persons. The authority said the decision was taken during a meeting headed by Deputy Prime Minister Sheikh Fahad Al-Yousef Al-Sabah, who also chairs the authority, and the decision becomes effective June 1.

The new decision ends a previous decision that imposed restrictions on employers to recruit ex-

pat manpower from outside the country in order to force them to look for workers from the domestic market as part of measures to rebalance the ratio of citizens and expats, who currently are at least double the size of Kuwaitis. Kuwaiti employers were allowed to recruit manpower from outside Kuwait under strict conditions and when the needed workers were not available in the country.

These restrictions have dramatically increased the cost of hiring expat labourers from the local market, which indirectly impacted prices of services in the local market,

the authority said in a statement. The decision imposes a fee of KD 150 on recruitment for the first time for each worker. It also bans the transfer of recruited expat workers to other employers before the completion of three years or paying a fee of KD 300 with the approval of their current employers.

The authority also said the decision aims to fight human trafficking and to help employers carry out their activities with ease. It also aims at reducing the cost of workers in the domestic market, especially in the contracting and construction sectors.

(Cont. on page-2)



SIMPLE BUT EVERGREEN SKILLED TRADES (Part-2)

There are still many trades that cannot be included in this. We will try to include them in the forthcoming parts. Similarly, there are many promotional areas for these trades starting from worker to foreman. Observations, information and analysis about various trades given here (other than scientific and technical information) are solely based on hands-on experience in the overseas HR recruitment industry. Views and analyses here vested with the responsibility of the writer only. For feedback please contact: 8828737706 (WhatsApp number).

Construction careers

Let us start with Construction trades / construction careers for which you can find technical training programmes of various time frames. Construction trades often require construction workers to work under the full supervision and guidance of professionals (engineers, foremen, supervisors and charge hands) who specialise in specific construction materials or techniques. This makes even a worker with very little practical experience become an ex-

(Cont. on page-6)

Dubai-bound Indians told to reschedule travel plans

ABU DHABI: The Indian embassy in the UAE has advised the inbound Indian passengers travelling

sential travel till operations normalise after the city witnessed unprecedented rains.



The UAE is trying to recover from the record-setting rains this week

to or transiting through Dubai International Airport to reschedule non-es-

which has caused massive flooding in Dubai and surrounding areas. Leave for airport "only after" final confirmation from the respective airlines regarding the departure date and time of flights. Due to disruption caused by unprecedented weather conditions in the UAE earlier this week, Dubai International Airport has temporarily limited the number of inbound flights, the advisory said.

"To assist Indian nationals at the Dubai International Airport, the Consulate General of India in Dubai has operationalised emergency helpline numbers which have been functional since April 17," the statement said.

ONE STEP AHEAD



Starting 26th April 2024, all the job requirement ads in ONE e-newspaper will be hyperlinked to the advertiser's website for better outreach.

Experience the power of digitalised advertisements with Overseas News And Employment (ONE) e-newspaper.



OVERSEAS NEWS AND EMPLOYMENT

PASSPORT TO GLOBAL JOB OPPORTUNITIES

www.overseasne.com

022-22077895 / 8828737706 ■ prince@overseasne.com

GLOBAL REACH, INSTANT ACCESSIBILITY!

FOREX RATES		
As on 22nd Apr, 2024 (In rupees)		
Currency	Buying	Selling
US Dollar	84.13	83.23
Euro	89.66	88.71
Australian Dollar	54.36	53.36
Japanese Yen	0.58	0.53
Canadian Dollar	61.41	60.49
Singapore Dollar	62.04	61.09
Swedish krona	8.63	6.84
UAE Dirham	23.19	22.57
Swiss Franc	92.76	90.96
British Pound	104.14	103.01
New Zealand Dollar	50.19	48.64
Thai Baht	2.37	2.17
Hong Kong Dollar	11.61	10.30
Saudi Arabian Riyal	22.95	22.00
Bahraini Dinar	227.29	213.29
Chinese Yuan	12.42	10.62
Danish Krone	12.42	11.42
Kuwaiti Dinar	276.87	260.87
Malaysian Ringgit	18.55	17.10
Omani Rial	222.69	210.69
Qatari Riyal	23.67	21.42
South African Rand	4.81	3.97

UAE tourism to create 23,600 jobs EPFO Feb data shows more jobs for youth

ABU DHABI: The UAE's travel and tourism sector is projected to create 23,600 additional jobs in 2024 to reach a total of about 8.33 lakh jobs this year, with the outlook re-

its latest UAE Economic Impact report. Tourists to the UAE are expected to increase their spending during visits to the country that is home to the world's tallest build-

Meanwhile, domestic visitor spending is forecast to increase by 4.3pc to stand at Dh58 billion.

"The UAE is really knocking it out of the park in terms of attract-

NEW DELHI: Good news for first-time job seekers. Employee Provident Fund Organisation (EPFO) Feb payroll numbers show more jobs for youth in this age group

In a positive sign for the country's formal jobs market, EPFO's provisional payroll data for Feb 2024 showed that over 56pc of the overall new members enrolled were first-time job seekers in the age group of 18-25.

EPFO adds 15.48 lakh net members in Feb. Overall, the PFO added 15.48 lakh net members during the month against 16 lakh in Jan 4, a drop of 3.4pc. It should be noted that net monthly payroll numbers are provisional and get revised often the very next month. Due to this, new EPF subscriber numbers are perceived as more reliable than net jobs added.

"The data indicates that around 7.78 lakh new members have been enrolled during Feb, 2024. A noticeable aspect of the data is the

dominance of the 18-25 age group, constituting a significant 56.36pc of the total new members added in Feb 2024 indicating the majority of individuals joining the organised workforce are youth, primarily first-time job seekers," the release said.

The payroll data highlights that approximately 11.78 lakh members exited and subsequently rejoined EPFO.

These members switched their jobs and re-joined the establishments covered under the ambit of EPFO and opted to transfer their accumulations instead of applying for final settlement thus, safeguarding long-term financial well-being and extending their social security protection.

Gender-wise analysis of payroll data unveils that out of 7.78 lakh new members, around 2.05 lakh are new female members. Also, the net female member addition during the month stood at around 3.08 lakh.



maining strong despite the continuing Israel-Gaza war, according to the World Travel and Tourism Council (WTTC).

That is up 2.9pc from last year and 14.7pc from 2019 before the pandemic that decimated the sector worldwide, the global tourism body said in

ing, iconic luxury hotels and an outpost of the Louvre museum in Abu Dhabi.

International visitor spending in the UAE is projected to grow 9.5pc year-on-year to reach nearly Dh192 billion (\$52.2 billion) in 2024, the WTTC data shows.

ing visitors," she said. Dubai had attracted 16.73 million tourists in 2019, before the pandemic.

The UAE in Nov 2022 announced an ambitious national tourism strategy that aims to raise the sector's contribution to the GDP to Dh450 billion by 2031, with an annual increase of Dh27 billion. It also targets attracting 40 million hotel guests by 2031 and Dh100 billion in tourism investment to the UAE.

Domestic air passenger traffic to hit 15.4 cr

NEW DELHI: Domestic air passenger traffic is likely to have witnessed an annual growth of 13pc at around 15.4 crore in 2023-24, and the aviation industry's net loss is expected to have declined to Rs 3,000 during the same period, says a report.

Credit rating agency Icria on Friday also said the airlines' ability to raise yields proportionate to their input cost increases will be key to expand their profitability margins while supply chain challenges and engine failure issues pose near term headwinds.

For FY24, it said domestic air passenger traffic is estimated at around 154 million, a year-on-year (YoY) growth of about 13pc. "The domestic air passenger traffic in FY2024, thus, surpassed

the pre-Covid levels of around 142 million in FY2020. For March 2024, domestic air passenger traffic was estimated at around 135.2 lakh, around 6.9pc higher than around 126.4 lakh in Feb 2024. Further, it grew by around 4.9pc on a YoY basis," Icria said in a report.

According to the report, the country's aviation industry is expected to report a significantly lower net loss of Rs 30-40 billion in FY2024 and FY2025 than Rs 170-175 billion in FY2023. In this context, the industry refers to AIX Connect, Air India, Inter-Globe Aviation, Tata SIA Airlines, and SpiceJet. In March, the airlines' capacity deployment was higher by around two per cent compared with the year-ago period and about nine per cent as against Feb.

India's airlines cancel flights to Dubai

MUMBAI: Indian airlines' flight operations to Dubai have been impacted with Air India, Air India Express and



SpiceJet either cancelling or rescheduling their services due to restrictions at the busy airport in the Emirates.

There is substantial air traffic between India and the UAE, especially Dubai, which is also one of the world's busiest airports.

While Air India on Friday cancelled all its flights to and from Dubai, citing "continued operational disruptions at the airport", Air India Express and IndiGo

have cancelled some of their services. Sources in the know said that Dubai airport has issued a NO-TAM (Notice To Airmen),

restricting operations of flights by non-UAE operators till April 21 morning.

Non-UAE operators having more than two flights in 24 hours have been asked to cut the operations by 50pc during the given time period. Following the NOTAM, the flight operations of the Indian carriers have been disrupted, and they are cancelling and rescheduling their services. The move will also

result in increased operational expenses for the airlines, sources said.

On Friday, an Air India Express flight from Kozhikode to Dubai was diverted to Muscat due to the restrictions. The aircraft flew back to Kozhikode and later, the passengers were taken on the flight to Ras Al Khaimah. Generally, NOTAM is a notice containing information that is essential for personnel involved in flight operations.

An Air India spokesperson said the airline has cancelled the flights to and from Dubai on Friday due to continued operational disruptions at the Dubai airport. "We are doing our best to get affected customers on their way by re-accommodating them on flights as soon as operations resume," the spokesperson said in a statement.

Kuwait lifts curbs on...

(Cont. from page-1)

Since the arrival of this government, currently functioning in the capacity of a caretaker cabinet, about three months ago, it has opened visit visas for expats and also resumed issuing dependent visas for families of expats working in Kuwait, but after raising the minimum salary condition.

FREE RECRUITMENT

SIISCO - SAUDI ARABIA

SENIOR MECHANICAL ENGINEERS (TESTING AND COMMISSIONING / BALANCING)

- Implements overall commissioning guidelines and documents the requirements of the commissioning process.
- Develops the owner's project requirements for the project team to incorporate during all stages of design.
- Participates in initial design reviews to integrate commissioning requirements early in the project.
- Develops and reviews project-specific construction checklists, commissioning processes, and procedures.
- Chairs project commissioning meetings.
- Approves the contractor's commissioning team.
- Works with the contractor to further develop project-specific commissioning forms for all facets of commissioning.
- Reviews commissioning plans.
- Verifies the execution of all the commissioning processes.
- Verifies the contractor's commissioning results.
- Carry out site visits during construction.
- Preparing site-visit reports.
- Test, adjust, and balance all HVAC equipment.
- Review the workshop drawing.
- Preparing method statements for projects.
- Performing technical office work and preparing reports and documents for projects.
- Handling all equipment and calibration certificates.
- Perform Testing, adjusting, and balancing final reports for projects. Offer practical problem solutions.

QUALIFICATIONS / CERTIFICATION :

- Minimum 5-8 years of experience
- Bachelor Mechanical Degree
- NEBB certificate CT / CP
- Prefer certificates CSA 3, CEM, and CBCP

Shortlisting in progress. Client interview will be in 3 weeks' time. Apply with well organized CV to email :

recruit.creative2024@gmail.com
8828587625 / 7506692237



کریٹیف انٹرنیٹرز
Creative Enterprises
ESTD : 1979
B-0367/MUM/PER/1000-/3/570/1984
82/10, Badrikeshwar Bldg. Patan Jain Mandal Marg. Opp. Hindi Vidya Bhavan, Marine Drive, Mumbai-400002

FREE RECRUITMENT

SIISCO - SAUDI ARABIA

(1) MECHANICAL - PLANT & EQUIPMENT

Minimum Qualification and Experience:

- BS degree in Engineering plus a minimum of six (10) years Mechanical Plant Equipment Inspection Experience in the construction of Petrochemical or hydrocarbon facilities. Fluent command of the English language (spoken and written).
- Must have good vision (20/20 normal or corrected) and be in good physical condition.
- Has a valid driver's license.
- Good working knowledge of standard PC workstation usage and basic M.S Office software applications.
- Pass written exam based on international codes (ASME Sec I, V, VIII and IX, ANSI B31.3/4/8, NACE, and API 620/650 and AWS D1.1) or has valid certifications in API-510 and ASNT Level II in MT, PT, UT & VT

(2) MECHANICAL - WELDING

- BS degree in engineering plus six a minimum of (10) years relevant Mechanical welding Inspection Experience in the construction of Petrochemical or hydrocarbon facilities.
- Must have AWS or CSWIP 3.1 certificate.
- Fluent command of the English language (spoken and written).
- Must have good vision (20/20 normal or corrected) and be in good physical condition.
- Has a valid driver's license.
- Good working knowledge of standard PC workstation usage and basic M.S Office software applications.
- Pass Aramco interview. Pass written exam based on international codes or has valid international certificate as a Senior Welding Inspector; CSWIP 3.2 or equivalent

(3) COATING INSPECTORS

- BS degree in engineering plus minimum of six (10) years relevant coating Inspection Experience in the construction of Petrochemical or hydrocarbon facilities.
- Must be Certified NACE level II Coating Inspector, or equivalent.
- Fluent command of the English language (spoken and written).
- Must have good vision (20/20 normal or corrected) and be in good physical condition.
- Has a valid driver's license
- Good working knowledge of standard PC workstation usage and basic M.S Office software applications.
- Pass written exam based on international codes or certified as NACE Coating Inspector Level 3
- Pass Saudi Aramco interview.

(4) HVAC INSPECTORS

- BS degree in engineering plus minimum of six (10) years relevant HVAC Inspection Experience in construction projects.
- Fluent command of the English language (spoken and written).
- Must have good vision (20/20 normal or corrected) and be in good physical condition.
- Has a valid driver's license.
- Good working knowledge of standard PC workstation usage and basic M.S Office software applications.
- Pass written exam based on industry codes and standards (e.g. SMACNA, Uniform Mechanical Code, NFPA 90A & ASHRAE, etc.)

(5) RT TECHNICIANS

(6) RT FILM INTERPRETERS (RTFI) LEVEL II

(7) EDDY CURRENT TECHNICIANS

Shortlisting in progress. Client interview will be in 3 weeks' time. Apply with well organized CV to email :

recruit.creative2024@gmail.com
8828587625 / 7506692237



کریٹیف انٹرنیٹرز
Creative Enterprises
ESTD : 1979
B-0367/MUM/PER/1000-/3/570/1984
82/10, Badrikeshwar Bldg. Patan Jain Mandal Marg. Opp. Hindi Vidya Bhavan, Marine Drive, Mumbai-400002

ASHLEY FURNITURE - SAUDI ARABIA
CLIENT INTERVIEW WILL BE 29TH APRIL 2024

STOCK ANALYZING SPECIALIST (Product)	(PREFERRED EXPERIENCE IN ASHLEY / IKEA / HOME CENTER / GODREJ INTERIO)
PROCUREMENT or PURCHASE SPECIALIST	
SHOWROOM COORDINATOR	
WAREHOUSE COORDINATOR	
WEBSITE ADMINISTRATOR (IT)	ELECTRICAL ENGINEER
SYSTEM ADMINISTRATOR (IT)	AGRICULTURE ENGINEER
HELP DESK SPECIALIST (IT)	TAILOR (SOFA STITCHING)
HEAVY DIESEL MECHANIC - Truck/Trailer	ELECTRICIAN
DATA ANALYST	CHEF (cook)
CARPENTER	PAINTER
	PLUMBER

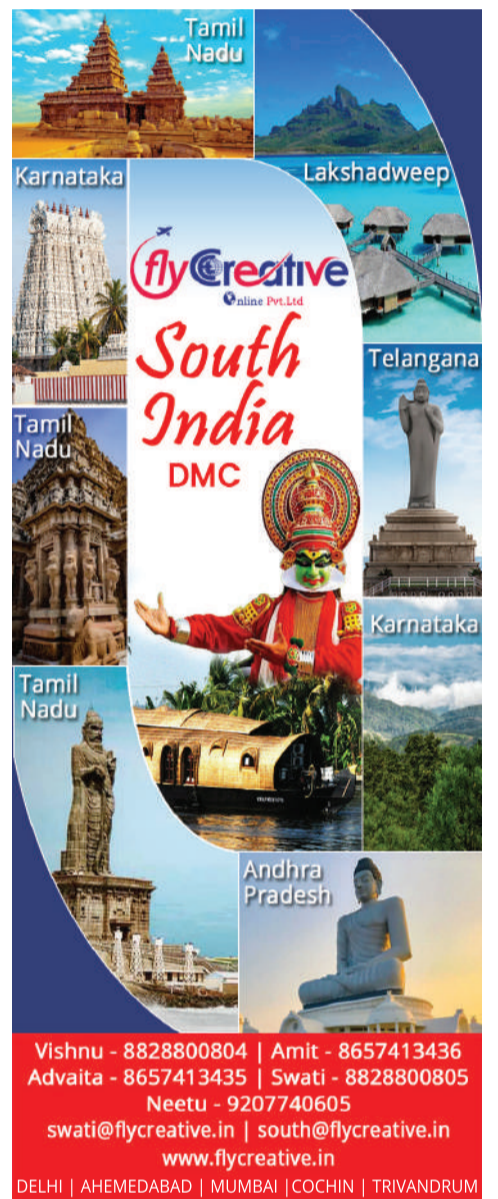
ALL CANDIDATES SHOULD HAVE MINIMUM 04 YEARS EXPERIENCE

LEO ENTERPRISES
Resourcing & workforce solutions
Plot No - 25/26, Sector - 30, Vashi,
Approved by Ministry of Overseas Indian Affairs, Navi Mumbai - 400703.
Contact: +91 22 42481515 / 7021218118 Email: hr1leoent@gmail.com
REGN NO. B-0403 / MUM / PER / 1000 / 5 / 8837 / 2012

"Know what's really happening across the world, especially, in the recruitment market."

Become a 'ONE' family member today!

www.overseasne.com



flyCreative
South India DMC

Tamil Nadu, Karnataka, Lakshadweep, Telangana, Andhra Pradesh

Vishnu - 8828800804 | Amit - 8657413436
Advaita - 8657413435 | Swati - 8828800805
Neetu - 9207740605
swati@flycreative.in | south@flycreative.in
www.flycreative.in
DELHI | AHMEDABAD | MUMBAI | COCHIN | TRIVANDRUM

Dedicated Walmart page for Indian sellers

NEW DELHI: Omnichannel retailer Walmart launched the dedicated page for Indian sellers alongside hosting a Global Seller Meet in Jaipur to begin a series of regional events to support potential sellers with insights on consumer and category trends.

The marketplace currently has "tens of thousands of SKUs from products made, grown or assembled in India," the company said in a statement.

Speaking on the development, Michelle Mi, Vice President of Emerging Markets and Business Development,



Walmart said: "India is a priority market for Walmart and the dedicated landing page builds upon our

longstanding commitment to Indian sellers. Walmart Marketplace strives to unlock the potential of Indian businesses by giving sellers access to customers around the world."

The marketplace doesn't levy monthly fees or setup cost on new sellers. Earlier this year, it had announced a savings programme for sellers where participating sellers received up to 50pc off referral and Walmart Fulfillment Services (WFS) fees for

their first 90 days on Walmart.com

The referral fee, according to Walmart, is calculated as a percentage of the gross sales proceeds from the sale of each product, which is set based on the product type assigned to the item.

Sellers on the US marketplace can create an account with Indian documents without the need for the US tax ID and get the payout in the Indian currency in their Indian bank account.






www.flycreativeglobal.com
Email : support@flycreative.in

Facebook, LinkedIn, Instagram icons

Come on a journey
you've never imagined



Red Sea
visitsaudi.com

Saudi
Welcome
to Arabia

Saudi
Welcome
to Arabia

Official travel partner
flyCreative
Global Holidays

For booking & enquiries please visit www.flycreativeglobal.com



+91 22 22077955 +91 9892076453



tours@flycreative.in / henna@flycreative.in

GULF FAQs

Can parents stop marriage of their adult daughter?

I am an adult Indian woman living in the UAE on a work visa. My parents reside here in the UAE as well. I am in love with a colleague and we plan to get married soon. If my parents don't agree to our union, will they be able to prevent our marriage?

Pursuant to your queries, the responses are addressed based on the provisions of Federal Law No. 28 of 2005 on Personal Status subsequently amended by Federal Decree Law No. 8 of 2019, Federal Decree Law No. 5 of 2020 and Federal Decree Law No. 29 of 2020 and Federal Decree Law No. 41 of 2022 on Personal Laws for Non-Muslims as you have not mentioned your religion and the religion of your fiancé in the query.

Generally, in the UAE, Muslims who intend to marry need to be 18 years of age. This is in accordance with Article 30(1) of the Personal Status Law of UAE, which states: "Capacity to marriage is completed by reason and maturity. The age of maturity is 18 years, completed, unless the person concerned matures earlier in conformity with the law."

Furthermore, the basic elements for the intended marriage of Muslims in the UAE, include two contracting parties (husband and the tutor), the object and the offer and acceptance. This is under Article 38 of the Personal Status Law of UAE, which states, "The elements of a marriage contract are: 1. The two contracting parties (the husband and the tutor) 2. The Object. 3. Offer and Acceptance."

Moreover, in accordance with the degree of relationships, the father is a primary tutor and consent of the tutor is a mandatory requirement in a Muslim marriage. This is in accordance with Article 32 of the Personal Status Law of UAE, which states: "The tutor, in marriage, is the father then the agnates by themselves according to the succession order: son, then brother, then uncle. Should two tutors be equal in degree of kinship, the marriage that was concluded according to the conditions set forth by any of them shall be valid. The one authorised by the engaged female shall appointed."

A tutor must be a male of sound mind and a practising Muslim. This is in accordance with Article 33 of the Personal Status Law of UAE, which states: "The tutor must be a male of sound reasoning, fully capacitated, not prohibited on account of pilgrim-

age and Muslim if tutorship is to be given to a Muslim."

Additionally, in the event a tutor does not agree to a marriage of the intended Muslim couple, then such individual may approach the court and if the judge is convinced he may conduct the wedding of such couple. This is under Article 30(3) & (4) of the Personal Status Law of UAE, which states: "3. Should the person having completed the age of 18 request marriage but failed to obtain the approval of his tutor, he may refer the matter to the judge. 4. The judge shall fix a period for the tutor, after his notification to appear before him to hear his argument. Should he fail to appear, or his opposition to the marriage is not convincing, the judge shall conduct the marriage."

4. The judge shall fix a period for the tutor, after his notification to appear before him to hear his argument. Should he fail to appear, or his opposition to the marriage is not convincing, the judge shall conduct the marriage."

Non-Muslim marriage

With regards to the marriage of non-Muslims in the UAE, a couple who intend to marry before the competent court in Dubai (specifically Personal Status Court in the respective emirate) if both the boy and girl have attained the age of 21 and the couple should declare their consent before the judge to marry.

This is in accordance with Article 5 of the UAE Personal Status Law for Non-Muslims, which states, "The civil marriage shall be conditional upon the following:

1. Both spouses must be at least 21 years of age. Age is proved by any official document issued by their respective countries of nationality.
2. Marriage must not be between siblings, children, grandchildren or uncles, and any other cases specified by the Implementing Regulations.
3. Each spouse must expressly declare before the certification judge his/her consent to marriage, and that there is nothing which would legally prevent the acceptance of his/her consent.
4. Spouses must sign the disclosure form.
5. Any other conditions set out by the Implementing Regulations of this Decree-Law."

Article 6 of the UAE Personal Status Law for Non-Muslims states procedures of civil marriage contract and its certification.

Based on the aforementioned provisions of law, if you and your fiancé are Muslims, then the consent of your

Apple may employ five lakh people in India

NEW DELHI: iPhone maker Apple through its vendors is expected to employ over five lakh people in India over the next three years, according to government sources.

"Apple is accelerating hiring in India. At a conservative estimate, it is going to employ five lakh people in the next three years through its vendors and components suppliers," a senior government officer told a TV channel.

When contacted, Apple declined to comment on the projection. Apple has plans to scale up production in India by over five-fold to around US\$ 40 billion (about 3.32-lakh-crore) in the

next four years. According to Counterpoint Research, Apple led the India market with the highest revenue in 2023 for the first time, while Samsung topped the chart in terms of volume sales. The firm in its recent report said Apple surpassed the 10-million-unit mark in shipments and captured the top position in revenue in a calendar year for the first time. Apple's iPhone exports from India rose sharply to \$12.1 billion in 2023-24 from \$ 6.27 billion in 2022-23, representing a massive surge of nearly 100pc, according to trade intelligence platform The Trade Vision.

Oil prices firm up

NEW YORK: Oil prices jumped as reports that Israel had attacked Iran roiled markets and sparked concerns that



climbed \$1.38 or 1.68pc to \$83.48 per barrel. Israel launched an attack on Iranian soil, the latest tit-for-tat exchange between the two countries that threatens to drag the region deeper into conflict. Iranian media reported explosions, but an Iranian official said that those were caused by air defence systems. State media

MidEast oil supply could be disrupted. said three drones over the central city of Isfahan had been shot down.

The benchmark contracts surged more than \$3 before easing slightly. Brent futures were up \$1.40, or 1.61pc at \$88.51 a barrel. The most active US West Texas Intermediate contract

that the tit-for-tat retaliation between both sides will drag for longer," said Jun Rong Yeap, a market strategist at IG in Singapore.

parent (father) may be a mandatory requirement for your marriage. However, if your father disagrees with the marriage with your fiancé, you may approach the Personal Status Court in the emirate where you are currently residing.

However, if you and your fiancé are non-Muslims, you may marry as per the provisions of the UAE Personal Status Law for Non-Muslims in Personal Status Court in the emirate where you are residing. In this scenario, there may be no requirement for the consent of parents. Additionally, if you and your fiancé are of the same nationality, you may approach your home country's embassy or the consulate in the UAE to marry under the requirements and provisions of your home country's personal law, if such a service is provided by the embassy or consulate of your home country.

SIMPLE BUT EVERGREEN SKILLED TRADES

(Cont. from page-1)

pert very quickly.

ELECTRICIAN (Electricians manage the wiring, lighting and power of a building. These skilled workers perform their works for new buildings during normal construction phase. But they continue to provide maintenance services and new installation, if needed, to clients at their residences and places of business.)

PLUMBER (Plumbers manage the water and waste systems within the buildings. This work includes laying and fixing pipes, drains and water lines.)

MASON (A mason is a skilled worker who works with brick, stone and cement. This skilled worker may use his skills to construct buildings, roads, and many more construction sites)

CARPENTER (SHUTTERING /A Shuttering Carpenter in construction is a skilled professional who specialises in creating formwork, also known as shuttering, for concrete structures. They play a crucial role in shaping and molding the framework that holds concrete in place until it sets, ensuring that the final structure meets design specifications.)

CARPENTER (BUILDING/FURNITURE /Carpenters use natural materials (wood/timber) to install wooden fixtures and fittings. You could

be installing doors, floors and furniture in new build homes or commercial properties, renovating or refitting existing structures and much more.)

PAINTER (In the construction industry, the Painter can paint the interior and exterior of buildings while in the art industry he can create his own works on canvas and other media.)

STEEL FIXER (Steel fixers install and secure steel bars used to reinforce and strengthen concrete structures on construction sites. They may work on industrial or commercial sites, multi-story housing or civil engineering projects, closely with engineering designers, steel erectors, and construction workers.)

WELDER (IRON & STEEL/A welder primarily works with metal and its components to fix or manufacture certain pieces of equipment. Welders specialise in joining metals together using heat. They will work with heavy equipment and machinery to repair various metal structures. Welders often repair a variety of equipment found in the construction and automotive fields.)

AC TECHNICIAN (An AC technician is a skilled worker who works on installation, maintenance and repair of air conditioning systems. He may

also have experience with heating and ventilation systems. His work takes him to various environments, including residential areas, commercial buildings, industrial facilities, schools and hospitals.)

HVAC TECHNICIAN (An HVAC Technician, or a Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning Technician, installs and repairs various air quality systems. His main duties include locating and diagnosing maintenance problems on equipment, conducting warranty services and quickly performing emergency repairs on certain equipment. HVAC systems are the lifeblood of any indoor setting, whether you talk about homes, grocery stores, malls, offices, manufacturing facilities, airports, or hotels. Every commercial and residential property requires a solid HVAC system to ensure excellent air quality and effective heating and cooling.)

ELEVATOR / LIFT TECHNICIAN (An elevator mechanic or elevator technician applies engineering and electrical knowledge to install, maintain, inspect, and repair elevators and related technologies. They ensure that elevators and similar equipment such as escalators and moving walkways function properly in public and private facilities. They may perform electrical work

such as connecting and repairing wires, testing equipment, and reviewing blueprints and machinery specifications.)

INSULATOR (Insulators or Insulation Workers, cover structures such as ducts, pipes, and boilers in commercial and residential properties with insulation. These skilled workers install insulating materials for buildings and mechanical systems to retain cold or heat.)

SHEET METAL WORKER (A sheet metal worker is a skilled worker who makes, installs and reconditions sheet metal products, such as various elements that are part of the heating, cooling and ventilation systems, as well as roofing and drainage systems.)

ROOFER (A roofer works on the tops of buildings installing, maintaining and repairing roofs using a variety of materials. They can work on the tops of both commercial and residential buildings and on construction sites.)

TILE WORKER (A Tile Worker is a person who decorates and protects floors and walls using various types of tiles. He usually applies clay, slate, marble, ceramic or glass to interior surfaces in homes and buildings, especially kitchens and bathrooms.)

CEILING WORKER (Ceiling Worker installs suspended ceilings and

hide and protect unsightly objects such as wiring, pipe work, and heating and air conditioning systems. He plays a key role in transforming residential, commercial and industrial projects.)

The above Trade trainings or programmes or Courses are available in ITIs (1 Year & 2 Years), ITCs (1 Year & 2 Years), Polytechnic Colleges (3 Years) and Trade Test Centers (1 Month to 6 Months) throughout the country. From small short term training programs to three years Diploma programmes are available for these trades. The duration of each trade will be designed by the centres considering various factors and giving priority to immediate job prospects. The specialty of all these trades is that you can start working while you are at the training itself. Similarly, those who are in a disadvantageous situation to join the training programme can acquire these trades by starting work with a trained skilled worker as a helper.

So work, study, get trained and earn at the same time!!! By working under a trained skilled worker, here you are learning, earning and get experienced to become a complete Skilled Worker!!!

(To be continued/NEXT: Exploring Hospitality & Hotel Industry)

New Zealand tightens work visa norms

WELLINGTON: New Zealand is making immediate changes to its employment visa programme after a near record migration last year which it said was “unsustainable”.

The changes include measures such as introducing English language requirement for low skilled jobs and setting a minimum skills and work experience threshold for most employer work visas. The maximum continuous stay for most low skilled roles will also be reduced to three years from five years.

“The government is focused

on attracting and retaining the highly skilled migrants such as secondary teachers, where there

is a skill shortage,” Immigration Minister Erica Stanford said. “At the same time we need

to ensure that New Zealanders are put to the front of the line for jobs where there are no skills shortages,” she said.

Last year, a near record 1.73 lakh people migrated to New Zealand. New Zealand, which has a population of about 5.1 million, has seen a rapid growth in its migrant numbers since the end of the pandemic, raising concerns last year that it was fanning inflation. Neighbouring Australia, which has also seen a big jump in migrants, has said it would halve its migrant intake over the next two years.

