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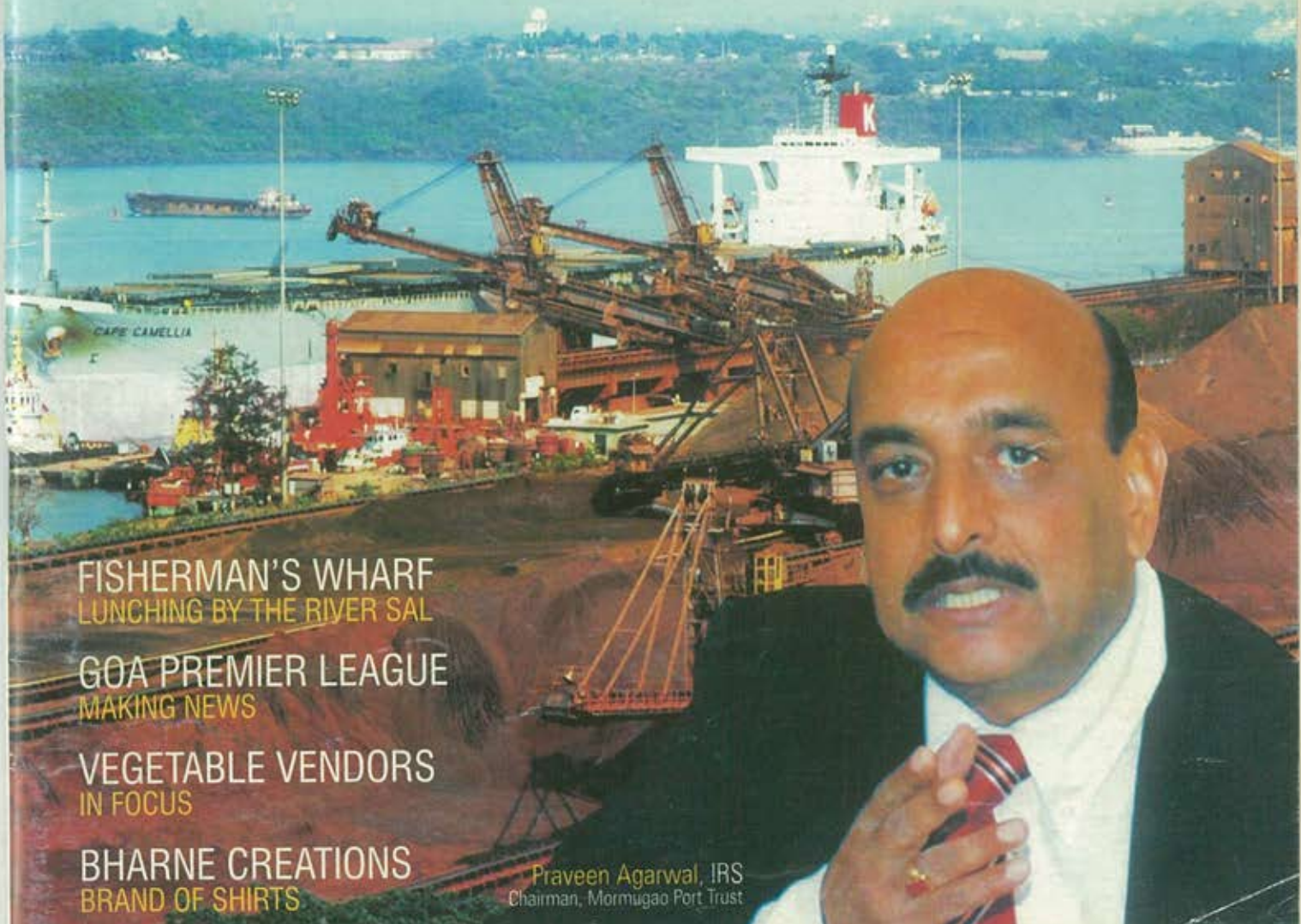
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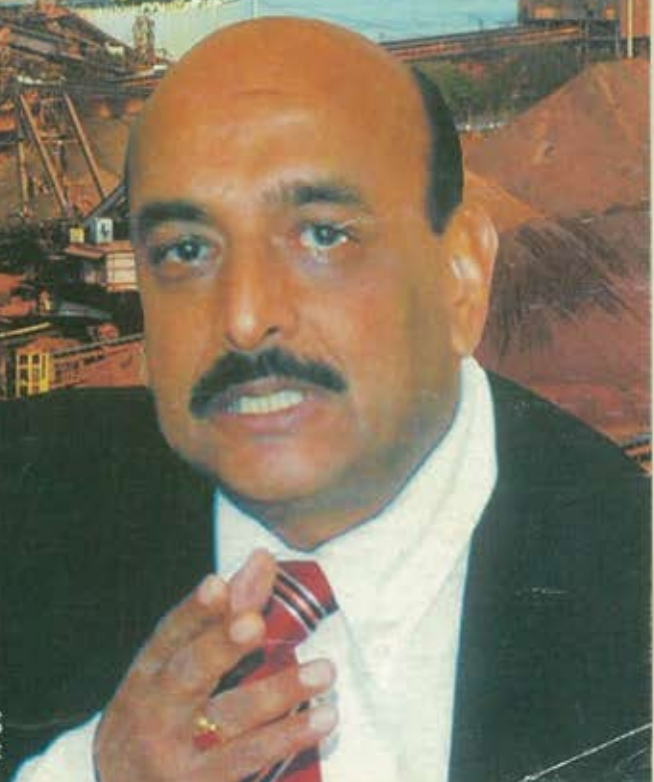
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Alfred & Sharon D'Silva unveil Sephora



Alfred and Sharon D'Silva have come back to where they belong to establish Sephora - a high end international quality Salon and Spa in Panjim. Situated at Alfran Plaza in the heart of the city, the salon and spa offer a wide range of beauty, rejuvenation and wellness packages. Having been in the UAE for over 15 years, the couple own and operate 4 top end salons and spas in the Emirates. So what made them start a business back home? "We love our land and we wanted to share our tour expertise in the business ■"

Kedar Dhume organises Marine & Boat Expo



Kedar Dhume of Media Promotions Pvt Ltd organised the State's first 'Goa International Marine and Boat Expo', at the Kala Academy Complex last month. A four-day event that displayed leisure boats and yachts from local, Indian and international builders, marine industries, accessories and equipments, sports boats and water sports, ship builders, and lifestyle & luxury brands, in a special section, for all High Net Worth Individuals (HNI) visitors. The expo had footfalls from boating enthusiasts and industry and was an all out success, Kedar said "Goa has a long coastline and great scope for boating. It's high time we have a marina" ■

Rahul Deshpande's project wins A+D award



The design of Shiroda Bus Stand has been awarded the 'Best Recreational Architectural design 2009' by A+D Architecture awards held in New Delhi. The Project has been executed by Goa State Infrastructure Development Co Ltd. (GSIDC) and designed by Engineer-practicing Architect **Rahul Deshpande**.

The design was conceived and conceptualized after the architect conducted a brief survey in Shiroda village to understand and discover what made *Shirodkers* proud. It was their 'green' orchard-based natural surroundings and deeply revered Goddess Kamakshi. Goddess Kamakshi's vehicle "Garuda", its flight, and the green orchards were therefore used as metaphors for design ■

Assavri Kulkarni's photography exhibition

'Kaleidoscope of Goa', an exhibition of Photographs was hosted by **Assavri Kulkarni** at the Art Chamber, Calangute. An applied artist and advertising photographer, Assavri has worked in the field of creative photography extensively. Her works are essays about people, natural life, culture and places that have been captured while travelling across the State. "Every image I frame of a person, thing or landscape has a story to it. The composition and lighting of every image thus relates to this story and sets it aside from being a mere photograph to a work of art" says the shutterbug ■



Chinmay Borkar's stepping stone - The Sapphire

You would think graduating in the top 5 students of his class at the prestigious Les Roches School of Hotel Management, Switzerland would open greener pastures around the globe for anyone. But **Chinmay Borkar** decided to put the skills acquired at one of the best Hotel Management Schools in the world back home. Son of Avinash Borkar of the Margao based Borkar Group of companies, Chinmay was asked to lead the Group's foray in hospitality. Borkars are a renowned name in packaging, real estate and retail and have launched a business class hotel in Margao - The Sapphire. "The Hotel is the baby of the Group. I just happen to have the know how to be able to lead this venture" Modest words for someone who's already thinking big ■



BG Quiz

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1. Which brand of sports goods has its name derived from the Roman goddess of victory? _____
2. Ferdinand Porsche designed which Volkswagen car on the insistence of Adolf Hitler? _____
3. The book iCon is the story of which business genius? _____
4. Eco Drive is a range of watches from which watch maker? _____
5. Which Indian is the CEO of PepsiCo? _____
6. Identify _____

Answers to BG Quiz 4

1. Corporate 2. Cidade de Goa 3. Canon 4. Tom Peters 5. Kiran Muzumdar Shaw Winner **Girish Bhandary, Vasco**



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