

Khelen Thokchom's death: Condolences pour in



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IMPHAL, Apr 3: Condolences continued to pour in from different quarters [over](#) the death of senior journalist Khelen Thokchom of [Manipur](#).

On Tuesday, the All [Manipur](#) Women's [Development](#) Forum in a statement deeply condoled the demise of Khelen Thokchom, one of the highly respected journalists of [North East](#). He passed away at the age of 58 on Sunday morning following a cardiac arrest.

Khelen was serving as the Special Correspondent of The Telegraph. The veteran journalist was also founder Editor of [Imphal](#)-based local daily The Sangai Express. He was born on February 1, 1961 at Tera Tongbram Leikai, [Imphal](#).

His career in journalism began at the [Manipur](#) News which he joined in 1985. He later joined several other local dailies before working for The Telegraph newspaper from July 1, 2003 until his death.

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