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# **Constitution is a guiding light: PM**

PIONEER NEWS SERVICE NEW DELHI

ailing the Constitution as a "living stream", Prime Minister Narendra Modi on Tuesday said the sentiment of 'nation first' will keep the Constitution alive for centuries to come. Recalling the words of President Rajendra Prasad in his concluding address to the Constituent Assembly on November 26, 1949, PM Modi said he had stated that India does not need anything more than a group of honest people who will keep the country's interests above their own.

Addressing an event marking Constitution Day celebrations at the Supreme Court, Modi the Constitution has now been fully implemented in Jammu and Kashmir and Constitution Day was celebrated there for the first time there. "Our Constitution makers knew that India's aspirations, India's dreams will reach new heights with time. They knew that the needs of Independent India and its citizens will change, challenges will change. That is why they did not leave our Constitution as just a mere book of laws. Rather, they made it a living, continuously flowing stream," Modi said, adding that the Constitution is acting as a "guiding light" at a time when India is going period through a transformation.

"Today every citizen of the country has only one goal, to build a developed India," he said at the event which was attended by Law Minister Arjun Ram Meghwal, Chief

Prime Minister Narendra Modi addresses a gathering during Constitution Day celebrations at the Supreme Court

Justice of India Sanjiv Khanna have tried to put forward my and Supreme Court Bar Association of India President Kapil Sibal, among others. India is going through a period of transformation and at such an important time, it is the Constitution of India that is "showing us the way and is a guiding light for us", PM Modi said.

Asserting that Indians should get speedy justice, PM Modi said that for this a new judicial code has been implemented. 'The punishment-based system has now changed to a justice-based system," he said. Speaking in a lighter vein while concluding his address, PM Modi said, "I have tried to keep within the boundaries of the job designated to me by the Constitution. I have not tried any encroachment. I

views within the boundaries. Only a hint is enough here, there is no need to say much." Chief Justice of India Sanjiv Khanna elaborated concerns in the judiciary, including backlog of cases, delays, costs of litigation, access to justice, and trust deficit in the system. He elaborated on require some of these issues while highlighting efforts to said. address them. He highlighted the backlog of chequebouncing cases, which constitute nine per cent of pending cases in trial courts. He also highlighted the limited success of plea bargaining, compounding, and probation, as an area

legislative

bouncing cases in our district courts have reached an alarming proportion - nearly nine per cent of the cases pending in the trial court. Data also reveals plea bargaining has been a nonstarter. Compounding and probation have not gained acceptance. Perhaps these legislative interference," CJI Khanna

The CJI also drew attention to the disparity between the judicial workforce and the prison population. With approximately 20,000 judges at the district level and 750 High Court judges, the judiciary handles a prison population of 5.23 lakh. Despite this disparity, data intervention. "The backlog of check efficient reflects case handling, he said.

## India reacts to ISKCON monk's arrest, bail denial in Bangladesh PIONEER NEWS SERVICE/

SAUGAR SENGUPTA 📕 NEW DELHI/ KOLKATA

¬aking strong exception to L attacks on minorities in Bangladesh, India on Tuesday noted with "deep concern" the arrest, and denial of bail, to Hindu leader Chinmoy Krishna Das there and urged authorities there to ensure the safety and security of Hindus and all minorities. Bangladesh police on Monday

arrested Das, the leader of the Hindu group, Sammilita Sanatani Jote, from the Hazrat Shahjalal International Airport area in Dhaka.

In a statement, the Ministry of External Affairs (MEA) said it has noted with "deep concern the arrest and denial of bail" concern the attacks on to Das who is also the spokesperson of the minorities peacefully against the arrest of Bangladesh Sammilit Sanatan Jagran Jote. "This incident Das. follows the multiple attacks authorities to ensure the safety and security of Hindus Hindus and other on minorities by extremist and all minorities, including elements in Bangladesh," it their right of freedom of said. peaceful assembly expression," it added.

There are "several documented cases" of arson Das was reportedly arrested on charges of sedition and his and looting of minorities' homes and business bail application was rejected establishments, as well as Metropolitan theft and vandalism and Court. The court, noting that desecration of deities and temples, the MEA flagged. the police did not request Das' 'It is unfortunate that while remand, ordered his transfer

the perpetrators of these to judicial custody. incidents remain at large, It also directed that he be charges should be pressed granted against a religious leader privileges presenting legitimate demands through peaceful detention. He was arrested on charges of disrespecting the gatherings," the statement Bangladeshi flag during a rally he addressed in October, said. The MEA also noted with according to Bangladeshi

ISKCON monk Krishna Das Prabhu being taken in a police van after court ordered him detained pending further proceedings in Chattogram in southeastern Bangladesh AP/PTI

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media reports. protesting Hindus in West Bengal have announced plans to protest and block the Petrapole "We urge Bangladesh Border if bail is not granted to ISKCON's Chinmoy Das. Meanwhile, Suvendu Adhikari, a senior Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP) leader, said the party would hold protests in front of the West Bengal Assembly over the situation in Bangladesh. A torch rally is Chittagong also planned.

Concerned at the arrest of Swami Chinmoy Krishna Das a senior sadhu of International Society of Krishna Consciousness, Bangladesh the ISKCON has appealed to the Indian Government to take up the issue with the Government on the other side of the border so as to secure the release of the monk at the earliest.

Maharashtra Governor CP Radhakrishnan receives Shiv Sena leader Eknath Shinde's resignation as Chief Minister

## Maharashtra still awaits its next CM T N RAGHUNATHA MUMBAI

On a day when he continued to put up covert resistance Bharatiya Janata Party's plans to name its senior leader Devendra Fadnavis as the next Chief Minister of Maharashtra, Eknath Shinde on Tuesday tendered his resignation as the CM, to Maharashtra Governor CP Radhakrishnan after the completion of the five term of the outgoing government. However, the Governor asked Shinde to remain as the caretaker CM till the new government assumed office in the State.

Fadnavis and Ajit Pawar, both of whom are Deputy CMs in the outgoing government, were present when Shinde tendered his resignation from his post as the CM to the Governor at Raj Bhavan. "The Governor has asked the Chief Minister to continue to hold the charge of his post till alternate arrangements are made," a communiqué from Raj Bhavan said.



SC asks for

## **EVMs are tampered when you** lose, and fine if you win: SC

requiring

PIONEER NEWS SERVICE NEW DELHI

The Supreme Court on Tuesday indicated that a level of hypocrisy is attached to criticism about the Electronic Voting Machine (EVM), saying "EVMs are tampered when you lose and fine if you win". The oral remark was made by Justice Vikram Nath before dismissing a petition filed by evangelist KA Paul, who sought a judicial order to return to paper ballots. As the petitioner pointed out that even prominent leaders like Chandrababu Naidu and YS Jagan Mohan Reddy had raised concerns about tampering with EVMs, the SC Rench remarked, "When

Pieces of broken window glass lie on the floor after an explosion outside a club in Chandigarh

Two low-intensity explosions

## Doctors on duty still vulnerable to attacks

SAUMYA SHUKLA NEW DELHI

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mid the nation-wide talk about the safety And the nation-wide taik about the Ador resident doctors in the aftermath of RG Kar hospital rape and murder case in Kolkata, the medical workers still continue to remain vulnerable as they faced harassment in two Delhi government hospitals including Safdarjung hospital where a senior Indian Police Service (IPS) officer allegedly verbally abused a doctor on duty, over the treatment of his wife. A CCTV video, purportedly showing he incident depicted enutv Inspecto General (DIG) of Armed Police and Training in Puducherry, angrily gesturing at the doctor and pointing his finger towards him. However, no police case has been filed in both the cases even though the Central government had asked heads of all government hospitals in the country to register an institutional FIR within six hours of any incident of violence against an on-duty healthcare worker in the wake of the RG Kar rape and murder case that happened in Kolkata. After the incident, doctors started sharing their concerns, raising questions about the behavior of people toward healthcare workers. Expressing his displeasure over the incident, a doctor on X said, "Brijendra Kumar Yadav, DGP Pondicherry disgraced his position and abused power by threatening and verbally assaulting a young on duty resident doctor treating his wife at Safdarjung Hospital. We turn to the police when we are assaulted. What to do when a top police officer becomes the perpetrator of aggression?" In the first instance at Safdarjung hospital, the incident led operations in the emergency ward being temporarily halted. The wife of Brijendra Kumar Yadav had been admitted to the hospital for postoperative care following surgery at the hospital's Sports Injury Centre (SIC).



## creative ways to deal with unruly air passengers

#### PIONEER NEWS SERVICE NEW DELHI

The Supreme Court on Tuesday called for creative ways to deal with unruly air passengers, while directing the Centre and Directorate General of Civil Aviation (DGCA) to frame more comprehensive guidelines to control unruly air passengers guidelines in accordance with the international norms.and "something observed creative" had to be done. Ă Bench of Justices B R Gavai and KV Viswanathan was hearing a plea filed by a 73-year-old woman, on whom a male co-passenger allegedly urinated in an inebriated condition on board an Air India flight in November, 2022.

Interestingly, during the hearing, Justice Viswanathan recalled an incident involving drunk passengers on a flight while travelling with another Supreme Court judge, Justice Surya Kant We had a recent experience during air travel. Two male passengers were fully drunk. One went to the washroom and slept off. The other one, who was outside and had a bag to vomit. The crew was all women. For 30 to 35 minutes no one could open the door. The crew then requested my co-passenger to open the door and take him out to the seat. It was a 2.40 hours flight," the judge revealed.

Justice Viswanathan, who was on a Bench with Justice BR Gavai, hearing the plea, asked Solicitor General Aishwarya Bhati to instruct the authorities concerned to examine and suitably modify the existing guidelines on unruly passengers, in line | finish the ritual. with the international norms. | This led to a heated

Chandrababu Naidu or Mr Reddy lost, they said that EVMs were tampered and when they won, they didn't say anything. How can we see this? We are dismissing this. This is not the place where you argue all of this." Petitioner KA Paul referenced Elon Musk's remarks who had suggested that EVMs could be tampered with.

Apart from ballot paper voting, the plea sought several directions including a directive to the Election Commission to disqualify candidates for a minimum of five years if found guilty of distributing money, liquor or other material inducement to the voters during polls.

When petitioner-in-person KA Paul said he filed the PIL, the Bench said, "You have interesting PILs. How do you get these brilliant ideas?". The petitioner said he is the president of an organisation which has rescued over three lakh orphans and 40 lakh widows.

"Why are you getting into this



political arena? Your area of work is very different," the Bench retorted. After Paul revealed he had been to over 150 countries, the Bench asked him whether each of the nations had ballot paper voting or used electronic voting.

petitioner said foreign The countries had adopted ballot paper voting and India should follow suit. "Why you don't want to be different from the rest of the world?" asked the Bench .

There was corruption and in June 2024, the Election Commission announced they had seized Rs 9,000 crore, Paul responded. "But how does that make your relief which you are claiming here relevant?" asked the Bench, adding "if you shift back to physical ballot, will there be no corruption?". Paul claimed CEO and co-founder of Tesla, Elon Musk, stated that EVMs could be tampered with and added TDP chief N Chandrababu Naidu, the current chief minister of

Andhra Pradesh, and former state chief minister YS Jagan Mohan Reddy had claimed EVMs could be tampered with.

## outside Badshah's lounge

PNS CHANDIGARH

Two low-intensity explosions occurred outside as many bar-cum-lounges, one of them owned by rapper Badshah, in the Sector 26 area of Chandigarh early Tuesday. No casualties were reported The blasts occurred outside De'Orra and Seville. Seville is reportedly owned by the rapper. The explosions shattered De'Orra's glass windows. In CCTV footage, an unidentified person was seen throwing something towards the lounge and thereafter a cloud of smoke emerged. Sources said two suspects came on a

> motorcycle. Police said they received a call reporting a "loud sound" from the area around 3.25 am. A police team recovered jute rope pieces from the spot. A team from the Central Forensic Science Laboratory collected the samples, police said.

Chandigarh Deputy Superintendent of Police Dilbag Singh Dhaliwal told media an investigating officer who responded to the call found broken glasses at the scene. An FIR has been lodged and an investigation was underway, Dhaliwal said.

Puran, a worker at one of the clubs, said though the joint was closed, there were seven to eight workers inside at the time of the incident. He said they heard a loud sound around 3.15 am and rushed outside. They found broken glass, but did not spot anyone, he added.

Although the CCTV footage had no sound, the man's body language clearly conveyed hostility. Later, the official X handle of the Resident Doctors' Association of Safdarjung Hospital shared an audio clip of the incident. In the clip, a man can be heard saying, "I have studied twice as much as you, so don't think

you are indispensable." Federation of All India Medical Association (FAIMA) also issued a press release strongly condemning the incident of verbal harassment and bullying faced by a general surgery postgraduate resident of VMMC and Safdarjung Hospital Delhi on duty.

The concerned person, Brijendra Kumar Yadav (IPS Officer) Batch 2010 AGMUT Cadre, and husband of patient Anita Roy (admitted to the seventh floor of the SIC building), engaged in behaviour that was both disgraceful and unacceptable. Such actions, particularly by a senior government official, are highly condemnable and violate the dignity of healthcare professionals who work tirelessly to serve patients," they said,

demanding an apology from Yadav. In another incident that took place in GTB hospital, a male patient, allegedly drunk, created ruckus in the neurosurgery department during treatment, breaking fixtures and threatening doctors on duty.

According to a statement by the Resident Doctors' Association of the University College of Medical Sciences (UCMS) and GTB Hospital, on Monday evening, a patient became violent during an examination, abused doctors, nurses, and staff on duty, and attempted to assault them. The patient also broke cabin partitions and smashed glass fixtures, it said.

## Mewar dynasty descendants spar in bizarre battle royale

## RAJESH KUMAR NEW DELHI/ JAIPUR

The descendants of Rajput I ruler Maharana Pratap, who fought against the mighty Mughal emperor Akbar nearly 450 years ago, have now had to deal with a family to complete the rituals of accession to the "throne" in Udainur, Bharativa Lunata Udaipur. Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP) MLA Vishvaraj Singh Mewar, was challenged by his uncle Arvind Singh Mewar and his son Lakshyaraj

Singh Mewar who allegedly denied him entry to the 'dhuni' (sacred fire) temple in the palace premises and then to Eklingnath Ji temple to



confrontation on Monday night as tensions flared between two factions of the erstwhile royal family of Mewar, resulting in stone injuring pelting, several persons and a standoff at the historic City Palace.

The clash followed the coronation of BJP MLA Vishvaraj Singh Mewar as the 77th Maharana of Mewar earlier that day Chittorgarh Fort. Tuesday, the dis at On district administration of Udaipur

appointed a receiver to manage a disputed area of the City Palace. The issue stands unresolved. However, the situation is under control, district officials said.

Property dispute is at the core of this entire episode, which apparently has turned into the battle of supremacy. City palace and Eklingnathji temple are under the control of Arvind Singh. A stand-off between Vishvaraj Singh and his cousin Dr Lakshay Raj Singh Mewar followed at the gates of the historic city palace after Vishvaraj Singh Mewar was refused entry into the palace, which is now run by a trust managed by his cousin and uncle Shreeji Arvind Singh Mewar.



Police officers with their dogs pay tribute to the martyrs of the 26/11 Mumbai terror attacks on its anniversary



## MP has opened all doors of development in changing times: CM

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hief Minister Mohan Yadav has said that Madhya Pradesh is the heart of India where people from all regions of the country reside. In the changing times, the country is progressing rapidly under the leadership of Prime Minister Narendra Modi. Madhya Pradesh is also flourishing in the field of industry and trade. All types of facilities are being provided by the state government in every field including health, tourism, IT, education, and garments. Be it the field of infrastructure or other basic facilities, the double-engine government of Prime Minister Modi is doing effective work for industrial development and investment promotion. Madhya Pradesh

best state in the country in terms of land banks for roads, electricity, and industrial sector. Chief Minister Yadav expressed these views while interacting with the NRI group 'Friends of Madhya Pradesh' and the expatriate community in London during his UK visit. Chief Minister Dr. Yadav was warmly welcomed and felicitated by the expatriate community and members of 'Friends of MP' at the Royal National Hotel in London (UK). Many eminent Indian expatri-

ates including former Deputy Mayor of London Rajesh Aggarwal were present. Aggarwal were present. Yadav said that Prime Minister Modi's vision and leadership abilities have established India's reputation in the world. The acceptance of his leadership abilities in the countries of the

themselves.

which could not be shifted.

and respect of India and Indians in the world. Indians consider themselves fortunate due to the strong and capable leadership of Modi in the world's largest democracy. Chief Minister Dr. Yadav also remembered former Prime Minister Late. Atal Bihari Vajpayee.

Throwing light on the devel-opment of Madhya Pradesh, Chief Minister Dr. Yadav said that till 2003, there were only 5 medical colleges in Madhya Pradesh, but at present a total of 30 medical colleges are operating in the state. Colleges of Excellence operate in all 55 districts. There are many possi-bilities in the field of mining and tourism also. In the garments sector, there is an incentive of Rs 5,000 per worker per month, similarly in other secworld has increased the pride tors including IT, there is a sys-

tem of providing facilities and incentives. Madhya Pradesh ready to wel-

come investors Chief Minister Yadav said that Madhya Pradesh is ready to welcome investors and said investors and industry groups should invest. Madhya Pradesh will also progress and together we will all participate in the progress of the country.

Yadav said that the Regional Industry Conclave was started to increase investment and employment opportunities in the state, in this sequence conclaves have been organized in Ujjain, Jabalpur, Rewa, Gwalior, and Sagar. Inviting investors to the Global Investors Summit to be held for the first time in Bhopal in February 2025, Chief Minister Yadav said, 'I am inviting all of you - Come and invest in Madhya Pradesh, as the state has

invited British MPs, investors,

and Indians to the Global

Investors Summit to be held in

Lord Raminder Ranger, a mem-

ber of the House of Lords of

the growth in Europe and USA.

Bhopal in February 2025.

opened all the doors of devel-

opment'. India is the fastest-growing economy in the world Addressing the programme, former Deputy Mayor of London Rajesh Aggarwal said that no one can stop development of India and Madhya Pradesh. India is the largest investor in London, India is the fastest-growing economy in the world. Aggarwal wished Chief MinisterYadav a successful and purposeful journey.

Founder member of 'Friends of MP' NRI Manish Tiwari said that Madhya Pradesh is not just a place where its people live, MP is a miniature India. He said that Friends of MP was formed with the aim of organizing the people of Madhya Pradesh in London. Tiwari praised the tourist places full of the natural beauty of the state including Bhopal, Jabalpur, and Kanha-Kisli.



Madhya Pradesh Chief Minister Mohan Yadav with his wife garlands a bust of BR Ambedkar during 'Samvidhan Divas' programme at Ambedkar House on the occasion of Constitution Day in London (UK) on Tuesday. Pioneer photo

#### 18 shops obstructing Metro route, demolished CM is very humble and friendly: Lord Raminder Pervert molester active in Yashoda Vihar, arrested

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has established itself as the

**¬**otal 18 permanent shops which were obstructing the second phase of Bhopal Metro, were demolished after two months of the deadline of the removal of the structures, on Tuesday. However, the shopkeepers removed their goods before the action to avoid loss. The second phase of the

metro is 8.77 Km from Subhash Nagar Depot to Karond. This work will also the permanent shops. People themselves had given be done in two parts. A total their consent to remove their shops, but they did not of Rs 1540 crore will be spent on both. Soil testing, design and other works have been

done Now the focus is on removing encroachment. So that, civil works can start soon. City Circle SDM Deepak Pandey said, action was taken in the presence of police.

Those shopkeepers who said The place where these are to that they would remove their be shifted does not have facilgoods by evening were given ities like water, electricity and relief. As soon as the goods road. were removed, the shops were

The Micro, Small and demolished with the help of Enterprises Medium JCB. The shops were demol-Department has called tenished with the help of JCB. ders for them. In such a situ-Earlier they had given their ation, the machines are not consent to remove them able to come for the underground line. In September some encroach-

There are 108 saw machines ments were removed in Pul on the metro route from Bogda and Azad Nagar, but 10 days were given to remove Barkhedi Phatak to Bharat Talkies. In about 48 years, discussions have been held more than 50 times on the shifting of these machines and 8 locations have also been seen. remove them. Therefore, on After a long struggle, finally 18 acres of land was allotted Tuesday the administration itself was going to demolish in Chhota Ratibad. Where them, but before that people road, electricity and water started removing their stuff. facilities will be provided There are a total of 108 saw with Rs 5.5 crore, but till now machines in Azad Nagar, only the tender process has been done

Bhopal: The response to Chief Money invested in India is safe, Minister Mohan Yadav's meeting because India is a democratic with British MPs during his visit country, here there is rule of law to the UK is exceeding expecta-tions. Describing Madhya as well as heart of governance. He also praised the administra-Pradesh as an emerging state, the tive team accompanying Chief MPs openly praised the person-Minister Yadav. Lord Kulveer Ranger, another member of Britain's House of ality, humility, and affability of Chief Minister Yadav. Yadav has

Lords, described the meeting with Chief Minister Yadav as amazing. He said that he too is eagerly waiting for the Global Investors Summit to be held in Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh.

Britain, said that the humility and He expressed his desire to know affability of Dr. Mohan Yadav, the and understand more about Chief Minister of a big state from Madhya Pradesh as the Lungs of a country like India, has India. He said that there are many impressed us greatly. He told us opportunities available in Madhya Pradesh in the fields of about the investment opportu-nities available in Madhya renewable energy, eco-system, Pradesh. We told Chief Minister technology, higher education as Dr. Yadav that we would invest in well as agriculture and health whatever project he suggested. At technology. Lord Kulveer said present, the growth in India is that Chief Minister Dr. Yadav more than 8 percent compared to informed us about the investment opportunities in MP.

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psychotic serial molester was nabbed by the Awas nabbed by the Chuna Bhatti police late on Monday evening, police said several sets of female undergarments were recovered from his pockets and the storage compartment of his two-wheeler.

Police said over the last month they had received several complaints of a masked young man grabbing and molesting young girls in the Yashoda Vihar Colony of Chuna Bhatti.

The accused, identified as Izhar Khan, also wore glasses and covered the registration plates of his two-wheeler — a Honda Activa scooter — with paper to avoid detection by CCTV cameras in the area. Police say that the parents of the deviant Khan, both teachers by profession, have said that they had no

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the leadership of Baba Saheb.

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inkling of their progeny's actions as he remained secretive about his friends and whereabouts. The parents said that they were shamed by their son's actions.

The police are trying to ascertain how Khan got his hands on such a large number of female undergarments, and what he did with them. Police say the accused has confessed to two incidents of molestation.

Presenting a background on the arrest, police said they had been on the lookout since two complaints of molestation were received from two different

molester yet again targeted a girl in the evening, only this time passers-by heard the girl's cry for help and nabbed Khan before handing him over to the police.Following the arrest, both victims reached the police station and lodged an FIR. Now, the police are trying to

places in the Chuna Bhatti area

Meanwhile, the emboldened

on Monday afternoon.

find other girls who have been targeted by the accused in the past.The victims said that the accused threatened them with dire consequences after molesting them.



## Constitution of the country is the holy book: Sarang

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n ports and Youth Welfare Sarang said that the Constitution of our country is the holy book. He praised Prime Minister Narendra Modi and said that by organ-ising Padyatra on Constitution Day today in the entire country, he has inspired all of us that today we are living as free Indians in democracy. Minister Sarang was addressing the programme on the occasion of the launch of the Constitution Day Padyatra at Shaurya Smarak.

is a symbol of the martyrdom of the brave warrior. Imbibe the thoughts Resolution to build a

be ready when needed. This India should once again be established as a world leader. This is our duty and resolu-

Sarang expressed gratitude tion. and paid respects to Baba Message of Chief Minister The recorded message of Chief Saheb and said that he made Minister Dr. Mohan Yadav the Constitution of the largest was also played in the prodemocracy. On this day in the gramme. Along with this, the Preamble of the Constitution year 1949, this Constitution was prepared and implemented on 26 January 1950. Today we all are joining the padayaand the National Anthem were also read out. Minister of State tra with the resolution to make for Backward Classes and Minorities (Independent independent India a powerful India by integrating the con-Charge) Smt. Krishna Gaur, MLA Rameshwar Sharma and stitutional sentiments as a Bhagwandas Sabnani also pledge. This Shaurya Smarak attended the programme. At the beginning of the pro-

ed with parikrama of the statue of Ambedkar ji at the Board Office Square and garlanding it with salutation and returning to the Shaurya Smarak. These were the centres of

attraction The replica of the Constitution of the country accompanied the Padyatra in the vehicle. The Padyatra kept moving forward to the tune of the police band. School children also participated in the Padyatra, showing a glimpse of culture in traditional attire. Players Kapil Parmar, Aishwarya Pratap Singh, Arshi Chaukse, Sakshi Bhardwaj, mountaineer Bhagwan Singh, Jyoti Ratre participated in this grand event. When the padyatra started, it was stopped and an ambulance was given priority. Flowers were showered at various places during the padyatra. The padyatra was carried out in full discipline with the chants of Vande Mataram, Hamara Samvidhan- Hamari Shaan, Bharat Mata ke Jaikar.

ungsters participate in a rally on the occasion of 'Samvidhan Divas' in Bhopal on Tuesday

## Check the veracity of the news before publishing: DPR advises influencers

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nderlining the growing impact of social media, Director of Public Relations, Anshul Gupta, on Tuesday advised influencers to check the veracity of the news before publishing it online. Gupta said that social media has emerged as the most effective medium for information dissemination, but its credibility should be maintained by verifying the authenticity of news prior to sharing it on various platforms. The top PR official underlined that social media prominence comes with responsibility. He said content creators should remain mindful of the DPTA Act and tailor content to reader interest and understanding. Gupta was addressing the divisional workshop on "Social Media and New Age Media" organised by the Divisional Public Relations Office, Bhopal.

On this occasion, Additional Director of Public Relations, GS Wadhwa, and Sanjay Jain were present.

The workshop covered important topics such as digital marketing, video editing, graphic designing, video shooting, and scriptwriting. Influencers were introduced to modern digital tools and the lat-

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#### est techniques.

They were also encouraged to take on a more impactful role in administrative and community programmes. Special emphasis was placed on the impact of digital media, brand promotion strategies, and effective communication skills. Expert speakers explained the latest trends in digital marketing,

effective storytelling, and how to develop creative skills in a simple and practical manner.The workshop was conducted by Joint Director of Public Relations, Pankaj Mittal, and the vote of thanks was given by Deputy Director, Arun Sharma. The workshop featured social media influencers-Aryan Chaturvedi, Rashmi Golya, Sarvesh Pancholi, Irshad Ahmed Zaidi, Satish Kushwaha, and Sushant Kaushal,

who shared their experiences.

Dr Soni of AIIMS Bhopal awarded at Jodhpur STAFF REPORTER BHOPAL

BL Soni, Assistant Professor in the Department of Trauma and Emergency Medicine at AIIMS Bhopal, was honored with the First Prize in the Oral Presentation category at the 64th Annual Conference of the National Academy of Medical Sciences (NAMSCON 2024). This conference was held from November 21 to 24, 2024, at AIIMS Jodhpur and witnessed

the participation of distinguished physicians and researchers from across the country. Commending Dr Soni's achievement, Prof. Singh remarked, "Dr. Soni's innovation has the potential to revolutionize organ donation by maintaining the dignity of donors while encouraging broader acceptance and saving lives. AIIMS Bhopal is committed to developing solutions that bridge the gap between science and humanity.

Dr Soni presented on the topic, "Innovative Use of 3D Printed Bone Analogues for Post-Bone Retrieval Reconstruction as Natural Appurtenance in Deceased Donors," where he showcased a unique technology addressing complex challenges in organ donation.

Seven accused sentenced to 7 year RI in Vyapam cases

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➡he ASJ & Special Judge, CBI, Vyapam Cases, Bhopal on Tuesday sen-tenced seven accused including three candidates and four impersonators namely Vivek Tyagi Sunil Rawat & Charan Singh Sikarwar (all three can-didates) and Vijendra Singh Rawat, Hariom Rawat, Sriniwas Singhal & Sandeep Prasad Nayak (all four impersonators) to 7 Years' Rigorous Imprisonment with total fine of Rs 90,000 in a Vyapam scam

case. This case was initially registered with STF police station of Bhopal vide FÎR No. 10/2015 on May 16, 2015 against three accused persons viz. 03 candidates and unknown middlemen and others. STF had filed 01 charge-sheet dated 12.08.2015 in the instant case against 06 accused persons and further investigation of the case was kept open for identifying and tracing of other accused and for collecting additional evidence against the charge sheeted accused persons

In compliance of the orders dated 09.07.2015 of the Hon'ble

## This case was initially registered with STF police station of **Bhopal** vide FIR No. 10/2015 on May 16, 2015 against three accused

Supreme Court, the instant case was re-registered by CBI on 14.08.2015 against all accused persons as chargesheeted by STF for further investigation. During its investigation, CBI traced all the absconding accused persons and examined them. Further, the expert opinion with respect to handwritings, thumb impressions, photographs, CCTV Video recording, etc. were obtained from CFSL, Mumbai and CFSL, New Delhi. After the completion of investigation, supplementary chargesheet was filed on 31.08.2018 by CBI, against the accused persons including those convicted by the

## Court on Tuesday.

## Saheb

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gramme guests lit the lamp and paid floral tribute to the pictures of Baba Saheb Dr. Bhimrao Ambedkar, Bharat Mata and Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel. The Constitution Day Padyatra began by paying homage to the replica of the Constitution. The Constitution Day Padyatra started from the Shaurya Smarak and conclud-



Engineering students display their robots during a robotics competition organised at Barkatullah University in Bhopal on Pioneer photo Tuesday

## Railway line expansion will benefit citizens in MP

#### STAFF REPORTER BHOPAL

hief Minister Mohan Yadav has expressed his gratitude to Prime Minister Modi and the Union Cabinet for approving 3 mul-titracking projects of the Railway Ministry worth Rs 7 thousand 927 crore.

Chief Minister Yadav said that the state is making rapid

progress under the able leadership of Prime Minister Modi, due to the increasing network of railways in the state, and transportation for the people of the state has also become fast and easier. The people of the state are grateful to Prime Minister Narendra Modi and Railway Minister Ashwini Vaishnaw for the continuous new developments and contributions to the state.

He said that the expansion of the railway line would encourage religious, cultural, and eco-tourism. This initiative will ensure better accessibility to various attractions in the state like Omkareshwar Ivotirlinga (Khandwa), Khajuraho UNESCO World Heritage Site, Asirgarh Fort, and Rewa Fort, thereby providing convenience to devotees and tourists.

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## **MP** has one of the largest land banks in India: Chief Minister

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hief Minister Mohan Yadav, campaigning to /invite global investors to the Global Investors Summit to be held in Bhopal in February 2025, addressed an interactive session with industrialists during a roadshow in London, UK, on Tuesday.

Yadav praised the dynamic leadership of Prime Minister Narendra Modi for the rapid industrial development seen across India. Inviting the industrialists to invest in Madhva Pradesh, he highlighted that the state possesses one of the largest land banks in the country. Madhya Pradesh has transparent and investor-friendly policies and is a leader in the mining and agricultural sectors in India.

While addressing the industri-

alists during the session in London, Yadav said that even after facing challenges, the relations between India and the UK remain strong because of their shared democratic heritage. He attributed India's rapid development and political stability to the miraculous leadership of Prime Minister Modi. He reminded everyone of how PM Modi turned the challenge of tackling the COVID-19 pandemic into an opportunity, proving India's capability in overcoming crises. Under his leadership, not only was India safeguarded, but the world was also supported, which enhanced India's reputation globally. PM Modi's clarity of vision and crore to set up a semiconductor firm resolve have created a chip manufacturing unit in favorable environment for industrial investments in India. In the interactive session titled

Madhya Pradesh, Dr. Yadav informed the industrialists that before reaching out to foreign investors, significant improvements were made within the state, and a campaign was initiated to invite industrialists from across the country to Madhya Pradesh. As a result, investments worth thousands of crores became possible. Yadav shared that renowned industrialist Lakshmi Mittal appreciated the investment opportunities in the state during a recent meeting. He also expressed delight that an Indian-origin real estate entrepreneur from the UK has shown interest in investing ?25,000

Madhya Pradesh. Dr. Yadav extended an invitation to Indian-origin industri-

Investment Opportunities in alists in the UK, stating that

their investment in Madhya Pradesh would not only enhance employment opportunities in the state but also expand their businesses, forming a long-lasting partnership with the state.

## Madhya Pradesh: The Heartland with Immense **Industrial Potential**

India's High Commissioner to the UK, Vikram Doraiswami, described Madhya Pradesh as an ideal destination for industrial investments. He praised PM Modi's leadership and stated that India has emerged as one of the best places for doing business under his tenure. Mr. Doraiswami emphasized that Madhya Pradesh ranks among the top five states in India for ease of doing business. With vast land availability, the highest agricultural growth rate, and industry-friendly policies, Madhya Pradesh presents unlimited opportunities for investors.

Mr. Doraiswami noted that Madhya Pradesh's central location makes it an excellent hub for industries, as products can be easily transported across India and the globe. With abundant natural resources and comparatively low competition, Madhya Pradesh offers a lucrative opportunity for investors. The state's transparent policies enable both global expansion for businesses and significant growth for investors. Additional Chief Secretary for Science and Technology, Mr. Sanjay Dubey, presented the

investment opportunities in the IT/ITES and ESDM sectors. He highlighted the state's vibrant tech ecosystem and government support for IT investments.



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Madhya Pradesh Chief Minister Mohan Yadav with Industrialists and Investors during a meeting in London (UK) on Tuesday

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Pioneer photo State Legal Services Authority observes constitution Day

#### STAFF REPORTER BHOPAL

collective reading of the preamble of the Constitution marked Constitution Day at the National Institute of Technical Teachers Training and Research (NITTTR) in the state capital on Tuesday.

The programme, in accordance with the directives of the Madhya Pradesh State Legal Services Authority, was held under the guidance of Manoj Kumar Srivastava, Principal District and Sessions Judge, Bhopal. Aarti Sharma, Secretary of

the District Legal Services Authority, supervised the event, which was addressed by Singh, District Aid Officer, and Sudhir Dubey, Panel Advocate. The event was attended by C.C. Tripathi, Director of the Institute; Professor Ravi Fundamental

## **Details on free** legal aid scheme, Lok Adalat, mediation

## scheme, prelitigation mediation were provided

Kumar Gupta; retired Major Nishant Kumar; senior administrative officers; along with the staff, students, trainees, and teachers from other states.

Sudhir Kumar Dubey, Panel Advocate, provided information on the constitutional his-Indian Constitution, the formation of the Constituent Assembly, the

## Constitution day observed at State assembly

## **STAFF REPORTER** BHOPAL

menced with Principal Secretary AP Singh joining officials and staff of the Legislative Assembly Secretariat in paying tribute to Dr Ambedkar, the Chairman of the Constituent Assembly. Singh later provided factual information about the Constitution, followed by a collective reading of the Preamble to the Constitution.On this occasion, Singh noted that we are currently in the "Amrit Kaal" (Golden Era) of the Constitution. He remarked that several leaders from the state were members of the Constituent Assembly.

system in our country is primarily attributed to the strong framework and institutional months, and 18 days.

## Three mobile phone snatchers nabbed

#### STAFF REPORTER BHOPAL

olar police station arrested 3 smart mobile Karresteu 5 smart meet District Legal Aid Officer Abhay Singh gave information about the objectives, working ing a minor boy and recovered ascooter used in the crime, a system, and structure of the stolen Apache motorcycle and Rs. 1000 cash from the Legal Services Authority. He also provided details on the accused.

free legal aid scheme, Lok Police said that on November Adalat, the mediation scheme, 24 staff received information pre-litigation mediation, prothat three boys matching the description of the Axis scootvisions under the Motor Accident Claims Act, the Maintenance and Welfare of er used in which the mobile was being snatched, have gone towards D Mart Kalari Parents and Senior Citizens Gehunkheda. Act, 2007, and the NALSA toll-free number 15100 for free

On receiving the information, a police team was immediate-ly dispatched. When the police team reached near D Mart i, three boys

about the vehicle, one of them said that he had borrowed the Axis scooter from his neighbor to get his mother treated and

tried to misled. Later the three confessed crime of snatching. The three were identified as Sheikh Arbaaz, Sheikh Tofik alias Guddu father Sheikh Shafiq and one

was found be a minor boy. Accused revealed that on November 10 at 9.30 in the evening they snatched a mobile phone from a person walking on Mansarovar Dental College Road and apart from this they snatched a Nothing company phone from a person walking on the road near the canal in front of Chuna Bhatti's big bungalow who was talking on

the Constitution's makers skillfully completed the challenging task  $\overline{z}$ 

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the auction is less than the dues, the balance amount will be recovered from the borrower through appropriate legal action. Canara Bank reserves the right to sell the mortgaged property and change the date of auction of creating a framework that without any prior notice. reflects the hopes and aspirations of millions of citizens, and it continues to guide the nation forward.He said it was a matter of pride that Ambedkar was born in Madhya Pradesh and that leaders from the state, such as Pt Ravi Shankar Shukla, The drafting took 2 years, 11 Interested tenderers can place their bids in the Gold Auction on 04.12.2024 at 3:00 PM through a sealed

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days from the date of receipt of the said notice. As the borrower failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/ her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said rules on the below-mentioned dates. The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of ICICI Home Finance Company Limited. The Borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time

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2.		Flat No. 402 4th Floor Satguru Plaza Palsikar Colony Plot No. 410 Lda Scheme No.44 Khatiwala Tank Indore Madhya Pradesh- 452001 (Ref LAN No. NHIND00001266580), Bounded By- North: Common	16-05-2023 Rs. 22,41,492/-	Indore- Navlakha -B

"The success of the democratic

Ratanlal Malviya, Vinayak Sarwate, Dr Harisingh Gour, Shambhunath Shukla, Dr Lal Singh, Ramsahay Tiwari, Sitaram Jaju, and Seth Govind Das, were part of the Constituent Assembly. After the final approval by the Constituent Assembly, the Constitution was adopted on November 26, 1949.

## structure established in the Constitution," he said. he programme com-Singh added that

egarding the Prean ble of th Constitution and discussed its importance.At the end of main sources of the the programme, C.C. Tripathi, Constitution, its nature, Director of the Institute, Duties, expressed gratitude.

legal advice and assistance.

Major Nishant Kumar Rai

gave a detailed explanation

Fundamental Rights, Supreme

Court verdicts related to them,

and the Directive Principles of

State Policy.

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ile and sold both mobiles to Safdar Irani alias Shahrukh in Irani Dera Aman Colony Karod Bhopal for Rs. 2,000 each and divided the money equally among them.

Passage And Flat No.401, South: Back Lane, East: Plot No.411, West: Plot No.409/ Date of Possession-21-Nov-24

The above-mentioned borrowers(s)/ guarantors(s) are hereby given a 30 day notice to repay the amount, else the mortgaged properties will be sold on the expiry of 30 days from the date of publication of this Notice, as per the provisions under the Rules 8 and 9 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002.

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#### People of India are the protectors of the Constitution: Governor More than 53K

## STAFF REPORTER BHOPAL

overnor Mangubhai Patel, marking the 75th Janniversary of the adoption of the Constitution, has urged the people of the state to reaffirm their commitment to uphold constitutional values in all their actions with sincerity on Constitution Day. He urged citizens to resolve to actively contribute to enhancing public awareness of the rights granted by the Constitution and the responsibilities assigned to them through their actions and behaviour. The Governor Patel was

addressing the politicians, officials and citizens at Hans Dhwani Auditorium, Ravindra Bhawan as the chief guest of the mass recitation programme of the Preamble of the Constitution organised by the state government. Patel had

attendees of the programme. On this occasion, the documentary Glory of Constitution produced by the Government the objectives and importance of India and the short film prepared by the Parliamentary Affairs Department of the state were screened. Patel said that the Constitution

is an inspirational living document for us Indians and a modern scripture of independent India, which guides all of us. The Constitution has been adopted by every citizen of the country, so the real guardians of the Constitution are we, the people of India. He said that the Constitution is not the guardian of one person, but of all. Therefore, the responsibility of its protection and promotion

the Preamble of the support and protect the Constitution read out by the Constitution through their conduct and behaviour. Therefore, it is important that every citizen of the country understands of the Constitution with dedication and shows his respect for the Constitution by proper compliance. It is necessary for

every section, every community and every citizen of the country to stay alert and active for the compliance of their rights and duties. Patel said that the day of com-

pletion of 75 years of the Constitution is an occasion and celebration of pride and understanding of universal values ?? for all of us Indians. This important event is being celebrated as "Our Constitution -Our Self-Respect" campaign. It also lies with all of us. While on is important that the future genone hand the Constitution eration should be made aware empowers the citizens, on the of the long struggle and sacriother hand, the citizens also fice made by the constitution

makers for building an independent, democratic and self reliant nation. Constitution Day should not be celebrated only as a celebration of governance and political parties, but as a celebration of gratitude towards the contribution of the nation makers. It is the responsibility of all of us to contribute our best in building a strong and inclusive society without discriminating on the basis of caste, religion, gender, language etc. as per the Constitution.

On the auspicious occasion of Constitution Day, Patel remembered the architect of the Indian Constitution, Baba Saheb Dr. Bhimrao Ambedkar and all the great personalities of the Constituent Assembly. Paying tribute to them, he said that their amazing vision and efforts have given us a Constitution that provides equality, freedom and justice to all citizens.

## cases resolved

Bhopal: In the first 10 days of Revenue Mega Campaign 3.0 being run to resolve pending revenue cases in the state 53 thousand 94 revenue cases have been resolved. A t has been set to resolve lakh 36 thousand 334 ca transfer, demarcation, tion and record correcti to the November 14, deadline. The Campaign has been s from November 15. will run till Decemb 2024.

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## Central and State govts fail to plug fertilizer gaps in MP: Patwa

#### STAFF REPORTER BHOPAL

Pradesh adhya Congress Committee President Jitu Patwari on Tuesday accused Bharatiya Janata Party governments at the Center and in Madhva Pradesh of dealing a severe blow to agriculture in the country.

Addressing the media the Congress state unit chief said that one hand farmers are not being provided adequate support prices, and on the other hand, they do not get fertilizers on time. "Farmers in Madhya Pradesh are standing in queues for several days to buy fertilizers. Due to the bru-



tality of the BJP government, lakh metric tonnes of DAP for farmers are facing police lathi the Rabi season, but unfortunately, only 4.57 lakh metric charges, while the Chief Minister of Madhya Pradesh is tons had been supplied till enjoying power abroad instead November 20, with only 2.91 of addressing the situation," he lakh metric tonnes sold in the state

Patwari said that farmers were DAP and complex fertilizers bearing the brunt of deepening are used only during the sow-DAP shortages. "There is a ing season, which peaks in

said.

severe short-October-November, but the age of DAP government has failed to meet fertilizer in even half of the promised sup-Madhya

It is unfortunate that the requirement for urea in the state is 20 lakh metric tonnes, but only 12.70 lakh metric tonnes has been made available, with 7.69 lakh metric tonnes sold by November 20, 2024. Urea is used at least three times during the Rabi season: once during sowing, and twice after planting.

Patwari said the 52 lakh hectare had yielded 55-60 lakh tonnes of soybean in the state. However, farmers have been unable to sell their crops at cost recovery prices, despite Union

Agriculture Minister S Singh Chouhan promis minimum support price 4892 per quintal.

Patwari alleged that th government had request buy 27.34 lakh metric to sovbean for the 2024-25 season, but the Co Government had approved the purchase of half that amount. The Minister had promised fa during election ralli Maharashtra that after th ernment is formed, so support prices would 6000 per quintal. He cla whole questioning th crimination against farm the state.



# Executive, Legislature, Judiciary should work together to make life of common people better: President Murmu

#### PIONEER NEWS SERVICE NEW DELHI

President Droupadi Murmu on Tuesday said here it is the responsibility of the exec-utive, legislature and the judiciary to work together to make the lives of common with the spirit of the Constitution.

Addressing a special event on the occasion of 75 years of the adoption of the Constitution, she also said the fundamental duties of every citizen had been clearly defined in the country's founding document, which lay stress on protecting the nation's unity and integrity, promoting harmony and ensuring the dig-

nity of women. Prime Minister Narendra Modi, Lok Sabha Speaker Om Birla, Leader of the Rajya Sabha J P Nadda, Leaders of the Opposition Mallikarjun Kharge (Rajya Sabha) and Rahul Gandhi (Lok Sabha), Rajya Sabha Deputy Chairman Harivansh, and Parliamentary Affairs Minister Kiren Rijiju were present on the dais. The function took place in the Central Hall of Samvidhan

A commemorative coin and stamp were released on the occasion. Books titled "Making of the Constitution of India: A Glimpse", "Making of the Constitution of India and its Glorious Journey" and a booklet dedicated to the illustration in the Constitution were also released. The president unveiled Sanskrit and Maithili translations of the Constitution.

Constitutional ideals get strength from the active par-ticipation of the executive, legislature and the judiciary, as well as all citizens, the President said.

The president said the aspirations of the people found expression in the many legislations enacted by Parliament and, during the past few years, the government took many steps for the development of all sections of society, especially the weaker ones.

President Murmu said she was happy to note that, with the efforts of the Supreme Court, the country's judiciary was making efforts to make the judicial system more effective



India's Constitution is a living and progressive document and the country's farsighted Constitution-makers provided for a system of adopting new ideas, according to the needs of the changing times, she said. The fundamental duties of every citizen have been clearly mentioned in the Constitution, she said. With a new approach, a new identity was achieved for India in the comity of nations and the Constitution-makers had given a directive for India to play an important role in promotion of international peace and security, the pres-ident said. She said the Constitution was the strong foundation stone of India's democratic republic and ensured the country's collective and individual dignity. On January 26, India will

celebrate the 75th anniversary of the republic and such celebrations provide the country with opportunities to take stock of the journey so far and plan better for the journey ahead, President Murmu said. She said the Constitution, in one sense, was the outcome of nearly three years of deliberations by some of the greatest minds, but, in the true sense, it was the outcome of the long

## freedom struggle. The celebrations

of Samvidhan Divas every year since 2015 have helped increase awareness among the youth about India's founding document, President Murmu highlighted.

highlighted. Vice President Jagdeep Dhankhar invoked Dr B R Ambedkar to say that "our independence will be put in jeopardy a second time" if parties placed creed above country. He also cautioned that disturbance as a strategy threatened democratic institutions.

The Constitution's opening words, "We the People of India", carry deep meaning, establishing citizens as the ultimate authority, with Parliament serving as their voice, the vice president asserted.

'In contemporaneous times, with decorum and discipline cliff hanging in parliamentary discourse", Dhankhar said there was a need to resolve by reiterating the pristine glory of the Constituent Assembly's embellished functioning.

Dhankhar said it was time to fully commit to "our fundamental duties -- protecting

PM Modi, RSS strengthening wall obstructing path of SCs, STs, OBCs: Rahul Gandhi

national sovereignty, fostering unity, prioritising national interests, and safeguarding our environment".

Citing Ambedkar's last address in the Constituent Assembly on November 25, 1949, Dhankhar said, "What perturbs me greatly is the fact that not only India has once before lost her independence but she lost it by the infideli-ty and treachery of some of her own people. Will history repeat itself?"

"It is this thought which fills me with anxiety. This anxiety is deepened by the realisation of the fact that, in addition to our old enemies in the form of castes and creeds, we are going to have many political parties with diverse and opposing political creeds. Will Indians place the country above their creed or will they place their creed above the country?" he said, citing

Ambedkar's address. "I do not know. But this much is certain that if the parties place creed above country, our independence will be put in jeopardy a second time and probably be lost forever. This eventuality we must all resolutely guard against. We

Congress president said.

Therefore, Gandhi said, a

nationwide caste census is

important as through it, peo-ple would get to know, how

must be determined to defend our independence with the last drop of our blood," he further said, citing Ambedkar. Lok Sabha Speaker Om Birla urged members to follow the tradition of constructive and dignified debates set by the Constituent Assembly while deliberating upon the Constitution that was adopted 75 years ago.

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"These traditions of con-structive and dignified debates should be implemented by our respective Houses as well," he said.

Birla said the Constituent Assembly has seen members sharing views with dignity and tradition of such discourse should continue.

The Speaker noted that Parliament has played a transformative role over the past seven and a half decades. "Our Constitution has been a catalyst for social and economic change, bringing remarkable improvements to the lives of ordinary citizens and deepening their faith in democracy. In this 'Amrit Kaal,' collective efforts are propelling India toward becoming a developed nation," he added.

## Bypolls to six RS vacancies across four States to be held on Dec 20: EC

#### PIONEER NEWS SERVICE NEW DELHI

 $B^{\text{ypolls to six vacancies in}}_{\text{Rajya Sabha across four states will be held on}}$ December 20, the Election Commission announced on Tuesday.

Three vacancies were created in Andhra Pradesh when YSRCP members Venkataramana Rao Mopidevi, Beedha Masthan Rao Yadav and Ryaga Krishnaiah had quit their membership in August. The terms of Yadav and Krishnaiah as Rajya Sabha members were to end on June 21, 2028, while Mopidevi was

to retire on 21 June, 2026. A vacancy occurred in Odisha when Sujeet Kumar quit his seat following which he was expelled by the Biju Janata Dal. His term was to end on



Jawhar Sircar of the TMC had MLA in the recent state polls. resigned in April following the After the recent assembly rape-murder of a woman docpolls, TDP in Andhra tor in Kolkata, creating a Pradesh and BJP in Odisha will have an upper hand in the Rajya Sabha bypolls. vacancy in the state. He was otherwise to retire in April 2026. Krishan Lal Panwar of While the TMC rules West the BJP had quit his Rajya Sabha seat from Haryana fol-Bengal, the BJP had retained Harvana

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Congress leader Rahul Gandhi on Tuesday alleged that Prime Minister Narendra Modi and the RSS were strengthening the wall obstructing the path of Dalits, Adivasis and OBCs, even as he acknowledged that the efforts of the UPA government to bring down that wall were not sufficient.

Addressing the party's 'Samvidhan Rakshak Rakshak Abhiyaan' Rahul who is also the Leader of the Opposition in the Lok Sabha, said it is his guarantee, that "Modi has not read" the Constitution. "If PM Modi would have read this book then what he does daily, he would not do it," Rahul Gandhi said, displaying a copy of the Constitution of India.

On the occasion Congress president Mallikarjun Kharge accused the BJP of not hav-



ing any "constitutional integrity or federal character" and alleged that the party was undoing everything that BR Ambedkar and other members of the Constituent Assembly did through the Constitution. Rahul Gandhi said the coun-

try's whole system is pitted against Dalits, Adivasis and backward-class people. 'Slowly the wall (obstructing the path of SCs, STs, OBCs) is getting strengthened. Earlier, the UPA government gave MGNREGA, the land acquisition act, the right to compound fracture...We will get data by caste census," he

food...Those were ways to weaken that wall. Today, when I look back, I can say the UPA government did not weaken the wall to the extent it should have, it did not do it as strongly as it should have," he said. "However, we used to make said. The day this data comes into the hands of a Congress gov ernment, that day the whole paradigm of development will change, Gandhi asserted. "However, we used to make "We have begun the work in efforts to weaken that wall but they (the BJP) are strengthening that wall by adding concrete," the former Telangana and when the results come from there, our

policies will be formed on the basis of the data of the caste census. The BJP is afraid of this as it wants only 4-5 per cent of the people to control India. They are trying to destroy the Constitution," he

many people from the SC, ST, alleged. and OBC sections are there in "We have done it (caste surthe judiciary, media, corpovey) in Karnataka, Telangana. rate India, private hospitals, Wherever our governments come, we will take out the "This X-ray is the first step, data on Dalits, Adivasis, we know that Dalits, Adivasis, backward classes, minorities, OBCs, poor general caste and poor general caste. We'll people, minorities are in pain. find out what is their share in So we have to find out where the development and what is the injury, where is the should be their share in fracture, whether there is a India's future," he said.

## Chouhan inaugurates 227 new Gender Resource Centres

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ion Minister of Rural U Development, Shivraj Singh Chouhan, on Tuesday inaugurated 227 new Gender Resource Centres (GRCs) across 13 states, designed to provide survivors of genderbased violence (GBV) with safe spaces, access to vital information, legal support, and a network to report incidents. The opening of the centres is part of the third edition of the Nayi Chetna – Pahal Badlaav Ki campaign launched here by the Minister with an aim to raise awareness about all forms of GBV, encourage communities to speak out and demand action, provide timely assistance through support systems, and empower local institutions to take decisive actions against violence.



icated, and all women should Building on this success, the have equal opportunities for month-long Nayi Chetna 3.0 participation in economic, focuses on the theme 'Ek Saath Ek Awaaz

fostering safe and inclusive

spaces, and breaking the bar-

riers of inequality, the state-

The campaign is being organised by the Deendayal

Antyodaya Ýojana - National

Rural Livelihoods Mission

(DAY-NRLM) under the

Union Ministry of Rural

Development. It is a nation-

wide effort involving SHGs

across India and aims to cre-

ate a Jan Andolan for gender

At the event, three gender champions from Jharkhand,

leaders in the fight against it

ment added.

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India's milk production rises 4 per cent,

meat production rises 5 per cent in 2023-24

and colleges.

During his address, Chouhan hananahi campaign, which calls for collective action emphasised that the governagainst GBV. She highlightment has undertaken multied the role of 10 crore Selfple initiatives for the social and economic development Help Group (SHG) women of women, stressing that and the 49 government GBV is prevalent not only in schemes dedicated to supporting gender equality. rural areas but also in urban These include 24/7 national spaces, said a statement here. Annpurna Devi, Union Minister of Women and help lines, One-Stop Centres, and initiatives for fast-track Development, justice. Smt. Devi emphalaunched the #abkoibasized that GBV must be erad-

Other leaders, including Dr. Chandra Sekhar Pemmasani, Minister of State for Rural Development, and Shri Kamlesh Paswan, Minister State for Rural Development, highlighted the importance of a wholeof-society approach to end gender-based violence. Shailesh Kumar Singh,

Secretary of Rural Development, shared insights from the previous Nayi Chetna 2.0 campaign, which reached over 6 crore individuals through more than 9 lakh community-led activities. The event also saw participation from various ministries, state rural livelihoods missions, women from SHGs, Anganwadi workers, and civil society organizations

#### Khilaf', encouraging collec-NEW DELHI tive action against violence,

India's milk production rose nearly 4 per cent annually to 239.3 million tonnes in 2023-24 on better productivity, even as milk output of buffaloes declined 16 per cent annually. On the other hand, meat production rose nearly 5 per cent to 10.25 million tonnes in the last fiscal. The milk output of India, the world's largest milk producer, stood at 230.58 MT in 2022-23.

However, the annual growth rate has slowed down in the previous two fiscal years, the Puducherry, and Madhya Pradesh shared their perdata showed. The growth rate was 6.62 per cent in 2017-18; 6.47 per cent in sonal journeys, moving from being victims of gender-FY19; 5.69 per cent in FY20; based violence to becoming 5.81 per cent in FY21; and 5.77 per cent in FY22. In FY23 it came down to 3.83 per cent and 3.78 per cent in FY24.

> As per government data, milk production from buffaloes has decreased 16 per cent in 2023-24 compared to the previous year. Milk output from exotic/crossbred cattle has increased 8 per cent while production from indigenous/non-descript cattle increased 44.76 per cent. According to an official statement, the total milk production in the country is estimated at 239.30 MT during 2023-24, registering a growth of 5.62 per cent over the past 10 years. Milk output was 146.3 MT in 2014-

The top five milk producing states during 2023-24 were Uttar Pradesh with a share of 16.21 per cent of total milk production followed by Rajasthan (14.51 per cent), Madhya Pradesh (8.91 per cent), Gujarat (7.65 per cent), and Maharashtra (6.71 per cent). In terms of annual growth rate, West Bengal was at the top (9.76 per cent) followed by Jharkhand (9.04 per cent), Chhattisgarh (8.62 per cent), and Assam (8.53



per cent) as compared to the previous year.

In an official statement, the ministry said that the total meat production in the country is estimated as 10.25 million tonnes during 2023-24 and registered a growth of 4.85 per cent over the past 10 years as compared to the estimates of 6.69 million tonnes in 2014-15. "Further, the production was increased by 4.95 per cent in 2023-24 over 2022-23," an official statement said.

Major contribution in the total meat production comes from West Bengal with 12.62 per cent share and it was fol-Îowed by Uttar Pradesh (12.29 per cent), Maharashtra (11.28 per cent), Telangana (10.85 per cent) and Andhra Pradesh (10.41 per cent). In terms of annual growth rate, the highest annual growth rate (AGR) has recorded in Assam (17.93 per cent), followed by Uttarakhand (15.63 per cent) and Chhattisgarh

(11.70 per cent). As per the data, the country's total egg production is estimated as 142.77 billion during 2023-24 and registered a growth of 6.8 per cent over the past 10 years as compared to the estimates of 78.48 billion eggs during 2014-15. Further, the production increased annually by 3.18 per cent during 2023-24 over the preceding fiscal. The major contribution in the total egg production comes from Andhra Pradesh with a share of 17.85 per cent of total egg production, followed by Tamil Nadu (15.64 per cent), Telangana (12.88 per cent), West Bengal (11.37 per cent) and Karnataka (6.63 per cent). In terms of AGR, the highest growth rate was recorded by Ladakh (75.88 per cent) and followed by Manipur (33.84 per cent) and Uttar Pradesh (29.88 per cent).

As per the data, the total wool production is estimated as 33.69 million kg during 2023-24, registering a slight growth of 0.22 per cent over last vear.

The major contribution in the total Wool production comes from Rajasthan with a share of 47.53 per cent followed by Jammu & Kashmir (23.06 per cent), Gujarat (6.18 per cent), Maharashtra (4.75 per cent) and Himachal Pradesh (4.22 per cent).

In terms of annual growth rate, the highest AGR has been recorded by Punjab (22.04 per cent), followed by Tamil Nadu (17.19 per cent) and Gujarat (3.20 per cent)

## Opposition demands debate on Constitution in both houses of Parliament

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#### PIONEER NEWS SERVICE NEW DELHI

Opposition leaders on Tuesday demanded a debate on the Constitution in both Houses of Parliament. Leader of Opposition in Rajya Sabha Mallikarjun Kharge said he and Lok Sabha Leader of Opposition Rahul Gandhi have written to the Chair in the two Houses requesting that a discussion should be held on the Constitution for two days in both Houses.

"Time should be allotted for that so that the good things about the Constitution can be discussed, and the wrong things that are happening today can also be discussed. Rahul Gandhi ji and I have written letters, we are waiting for the government's response, Kharge said.

Senior party leader Digvijay Singh read out the Preamble of the Constitution and ques-



tioned if it is being implemented in letter and spirit. saying. Practice before you preach".

"Are people getting justice, lib-erty? Is there freedom of 'Incidents like Sambhal are repeatedly occurring. I am surexpression? Where is fraterni-Only bowing to the prised that even Supreme tv? Constitution will not lead to it Court judges and our retired being followed," he said. Justice Chandrachud overlook Referring to the ruling the laws of this country and Bharatiya Janata Party's slogan of 'Sabka Saath, Sabka Vikaas, state that surveys are permitted as it is a matter of faith... Every Sabka Vishwaas, Sabka Prayaas', Singh said, "It will individual in this country has equal rights to practice their happen when confidence is religion and faith. The growing instilled in every citizen from disharmony is a threat to the every community. Mr Prime nation," Singh said.

India, Tanzania review bilateral defence ties at third JDCC meet in Goa

#### PIONEER NEWS SERVICE NEW DELHI

ndia and Tanzania on Tuesday reviewed entire gamut of their bilateral defence ties during the third edition of Joint Defence Cooperation Committee (JDCC) meeting in Goa, defence ministry said here.

Giving details, officials said during the meeting, the two sides discussed a wide range of areas of cooperation, including growing training partnership and service-to-service, maritime and defence industry collaboration. They also reviewed the progress on decisions taken during the previous JDCCs, and explored new areas to further expand bilateral defence cooperation. The Indian delegation, led by

Joint Secretary Amitabh Prasad, included senior officials

from the Ministry of Defence and the Armed Forces. The High Commissioner of India to Tanzania Bishwadip Dey also attended the meeting. The Tanzanian delegation was led by Land Forces Commander Major General Fadhil Omary

Nondo. As part of the tour, the Tanzanian delegation will visit Goa Shipyard Ltd to get first-hand experience of India's capabilities in port develop-ment and shipbuilding. The delegation is also scheduled to visit INS Hansa and National Institute of Hydrography in

India shares close, warm and friendly relations with Tanzania which are bolstered by robust capacity building and avenues for developing partnership. The two countries have a fiveyear roadmap to guide defence cooperation.





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# President Droupadi Murmu pays tribute to 26/11 martyrs

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President Droupadi Murmu on Tuesday paid homage to the brave hearts who lost their lives in the 2008 Mumbai terror attack and said India remained firmly committed to defeating terrorism in all its forms.

Lashkar-e-Taiba(LeT) Ten terrorists from Pakistan came by sea on November 26, 2008, and killed 166 people, including 18 security personnel, during a 60-hour siege in Mumbai.

"On the anniversary of the cowardly terror attacks in Mumbai on 26th November, 2008, I join the entire nation in paying homage to the bravehearts who lost their lives and expressing solidarity with their families," President Droupadi Murmu said in a social media post.

'A grateful nation salutes its valiant security personnel who made the ultimate sacrifice while protecting our people.

It is also the day to reiterate that India remains firmly



defeating committed terrorism in all its forms," the President said. In Mumbai, Maharashtra Governor C P Radhakrishnan and Chief Minister Eknath

Shinde paid floral tributes to the martyrs who made the ultimate sacrifice while fighting terrorists during the Mumbai terror attack in 2008. Deputy chief ministers

Devendra Fadnavis and Aiit Pawar also paid tributes at the martyrs' memorial in the premises of the Police Commissioner Office in south Mumbai, where senior police officials were also present. Family members of the policemen, who lost their lives

during the November 2008 attacks, also paid tributes to the martyrs.

As many as 166 people lost their lives and over 300 were injured after 10 terrorists from launched Pakistan attacks in simultaneous several parts of Mumbai on November 26, 2008.

Ten armed militants from the Pakistan-based terrorist group Lashkar-e-Taiba (LeT) entered the city via the sea and carried out a series of

coordinated attacks across multiple high-profile locations, including the Taj Mahal Palace Hotel, Oberoi Trident Hotel, CST Railway Station, and Nariman House. The attacks prompted global condemnation and led to significant changes in India's counter-terrorism measures. In Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh

Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath recalled the loss of lives in the 2008 Mumbai terror attack and urged people to be united and determined to end terrorism. Adityanath also paid tribute to the brave hearts who laid down their lives in the line of

duty during the attack. "Humble tribute to the innocent citizens who lost their lives in the cowardly terror attack in Mumbai on 26/11 and heartfelt salute to the brave sons of Mother India who sacrificed their lives while performing their duties in this incident that tarnished humanity!" Adityanath said in a social media post.

"Let us be united and determined to end terrorism," he said in Hindi.

## CM Yogi Adityanath accuses Congress of 'tampering' with Constitution, celebrates Ambedkar's vision

#### BISWAJEET BANERJEE LUCKNOW

Uttar Pradesh Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath marked Constitution Day with sharp criticism of the Congress party, accusing it of undermining the foundational principles of the Indian Constitution during the Emergency in 1976. Speaking at a ceremony at Lok Bhawan on Tuesday, he alleged that the inclusion of the terms "secular" and "socialist" in the Preamble betrayed the vision of Dr. Bhimrao Ambedkar and the Constitution's framers. "The original Constitution, drafted under the leadership of Baba Saheb Ambedkar, did not include these words,'

Adityanath said. The people of India ultimately taught those who strangled the Constitution a lesson," he added, referring to electoral defeats faced by Congress in the aftermath of the

Emergency. Leading the reading of the Preamble, the Chief Minister lauded the Constitution as one of the strongest in the world. He attributed its enduring

strength to Dr. Ambedkar, crediting him with building the framework for "Ek Bharat, Shreshtha Bharat," a united and prosperous India

Adityanath highlighted November 26, 1949, as a historic milestone when the Constituent Assembly adopted the Constitution. He praised the meticulous work of the Assembly under the chairmanship of Dr. Rajendra Prasad and its committees, led Ambedkar, bv which debated rigorously and finalized its provisions.

the debates of The Constituent Assembly are the essence of our Constitution,' he said, urging lawmakers, the judiciary, and the executive to revisit these discussions for

guidance. He also highlighted India's pioneering move to adopt universal adult suffrage from its first general elections, calling it a testament to the vision of Ambedkar and the framers.

Adityanath accused Congress of fostering a "dictatorial and fascist mentality," particularly during the Emergency, and alleged that the party continues to marginalize disadvantaged groups. given "Whenever the have opportunity, thev deprived socially and economically . backward sections of their constitutional rights," he charged, citing both historical actions and recent political statements.

He contrasted this with the BJP's approach under Prime Minister Narendra Modi emphasizing initiatives aimed at strengthening constitutional values. He specifically mentioned the Nari Shakti Vandan Act, reserving onethird of legislative seats for women, calling it a global first and a reflection of Modi's commitment to equality and empowerment.

## Mamata Banerjee putting personal interest above INDIA: LF, Congress

## SAUGAR SENGUPTA KOLKATA

The Left and the Congress L leadership of Bengal have accused Mamata Banerjee and her

Trinamool Congress of trying to "destroy the adhesive" within the Indian National Democratic Inclusive Alliance so as to sustain its "old camaraderie with the NDA," more so the BJP - all to evade arrest in a catena of scams being investigated by the central agencies.

On TMC's absence from Monday's meeting of INDIA CPI(M) partners senior central committee member and former MP Sujan Chakrabarty said it was and former MP "Mamata Banerjee's tactic of subverting the Opposition alliance from within, questioning her party's



On why she would run with silence on the Adani issue. Another senior leader of the CPI(M) Samik Lahiri said the hare and hunt with the hound, the leader said that "it Banerjee did not want to suits her type of politics BIP which is "cloaked by a thick embarrass the Government in Parliament smog of corruption. Any department the TMC touches and also she did not want to incur the wrath of the from land to education to Health to housing to rural corporate house which was roads and name them - they her party was avoiding a statement on the issue. convert them into gold mines

not for the State or the society but for their own families .. so backing BJP is Mamata Banerjee's compulsion this is why we have been telling that she can never be a friend of the INDIA alliance, she is an agent of NDA here."

Referring to the Monday's TMC national working committee meeting a Pradesh Congress leader requesting anonymity said "Mamata Banerjee is working on two goals: first she is keeping her chances to grab the Prime Minister's chair when the chance comes alive and second she is keeping BJP in good humor so as to evade actions by the central agencies in Bengal... otherwise why her party would skip such meetings where policies on floor coordination was being discussed this means she is

working on cross purposes." According to inside sources the TMC leaders in Delhi led by Abhishek Banerjee, Derek O' Brien have been in close touch with a number of INDIA partners. Parallel meetings outside INDIA were being planned to chalk out parallel strategies in the

House. Incidentally senior party MP Kalyan Banerjee had on Sunday advised the Congress to shed its ego and support the Bengal Chief Minister as the leader of INDIA alliance. "All the Opposition parties nationally should accept Mamata Banerjee as their leader. She should be the face of opposition nationally. Some parties should set aside their ego and accept Mamata Banerjee as the leader of the Opposition against the BJP.

Look at the by-election results, why only the TMC is capable of defeating the BJP and the some parties claiming the leadership are repeatedly failing to do so...they should understand and accept Mamata Banerjee as the leader." he said.

When asked to comment on Kalyan's statement and the TMC's alleged "betrayal" state minister said, "though we have been asked not to speak out of turn, I must refute such charges... TMC is not subverting INDIA ... it is contributing to the cause of the opposition. We are not part of the Congress so as to follow their diktats ... we are part of the Alliance and have every right to follow our own course programmes best suited to the interest our India, Bengal and our party."

## Four dead in LPG cylinder explosition

## PTI MORENA/MP

 $F_{others\ were\ injured\ after\ an}^{our\ women\ died\ and\ five}$ explosion caused three houses to collapse in Madhya Pradesh's Morena city, police said on Tuesday.

The incident took place in the city's Rathore Colony area around midnight, said Superintendent of Police Sameer Saurabh. The body of one of the deceased women was still being extricated from under the debris, he said. Vasudev Rathore, whose house was destroyed in the explosion and whose 28-yearold daughter-in-law was among the deceased, expressed suspicion that the blast was caused by gunpowder. LPG cylinders were found



intact during the removal of debris, he told reporters. Sub Divisional Magistrate Bhupendra Singh Kushwaha said the reason behind the

blast was vet not clear. A Forensic Science Laboratory team will be able to ascertain whether it was gunpowder or a gas cylinder that exploded, he added. The injured persons were sent to Gwalior for further treatment, said a doctor at the Morena district hospital.

## Indian Coast Guard seizes 5,500 kilogram of methamphetamine drug from Myanmar fishing trawler

## PTI PORT BLAIR

The 5,500 kg of banned Methamphetamine drug seized from a fishing trawler with six Myanmarese crew near Barren island is the

smugglers braving the rough The police are trying to get the call record of the satellite effort of the ICG indeed once again proved its commitment towards safeguarding our territorial integrity and preventing the trafficking of the recipients of the drugs legal dedication and swift action of our teams involved in ensuring that such illicit activities do not compromise national security. "The Andaman and Nicobar Command remain vigilant and committed to ensuring the safety of Andaman waters. Enhanced patrolling and intelligence continue to play a vital role in combating such crime," he added. The police suspect that the 5,500 kg of banned

New Jalisco Generation Cartel (run by El Mencho) phone seized from the trawler and Chinese Él Chapo gang which was coming from Myanmar, an official said. leaders. In 2019, we seized "We are trying to get details of similar drugs from the Andaman sea and then El Mench carte satell emei key suspect," the sources said. When asked about the Thailand connection, a senior police officer said, "This is the during biggest catch ever on the Andaman Sea. During Christmas and New Year's eve, there is a huge demand for such drugs in Thailand. We suspect that it was supposed to be delivered to either El Mencho or El Chapo gang leaders. The drugs were packed inside tea packets. All the accused were produced before a local court and remanded in police custody for 14 days". The laboratory tests of the seized substance in Port Blair confirmed that the substance was Methamphetamine.

notorious drug cartels like

## Gurugram authorities crack down on polluters, impose fines of ₹30.10 Lakhs on 705 violators

#### PARVESH SHARMA GURUGRAM

Despite the ban on con-struction in Gurugram, there has been rampant flouting of the Graded Response Action force in the district since October 15 for the prevention of air pollution. The team of the Municipal Corporation of Gurugram (MCG) took action against 705 violators and imposed a fine of Rs 30.10 lakhs. MCG Commissioner Ashok Kumar Garg said that all types of activities that increase pollution are prohibited under GRAP, which include burning coal or wood in tandoor, construction and demolition, dumping and transporting construction material or debris without covering, throwing debris or garbage in public places and burning garbage are punishable offences. "MCG teams are

constantly monitoring the violators. The teams have been taking continuous action since October 15 and have imposed a fine of Rs 30,10, 500 on 705 violators. These include 20 challans for burning garbage, 27 challans for burr coal

fines as per rules on those who do not follow GRAP. The MCG officials said that in compliance with GRAP, the civic authority is using 14 machines for mechanized sweeping of roads to control ution sprinkling of water through tankers on the construction sites of the Municipal Corporation to prevent dust from flying. Apart from this, those doing activities prohibited under GRAP are also being monitored and the corporation's teams are taking action to issue challans as per their rules, the official added. Garg said that under the GRAP, burning garbage, throwing garbage and debris in public places, and keeping and transporting construction material without covering it is prohibited. He also informed that the civic body is spraying STP-treated water on roads and trees to reduce and control the level of pollution.

announced plans to intensify

their agitation in support of

farmers' various demands,

including a legal guarantee for

MSP, by starting a fast unto

Farmers have been camping

at the Shambhu and the

Khanauri border points

between Punjab and Haryana

since February 13 after their

march to Delhi was stopped

The protesting farmers have

accused the Centre of not

taking steps to address their demands, stating that it had not held any talks with them

regarding their issues since

Besides a legal guarantee for

MSP, the farmers are

demanding implementation

Commission's

recommendations, pension

for farmers and farm labourers, farm debt waiver,

reinstatement of the Land

Acquisition Act, 2013, and

compensation to the families

of farmers who died during a previous agitation in 2020-21.

Swaminathan

by security forces.

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Robotic fire tenders to debut at Mahakumbh PTI PRAYAGRAJ

the Indian Coast Guard (ICG), an official of the Andaman and Nicobar tri-services command said on Tuesday

Speaking to PTI, the senior defence official said, "This is the biggest ever seizure which we suspect is linked to big international drug cartels. The total consignment is approximately around 5,500 kg. A total of six Myanmarese crew were arrested with crystalline banned Methamphetamine. They were handed over to the local police further for interrogation."

He said, "I would like to congratulate the ICG for their outstanding effort in apprehending the foreign

Methamphetamine drug seized from a fishing trawler with six Myanmarese crew from near Barren island was supposed to be delivered to Thailand, officials said on Tuesday

the seize phone call detail record because the crew members are refusing to reveal anything interrogation. It seems that they are scared to reveal the identity of the receiver and the person behind sending the consignments. We are trying to get in touch with the service provider to get the call

detail record," the officer said. The huge consignment of Methamphetamine drug was supposed to be delivered in Thailand and could be part of drug cartels, police sources said

"Based on the quantity of the consignments and the modus operandi it definitely seems like the handiwork of wood, 128 challans for construction and demolition activities, 22 challans for illegally dumping C&D waste, 290 challans for illegally dumping garbage and 218 challans for using single-use plastic," he said. It may be noted that The Central Air Quality Management Commission implemented GRAP in the National Capital Region and NCR region earlier in October. Under this, instructions have been given to the concerned departments to control the level of pollution and restrictions have also been imposed by the Commission on many activities that increase pollution. There is also a provision to impose

For the first time, robotic fire tenders will be deployed at Mahakumbh 2025 to enhance fire safety at the world's largest spiritual gathering, according to officials.

Alongside these cutting-edge machines, 200 specially trained fire commandos will be stationed to manage emergencies and protect visitors.

Additional Director General (Fire Services) Padmaja Chauhan said that three robotic fire tenders, weighing 20-25 kilograms each, will be used to reach areas inaccessible to personnel.

These robots are capable of climbing stairs and extinguishing fires with precision, ensuring faster and safer responses, he said. "The inclusion of robotic fire tenders marks a technological leap in fire management.

They can be easily carried and deployed in sensitive zones," Chauhan said.

Additionally, Mahakumbh will feature an articulating water tower capable of spraying water from a height of 35 meters.

The tower is equipped with a high-tech camera to monitor fire-prone areas from above, he said.

To bolster human resources, a Special Trained Rescue Group (STRG) has been established, modelled after the National Disastei Response Force (NDRF) and State Disaster Response Fund (SDRF), the ADG said.

The unit comprises 200 personnel trained by the NDRF and Central Industrial Security Force (CISF) Hyderabad, who will be deployed in high-risk zones during the fair, he said.

"Our focus is on preventing fire incidents altogether. Daily fire audits will be conducted, and sanitation workers will check for the unsafe use of equipment like blowers and immersion rods in camps," Chauhan added.

## Radio-tagged Amur falcon 'Chiuluan 2' reaches Punjab farmer leader Jagjit Singh Dallewal hospitalised Kenya, heads to Tsavo East National Park after Police remove him from protest site



#### PTI 📕 IMPHAL

n Amur falcon bird radio An Amur faicon bird facto tagged by scientists of Wildlife Institute of India (WII) in Manipur's Tamenglong district has entered Kenya and is heading towards Tsavo East National Park, a scientist said. Dr Suresh Kumar scientist of Wildlife Dehradun-based Institute of India told PTI on Tuesday that the Amur falcon bird named 'Chiuluan 2' has crossed Somalia and entered Kenva. Forest Officer Divisional (DFO) of Tamenglong, Kharibam Hitler Singh told

PTI that two Amur falcons

which arrived in Manipur from Siberian region on October 12 were captured by a team of Tamenglong forest division and local volunteers under the supervision of Suresh Kumar from Chiuluan roosting site.

The two birds were radiotagged by scientists of the Wildlife Institute of India in Tamenglong district. The male bird was named 'Chiluan 2' and the female 'Guangram', after two important roosting in Tamenglong villages district. 'Chiluan 2' was released on

November 8 after tagging it

Orissa on November 15 after a non-stop flight. From there it went to Maharashtra and eventually crossed the Arabian Sea to reach the Somalia-Kenya borders", Singh said. The female bird 'Guangram' is, however, yet to leave Manipur,

he added. The Amur falcon is a small raptor of the falcon family. It breeds in south-eastern Siberia and Northern China. To escape from the harsh winter of Siberia and Northern China

the birds travel a distance of around 14,500 km to head for the wintering grounds in Southern and East African coasts. In April-May they start their return journey, said the DFO. The birds make a stopover in Nagaland Manipur and a few other areas of North East region while on their way to Africa. The Amur falcons locally known 'Akhuaipuina' roosts for an average of 45 days where they

engage in feeding for the arduous journey ahead, Singh with satellite transmitters. It said

#### PTI CHANDIGARH reached the coastal areas of

Punjab farmer leader Jagjit Singh Dallewal, who was to begin a fast unto death to press for farmers' demands, was taken to a Ludhiana hospital for a checkup on Tuesday after allegedly being forcibly removed from the Khanauri border point.

Kisan Mazdoor Morcha leader Sarwan Singh Pandher alleged Dallewal was forcibly taken away by police early on Tuesday from the Khanauri border point.

A senior Punjab Police officer said Dallewal was taken to the private Davanand Medical College and Hospital (DMC) in Ludhiana.

Deputy Inspector General of Police Mandeep Singh Sidhu said the administration was concerned about Dallewal's age and health in the wake of his fast-unto-death call.

"Considering his health and seniority, the administration decided that his proper medical checkup was important.

We are getting his medical checkup done at DMC, Ludhiana," said Sidhu. Dallewal announced on

Monday that he would begin a fast unto death on Tuesday to demand a legal guarantee for minimum support price (MSP) for crops. He had also asserted that he was ready to sacrifice his life

to get the farmers' demands accepted. Claiming that the police forcibly removed Dallewal from the spot early on Tuesday before he could begin his hunger strike,

Pandher said he strongly condemned the act and demanded his immediate release.

Farmers said a police team of 250 reached the Khanauri border at 2:30 am and forcibly took Dallewal away.

Initially, the farmers were not Dallewal's aware of whereabouts but later learned that he had been taken to DMC.

Farmer leader Guramneet

informed that Dallewal had been taken to the hospital on health grounds.

Mangat, however, said they would continue with their fast-unto-death plan. Another farmer leader will now sit on the fast.

Meanwhile, Union minister Ravneet Singh Bittu accused Bhagwant the Mann government in Punjab of Dallewal's orchestrating "detention".

"Detention of farmer leader Dallewal ji is orchestrated by Bhagwant the Mann government. No central agency is involved in his arrest.

It is purely the work of the state police, aimed at shifting the blame onto central agencies to divert attention from the real issues.

The central government always works for the welfare of farmers and does not engage in such tactics," Bittu said in a post on X.

The Samyukta Kisan Morcha (Non-Political) and the Kisan Singh Mangat said they were Mazdoor Morcha had earlier BHOPAL | WEDNESDAY | NOVEMBER 27, 2024

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## Yet another flashpoint

All stakeholders must demonstrate utmost restraint to prevent any escalation of communal tensions in Sambhal

The town of Sambhal in Uttar Pradesh has become the epicentre of intense communal tension following a violent confrontation over a court-mandated survey of the historic Shahi Jama Masjid. The incident, which unfolded on Sunday, has claimed three lives, injured numerous others and raised pressing concerns about the fragile communal harmony in the region. The Shahi Jama Masjid, situated in Chandausi, Sambhal, is a centuries-old structure recognised as a 'Monument of National Importance' by the Archaeological Survey of India (ASI). Protected under the Ancient Monuments Preservation Act, 1904, the mosque became the subject of legal contention following a petition filed on November 19. The petitioners, a group of eight individuals including advocate Hari Shankar Jain and Mahant Rishiraj Giri, alleged that the mosque was built by demolishing a Shri Hari Har Temple in the 16th century under the orders of Mughal Emperor Babur. They claimed that the temple held immense religious significance for Hindus as the proph-

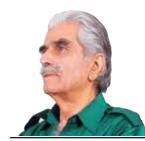


esied site of Lord Vishnu's Kalki avatar. The petition sought ASI intervention and public access to the site, accusing the mosque administrators of obstructing entry and the ASI of negligence in protecting the monument. The legal dispute led the Court of Civil Judge (Senior Division) in Sambhal to order a survey of the mosque, with a report due by November 29. The initial survey on Tuesday was reportedly incomplete, prompting authorities to schedule a follow-up on Sunday. However, tensions escalated as the survey team arrived, resulting in a violent clash between opposing groups. The confrontation saw stone-pelting, arson and the deployment of security forces. Three

lives were lost, and several were injured, including police officers and administrative personnel. The violence has since been condemned across the political spectrum, though it has also sparked a heated debate over the motivations behind the survey and its handling. Samajwadi Party chief Akhilesh Yadav accused the ruling Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP) of instigating communal divisions. BJP spokespersons, however, defended the legal process. The situation in Sambhal remains tense, with heightened security measures in place to prevent further unrest. But are we seeing a pattern here? Some politically motivated individuals deliberately file petitions raking up controversy where none exists. Communal tension ensues and some people and party backs up the claim and polarisation is complete for politicians to exploit the situation. We have had enough of communal violence and surely this one can be avoided as 'The Place of Worship (Special Provisions) Act, 1991' is clear that all places of religion must be preserved as they were at the time of independence. The Shahi Jama Masjid row reflects the broader challenges of navigating historical grievances, communal sensitivities and legal mandates in a pluralistic society. The need for restraint and dialogue among all stakeholders is crucial to restoring peace and preventing further loss of innocent lives.



# **K P Sharma Oli walks** a tightrope on China



ASHOK K MEHTA

Will Oli's stance on the BRI and his decision to prioritise China over India define his political legacy or deepen Nepal's internal divides?

n Kathmandu, I observed that Nepal Prime Minister KP Oli's visit to China has become a hot potato in the chilly Kathmandu valley. The China visit is being portrayed by his Unified Marxist Leninist Party (UML)-led coalition government as a bold initiative by Oli to resolve the long-pending BRI Implementation plan. The BRI Framework Agreement 2017 signed by Nepal figured during the maiden visit of President Xi Jinping in 2019 when Xi announced NC Rs 60 bn in grants under BRI. Since 2008, China has announced NC Rs 80 bn in grants. It seems the government could not use the aid for projects under BRI due to some issues. Several delegations from both

countries have interacted over the BRI Implementation plan for a long but the plan has not been signed.

Oli last visited China in 2016 after the Indian blockade and signed several agreements including energy trade but almost none has materialised. China is insisting that BRI projects that were truncated at Beijing's request from 35 to 9 be under loan whereas Nepal, especially Nepali Congress, the senior coalition partner, wants them under grant. There were fears Oli might sign in to please the Chinese which resulted in considerable squabbling between them. A high-level task force of the two parties has been meeting to arrive at a consensus. Opposition lawmakers wanted all the agreements signed so far to be made public and discussed in Parliament and with civil society. At a UML meeting, Oli recently announced he would not sign BRI for the sake of coalition unity. Chinese envoy Chen Song who had been lobbying with lawmak-ers to sign the BRI plan has clarified that Chinese-built Pokhara airport would not be converted from loan to grant. Foreign Minister Arzu Rana is going to China on November 28 to prepare for Oli's visit with some plans

on BRI.



**OLI LAST** 

VISITED

CHINA IN

2016 AFTER

Pushpa Kamal Dahal (Prachanda) - all others on becoming PM have first gone to New Delhi. Prachanda had clarified that his was not a state visit to China but he had gone for the Beijing Olympics. India has not invited all PMs - like Madhav Nepal, Jhalanath Khanal, and Sushil Koirala – from both Left and Centre-Right parties but New Delhi has historically favoured Nepali Congress. Oli had said some pretty undiplomatic, even unkind things about India during his second term as PM after he had internationalised the Kalapani dispute and made it into a national issue. But later, Oli did work with India. Oli going to China without Beijing making any concession on BRI is cocking a spook at India

During the annual Kantipur Conclave in Kathmandu this month, he clarified that as a sovereign nation, a PM can visit any country first. He compared the 'first visit India or China conundrum' to visiting Nizamuddin or Ajmer Sharif first: which made little impact on the mainly Nepali audience, adding that his visit to China will not harm rela-

Prithvi Narayan Shah had described as a yam between two boulders. Geography and social and cultural factors have favoured India. The dethroned Maoist leader and four-time PM Prachanda, Oli's erstwhile short-term partner, accused him in an interview with an Indian journalist who had come for the Kantipur Conclave, of playing the China card. UML was incensed by the allegation, demanding an apology from Prachanda. At the Kantipur Conclave,

THE INDIAN Prachanda informed the audience that he was happy he was BLOCKADE no longer heading the government as he could atone for his AND SIGNED party's mistakes and serve the SEVERAL people better. He clarified that with 32 seats, he had never AGREEMENTS sought power but others (NC and UML) had come to him to INCLUDING form the government. ENERGY He asserted he had made a direct assault on corruption -TRADE

the no 1 bane of Nepal – and put many corrupt leaders **BUT ALMOST** including members of his NONE HAS party, and those who had supported his government in jail. MATERIALISED This included the newsmaker and former Home Minister, Rabi Lamichhane from the Rashtriya Swatantra Party who

on which jail he should be lodged in, due to massive protests by his supporters. They took him to the Terai towns but not to his citadel in Chitwan and brought him back to Pokhara as they were unable to present him before a Kathmandu court to avoid creating law and order issues. Every other day there are massive traffic jams in Kathmandu over some issue or the other. Oli was cool about Rabi, saying at the Kantipur Conclave that he had 'once given Rabi a job (in Nepal Television)' but did not know much about his case. The parliamentary probe that was ordered on him as demanded by the Nepali Congress was at the behest of PM Prachanda and Rabi himself who was the Home Minister in the coalition government. He added: "let law take its course". Oli's China conundrum was grabbing headlines. By declaring he won't sign the BRI Implementation plan on Chinese terms for coalition unity he has taken the fizz out of the champagne that was to be popped after his visit.

(The writer, a retired Major General, was Commander, IPKF South, Sri Lanka, and founder member of the Defence Planning Staff, currently the Integrated Defence *Staff; views are personal)* 

The other troubling issue was the first where – China or India' visit of Oli. Traditionally barring two exceptions - Prime Ministers Tanka Prasad Acharya and founding father of Nepal,

tions with India. For Nepal maintaining balance between India and China is a vital strategic mission that the

is at present in jail, being investigated for fraud. In Kathmandu, I discovered that Lamichhane has created a problem for the government

## Prasar Bharati unveils WAVES app amid criticism and challenges



AMIT KR ROY

Prasar Bharati launched its much-anticipated app, WAVES touted as a strategic leap for India's national broadcaster

n a vibrant ceremony during the 55th International Film Festival of India (IFFI) in Goa, Prasar Bharati unveiled its long-awaited app, WAVES. Marking a strategic step forward for India's national broadcaster, the launch was graced by Goa Chief Minister Pramod Sawant.

However, the event's significance was overshadowed by the absence of central ministers, drawing criticism that this oversight represented a missed public relations opportunity. A Shift from OTT to App: A Branding Challenge Originally envisioned as an OTT platform, WAVES has undergone a rebranding as an app. This shift has sparked speculation that the change may be linked to limited new content. Critics have argued that the current branding does little to leverage Doordarshan's rich legacy, potentially alienating audiences, particularly in

and rural areas where Doordarshan's identity is deeply entrenched. Many users remain unclear

WAVES

between Prasar Bharati and Doordarshan, adding to the confusion about accessing the app.

Delays and Controversies The WAVES launch comes after multiple postponements, with its original debut planned for August 15. These delays have raised questions about Prasar Bharati's preparedness to compete in the fast-paced digital media environment. Observers have highlighted internal issues, including allegations of favouritism mismanagement. Notably, the consultancy hired to guide WAVES has faced criticism for lacking expertise in the OTT domain and allegedly sidelining experienced offiabout the relationship cials in key roles.

Adding to these challenges are unresolved trademark issues surrounding the "WAVES," which name could further complicate the app's rollout. Private broadcasters, wary of potential regulatory challenges, have shown reluctance to collaborate with the platform, dampening its industry reception. Content and Vision

Despite the hurdles, WAVES aims to differentiate itself in the competitive Indian media landscape. Offering over 65 live channels and content in 12+ languages, the app seeks to combine nostalgia with fresh appeal.

Iconic Doordarshan programmes like 'Ramayan' and 'Mahabharat' are set to feature alongside new productions such as 'Fauji 2.0.' WAVES also plans to support emerging talent by showcasing student films and works by National Creator Awardees.

Operating on a revenuesharing model, WAVES aspires to empower creators while ensuring the protection of intellectual property. However, stand-

ing out against global giants like Netflix and Amazon Prime Video, known for their vast libraries and advanced technology, pre-sents a formidable challenge.

## The Road Ahead

The launch of WAVES is a critical juncture for Prasar Bharati, offering a chance to redefine public broadcasting in the digital era. However, success will hinge on resolving internal discord, addressing operational concerns, and crafting a user experience that resonates with audiences. While the launch at IFFI has created a momentary buzz, sustaining momentum will require robust strategies, consistent content quality, and a clear

brand identity. As WAVES ventures into the competitive digital media space, its journey will be closely watched. For Prasar Bharati, the app represents both a bold opportunity and a test of its capacity to adapt and thrive in an evolving media ecosystem.

(The writer is a journalist; views are personal)

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

## **HISTORIC WIN AT PERTH**

Madam — Apropos to the news headline "Team India rises like a phoenix at Perth" (November 26). Kudos to Team India! After the drubbing from the Kiwis in our own backyard 0-3, India dominated the first Test in Perth, crushing Australia by a massive 295 runs. Chasing a daunting 534, Australia crumbled for 238. This historic win marks India's largest victory by runs in Australia, surpassing their 222-run win in Melbourne in 1977. What is more redeeming is the way the Indian team played the 2nd innings. Not many teams have come back after being 150 all out on the first day, but this Indian team has time and again shown that it is built differently. Bumrah, leading in only his second Test, was left with a lot to do and fewer options to work with

While Yashasvi Jaiswal, Virat Kohli and KL Rahul will be among the heroes with their solid second innings batting performances, it was the stand-in skipper Jaspreet Bumrah's unbelievable skill set and selfbelief during Australia's first innings rout that formed the cornerstone of India's win. Hope, after this Test, players should be retained based on their current performance, not on past achievements. The selection process should send a clear message that no player is above the team's performance standards. If a replacement player has excelled, they should be given priority and retained for their contributions. Senior players, regardless of their past glory, must earn their place back through demonstrated performance. This ensures that performance, consistency, and fairness drive the selection process, keeping the team competitive and motivated.

Bidyut Kumar Chatterjee | Faridabad

## **HOUSE ADJOURNED OVER ADANI**

Madam— On the first day of the winter session, i.e., Monday, the House was adjourned due to the demand for a discussion on Adani. Now it does not seem that much work or meaningful discussion will be done in this session. Because of the kind of allegations that have been made against for their renewable energy company in

## SC rejects plea challenging Preamble



n a landmark ruling, the Supreme Court has dismissed a batch of petitions challenging the inclusion of the terms 'Socialist and Secular' in the Preamble to the Constitution as per the 42nd Amendment passed in 1976. The Preamble declares India a Sovereign. Socialist. Secular and Democratic republic. The objectives of the Preamble are to secure justice, liberty and equality for all citizens and promote fraternity to main-

Gautam Adani and his entire team in America, it is obvious that the Opposition of the country will raise its voice on it. Now our Prime Minister wants to defeat every solid allegation through his electoral victory (Maharashtra). That is why when the House was not functioning on Monday, he told the Opposition that "those who have been rejected by the people are indulging in hooliganism in the House."

Is this really so? Obviously, the people who are sitting in the Opposition are sitting there because they are in the minority. Does minority mean that they should not even talk about such a big stain on the country's reputation? Why does this government repeatedly stand in favour of Adani? Charge sheets have been filed in a New York court against Adani Group chairman Gautam Adani, his nephew Sagar Adani and six others. It is impossible to file a charge sheet there without proof. The US Securities and Exchange Commission has alleged that Gautam Adani and his associates paid a bribe of more than \$250 million, i.e., about two thousand crore rupees,

tain the unity and integrity of the nation. The Preamble is considered the soul and spirit of the Constitution. It still plays an important role when there is ambiguity in Articles' provisions or when an interpretation of the Constitution becomes confusing.

The Preamble, which highlights guiding principles and some fundamental values of the bases of which the Indian Constitution was written, will become invalid and insignificant when important terms 'Sovereign, Socialist, Secular' are removed from the Preamble. Knowing the importance of the Preamble, in 1973, in the Kesavananda Bharati case, a 13-judge bench of the Supreme Court declared that the Preamble would be considered as part of the Constitution. In the 1995 Union Government vs LIC of India case, the Supreme Court once again held that Preamble is an integral part of the Constitution. P Victor Selvaraj | Tirunelveli

India and hide this information from investors while raising capital in America. Jang Bahadur Singh | Jamshedpur

## SAMBHAL MOSQUE DISPUTE

Madam - The horrific incident that occurred in Sambhal highlights the authorities' alarming reaction, where, without conducting a proper hearing or trial, they initiated a survey within just two hours. The incident has spread a curtain of fear and horror across the country.

The assertion of replacing a mosque with a temple is intensifying over time, threatening the diversity and unity of our nation. Mohan Bhagwat's statement should be taken into account: it is not right to dig beneath every mosque in search of a Shivling and claim it as a temple. Such actions are detrimental to the harmony of society. Early recognition can help us to take immediate measures to limit any damages

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## **FIRSTCOLUMN LESSONS IN HUMILITY AND FAITH**

Are we ready to confront the truth of our smallness in the grand scheme of existence?



## AJIT KUMAR BISHNOI

ave we realised that we are intrinsically small souls? That we only play small roles, yes, of different levels, but always small. I will cite many examples to substantiate this fact in this article. The only big is God, who is omnipresent, omnipotent and omniscient. He controls everything. We shouldn't be surprised by the reality of us being small. What did we expect? There are billions of us and all interdependent.

We cannot exist without the support of others right from our birth. Ravana was puffed up because he thought that he was big, having defeated important entities. But he was made to bite the dust and he accepted that his highly bloated ego was his undoing. Hitler thought that he was big and was going to control the world. What happened? He committed suicide having realised his smallness. Nixon was President of the USA – a large and prosperous nation. He was forced to resign, because of his underhanded activities. Napoleon was similarly humiliated when he was banished from his country to live in Elba - an Italian island, away from his dear country France.

Smallness is only one of our handicaps; ignorance is another. Despite the vast knowledge Ravana possessed, he was ignorant like most of us; he ignored the reality of God. Only the most fortunate like



Sant Tulsidas transcend the barrier of ignorance. What will you call Kansa? He kept on trying to kill the child Krishna without realising that the Lord cannot be killed. Ultimately, Lord Krishna had to kill him. Duryodhana saw so much of Lord Krishna, but somehow it didn't sink in that the Lord was different; He was God. He saw how the Lord protected Draupadi from being disrobed; how Arjuna was protected by bringing back sunlight; and many such instances. His ignorance was quite deep-seated. What will you call persons, who outwardly pretend to be servants of God, but molest unsuspecting children?

Their depth of darkness, which engulfs their consciousness does not let them see that punishment is coming. Only after they are hit with severe punishments they realise that they are quite helpless really. Draupadi realised it and cried for the Lord's help, which the merciful Lord provided. Arjuna knew in his heart that he was enjoying the protection of the Lord. That is how he was able to triumph over very powerful adversaries. In the modern era, famous film stars have committed suicide. We become very impressed by the fame they enjoy but little do we realise that they are just as helpless as we are. Wealthy people are no better when they are hit with mental trauma as a result of extraordinarily stressful events, which shatter their sense of security, making them feel insecure in this dangerous world we live in. Yes, this world is a place of misery (The Bhagavad-Geeta 8.15), as long as one does not take shelter from God. Both external and internal dangers exist. Demonic forces are out there to harm us in order to gain some pecuniary advantage like by stealing from us. Then, one does not know what is in store due to our past sinful acts. The smart thing is to come under the protection of God. So, what do I do? Having done my duty, I try to leave it to my Lord. Believe me, He takes care of me better than I could have imagined. It sounds like a fairy tale, but I am one of millions, who are benefiting in the present and have benefited thus in the past.

# Realigning India's economic strategy



Achieving the ambitious goal of becoming a developed nation by 2047 demands a decisive overhaul of current economic policies



he world is undergoing rapid political changes. With these geopolitical changes underway, it becomes imperative to relook at the current strategy for economic development to meet the declared target of achieving a developed nation status by 2047. It becomes necessary to realign and readjust the poli-cy points with the changing circum-stances. Countries become rich by pro-ducing and selling globally valuable and value-added products. India's share in global trade has to grow rapidly from the present measly 1.8 per cent in goods exports and 2.8 per cent in goods imports. In the service sector too, India needs to enhance its share of delivered services upwards from the present 6 per cent. How will this happen? We need to take quantum measures and hard steps without caring for internal political expediency. Global political scenario may affect the choice of strategic steps but it can have, at best, limited effect if we as a nation are determined, focused and forthright.

Nothing can come in the way if we act

THE GOVERNMENT BUCKLED UNDER THE FAKE PROTESTS BY AGRO MARKET been made to utilise domestic cap-MIDDLEMEN ital. The central sector and state

that needs the urgent attention of the government is the MSME sector which continues to lie stagnant. This sector is the prime driver of employment growth and needs steps to facilitate the establishment of new units and expansion of the existing ones. These steps arebureaucratic reforms to cut red tape and reduce unnecessary regulatory compliances that engender corruption and impede growth. To boost Indigenous manufacturing and increase the share of manufacturing in the national GDP from 16 per cent (almost stagnant since 2015) to upwards of 20 per cent, rebooting the entire Make in India program is needed. The blueprint of this otherwise visionary plan was, alas, not imple-mented seriously. Too much dependence on foreign capital and FDI was never forth-coming and efforts should have

2014, only about 20 have seen the light of the day and that too partially? The establishment of special economic zones and specialised product production zones was blueprinted but its implementation has also got stuck in the legislative and bureaucratic quagmires. Bureaucratic reforms, I reiterate, are an emergent necessity. Large imports from China over the last ten years have indeed prevented the growth of MSMEs in the country. Many pre-existing facto-ries faced closure and many manufacturers turned traders. India's exports to China in 2023-24 were USD 16.65 billion, while imports stood at USD 101.75 billion, leaving a trade deficit of more than USD 85 billion. Efforts were made by the ruling NDA government to contain Chinese imports. But most of the curtailment took place in lower-end consumer goods and less dent could be made in import of industrial goods. Irrespective of government oncy, if our country men had decided to boycott Chinese goods that can be produced in India, we would have made a huge dent in Chinese imports and facilitated the growth of the domestic manufacturing industry. But this did not happen. The land acquisition Amendment Bill was presented in Parliament on 10 March 2015 but could not be passed due to opposition by non-BJP lawmakers in the Rajya Sabha where the ruling NDA lacked a clear majority in numbers. The opposition party MPs called the proposed amendments antifarmer and anti-poor. The pro-posed amendments sought to remove requirements for approval from farmers to proceed with land acquisition under five broad categories of projects. Its passage continues to hang fire. It is the foundational base of the Make in India program. When will it be

industry requirements. This

approach addresses the skills

gap by equipping learners with

relevant skills, helping them

adapt effectively to the work-

place. Ultimately, this strategy

offers a solution to talent

scarcity and unemployment by

bridging the gap between

workforce skills and market

To ensure training pro-

grammes remain dynamic, it's

important to integrate data-

driven insights to evaluate

the progress of the trainees.

Thirdly, focusing on outcome-based skilling is essential as it

prioritises employment and

retention rather than just train-

ing. Outcome-based skilling is

an approach to training that

focuses on achieving specific,

measurable outcomes rather

demands.

100 smart cities conceived in

passed? Political expediency has been truly the bane of our country and the main impediment to our fast-track economic progress. In the above context, it would be appropriate to mention that strongly nationalistic citizens can collectively create conditions conducive to the growth of the domestic industry. The economic resurgence of Germany and Japan post World War 2 are case in point. Though the USA lent economic support to these countries, their citizens were patriotically driven to establish their domestic manufac-turing base and the countries developed into major industrial and economic powers in a period of barely two decades following their defeat and total devastation in 1945, the end year of the war. Both these countries lay stress on manufacturing, innovation and technology development. Their emphasis was on production and value-added exports. A similar strategy is needed. India has been the world's major economic power for millennia and in keeping with its inherent potential; it is capable of a long-term economic growth rate of 12 per cent. For this to happen, the aforesaid steps brook no delay. In the destiny of nations, there are some phases when it becomes necessary to take bold steps in line with progressive principles of economic development rather than get bogged down by over-strategising and political expediency. Our revered political and economic scholar Chanakya had stated that Dharma (righteousness) should take precedence over everything else in governance and even strategy should be aligned with universal divine Dharma. We need to proceed further in our economic ourney accordingly.



(The writer is a spiritual teacher; views are personal)

united and our government performs its actions without fear or favour. The government's backtracking on the Agriculture and Farm Bills of 2019 was an unfortunate incident. Such incidents should not recur. The government buckled under the fake protests by agro market middlemen masquerading as farmers who created a false show of protests to put spokes in the wheel of the Bills and sabotage them. The government, under fear of bourgeoning vandalism by antinational elements to prevent the promulgation of Bills, backed by foreign enemy countries capitulated and rolled back the Bills. This should not have happened. The country paid a heavy price for this as agriculture is still the mainstay of India's economy. If only those important Bills had been passed, we would have witnessed an economic growth rate increase of at least 2 per cent over the existing. Let our government bring back those Bills at the earliest appropriate time to provide a vital booster to our economy. The other important area

MASQUERADING sector Public Sector Undertakings (PSUs) should have taken the ini-AS FARMERS tiative in enhancing domestic manufacturing. Also, Make in WHO CREATED India should have emphasised A FALSE SHOW Make by India. Bureaucratic reforms, an increase in domestic **OF PROTESTS** manufacturing especially by PSUs by increasing import tariffs and TO PUT further increasing fiscal conces-SPOKES IN THE sions are some of the steps needed. Good work has been done in WHEEL the area of defence and space in OF THE this context by encouraging and **BILLS AND** SABOTAGE THEM

promoting startups. This should be extended to other sectors of the economy. Valueadded manufacturing in agriculture, food, healthcare and education will go a long way in boosting indigenous manufacturing and even exports. It is quite a pity that in spite of the wonderful success of the BJP government in the cleanup of the Banks, its benefit has not percolated to domestic manufacturing. Why out of the

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## Reaping our demographic dividend: Can skilling be the secret sauce?

With coordinated action, innovative strategies and a commitment to scalable skill development, India can emerge as a global economic and workforce leader

W ith a staggering 1.44 billion people 68 per cent of them between the ages of 15 and 64, India stands to gain from an immense, globally unmatched, demographic dividend that presents an unprecedented opportunity for economic growth amidst global challenges of declining birth rates and labour shortages. The vast labour force positions India to realise the government's vision of becoming the world's third-largest economy and the skills capital of the world.

This, coupled with the global shift towards diversifying talent supply chains - particularly to countries like India - can significantly enhance our geopolitical standing. East Asia offers compelling evidence of



ARUNESH SINGH

reaping the demographic div-idend. UNFPA reported that Korea saw its per-capita gross domestic product grow about 2,200 per cent between 1950 and 2008, and Thailand's GDP grew 970 per cent.

The pressing question now is whether India can fully capitalise on this demographic dividend, and can the skills ecosystem be the key to unlocking this potential. The To leverage India's demograph-

Challenge Effectively leveraging the demographic dividend requires addressing several critical challenges. The primary challenge is the need to create sufficient job opportunities to absorb the increasing number of young people entering the workforce.

Another key challenge is to bridge the 'skills gap' - the dis-crepancy between the skills

that job seekers possess and the ing skills that employers require, thereby creating opportunities for meaningful employment. This must be achieved on a large scale as the country is already home to 103 million youth categorised as NEET (not in education, employment or training) and millions of youth enter working age annu-ally. Crafting Scalable Solutions

ic dividend effectively, scalable solutions for skill development are imperative. This involves creating an ecosystem support large-scale skill enhancement initiatives. Firstly, systemic change cannot occur in isolation; therefore, it is vital for government bodies and private companies to collaborate and pool resources, expertise and fund-

Therefore, fostering public-private partnerships (PPPs) is essential for expanding skill development initiatives. It is important to align training programs with market demands, focus on outcomebased skilling, leverage technology and design effective, replicable, and adaptable programs. This collaboration can significantly contribute to cre-



ating a more resilient and practical skill development ecosystem.

Several initiatives in the realm of skill development highlight the transformative impact of targeted training and strategic partnerships. One such initiative is Project AMBER, a unique public-private partnership (PPP) where each stakeholder-government,

vate sector (philanthropy) contributes to the model. This initiative aims to enhance overall employment and retention outcomes by prioritising the quality of training, mentoring, and retention. Such initiatives not only help achieve success at an individual level but also lay the groundwork for broader systemic changes that can redefine the impact of the skilling ecosystem.

Secondly, aligning skilling programs with market demand is crucial. Collaborating with businesses provides valuable input on course content which ensures that learners are trained on skill sets that are relevant for the industry. Employer feedback mechanisms enable continuous adjustments to training protraining partners, and the pri- grams, which are in sync with than merely completing a set curriculum or an instructional programme.

Finally, with the right use of technology, we can design skill development programmes that are both effective and scalable and create significant impact. Technology can greatly expand the reach and accessibility of these programmes through online learning platforms, virtual classrooms, and mobile-friendly resources, even in remote areas. At the same time, standardised models like 'train-the-trainer' programmes ensure that rapid expansion does not come at the cost of quality, maintaining consistency across different regions.

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## Imran's supporters reach heart of Islamabad, 6 securitymen killed in violence

#### PTI ISLAMABAD

ailed former prime minister Imran Khan's supporters reached the heart of Pakistan's capital on Tuesday after removing barricades and battling police in clashes that killed six security personnel and injured dozens.

Four paramilitary Rangers and two policemen were killed late Monday and over 100 security personnel injured when protesters marching towards D-Chowk turned violent, prompting the federal government to deploy the army in Islamabad along with shoot-at-sight orders, state-run media said on Tuesday.

The 72-year-old former pre-mier, who has been in jail since August last year, issued a "final call" on November 13 for nationwide protests on November 24, denouncing what he termed as the stolen mandate, the unjust arrests of people and the passage of the 26th amendment, which he said has strengthened a "dictatorial regime'

Geo News shared footage, which showed Khan's support-ers climbing on the shipping containers placed on the roads leading to D-Chowk, which is located close to several impor-tant government buildings: the Presidency, the PM Office, the Parliament, and the Supreme Court.

It was unclear if the protesters would stage a sit-in or leave D-Chowk, though the top leaders

of the Pakistan Tehreek-e-Insaf (PTI) had vowed to remain in Islamabad until Khan was

released. Khan's wife Bushra Bibi, who stubbornly led the protests, said in one of her addresses to the protestors to go away only if Khan comes in person to tell about the next course of action. They reached their declared destination despite repeated claims by Interior Minister Mohsin Naqvi that nobody would be allowed to make it to D-Chowk.

Naqvi also said the government tried to convince PTI leaders in every way, but they only gained time from negotiations and moved towards the federal capital.

"We offered the protestors to gather at Sangjani. Their entire leadership does not want a bloodbath, but there's one secret leadership controlling all this, which was the apple of the discord," he said. He also said that all PTI sup-

porters had come from Khyber Pakhtunkhwa. Led by Khyber-Pakhtunkhwa

Chief Minister Ali Amin Gandapur and Khan's wife Bushra, the marchers began their journey from the militancy-hit province on Sunday. Pakistan deployed the army amid a tense stand-off with Khan's supporters. The govern-ment has vowed to foil their

attempt "even if a curfew needs to be imposed? Hours earlier, the state-run Radio Pakistan said a vehicle





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Supporters of imprisoned former premier Imran Khan's Pakistan Tehreek-e-Insaf party, oather to remove shipping containers to clear way for their rally demanding Khan's release in Islamabad on Tuesday (Right) A supporter Imran Khan's party, aims to throw stones with slingshot following police fire tear gas shell to disperse them during clashes. AP/PTI

rammed into Pakistan Rangers. killing four personnel on the Srinagar Highway in Islamabad late on Monday night. Five other Rangers and several police officials sustained severe injuries. About five kilometres from this spot, a bunch of miscreants, equipped with weapons and ammunition, pelted stones on the Rangers and carried out indiscriminate firing on the security personnel at Chungi No 26 in Rawalpindi, Radio Pakistan said. It also reported that two

policemen were killed but didn't provide any details.

According to Punjab police, one policeman was killed at the Hakla interchange on Islamabad's outskirts during clashes with the PTI protestors on Monday. It did not give details about the second policeman.

Separately, Interior Minister Naqvi said, at a late Monday night media interaction, that more than 100 security personnel, mostly from police, were injured. "One senior police officer was critically injured he suffered a severe head injury due to stone-pelting by pro-

testers," he said Radio Pakistan further reported that the Pakistan Army was called in "to deal with the miscreants with an iron hand" and "clear orders have also been issued to shoot miscreants and troublemakers on sight." Strongly condemning the

attack on Rangers and police personnel by protesters, Prime Minister Shehbaz Sharif, in a statement, directed to immedi-

ately identify those involved in the incident and ensure they are brought to justice.

"Attacks on police and Rangers, under the guise of a so-called peaceful protest, are condemnable," he said, adding, that the anarchist group seeks bloodshed and "Pakistan cannot afford any form of chaos or bloodshed. Bloodshed for nefarious political agenda is unacceptable and highly con-demnable."

Meanwhile, Khan's party has accused the authorities of using

violence in which several of its supporters have been injured. A party spokesman told BBC Urdu that two supporters have also been killed but it was not confirmed from other sources so far. All public and private educational institutions remained closed on Tuesday given the law and order situation both in Islamabad and Rawalpindi.

Khan has been implicated in dozens of cases since his gov-ernment was dismissed through a no-confidence

motion in 2022. He has been in Adiala Jail at Rawalpindi since last year facing over 200 cases. His party won the largest number of seats in the February general elections despite contesting as independents as the party was denied an election symbol. The party founder has alleged that the ruling Pakistan Muslim League-Nawaz (PML-N) and its coalition partners, including the Pakistan Peoples Party (PPP), had "stolen the mandate" to grab power at the federal level

Israel bombards Beirut suburbs as its | **Trump to impose tariffs on imports** leadership prepares to vote on ceasefire

## AP BEIRUT

sraeli warplanes struck build-Lings in Beirut's suburbs and in a southern Lebanese city Tuesday, as Israel's security Cabinet pre-pared to vote on a US-brokered ceasefire proposal aimed at ending more than a year of fighting with Hezbollah.

Hopes have risen for the deal, which calls for a two-month initial halt in fighting and would require Hezbollah to end its armed presence in a broad swath of southern Lebanon, while Israeli troops would return to their side of the border.

Israel's security Cabinet, meeting Tuesday afternoon, was expected to approve the proposal, which Lebanese officials have said Hezbollah also supports.

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city of Tyre, where the Israeli mili-

ground troops reached parts of

Lebanon's Litani River — a focal

point of the emerging ceasefire.

said troops clashed with

Hezbollah commander.

Among the main sticking points has been an Israeli demand to reserve the right to act should Hezbollah vi te its Under the proposal, thousands of Lebanese troops and UN peacekeepers would deploy in the south, and an international panel headed by the United States would monitor all sides' compliance. Israel's Defence Minister Israel Katz said the military would strike Hezbollah if the UN peacekeeping force, known as UNIFIL, doesn't provide "effective enforcement" of the deal. "If you don't act, we will act, and with great force," he said, speak ing with UN special envoy Jeanine Hennis-Plasschaert. The European Union's top diplomat, Josep Borrell, said Tuesday that Israel's security concerns Other strikes hit in the southern had been addressed in the US-French-brokered deal. tiary said it killed a local "There is not an excuse for not implementing a ceasefire. Otherwise, Lebanon will fall The Israeli military also said its apart," Borrell told reporters in Fiuggi, Italy, on the sidelines of a Group of Seven meeting. He said the US would chair a ceasefire implementation committee, and France would participate at the request of Lebanon. Bombardment of Beirut's south-



# from Canada, Mexico, China

## PTI WASHINGTON

US President-elect Donald Trump has said he will impose a 25 per cent tariff on all products coming f all products coming from Canada and Mexico, and 10 per cent on Chinese goods to check the flow of illegal immigrants and drugs into the United States.

In a series of posts on his Truth Social platform on Monday, he said he would sign executive orders imposing tariffs on the three countries as one of his first actions after assuming office on January 20.

"As everyone is aware, thou-

through Mexico and Canada, bringing Crime and Drugs at levels never seen before. Right now, a Caravan coming from Mexico, composed of thousands of people, seems to be unstoppable in its quest to come through our currently Open Border," Trump said.

"On January 20th, as one of my many first Executive Orders, I will sign all necessary documents to charge Mexico and Canada a 25% Tariff on ALL products coming into the United States, and its ridiculous Open Borders.

This Tariff will remain in "As everyone is aware, thou-sands of people are pouring in particular Fentanyl, and all

Illegal Aliens stop this Invasion of our Country! Both Mexico and Canada have the absolute right and power to easily solve this long simmering problem," he said. "We hereby demand that they use this power, and until such time that they do, it is time for them to pay a very big price," Trump said.

Further, the president-elect accused China of failing to stop the flow of drugs into the US. "I have had many talks with China about the massive amounts of drugs, in particular Fentanyl, being sent into the United States – But to no avail," Trump said. "Representatives of China told their maximum penalty, that of death, for any drug dealers caught doing this but, unfortunately, they never followed through, and drugs are pouring into our Country, mostly through Mexico, at levels never seen before," he alleged. 'Until such time as they stop,

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we will be charging China an additional 10% Tariff, above any additional Tariffs, on all of their many products coming into the United States of America," he added.

Trump said the executive order to this effect would be signed on the first day of his presiden-cy on January 20, 2025.

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Hong Kong could become like

Taiwan and Thailand in legal-

a non-governmental organiza-tion, said in a statement that the

judges' decisions made it clear

that discrimination and differ

ential treatment on the grounds

of sexual orientation violate

human dignity and equality. It

called on the government to

immediately end the exclu-

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HK's top court rules in favour of equal

ern suburbs continues Even as Israeli, US, Lebanese and international officials have

expressed growing optimism over a ceasefire, Israel has continmove its forces north of the Litani, which in some places is ued its campaign in Lebanon, about 30 km north of the Israeli which it says aims to cripple border. Hezbollah's military capabilities. A ceasefire between Israel and Hezbollah, the strongest Iranian-Israeli jets struck at least six buildings in Beirut's southern suburbs backed force in the region, would Tuesday. One strike slammed likely significantly calm regionnear the country's only airport, al tensions that have led to fears sending large plumes of smoke into the sky. There were no immediate reports of casualties. The airport has continued to

of a direct, all-out war between Israel and Iran. It's not clear how the ceasefire will affect the Israel-Hamas war in Gaza. Hezbollah function despite its location on had long insisted that it would not the Mediterranean coast next to agree to a ceasefire until the war the densely populated suburbs in Gaza ends, but it dropped that where many of Hezbollah's opercondition.

Hezbollah began firing into northern Israel, saying it was showing support for the Palestinians, a day after Hamas carried out its Oct 7, 2023, attack on southern Israel, triggering the Gaza war. Israel returned fire on Hezbollah, and the two sides have been exchanging barrages ever since. In early September, Israel escalat-

Hezbollah forces and destroyed ed its campaign of bombardment rocket launchers in the Slouqi and sent troops into Lebanon, area on the eastern end of the vowing to put an end to Litani, just a few km from the Hezbollah fire.

Under the ceasefire deal, More than 3,760 people have Hezbollah would be required to been killed by Israeli fire in

Lebanon the past 13 months many of them civilians, according to Lebanese health officials The bombardment has driven 1.2 million people from their homes Israel says it has killed more than 2.000 Hezbollah members.

Hezbollah fire has forced some 50.000 Israelis to evacuate homes in the country's north, and its rockets have reached as far south in Israel as Tel Aviv. At least 75 people have been killed, more than half of them civilians. More than 50 Israeli soldiers died fighting in the ground offensive in Lebanon.

After previous hopes for a cease-fire were dashed, US officials cautioned that negotiations were not yet complete and noted that there could be last-minute hitches that either delay or destroy an agreement. "Nothing is done until everything is done," White House national security spokesman John Kirby said.

While the ceasefire proposal is expected to be approved if Netanyahu brings it to a vote in his security Cabinet, one hardline member, National Security Minister Itamar Ben-Gvir, said he would oppose it.

## inheritance for same-sex couples

## AP 📕 HONG KONG

Hong Kong's top court on Tuesday upheld earlier rulings that favored subsidized housing benefits and equal inheritance rights for same-sex married couples, in a landmark victory for the city's LGBTQ+ community.

The Court of Final Appeal's dismissal of the government's appeals ended some yearslong legal battles over the differential treatment facing same-sex couples married overseas under Hong Kong's Housing Authority policies and two inheritance laws.

The unanimous decisions are expected to have a far-reaching impact on the lives of same-sex couples, who have traditionally had fewer rights compared to their heterosexual counterparts in the global financial hub.

Chief Justice Andrew Cheung said in his judgement that exclusionary housing policies were argued to be beneficial to opposite-sex married couples

because they increase the supply of subsidised housing for them and thereby support the institution of traditional families. But Cheung said authorities failed to provide evidence showing the potential impact on opposite-sex couples if those policies were relaxed.

<sup>th</sup>The challenged policies can-not be justified," he wrote.

On the inheritance laws, judges Roberto Ribeiro and Joseph Fok ruled that the disputed provisions are "discriminatory and unconstitutional" in their written judgement.

Hong Kong does not recognize same-sex marriage, prompting some couples to marry elsewhere.

Currently, the city only recognizes same-sex marriage for certain purposes such as taxation, civil service benefits and dependent visas. Many of the government's concessions were won through legal challenges, and the city has seen a growing social acceptance toward same-sex marriage.

in 2018, told reporters that Tuesday's rulings "acknowl-In September 2023, the top court ruled that the government should provide a frameedged same-sex couples can love each other and deserve to work for recognizing same-sex partnerships. This ruling, along live together." with other successful legal chalme and for my partner, but this lenges brought by members of the LGBTQ+ community, is fighting for all the same-sex couples in Hong Kong," he said outside the court building. made Hong Kong the only place in China to grant such But he added he was still "a bit pessimistic" about whether recognition for same-sex couples.

În separate judgements handed down in 2020 and 2021, a lower court had ruled that the housing policies involved in Tuesday's cases violated the constitutional right to equality, and that excluding same-sex spouses from inheritance law benefits constituted unlawful discrimination.

The government had challenged these decisions at the Court of Appeal but subsequently lost in October 2023. It then took the cases to the top court.

Nick Infinger, who first concluded a long legal journey taken by Henry Li and his late launched a judicial review against the Housing Authority

Prime Minister Narendra

Tamil film Maharaja to be released in China

#### PTI BEIJING

Tamil suspense film Maharaja will be released in China on Friday becoming the first Indian cinema to be screened for Chinese audiences after the normalisation of ties between the two countries following last month's agreement to resolve the standoff in Eastern Ladakh. The suspense film Maharaja has already begun pre-screenings and its release here coincides with two competitors maior Hollywood's Gladiator II and

local film Her Story. State-run Global Times reported on Tuesday that the film currently holds a high rating of 8.7/10 on Chinese

Modi and Chinese President Xi Jinping at their meeting in Kazan in Russia on the sidelines of the BRICS summit on October 23 endorsed the agreement and issued directions to revive various bilateral dialogue mechanisms and normalise ties that were hit by a deadly military clash in 2020 at Galwan Valley.

Indian films specially Aamir Khan's Three Idiots, Dangal and Secret Superstar have become a major success in China in recent years as the themes largely resonated with the Chinese audiences and earned a significant amount of revenue.

Khan has become a household name in China.

## Interpol clamps down on cybercrime, arrests over 1,000 suspects in Africa

## AP DAKAR (SENEGAL)

Interpol arrested 1,006 sus-▲pects in Africa during a twomonth operation clamping down on cybercrime that left tens of thousands of victims, including some who were trafficked, and produced millions in financial damages, the global police organisation said Tuesday

Operation Serengeti, a joint operation with Afripol, the African Union's police agency, ran from Sept 2 to Oct 31 in 19 African countries and targeted criminals behind ransomware, business email compromise, digital extortion and online tion.

"Through Serengeti, Afripol has significantly enhanced supscams, the agency said in a statement. "From multi-level marketing port for law enforcement in African Union Member States, scams to credit card fraud on an industrial scale, the increas-Jalel Chelba, Afripol's Executive ing volume and sophistication Director, said in the statement. of cybercrime attacks is of serious concern," said Valdecy In Kenya, the police made nearly two dozen arrests in an Urquiza, the Secretary General online credit card fraud case of Interpol. linked to losses of USD 8.6 mil-Interpol pinpointed 35,000 viclion. In the West African country of Senegal, officers arrest-

tims, with cases linked to nearly USD 193 million in financial losses worldwide, stating that local police authorities and private sector partners, including internet service providers, played a key role in the opera-

ven malware and advanced cyberattack techniques.

Öther dismantled networks included a group in Cameroon suspected of using a multi-level marketing scam for human trafficking, an international criminal group in Angola running an illegal virtual casino and a cryptocurrency investment scam in Nigeria, the agency said. Interpol, which has 196 mem-

ed eight people, including five ber countries and celebrated its Chinese nationals, for a USD 6 centennial last year, works to million online Ponzi scheme. help national police forces Chelba said Afripol's focus communicate with each other now includes emerging threats like Artificial Intelligence-driand track suspects and criminals in fields like counterterror-

ism, financial crime, child pornography, cybercrime and

organised crime. The world's biggest — if not best-funded - police organisation has been grappling with new challenges including a growing caseload of cybercrime and child sex abuse, and increasing divisions among its member countries. Interpol had a total budget of

about 176 million euros (about USD 188 million) last year, compared to more than 200 million euros at the European Union's police agency, Europol, and some USD 11 billion at the FBI in the United States.

movie review site Douban and is regarded as one of the highest-rated Indian films in recent years. Nithilan Directed by Swaminathan, the film stars actors Vijay Sethupathi,

Anurag Kashyap, Mamta Mohandas and Natty Natraj. It hit the Indian screens on June 14 and was a huge hit. Maharaja — which is titled 'Yin Guo Bao Ying' in Chinese — will be first Indian film to be screened in China after both the countries firmed up an agreement on patrolling and disengagement of troops along the Line of Actual Control (LAC) in eastern Ladakh, in a major breakthrough to end the over fouryear border standoff.



## New NATO chief Rutte says alliance Sri Lanka to present interim budget on Dec 5

#### PTI COLOMBO

The interim budget of the new government will be presented on December 5 while the full budget for 2025 would be presented on February 17, the government announced on

Tuesday. "There would be a submission of an interim budget to the Parliament for the continuation of government functions and debt servicing from January to April 2025," government spokesman and Minister Nalinda Jayathissa told reporters.

The interim budget would be presented on December 5 and would seek parliament's approval on December 6, he

said referring to a cabinet decision on Monday. He also announced that the

full budget for 2025 would be presented in parliament on February 17 next year. Earlier last week, the new

parliament of Sri Lanka – the 10th parliament since 1978 was convened on Thursday for the first session after the ruling National People's Power's (NPP) landslide electoral victory. Soon after his presidential victory in September, President Anura Kumara Dissanayake

had announced parliamentary polls. The ruling NPP created history in the November 14 election by winning 159 seats in the 225-member assembly. Meanwhile, Sri Lankan

President Anura Kumara Dissanayake plans to visit China following his proposed official trip to India, Cabinet spokesman Nalinda Javathissa said on Tuesday.

Jayathissa said an official invitation has been handed to Dissanayake by the Chinese Ambassador in Colombo.

Dissanavake's first over seas visit will take place in the third week of December to India, a Cabinet spokesman said, adding that no dates have been fixed.

On November 18, Foreign Minister Vijitha Herath said that Dissanavake will visit India at the invitation of the Indian government in mid-December. External Affairs Minister S

Region 1, where Kanpaiti is

located, the KIA since late

September has been increasing

assaults on a rival ethnic militia,

the New Democratic Army-

Jaishankar who became the first foreign dignitary to call on Dissanayake when he was elected President in September had extended the invitation.

Jaishankar visited Sri Lanka in October since the National People's Power (NPP) government led by Dissanavake came to power on September 23.

On Monday, a top Chinese delegation led by Sun Haiyan, the Vice Minister of the International Department of the Central Committee, met Dissanayake in Colombo.

The Chinese delegation reaffirmed China's willingness to assist Sri Lanka and Dissanayake expressed his gratitude to China for steadfastly assisting Sri Lanka

## needs further support Ukraine AP ATHENS

MATO's new Secretary General Mark Rutte on Tuesday said the alliance "needs to go further" to support Ukraine in its fight against a Russian invasion and accused Moscow of dangerously escalating the conflict by bringing in thousands of North Korean troops.

"In pursuing its illegal war in Ukraine, Russia makes use of North Korean weapons and troops, Iranian drones and Chinese dual use goods for its defense industry," Rutte said while on a visit to Greece. "This is a dangerous expansion of the

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war and a challenge to global peace and security. Rutte, a former Dutch prime minister who took over as NATO

chief last month, met Greek Prime Minister Kyriakos Mitsotakis in Athens and thanked him for Greek support for Ukraine that includes weapons and ammunition, as well as training for F-16 pilots and technicians. "Our support for Ukraine has kept them in the fight, but we need to go further to change the trajectory of the conflict," Rutte said.

Greece spends over 3% of its gross domestic product on defense, above the 2% committed minimum for NATO members, and is seeking a change in European Union budget rules to allow for greater military spending. It also wants to help create a common European air defence system. "We agree on one of the fundamental priorities for all allies: the need to strengthen our collective defence, a goal that requires a strong defence industry with significant investments," Mitsotakis said, adding that Athens backed "a more functional relationship between NATO and the European Union, to further strengthen the European pillar of the alliance."

been discussing plans to boost defence investments for months due to the ongoing war in Ukraine and uncertainty surrounding the incoming US administration following the election victory of President-

elect Donald Trump. Rutte's visit to Athens follows meetings with Trump in Florida and Turkish leaders in Ankara Monday, Rutte also held talks with Greece's Minister of Foreign Affairs George Gerapetritis and Minister of Defence Nikos Dendias. Several thousand protesters marched through central Athens in opposition to the NATO chief's visit.

Europe's NATO members have

## Rebel group takes key border town, a rare earth mining hub, in setback for military regime

## AP BANGKOK

powerful rebel group has Aseized a key trading town in northeastern Myanmar on the Chinese border, taking control of a lucrative rare earth mining hub in another setback for the military-led government, according to witnesses.

The apparent loss of Kanpaiti to the Kachin Independence Army leaves Myanmar's military in control of only one town with a border crossing, Muse, and deprives it of potential profits from the mines that provide China with rare earth minerals critical for electric motors and wind turbines, as well as hightech weapons and a broad range of electronics

Neither Col Naw Bu, the KIA's spokesperson, nor Thet Swe, spokesperson for the military, responded to multiple requests for comment, but several local media outlets reported that Kanpaiti fell last week. The ongoing civil war and military restric-

Philippine Vice-Prez

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against President

AP MANILA (PHILLIPINES)

The military seized power from the elected government of Aung San Suu Kyi in February 2021, triggering intensified fighting with long-established armed militias organised by Myanmar's ethnic minority groups in its border regions which have struggled for decades for more autonomy.

tions make travel for journalists

The once-mighty armed forces, known as the Tatmadaw, have suffered a series of unprecedented defeats over the past year, especially in areas to the east near the Chinese border and in the western state of Rakhine, after an alliance of three powerful militias launched a coordinated offensive on October 27, 2023

nearly impossible, but the reports Since then, other militias organwere confirmed by witnesses by ised along ethnic lines have joined in, including the KIA in telephone. Video clips circulating on social the northern state of Kachin. In Kachin's so-called Special

media, which could not be independently verified, showed what was said to be a KIA member raising the group's flag at the tunnel through the mountain to China. Other clips showed a vast quantity of weapons allegedly captured by the KIA.

Kachin, which is allied with the government military and had provided border guard forces. The NDA-K also controlled the web of small, unlicensed operations where heavy rare earth elements are mined, then sold directly to China's big state-

owned mining conglomerates or through intermediaries. There are more than 300 unreg ulated mines in the area, producing most of the USD 1.4 billion in rare earths for sale to China last year "at a terrible cost to the environment and local communities, according to a report issued by London-based environmental group Global Witness in May. It's not clear how much of the profits flowed to the military gov-

ernment, and how much directly to the NDA-K, however, and while the loss of any revenue stream would be bad for the military, the fall of Kanpaiti is not necessarily a game changer for the overall conflict, said Morgan Michaels, a Singapore-based analyst with the International Institute of Strategic Studies (IISS) who runs its Myanmar Conflict Map project.

## PUBLIC NOTICE It is for genral information that A request has beer made for transfer of plot no. D-3, Area 8160.00 sq.m ndustrial Area Surajpur Site-5, Kasna, Greater Noida n favour of M/s Envirotech Systems Limited has en requested for setting up of steel fabrication unit The executed List Lease Deed of the said plot dated 26.06.2001 has been lost to the lending financial stitution M/s Edelweiss Asset Reconstruction. If any person has any objection regarding the transf of the said plot in favour of M/s Envirotech System mited, he / she should file a written objection in th Limited, ne / sine should like a written objection in the office of the Regional Manager of Uttar Pradesh State Industrial Development Authority, Administrative Building, Kasna, Gautam Budh Nagar within 15 days from the date of publication of the notice. Transfer related action will be taken after the prescribed date and no objection will be considered after that.

Public Notice

This is to inform the general public that Smt. Gainda Devi is the GPA Holder Property No. 58 area measuring 62 ½ Sq. Yds., Block- A-1Out of Khasra No. 104/8/1 Situated at Village- Palam

Smt. Gainda Devi in respect of the said Property. Smt. Gainda Devi in respect of the said Property. Smt. Gainda Devi intends to transfer the ownership by way of Sale Deed of aforementioned property to Mr. Nitin Malkoti. Subsequently, Mr. property to Mr. Nutin Maikoti. Subsequently, Mr. Nitin Maikoti is in the process of mortgaging the said property with Aditya Birla Housing Finance Limited. Any objections or concerns regarding this transaction should be raised within a period of 15 days from the date of this public notice. Any objections submitted after the completion of this 15-day period will not be considered binding with respect to the said property or the interests of our client.

39, Bhiwadi, Rajasthan but in the interna

Tesidenti of village Jitata, Tenisi and District Gattatin Budh Nagar Had registered a will in favour of Smt. Madhu Chauhan, wife of Shri Rohtas Singh Chauhan, resident of 47-2, Pratag Vinar, Ghazibada, currently resident of GT-28. Sector 70, Noida, of Khata No 70 and Khasra No 192, Village Jhatta, in respect of residentia Jol No. JH-02, Sector 155, Noida, Gautan residential plot No. JH-02, Sector 159, Noda, Gautam Budh Nagar, received In lieu of the above 5 percent Naksha 11 of Nisan quota. Which is registered in Sub-Registrar's Office, Noida, in the same No. 3, Document No. 172, dated 16/03/2011. Original alottee of the above residential plot, Smt. Kalawati, died on 14/11/2015. Therefore, on the hasis of the said will, an application has been made for transfer or mutation of the above property in favour of Mrs. Madhu Chauhan, If anyone has any objection in this regard, then within 30 days of the publication of this regidential. Plot Office, Noida. Development Authority, Sector 6. No objection will be valid later. सार्वजनिक सूचना

सर्वसाधरण को सूचित किया जाता है कि आवासी भरवण्ड खसरा नं0 862 और खाता सं0 453 प्लॉट जोकि स्वं० जगदीश शर्मा व ज्ञानचंद शर्मा त्रगण श्री श्रीचंद निवासी दोस्तपुर मंगरोली नोएडा

BEFORE THE REGIONAL DIRECTOR, NORTH

the Company proposes to make application to the Central Government under section 13 of th Companies act, 2013 seeking confirmation of alteration of the Memorandum of association of

**PUBLIC NOTICE IMPERIA STRUCTURES LTD.** A-25 Mohan Cooperative Industrial Estate, New Delhi -110044 Phone -011 46469999 website www.imperiastructures.com Whereas the company got in principle approval from Director Town & Country Planning

Department, Haryana Chandigarh vide Memo No ZP-768-Vol.IV/JD(RA)/2024/36068 dated 22.11.2024 for its residential group housing colony project for Tower D,E & J (earlier known as Tower F). license No. 64 of 2011 dated 16.07.2011 granted for setting up Group Housing Colony (Imperia Esfera) on an area measuring 17.00 acre.

And whereas the office of Director General Town & Country Planning, Harvana Chandigarh has asked company to invite objections from existing bonafide Allottees regarding (i) Change in Nomenclature of Tower-F to Tower-J and also change in location/orientation of Tower J without approval of revised building plans (ii) Basement-2 has been constructed without sanctioned plan. However both the changes are in conformity with Haryana Building code-2017. Accordingly, the objections are hereby invited from any of the Allottee in the said colony on the said additional construction of flats and other changes in original sanctioned plans. A copy of earlier approved building plans and super imposed plans are available on the website https://imperiastructures.com/residential/the-esfera/#Download for perusal.

The said plans can also be perused in the office of company on address mentioned above as well as site office of the company and also in the office of Senior Town Planner, Sector 14, HSVP Complex, 3rd Floor, Gurugram.

Any bonafide Allottee having any objection/suggestion on such changes may file his/her/its objection in the office of Senior Town Planner, Town & Country Planning Department, Sector 14, HSVP Complex, Gurugram within 30 days of publication of this notice under intimation to the company, failing which it shall be assumed that there are no objections to the changes made by the company in the original sanction plans.

Date: 27.11.2024



Date: 22.11.2024 10084 E-TENDER NOTICE NO.01/2024-25

INVITATION FOR BID OHPC Ltd., Bhubaneswar, invites percentage rate bids in double cover system (Cover-I Technical Bid and Cover-II Price bid) for the work as detailed below through 'e'-procurement. The bids should be submitted 'online' in https://tendersodisha.gov.in by the "A" & "B" Class of contractors registered with the State Government and contractors of equivalent grade/class registered with Central Government / Railways / MES having registration for execution of civil works on production of definite proof from the appropriate authority. The bidders sh ould have necessary portal enrolment with their own valid Digital Signature Certific te The bidde Na

ame of the work	Value of work put to tender (in ₹)	E.M.D. (in ₹) (Online)	Cost of bid document (Online)	Class of Bidder	Period of completion (in calendar month)
Civil, PH, Electrical, Interior Furnishing and Signage works of OHPC Corporate Office building at Bhoinagar, Bhubaneswar	1,10,71,331.00	1,10,800/	11,800/- (Rs.10,000+1 8% GST)	"A" & "B" Class Contractor	06 months

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PUBLIC NOTICE Notice is hereby given to the General Public on behalf of our client that Mrs. Anuradha is claiming to be owner of Residential Flat No. SF-04, on Second Floor without roof rights built on Plot bearing No. B-180, area measuring 100 so., vds., out of Khasra No. 233, situated at Rail Vihar Shehixari Awas Smith I'd in the area of Vilane Sadvalabad Daranana & No. 233, situated at Rail Vihar Shehkari Awas Smiti Ltd, in the area of Village Saddulabad, Paragana & Tehsil Loni, District Ghaziabad, U. P. Ali persons are hereby informed that above mentioned owner wants to sell the property to a person who wants to obtain a loan from our client against the said property. If, anybody has any objections's upon the ownership of above owner over the said property, its sale/mort-gage/iligation, and any other objections, kindly inform the undersigned in writing on the below mentioned address within 7 days of the present. Kumar & Associates (Advorates & Consultants)

## Kumar & Associates (Advocates & Consultants 200, IInd Floor, 23, Shivaji Marg, Moti Nagar, N. Delh-15 Ph : 011-41112527-28 legal@knalegal.com Philippine authorities hand-ed a subpoena to Vice President Sara Duterte's office

# **<u>THE PIONEER</u>**

Public Notice To be known to all that I,Ishu Sikka W/o Manish Sikka To be known to all that Jishu Sirkka Wio Manish Sirkka Rio Fiat No.35-C.Si/FBI/Wirk.B\_Bast of Kailash,ND-65 owner of DDA SFS-I flat no.35-C,Si/FBI/k/pkt-B,East of Kailash, ND-65 has applied for conversion of the aforesaid property from leasehold to freehold wide ap-plication No.DDAHCA50108986 dt. 25.10.2024 in DDA. Original document i.e. Allocation/Sth & Final Demand Letter. of above property have hean lost An EIR anai-

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## Letter, of above property have been lost, An FIR agai-nst this effect has been lodged in Police station. Any persons claiming any right, interest, having any object-ion or found in possession of original documents may ion or tound in possession of original documents may write/cont with above named person at above add/Ph 9373483512 with 15 days from the date of publication of this notice. The person claiming any right, interest, objections with respect to this property can personally inform or write to Director Housing-I or Dy. Director (SFS), D-Block, 3rd Floor, Vikas Sadan, INA, N.D.-23 PUBLIC NOTICE

We M/s Pharma Chemie Pvt. Ltd. have shifted our registered office Flat No.- 3174, D-3, Vasant New Delhi-110070 to A-81, First Floor, South Extension - Part 2,

Colony known as Rajapuri New Delhi. Sha is possession through GPA, ATS & Will Date 22.10.1982 executed by Smt. Rati Ram in favour o

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PUBLIC NOTICE My client HDFC Bank Ltd, Capital Court, Munirka, New Delhi, in the business of Housing Loan, from whom Mr. Aashish Vilas Tale and Mrs. Urmila ashish Tale has taken a housing loan against Flat No. M-1307, 13th Floor, Ashiana Town-Beta (05 to 08) Sector-

शहदरा कुल रकबा 345.55 वर्गमीटर जिसक वर्तमान प्लॉट सं0- SH-11, सैक्टर–145, नोएडा ने अशोक कुमार सिंह पुत्र श्यामदेव सिंह निवासी राजगांगपुर उडीसा के पक्ष में दिनांक 09.08.2016 में पंजीकृत एग्रीमेन्ट टू सेल, जी.पी.ए. ए बसियतनामा के द्वारा उपनिबन्धक तृतीय नोएडा भारप्रधाना पर प्रति उपावस्थर रहावि नार्ष्य ने पंजीकृत कराया गया है। अतः इस सूचना के माध्यम से सर्वजनों को सूचित किया जाता है कि उपरोक्त आवासीय भूखण्ड एक विवादित प्लॉट है

बेचने से सावधान रहें। ऐसा करने वाला व्यक्ति अपने नुकसान का स्वंय जिम्मेदार होगा, उसके लिए मेरे मुविक्कल की कोई जिम्मेदारी नही होगी। मोब. नं0— 9999057392, 8527616246.

Supreme Court of India, New Delhi

Sunny Chauhan

और काननी प्रकिया चल रही है जिसको खरीदनें

Advocate & Legal Consultant

Form no INC-26 [Pursuant to rule 30 the Companies (Incorporation) Rules, 2014) vertisement to be published in the newspa r change of registered office of the Compa from one State to another State.

BEFORE THE REGIONAL DIRECTOR, NORTH REGION OFFICE, DELHI In the matter of sub-section 4 of section 13 of the Companies Act 2013 and clause (a) of sub-section (5) of Rule 30 of the Companies (Incorporation) Rules 2014 AND In the matter of CNW Courier Network India Private Limited (CIN: US200D12023FTC416128) A Company incorporated under the Companies Act, 2013 and having its registered office at B1/H3, Ground Floor, Mohan Co-Operative, Mathura Rd, Industrial Area, Block B, Badarpur, Youth Delhi, New Delhi, Delhi, India, 110044 Petitioner Notice is hereby given to the general public that

Notice is hereby given to the general public that the Company in terms of the special resolution passed at the Extra Ordinary General Meeting held on Thursday 17TH OCTOBER 2024 AT 10:00 AW to enable the company to change its registered office from National Capital territory Delibit of he utto of Ultra Wordsor V.

Address) BY THE ORDER OF BOARD FOR CNW COURIER

NETWORK INDIA PRIVATE LIMITED AMAN GUPTA (DIRECTOR) DIN: 10227583 KOORI BARGADI KOT BHABHUWA GONDA COLONELGANJ UTTAR PRADESH, INDIA 271311

REGISTRAR

The state of the company to trange its registered officie from National Capital territory Delhi to the state of Uttar Pradesh." Any person whose interest is likely to be affected by the proposed change of the registered office of the Company may deliver on MCA portal (www.mca.gouin) by filling investor complaint form or cause to be delivered or send by registered post of his/ her objections supported by an affidavit stating the nature if his/ her Interest and grounds of opposition to the Regional Directors, Northern Region B-2 wing, 2nd floor, pt. Deendayal Antyodaya Bhawan, 2nd floor, GCO complex, New Delhi-110003 within fourteen days from the date of publication of this notice with a copy of the applicant Company at its registered office at the address of Registered Office - 81/H3, Ground floor, Mohan Co-operative, Mathura Rd, industrial area, Block b, Badarpur, South Delhi, New Delhi, Delhi, India, 110044 (Present Address) BY THE ORDER OF BOARD FOR CNW COURIER

killed in an unspecified plot herself.

Tuesday, inviting her to answer

investigators' questions after

she publicly threatened to have

the president, his wife and the

House of Representatives

President Ferdinand Marcos Jr on Monday described her threat as a criminal plot and vowed to fight it and uphold the rule of law in the country in a looming showdown between the country's two top leaders.

The national police and the military expressed alarm and immediately boosted Marcos's security. National Security Adviser Eduardo Ano said the threats were a national security concern.

Duterte, a 46-year-old lawyer, said her remarks were not an actual threat but an expression of concern over her own safety due to unspecified danger to her life. The Marcos administration's statements against her were "a farce" and part of efforts to persecute critics like her, Duterte said.

The subpoena ordered Duterte to appear before the National Bureau of Investigation on Friday to "shed light on the investigation for alleged grave threats?

Duterte said Monday she was willing to face an investigation but demanded the Marcos administration also respond to her questions, including alleged irregularities in govern ment.

Under Philippine law, such public remarks may constitute a crime of threatening to inflict a wrong on a person or their family and is punishable by a prison term and fine.

Marcos ran with Duterte as his vice-presidential running mate in 2022 elections and both won landslide victories on a campaign call of national unity. In the Philippines, the two positions are elected separately. The two leaders and their camps, however, soon had a bitter falling out over key differences, including in their approaches to China's aggressive territorial claims in the disputed South China Sea. Duterte resigned from the Marcos Cabinet in June as education secretary.

CHANGE OF NAME No.15782800F L/Hav (OPR) S. Kulanthaivel, R/o-Vill- Saluppapatti, Po-Kudiseri, Tk- Peraiyur, Dist-Madhurai, TN- 625705, have changed my minor son's name from K. Jeya Kumar to K. Jeyakumar, vide affidavit

dated 26/11/2024 before Notary Public Delhi. PD(974)C

I, JC-678256M NB SUB Deepak Chauhan, R/o- 2936, Raj Enclave, Adityapuram, Gwalior, M.P.- 474020, declare that Nishi is my wife, in my service record her D.O.B is wrongly recorded as 15/07/1984, whereas her correct D.O.B is 02/07/1981. PD(975)C

I, Dalip Singh, Father of- JC-385819L Sub Mukesh Kumar, R/o- VPO- Jarwa, Teh+Dist-Mahendragarh, Haryana, have changed my name from Dalip Singh to Dalip, with my correct D.O.B. as 01/01/1951, vide affidavit 26/11/2024 before Notary Public Delhi. PD(976)C

I, Santosh Devi, Mother of-JC-385819L Sub Mukesh Kumar, R/o- VPO-Jarwa, Teh+Dist- Mahendragarh, Haryana, have changed my name from Santosh Devi to Santosh, with my correct D.O.B. as 01/01/1950, vide affidavit dated 26/11/2024 before Notary Public Delhi.

> I, Vibhash Kumar S/o Radhe Prasad Yadav R/o Agahpur, Gautam Budh Nagar, U.P-201301 have changed my name from Bibhash Kumar to Vibhash Kumar for all future purposes.

New Delhi 110049. Request all public, clients and stakeholders to update your records for all future correspondence Dated: 27.11.24 Place: Delhi PROVISION OF GRID CONNECTED ROOF TOP

SOLAR POWER PLANTS Tender Notice No. : Sr.DEE/LMG/26 of 2024-25, dtd, 22-11-2024; E-Tender are invited by the undersigned for the ollowing work; SN-1; Tender No.:

Provision of Grid connected Roof top Solar power plants for Residential uilding over Lumding Division. Tender Value: ₹.14,24,85,280/-; Earnest Money .8,62,400/-; SN-2; Tender No.: EL/LM/ 24-25/23-RT: Name of Work : Provision of Grid connected Roof top Solar power plants for Station buildings over umding Division. Tender Value: 17.30.18.848.02/-; Earnest Money ₹.10, 15, 100/-; Date & time of closing of above tenders at 15:00 hrs. and opening at 15:30 hrs. on 13-12-2024. For complete nformation with the tender document of bove e-tender will be available up to

15:00 hrs. on 13-12-2024 in website http://www.ireps.gov.in.

Sr. DEE, Lumdin INORTHEAST FRONTIER RAILWAY

SIGNALLING WORK E-Tender Notice No.: N-2024-K-24; dated. 22-11-2024. E-tenders are dated invited by the undersigned for the lowing work: SL. No.1; Tender No. N-2024-K-24; Name of the work: Signalling work for BG TTR (P) of the existing 60 Kg rail 1 in 12 (FS) by 60 kg 1 in 12 (TWS) Pt No. 101 at Ambari Falakata yard, Pt No. 111, 113, 115, 116 at Belakoba yard, Pt No. 121, 122 at Raninagar Jalpaiguri yard, BG TTR (P) of the existing 52 kg rail 1 in 8.5 (FS) by 60 Kg 1 in 8.5 (FS) Pt. No. 107, 108 at Panjipara yard, Pt no. 108, 111 at Gaisal vard, BG TTR (P) of the existing 60 kg rail 1 in 12 (FS) by 60 Kg 1 in 12

(TWS) with sleeper Pt No. 102, 103, 104, 105, 107, 125, 124, 123, 122, 121, 127 at Ambari Falakata yard, Pt No. 101, 105, 106, 103 at Belakoba yard, Pt No. 101, 102, 103, 105, 106, 107, 126, 124, 125, 127, 131 at Raninagar Jalpaigur PD(977)C yard under the jurisdiction of DEN/Line

Katihar. Tender Value: ₹78,48,286.81; Earnest Money: ₹1,57,000.00. E-tender will be closed at 15:00 hrs. on 13-12-2024 and opened at 15:30 hrs. on 13-12-2024. The complete information with the tender document of above e-tender will be available upto 15.00 hrs of 13-12-2024 in website http://www.ireps.gov.in PD(978)C

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movement of file one file containing the original Flat Buyer Agreement dated 19.10.2013. Allotment Letter dated 25.09.2013, Tripartite Agreement dated 12.11.2013, Permission to Mortgage dated 25.09.2013 and Two Payment receipts is not traceable which was lost/misplaced, if any body find the same may return to the

undersigned, if anybody misuses the same, the same shall be at his/their own risk and cost. Karnail Singh, (Advocate), K-8, LGF Jangpura Extn, New Delhi-110014. EL/LM/24-25/22-RT; Name of Work :

## **GURU JAMBHESHWAR UNIVERSITY OF** SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, HISAR (Established by State Legislature Act 17 of 1995)

## 'A+' Grade NAAC Accredited AUCTION NOTICE

Sealed quotations are invited from interested and eligible participants fo Auction of obsolete/condemned E-Waste items of various departments offices under E-waste Policy of the University. For details, eligible interested persons may contact in person or on phone 01662-263126/ 263132 and send quotations through registered/speed post/courier to Deputy Registrar General & Purchase), GJUS&T, Hisar, Haryana-125001 by 19.12.2024 (till 5:00 PM). The details of E-Waste items and terms & conditions can be lownloaded from University website www.gjust.ac.in.

RO 30579/C/27/7

Baba Farid University of Health Sciences, Sadiq Road, Faridkot -151203 Ph. 01639-256232, 256236

#### E-TENDER NOTICE

E-tender are invited for the procurements of following items up 10.12.2024

1) Rate contract for procurement of Implants material at GGSMCH Faridkot 2)SSMA Services of various photocopier machines 3)Providing of Pest control services 4) Rate contract for the purchase of Xerox Toner an copy cartridges for photocopier machines 5)Supply and installation of Skir Graft Mesher 6)Supply and installation of Patient Bath Trolly machine 7 Procurement and installation of Neurosurgical Electric drill at GGSMCH Faridkot 8) Rate contract for supply of Radiopharmaceuticals in Nuclear machine department at GGSMCH, Faridkot 9) Supply and installation of NCT Machine 10) Supply and Installation of Electrocautry

#### E-tender are invited for the procurements of following items upt 17.12.2024

1) Re-construction of damaged boundary wall from TB ward upto wate vorks of GGSMC&H, Faridkot 2) Raising height of boundary wall & provid ing concertina coil fencing around boundary wall from water works to Aara (Sadiq Road) in GGSMC&H, Faridkot 3) Raising height of boundary wall 8 providing concertina coil fencing around boundary wall from Aara marke to class 4 quarters in GGSMC&H, Faridkot 4) Special Repair of Old Pharmacy Block (Shed) in GGSMC, Faridkot 5) Construction of shed for four wheelers vehicles in premises of BFUHS, Faridkot 6) Repair of 8 nos washrooms of MBBS Girls Hostel, Repair of damaged RCC parapet walls, eakage of damaged ceiling plaster, painting, Distempering of Block no.1 8 2 in GGS Medical Residential Complex, Faridkot 7) Providing fixing and up gradation of Electrical works at Laundry Plant in GGSMC&H, Faridkot 8 Special Repair of Laundry Plant in GGSMC&H, Faridkot 9) Supply an installation of Physiotherapy equipments at SINPMS, Badal. 10) Procurement of Projectors and IT equipments.

and conditions can be downloaded http://eproc.punjab.gov.in. The tenders will be accepted in E-Tende mode only. Bidder can also download tender notification and docume from the University website i.e. www.bfuhs.ac.in Registra

00/12/323/2023/39469 Dated CHD :- 11/27/2024

From 11:00 Hrs of Dt.28.11.2024 to 12:00 Hrs of Dt.17.12.2024 Up to 12:00 Hrs of Dt.17.12.2024 Last date & time of submission of bid:

12:00 Hrs onwards of Dt.18.12.2024

Dy. General Manager (Purchase)

Further details can be seen from the e-procurement portal https://tendersodisha.gov.in OIPR-04012/11/0023/2425 C & P Head

The date & Time of opening of the Technical bid:

NA/12/26629/2023/39484 Dated CHD :- 11/26/2024

	Har Din Da, Har Dil Da	/ •
	THE PUNJAB STATE COOPERATIVE MILK PRODUCERS FEDERATI SCO 153-155. SECTOR 34-A, CHANDIGARH-160022. EPABX NO. 0172- Notice Inviting Tender w	
Cas	aled tenders are hereby Invited for the purchase and supply of following items:-	
r. o.	Name of Work/Item	Period/Tentative Qty
	For Verka Head Office, Chandigarh Automatic Machine Made Ghee Tins with C. Boxes. i. ½ Kg ii. 1 Kg iii. 2 Kg iii. 2 Kg	Annual/ 15 Lac 20 Lac 1 Lac 50 K
	For Verka Chandigarh Dairy I. Manual tenders:- a) Tutty fruity b) Spong cake(Veg.) c) Calcium Choride d) Kassatta box e) Plastic tray for Kassatta slice f) Kassatta dibbi	Annual
1	II. e-Tenders:- a) Pouches & rolls i. Kaju pinni rolls ii. Besan burfi rolls iii. Punjabi kulfi pouches iv. Ice candies rolls (40) (all variants) v. Ice cream bar rolls (40)ml) (all variants) b) Flavours and colours	Annual
	c) Sweet boxes for kaju pinni (800gm, 400 gm, 2kg) d) Nitric Acid e) 1.25 litre ice cream brick cartons f) Punjabi kulfi sticks g) Wooden sticks (114x10x2mm) h) Sundae magic cups For Verka Mohali Dairy	Annual Annual Half Yearly Annual Half Yearly Annual
	Hiring of Agency for packaging of dahi pouch/cups/matkas, lassi pouches, kheer cups, ghee, paneer and yoghurt, packaging and recombination of white butter and reconstitution of SMP/WMP & Sugar.	As per day to day requirement of market.
	<ul> <li>For Verka Sangrur Dairy</li> <li>i. Supply, installation and commissioning of GC (Gas Chromatography) Machine with RP- HPLC Machine under NPDD PB 09 project.</li> <li>ii. Hiring of :- <ul> <li>a) Insulated road milk tanker for transportation of milk from MCC/BMC to Milk Plant, Sangrur.</li> <li>b) Passenger vehicle with fuel Diesel/ Petrol/ CNG (Swift Dzire, Toyota Etios, Bolero or equivalent) at Verka Sangrur Dairy for Field/Extension work.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	- Annual/04 No's Annual/01 No.
i	For Verka Bathinda Dairy i. Supply of Rice Husk for Boilers. ii. Pest Control services.	3500 MT (+-10%) Annual/ 01 Complete Job
	For Verka Amritsar Dairy a) e-Tender for hiring of vehicles for supply of Fresh Milk and Milk Products at - i. Army Route -1 ii. Local Route-1 iii. Local Route-6	Annual
	iii. Local Route-6 b) e- Tender for the Disposal of Unserviceable Material. c) Purchase Of :- i. Polypropylene bottles cap. 180ml with caps. ii. Printed shrink sleeve rolls for PP bottles cap. 180ml. iii. Corrugated tray for PP bottles cap. 180ml.	61 Items Annual
- I	d) Outsourcing of Security, Housekeeping and Hotriculture activities.     For Verka Mega Dairy, Bassi Pathana.	Annual



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NOTICE



## First generation entrepreneur and Essar group co-founder Shashi Ruia dies

## PTI NEW DELHI

Shashikant Ruia, a first-generation entrepreneur who turned a small construction business into an infrastructure conglomerate, died after a prolonged illness. He was 80. Shashi Ruia, as he was fondly

called, co-founded the metalsto-technology conglomerate Essar with his brother Ravi. Ruia, who would have turned 81 next month, died in Mumbai around midnight. He

had returned from the US, where he was undergoing treatment, about a month back. "It is with profound grief that we inform of the passing of

Shashikant Ruia, Shri Patriarch of the Ruia and Essar Family," the Ruia family said in a statement. He is survived by his wife

Manju and two sons Prashant and Anshuman.

Starting his career in 1965 under the guidance of his father Nand Kishore Ruia, Shashi and his brother Ravi laid the foundation of Essar in 1969 when they bagged a Rs 2.5 crore order from the Madras Port Trust for the construction of an outer breakwater in the port.

In the early years, Essar focused on construction and engineering projects and built a number of bridges, dams and power plants. In the 1980s, Essar diversified into the energy sector with the acquisition of oil and gas assets.

A decade later, it became a significant player in steel and telecommunications, setting up a large steel plant in Gujarat, and rising to become India's second-largest telecom operator in a joint venture with Hutchison. It also went on to build an oil refinery in Gujarat despite funds being 

## HINDUJA HOUSING FINANCE LIMITED

Corporate Office: 167-169, 2nd floor, Near Little Mount Metro Station, Saipet, Chennai - 600015 HINDUJA HOUSING FINANCE Regional Office - 101-B, 1st Floor, NRK Business Park, Vijaynagar, Indore(MP) - 452010 Email - auction@hindujahousingfinance.com

## DEMAND NOTICE UNDER SECTION 13(2) OF SARFAESI ACT,2002

Under Section 13(2) of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets And Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (the said act) read with rule 3(1) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 (the said rules). In exercise of powers conferred under section 13 (12) of the said act read with rule 3 of the said Rules, the Authorised Officer of HHFL has issued demand notice under section 13(2) of the said act, calling upon the Borrower(s)/Guarantor(s), to repay the amount mentioned in respective demand notice issued to them. In connection with above, notice is hereby given, once again, to the Borrower & Guarantor to pay within 60 days from the publication of this notice, the amounts indicated here in below. The detail of the Borrower & Guarantor, amount due and security offered towards repayment of loan amount are as under :-

	publication of this notice, the amounts indicate	ed here in below. The detail of the Borrower & Guarantor, amount d	ue and security offered towards repayment of loan amount are as under :-
	Name of Borrower/ Guarantor/Co-Borrower	1. Demand Notice issued Date 2. Loan Account No. 3. Amount Due as on Notice Date	Description of Secured Asset (Immovable Property)
	Mr. Arjun Kharol (Borrower)	1. Issuance Date - 11-11-2024	House no. 48, Gram Gudbheli , ward no. 16, phno. 34, tehsil-Tal, Distt-Ratlarn, Madhya Pradesh, 456222 Total Area – 550 SQ.ft.
	Mrs. Laxmi kharol (Co-Borrower)	2. MP/UJJ/BDGR/A000000180 3. Total Amount Due - Rs.1,61,223/- (One Lac Sixty One Thousand Two Hundred Twenty Three Only)	
Y SA S	Mr. Bhupendra Singh (Borrower) Mrs. Sapna Songara (Co-Borrower)	1. Issuance Date - 11-11-2024 2. MP/IDR/UJJN/A000000956	House no. 745, situated at village dhuakhedi, PHNO. 25, gram panchayat paankhedi, tarana ,ujjain, Madhya Pradesh, 456335 Total Area – 1125 SQ.ft.
epreneur		3. Total Amount Due - Rs.3,26,810/- (Three Lacs Twenty Six Thousand Eight Hundred Ten Only)	
founder	Mr. Dhiraj S/O Prakash (Borrower) Mrs. Nirma bai (Co-Borrower) Mrs. Pankaj ji (Co-Borrower)	1. Issuance Date - 11-11-2024 2. MP/UJJ/BDGR/A000000128 3. Total Amount Due - Rs. 6,00,246/- (Six Lacs Two Hundred Forty Six	Gram panchayat HNO. 68, Situated at village lasudiya chuvad, PHNO. 62, Tehsil - Nagda ,Ujjain, Madhya Pradesh,456222 Total Area – 1287 SQ.ft. Four Boundaries - East : Self Open Land, West : Road, North : Road, South : Plot Of Satish
IUUIIUGI	Mr. Ganpat Singh (Borrower)	Only) 1. Issuance Date - 11-11-2024	House no. 158, Gram Runji , PHno. 69, tehsil- Ghatiya , Distt- Ujjain, Madhya Pradesh,456550 Total Area – 714 SQ.ft.
	Mrs. Maya bai (Co-Borrower)	2. MP/UJJ/BDGR/A000000143 3. Total Amount Due - Rs.2,22,893/- (Rupees Two Lacs Twenty Two Thousand Eight Hundred Ninty Three Only)	Four Boundaries - East : Road, West : Plot Of Parwat Singh, North : House Of Malek Singh, South : House Of Sohan Singh
such as nergy, metals	Mr. GOKUL RAMLAL JI (Borrower) Mrs. Rani Bai (Co-Borrower)	1. Issuance Date - 12-11-2024 2. MP/IDR/UJJN/A000001180	House No. 404, Gram Nipaniya Baijnath , PH No. 15, Tehsil - Agar, Distt - Agar, Madhya Pradesh, 465441 Total Area – 1260 Sq.ft. Four Boundaries - East : Govt Land, West : Road, North : Road, South : House Of Devilal
logy, and e Essar	Mr. Ramlal ji (Co-Borrower)	3. Total Amount Due - Rs. 7,65,031/- (Rupees Seven Lacs Sixty Five Thousand Thirty One Only)	
these	Mr. Govind Malviya (Borrower) Mrs. Reena BAI (Co-Borrower)	1. Issuance Date - 11-11-2024 2. MP/IDR/UJJN/A000001391	A House No. 104, Gram Bhuki Itwarpur , Ph No. 47, Tehsil - Tarana , Ram Mandir, Ujjain, Madhya Pradesh,456550 Total Area – 1312.5 Sq.ft.
SD 14		3. Total Amount Due - Rs. 5,70,272/- (Rupees Five Lacs Seventy Thousand Two Hundred Seventy Two Only)	Four Boundaries - East: House Of Ganeshlal, West : Road & House Of Dariyav, North : Road, South : Road
ring nity opy, ives	Mr. Indar Rathore (Borrower) Mrs. Sarita Rathore (Co-Borrower)	1. Issuance Date - 11-11-2024     2. MP/IDR/UJJN/A000000971     3. Total Amount Due - Rs.8,14,684/- (Rupees Eight Lacs Forteen Thousand Six Hundred Eighty Four Only)	House No. 161, Gram Banyakhedi, Gram Panchayat Kothadi, PH No. 62, Th-badnagar , Ujjain, Madhya Pradesh, 456337 Total Area – 1170 Sq.ft. Four Boundaries - East : Road, West : Road, North: House Of Bhawna, South- House Of Kailasji
t. d	Mr. Kamal Singh (Borrower) Mrs. Mamta Bai (Co-Borrower)	1. Issuance Date - 12-11-2024 2. MP/IDR/UJJN/A000001993	House No. 50,51, Gram Dhanyakhedi , Phno. 35, Tehsil- Makdone, Distt- Ujjain, Madhya Pradesh, 456668 Total Area – 550 Sq.ft. Four Boundaries - East : House Of Chain Singh, West : Plot Of Radhakishan, North : Road, South : Land Of Laadsingh
a a ne		3. Total Amount Due - Rs.7,13,707/- (Rupees Seven Lacs Thirteen Thousand Seven Hundred Seven Only)	
ri	Mr. Kamal Kanhailal (Borrower) Mrs. Premlata bai (Co-Borrower)	1. Issuance Date - 12-11-2024 2. MP/IDR/UJJN/A000001348	A house no.766/1, situated at gram Narvar, PH no. 79, Tehsil & disttUjjain , Madhya Pradesh,456664. Total Area – 684 SQ.ft. Four Boundaries - East : Plot Of Hariji, West : Road, North : House Of Shantilal, South : House Of Prakash
n, a	M. VANI 00001 /8-	3. Total Amount Due - Rs.5,21,950/- (Rupees Five Lacs Twenty One Thousand Nine Hundred Fifty Only)	
ng be. he	Mr. KAML SINGH (Borrower) Mr Dev Bai Sisodiya (Co-Borrower)	1. Issuance Date - 11-11-2024 2. MP/IDR/UJJN/A000001552 3. Total Amount Due - Rs.7,13,710/- (Rupees Seven Lacs Thirteen	House no. 521, situated at gram Bhadawa , PHNO. 07, ward no. 06, th-Agar, Madhya Pradesh, 456441 Total Area – 2576 SQ.ft. <b>Four Boundaries -</b> East : House Of Guman Singh, West : House Of Mohan, North : Road, South- House Of Balu Singh
1	Mr. Lala Ratan (Borrower)	Thousand Seven Hundred Ten Only) 1. Issuance Date - 11-11-2024	House no. 1/1, situated at village singvda , PHNO. 24, ward no. 01,th-Ghatiya ,ujjain, Madhya Pradesh, 456006 Total Area – 900
ll ll n	Mr Nikita chouhan (Co-Borrower)	2. MP/IDR/UJJN/A000000832 3. Total Amount Due - Rs.7,13,710/- (Rupees Seven Lacs Thirteen	SQ.ft. Four Boundaries - East : Road, West : House Of Mansingh, North : House Of Mangilal, South - House Of Nanuram
e d	Mr. Laleet S/O Jeevanial (Borrower)	Thousand Seven Hundred Ten Only) 1. Issuance Date - 12-11-2024	House no. 68/14, Gram lasudiya chuvad , ward no. 12, phno. 62,tehsil-nagda, Distt-uijain, Madhya Pradesh,456222 Total Area –
a	Mrs. Gatta bai (Co-Borrower)	2. MP/UJJ/BDGR/A000000129 3. Total Amount Due - Rs.7,06,760/- (Rupees Seven Lacs Six Thousand Seven Rundred Sixty Ophy)	1664 SQ.ft. Four Boundaries - East : House Of Dhira, West : House Of Dilip, North: Land Of Warduchand, South : Common Road
5	Mr. Lokendra Singh (Borrower)	Seven Hundred Sixty Only) 1. Issuance Date - 11-11-2024	House no. 49, Lasudiya, chuvad, PH NO. 62, tehsil- nagda, Distt- UJJAIN , Madhya Pradesh, 456222 Total Area – 624 SQ.ft.
ı f	Mrs. Radha kunwar (Co-Borrower)	2. MP/UJJ/BDGR/A000000083 3. Total Amount Due - Rs.4,06,349/- (Rupees Four Lacs Six Thousand Three Hundred Forty Nine Only)	Four Boundaries - East : Road, West : Plot Of Gajrav Singh, North : House Of Bhagwan Singh, South : Road
8	Mr. Mahendra Singh (Borrower) Mrs. HAWA kunwar (Co.Borrower)	1. Issuance Date - 12-11-2024	House no. 120, Gram lasudiya chuvad PH no. 62, tehsil - nagda, Distt - Ratlam, Madhya Pradesh, 456222 Total Area – 2496 SQ.ft.
	Mrs. HAWA kunwar (Co-Borrower) Mr. Rup Singh (Co-Borrower)	2. MP/UJJ/BDGR/A000000104 3. Total Amount Due - Rs.8,06,426/- (Rupees Eight Lacs Six Thousand Four Hundred Twenty Six Only)	Four Boundaries - East : Road, West : Agriculture Land Of Manohar Singh, North : Self Plot, South : House Of Yuvraj Singh
	Mr. Makhan S/O Babu (Borrower) Mrs. Mamta w/o Makhan (Co-Borrower)	1. Issuance Date - 12-11-2024 2. MP/IDR/UJJN/A000001305	A house no.4, gram kharkhadi , PH no. 25, Tehsil- Tarana, Ujjain ,Madhya Pradesh,456661 Total Area – 1428 SQ.ft. <b>Four Boundaries -</b> East : House Of Ramlalji, West : Road, North : Common Road, South : House Of Ishwarji
	Mrs. Babu s/o Chena Singh (Co-Borrower)	3. Total Amount Due - Rs.5,49,500/- (Rupees Five Lacs Forty Nine Thousand Five Hundred Only)	
	Mr. Rahul S/O Mohanial (Borrower) Mrs. Yashoda BAI (Co-Borrower)	1. Issuance Date - 12-11-2024 2. MP/IDR/UJJN/A000000970	A house no. 120/2, situated at village Khajuriya, tehsil- Ghatiya, Sadar Gram Panchayat, PH no. 71, Ujjain, Madhya Pradesh, 456550 Total Area – 2800 SQ.ft.
	Mr. Mohanlal (Co-Borrower)	3. Total Amount Due - Rs. 5,55,450/- (Rupees Five Lacs Fifty Five Thousand Four Hundred Fifty Only)	
L F	Mr. MUKESH SHARMA (Borrower) Mrs. Sunita bai (Co-Borrower)	1. Issuance Date - 11-11-2024 2. MP/IDR/UJJN/A000001793 3. Total Amount Due - Rs.6,21,457/- (Rupees Six Lacs Twenty One	Gram Parsoli, Property Situated At Survey No. 640, Ph No. 09, Tehsil Makdone , Ujjain, Madhya Pradesh, 456550 Total Area – 690 Sq.ft. Four Boundaries - East : Kaccha Road, West : House Of Laxminarayanji, North : House Of Bhagwanta Bai, South : Plot Of Karnal
	Mr. Munnalal Gyarsilal (Borrower)	3. Total Amount Due - Hs.6,21,457/- (Rupees Six Lacs Twenty One Thousand Four Hundred Fifty Seven Only) 1. Issuance Date - 11-11-2024	713/1, Gram-Budaniya Panth, Ph No. 01, tehsil- Sanwer, Indore, Madhya Pradesh, 453551 Total Area – 900 SQ. ft.
	Mrs. Indra Bai (Co-Borrower)	2. MP/IDR/UJJN/A000000714 3. Total Amount Due - Rs. 5,86,849/- (Rupees Five Lacs Eighty Six Thousand Eight Hundred Forty Nine Only)	Four Boundaries - East : Plot Of Mr. Rajesh, West : House Of Rahul Parmar, North : Road, South : Agriculture Land Of Omprakash Khandelwal
	Mr. Nageshwar prasad Sharma (Borrower) Ms. Raju bai sharma (Co-Borrower)	1. Issuance Date - 12-11-2024 2. MP/IDR/UJJN/A000000823& CO/CPC/CPOF/A000002472 3. Total Amount Due - Rs. 18,86,491/- (Rupees Eighteen Lacs Eighty Six	House No. 86, Ward No. 7, Ph No. 34, Gram Chahchakhedi, Gram Panchayat Chachakhedi, Tehsil- Agar. Total area: 370.81 Sq.mtr. Four Boundaries - East : Dupada Road, West : Land Survey No. 131/1 Self Land, North : North, South : Land Survey No. 131/1 Self Land
	Ms. Kamla Kishor Sharma (Co-Borrower) Mr. Nagulal Gurjar (Borrower)	Thousand Four Hundred Ninty One Only) 1. Issuance Date - 11-11-2024	Land House no. 17, Samgi bordi, kapaily,shajapur,ujjain, Madhya Pradesh,465106 Total Area – 2577 SQ.ft.
	Mrs. Lalkunva Bai (Co-Borrower)	2. MP/IDR/UJJN/A00000952 3. Total Amount Due - Rs.3,78,496/- (Rupees Three Lacs Seventy Eight Thousand Four Hundred Ninty Six Only)	Four Boundaries - East : Road. West : Plot Of Bherulal S/o Bhanwarlal, North : House Of Chander Singh. South : Gali & Chaoan S/o
s f	Mrs. Pooja Prajapat (Borrower) Mrs. Ganesh Prajapat (Co-Borrower)	1. Issuance Date - 12-11-2024 2. MP/IDR/UJJN/A000001323	House No. 231/1, Gram Chintaman Jawasiya , PH no. 04 ,Ujjain , Madhya Pradesh, 456006 Total Area – 1144 SQ.ft. Four Boundaries - East : Road, West : House Of Kamal Singh, North : House Of Amrat Singh, South : House Of Shankarlal
	Mr. Nandram Prajapat (Co-Borrower)	3. Total Amount Due - Rs.7,93,362/- (Rupees Seven Lacs Ninty Three Thousand Three Hundred Sixty Two Only)	
	Mr. PRAKASH S/O BHUWAN (Borrower) Mrs. Lila Bai (Co-Borrower)	1. Issuance Date - 11-11-2024 2. MP/IDR/UJJN/A000001114 3. Total Amount Due - Rs.6,04,990/- (Rupees Six Lacs Four Thousand	Property Situated At, Gram Panchayat Bhawan No. 120/2, Ph No. 05, Gram Ninavat Kheda, Tehsil Nagda, Ujjain, Madhya Pradesh, 456440 Total Area – 1560 Sq.ft. Four Boundaries - East : Road, West : Self Land, North : House Of Jitendra Ji, South : House Of Devilalji
	Mr. Prakash S/O Fakir Chand (Borrower)	Nine Hundred Ninty Uniy) 1. Issuance Date - 11-11-2024	Property Situated At PH No. 105, House No. 312, Gram Pirjhalar, tehsil- Badnagar, Ujjain, Madhya Pradesh, 456222 Total Area – 704
	Mrs. Pavitra bai (Co-Borrower)	2. MP/UJJ/BDGR/A000000154 3. Total Amount Due - Rs.5,15,063/- (Rupees Five Lacs Fifteen Thousand Sixty Three Only)	Sq.ft. Four Boundaries - East : Road, West : Plot Of Ganga Bhil, North : Plot Of Jagdish, South : Plot Of Jayramji
	Mr. Rahul S/O Jagdish (Borrower) Mrs. Chandar bai (Co-Borrower)	1. Issuance Date - 12-11-2024 2. MP/IDR/UJJN/A000001454	House No. 152, Gram Panchayat Shahpura, Tehsil - Depalpur Distt - Indore, Madhya Pradesh, 453115 Total Area – 3360 Sq.ft. Four Boundaries - East : Road, West : Self Plot, North : House Of Shree Pahlad, South : House Of Shree Jagnath
	Mr Jagdish Mangilal (Co-Borrower)	3. Total Amount Due - Rs.7,75,565/- (Rupees Seven Lacs Seventy Five Thousand Five Hundred Sixty Five Only)	
	Mr. Rajesh Anokhilal (Borrower) Mrs. Sarla Bai (Co-Borrower	1. Issuance Date - 11-11-2024 2. MP/IDR/UJJN/A000000692	PH No. 42, Gram Jaithal, Ujjain, Madhya Pradesh, 456006 Total Area – 1402.5 Sq.ft. <b>Four Boundaries</b> – East : Road, West : House Of Suresh, North : Road, South : Road
1	Mr. DAVESAU C/O OILLAD VIOLIAN /D-	3. Total Amount Due - Rs.5,96,170/- (Rupees Five Lacs Ninty Six Thousand One Hundred Seventy Only)	
and a state of the	Mr. RAKESAH S/O GULAB KISHAN (Borrower) Mrs. Bhawna Kunwar (Co-Borrower	1. Issuance Date - 11-11-2024 2. MP/IDR/UJJN/A000001137 3. Total Amount Due - Rs.5,98,753/- (Rupees Five Lacs Ninty Eight	Gram Panchayat Bhawan Kramank, 570/1, Gram Nanded, Ph No. 26, Tehsil - Tarana, Ujjain, Madhya Pradesh,456668 Total Area – 1433.6 Sq.ft. Four Boundaries - East : Agriculture Land Of Dule Singh, West : Road, North : House Of Mukesh, South : House Of Manohar Singh
	Mr. RiturajJaat (Borrower)	3. Total Amount Due - Rs.5,98,753/- (Rupees Five Lacs Ninty Light Thousand Seven Hundred Fifty Three Only) 1. Issuance Date - 12-11-2024	House No. 125, Gram Noganwa , Ph No.70, Tehsil - Tarana, Distt - Ujjain, Madhya Pradesh, 456665 Total Area – 792 Sq.ft.
	Mr. Hiturajjaat (Borrower) Mrs. Kalabai Jaat (Co-Borrower	2. MP/IDR/UJJN/A000000439 3. Total Amount Due - Rs.7,76,687/- (Rupees Seven Lacs Seventy Six	Four Boundaries - East : House Of Gopal, West : Common Gali, North : Road, South : House Of Seller
.,	Mr. Santosh Kumari Sen (Borrower)	Thousand Six Hundred Eighty Seven Only) 1. Issuance Date - 11-11-2024	House No. 218, Situated At Village Khoriya Padma, Ph No. 63, Tehsil - Mahidpur, Ujjain, Madhya Pradesh, 456441 Total Area –
t 1	Mr Chander Lal Sen (Co-Borrower	2. MP/IDR/UJJN/A000001074 3. Total Amount Due - Rs.9,33,310/- (Rupees Nine Lacs Thirty Three	81.62 Sq.mt. Four Boundaries - East : House Of Rameshji, West : Shree Krishna Temple, North : Road, South - House Of Darbar Sinvgh
	Mr. SHER SINGH (Borrower)	Thousand Three Hundred Ten Only) 1. Issuance Date - 11-11-2024	A House No.60 , Lasudiya Chuvad, Ph No. 62, Tehsil - Nagda, Ujjain, Madhya Pradesh, 456221 Total Area – 2418 Sq.ft.
h le XI	Mrs. Kanku bai (Co-Borrower	2. MP/IDR/UJJN/A000000656 3. Total Amount Due - Rs. 5,47,252/- (Rupees Five Lacs Forty Seven Thousand Two Mundred Fifth Two Only)	Four Boundaries - East : Land Of Ramesh, West : Road, North : House Of Ramesh, South : House And Plot Of Nandu
G ke	Mr. SHRAVAN SINGH PANWAR (Borrower)	Thousand Two Hundred Fifty Two Only) 1. Issuance Date - 11-11-2024 2. MP//IP//ILIN/A000001271	A Plot No. 221/2, Situated At Village Palsoda, Ph No. 56, Tehsil- Badnagar, Distt- Ujjain , Madhya Pradesh, 456337 Total Area – 1428 Sq.ft.
ECI	Mrs. Antar kunwar (Co-Borrower	2. MP/IDR/UJJN/A000001271 3. Total Amount Due - Rs.5,04,669/- (Rupees Five Lacs Four Thousand Six Hundred Sixty Nine Only)	
ince ting	Mr. Shyam Singh (Borrower) Mrs. Pooja kunwar (Co-Borrower	1. Issuance Date - 11-11-2024 2. MP/UJJ/BDGR/A000000108	Gram panchayat Bhawan Kramank 275 Gram Nanded Patwari Halka No. 26 Thesil Trana/Makdone District Ujjain , Madhya Pradesh , India - 456668 Total Area – 1500 SQ.ft.
hree fake		3. Total Amount Due - Rs.10,39,841/- (Rupees Ten Lacs Thirty Nine Thousand Eight Hundred Forty One Only)	Four Boundaries - East : Road, West : Agriculture Land, North : House Of Babulalji, South : House Of Ashok ji
nad of	details, please contact to Authorised Officer Mobile N	t to HHFL as aforesaid, HHFL may proceed against the above secured assets lo Vaibhav Shrivastava - 7987969803, Rajesh Chakotiya - 8435571111,	s u/s 13(4) of the said act and applicable Rules entirely at the risks, costs and consequence of the Borrower / Guarantor. For, further sitaram Prajapat – 9584567867, Ankita Patil - 7723055195, Aishwarya - 90246 08717 and Address Regional Office :101 B, 1st
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because of business rivals.

Later, it exited the telecom business, sold the oil refinery to a consortium led by Russia's Rosneft and had to let go of steel plants to ArcelorMittal when insolvency proceedings were initiated to recover unpaid loans

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## Japan Business Council. HC stays clean energy agency's bar on Anil Ambani firm

## PTI 📕 NEW DELHI

The Delhi High Court has stayed clean energy agency SECI's decision to bar Anil Ambani group firm Reliance Power Ltd from participating in auctions for three years, the company said on Tuesday.

Solar The Corporation of India (SECI) had earlier this month barred Reliance Power and its units from participating in auctions for three years over allegations of submitting a fake bank guarantee to support its bid for a recent battery storage tender. "High Court of Delhi, in its hearing held today, has granted stay on notice of debarment and public notice issued by SECI against the company, including all its subsidiaries except Reliance NU BESS Limited (formerly known as Maharashtra Energy Generation Limited)," the firm said in a stock exchange filing. Reliance NU BESS had submitted a bank guarantee purportedly issued by the

FirstRand Bank through its



## sports 11



# **US** goalkeeper Alyssa Naeher retires from international soccer

#### AP WASHINGTON

women's national goalkeeper team Alyssa Naeher, known unflappable for her demeanor in the face of pressure, is retiring from international soccer.

Naeher was on the team's roster for a pair of upcoming matches in Europe but those games will be her last after a full 11 years playing for the United States

Naeher was the starting goalkeeper for the U.S. Team that won the Women's World Cup in 2019 and the gold medal at this year's Olympics in France. She's the only U.S. Goalkeeper to earn a shutout in both a World Cup and an Olympic final.

She made a key one-handed save in stoppage time to preserve the Âmericans' 1-0 victory over Brazil in the

Olympic final. Mallory Swanson, who scored the only goal, ran down the length of the field to embrace Naeher at the final whistle. Naeher announced her retirement on social media Monday.

'Every tear shed in the challenging times and disappointments made every smile and celebration in the moments of success that much more joyful. This has been a special team to be a part of and I am beyond proud of what we have achieved both on and off the field," she wrote. "The memories I have made over the years will last me a lifetime."

Naeher has been known throughout her career for her calm and steady leadership. She is one of just three goalkeepers to make more than 100 appearances for the



United States.

Naeher made her debut with the national team in 2014 and was a backup to Hope Solo at the 2015 World Cup, which the United States won. She became the team's regular starter following the 2016 Rio de Janeiro Olympics and was on the squad that repeated as World Cup winners in 2019.

For her career, Naeher has appeared 113 games with 110 starts, 88 wins and 68 shutouts. She had four shutouts over the course of the Olympic tournament in France.

In all, she was on the U.S. Roster for three World Cups and three Olympic teams. The 36-year-old has also played for the Chicago Red Stars in the National Women's Soccer League since 2016. She plans to play for Chicago next season.

The United States is headed to Europe for a match against England at Wembley Stadium on Saturday and on Dec. 3 against Netherlands in The Hague.

In addition to her save at the Olympics, Naeher has had many other memorable moments. In the 2019 Women's World Cup semifinals against England, she stopped Steph Houghton's penalty kick in the 83rd minute. The Americans won 2-1 before downing the Netherlands 2-0 in the final.

Earlier this year in the semifinals of the CONCACAF Women's Gold Cup, Naeher made three saves during a penalty shootout with Canada and also converted a penalty kick herself — tucking the ball neatly into the corner of the net.

A year ago at the Hero World Challenge, Woods spoke about

his hopes of playing a big tour-

nament every month. But he

withdrew after one round at

Riviera and did not play again for nearly two months. He finishes the year completing only 11

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## Tiger Woods to skip his holiday tournament in the Bahamas

## AP WASHINGTON

riger Woods won't be playing in the Bahamas I next week at the Hero World Challenge as he recovers from a sixth back surgery he had in September.

In announcing Monday on social media he won't be playing, Woods said the 20-man field for his holiday tournament will be filled out by Justin Thomas, Nick Dunlap and Jason Day. Scottie Scheffler is the defending champion. Woods was unlikely to play in the Bahamas since disclosing Sept. 13 he had yet another surgery on his lower back — his sixth in 10 years — that he hoped would relieve some of the spasms he had experienced this year.

He described it as a microdecompression surgery of the lumbar spine for nerve impingement, and the recovery time typically is eight to 12 weeks. Woods said while he was disappointed not to play, he looked forward to his role as the tournament host. Woods finished 18th in the 20-man field a year ago.

Thomas is a two-time PGA champion whose wife gave birth to their first child a week ago, a daughter they named Molly Grace. He has played only once since the Tour Championship. The newcomer to the unofficial event — its gets

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Woods, meanwhile, is far more likely to play the PNC Challenge on Dec. 14-15 in Orlando,

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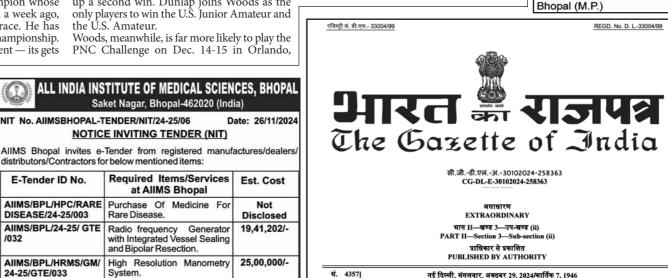
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## **ISL: Mohammedan SC hunt for maiden** home win against upbeat Bengaluru FC

## PTI KOLKATA

Mohammedan SC will be desperate their maiden home win of the season when they host Bengaluru FC in the Indian Super League here on Wednesday.

The 12th-placed MSC, competing in their debut ISL season, has suffered three defeats in their previous five matches, along with a success and a draw each.

On the other hand, BFC has been on a solid ride this season, winning five games and drawing twice. They have collected 17 points from eight contests and sit second in the standings.

Bengaluru is in a close battle with table defending c and Mohun Bagan Super Giant, who also possesses a similar tally – 17 points from eight fixtures.

Meanwhile, success in this fixture will mark only the second time The Blues would bag 20-plus points after their opening nine engagements in an ISL season (23 points in 2018-19).

They have performed as a cohesive unit under Gerard Zaragoza this season, netting 13 goals and conceding just six, thus maintaining a sufficient stronghold over most clashes.

Also, Bengaluru has drawn and lost twice in its previous five outings while facing a side for the first time in the event.

With this being the maiden encounter between the two in the tournament, The Blues will be hoping to change that record with a victory here. Ahead of the meeting MS coach Chernyshov heralded BFC and its dominant style of play this season. We will play against one of the best teams at the moment. They are very strong and have started the season perfectly. Their style of football makes them one of the best teams in the ISL," Chernyshov said.

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the U.S. Amateur.

While The Blues look like the favourite for this tie, the Black Panthers, coming off a goalless draw to city rival East Bengal FC, would want to ride that momentum and go a step further to eventually triumph in a home outing. No side to date has failed to grab a win in its five home meetings, a record that Andrey Chernyshov and co will be desperate to avoid.

The only consolation they can attain is that Bengaluru's only loss this season came in an away match - versus FC Goa

MSC tend to take some time to settle into the proceedings, having conceded four goals in the opening 15 minutes of the contests this ÎSL - the highest by any side this season.

The hosts will have to hold their ground early, especially since BFC has also scored on four occasions in this phase of the ongoing campaign.

Meanwhile, Zaragoza, highlighted his players' hard work on their technical and tactical movements, especially during the international break.

The break was good. We prefer playing matches but breaks help us look at things technically and tactically. The good thing is that we had the whole squad training with us

this week," Zaragoza noted. Bengaluru's Sunil Chhetri holds an impeccable record of netting against each of the 14 sides he has faced in the competition.

Scoring versus the Black Panthers will make him the first player in the ISL's history to do so against 15 different opponents

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Any person interested in the said land may, within twenty-one days from the date of publication of this notification in the Official Gazette, object to the use of such land for the aforesaid purpose under sub-section(1) of section 3C of the said Act.

Every such objection shall be made to the Competent Authority, namely, the Sub Divisional Officer (Revenue) and land Acquisition Officer Bhairunda (Nasrullaganj), District Sehore, in writing and shall set out the grounds thereof and the Competent Authority shall give the objector an opportunity of being heard either in person or by a legal practitioner, and may, after hearing all such objections and after making such further enquiry, if any, as the Competent Authority thinks necessary, by order, eitherallow or disallow the objections.

Any order made by the Competent Authority under sub-section (2) of section 3C of the said Act shall be final.

The land plans and other details of the land covered under this nitification are available and can be inspected by by the interested person at the aforesaid office of the Competent Authority.

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## West Ham surprise Newcastle with 2-0 away win at St James' Park

## AP NEWCASTLE

ewcastle's winning run in the N English Premier League came to an abrupt end when goals from Thomas Soucek and Aaron Wan-Bissaka gave West Ham a surprise 2-0 win at St. James' Park.

The Hammers rose into 14th place and the pressure on coach Julen Lopetegui was eased.

The London club has been inconsistent all season and Monday's win was just its fourth in 12 league games

West Ham was worth it in the end but the three points came courtesy of slack defending by the home side. Emerson whipped in an out-swinging corner after 10 minutes and, with Newcastle defenders rooted to the spot, Soucek stole in to nod home the opener.

Then eight minutes into the second half, captain Jarrod Bowen found Wan-Bissaka in the penalty box and he was left unchallenged and had time to fire an angled drive past Nick Pope.

"The second goal... If you settle on a



lead it can come back to haunt vo Bowen said. Newcastle brought Harvey Barnes, and then Callu Wilson returned from a long-ter back injury to make his fir appearance of the season, but to avail.

"I said we needed a performance an we did that," Bowen said. "Newcast always score at home so to keep the to a clean sheet and score twice... It' tough place to come to. We did th perfectlv.

The defeat ended a three-ga winning streak for Newcastle and l the Saudi Arabia-owned club in nin place, four points outside the top four.



# ICC board to meet on November 29 to AP **finalise Champions Trophy schedule**

#### PTI DUBA

he all-powerful board of the International

Cricket Council will meet virtually on November 29 to finalise the muchdelayed schedule of the Champions Trophy to be held in Pakistan in February-March next year.

The cause of the delay has been India's refusal to play in Pakistan considering the tense relations between the two countries. India has not toured Pakistan since the 2008 Mumbai terror attacks. The BCCI wants the tournament to be played in a hybrid model with India games scheduled in a third country, preferably UAE, something that its Pakistani counterpart has not agreed to

thus far. "The ICC board will meet on November 29 to discuss the Trophy ICC Champions schedule. an spokesperson told PTI on

Tuesday. The crucial virtual meeting takes places two days before BCCI secretary Jay Shah takes over as ICC chairman on December 1.

He and other board members including chair Greg Barclay would be keen to resolve the matter before the new regime takes over. With the deadlock over the schedule and venue yet to be

dispensation of the ICC

left it for the 11th hour. With the Indian government firmly sticking to the status broken, questions have been quo, Champions Trophy in a raised against the current hybrid model with India

most likely option.

Sources said that PCB will be and CEO over why it did not offered financial incentives, resolve the issue earlier and over and above the hosting fees of USD 70 million, to agree to the hybrid model. similar model was followed last year when India games outside Pakistan is the played their Asia Cup

matches in Sri Lanka while four group games were hosted by Pakistan.

The PCB has spent millions of dollars to renovate stadiums in Karachi, Lahore and Rawalpindi for what will be its first ICC event since it co-hosted the 1996 World Cup.

Major teams including England and Australia have toured Pakistan recently after years of isolation following the horrific attack on the Sri Lanka team bus in 2009. Since the ICC awarded

Champions Trophy hosting rights to Pakistan in 2021 PČB has been facing constant pressure from the fans to host all the games in the country.

PCB has also threatened that it won't send its national teams to India for future ICC events if the latter doesn't border cross the for Champions Trophy.

Having said that, Pakistan toured India for the ODI World Cup last year, the team's first visit to the country in seven years. Both India and Pakistan only

Gambhir flies back home for 'personal emergency,'

#### PTI PERTH

ndia head coach Gautam Gambhir has flown back to India with his family due to "personal emergency" and is unlikely to be present during the the two-day pink ball warm-up game in Canberra starting November

Gambhir, however, is slated to directly link up with the squad in Adelaide before the 'Pink Ball Test' starting December 6.

Gambhir has sought permission from BCCI brass with regards to his return. early Tuesday morning for India. It is an unavoidable

personal emergency. He will be back in Adelaide before the start of the second Test match," a BCCI official told PTI on conditions of

anonymity. The Indian team will leave for Canberra on Wednesday, November 27 where the entire team is expected to attend an official reception thrown in their honour by the Australian Prime Minister Anthony Albanese. The two-day Pink ball match will give the Indian team a chance to get some game time under its belt. PMXI is a squad full of youngsters but India will get

some good match practice with pacer Scott Boland expected to play the game.



## Gukesh draws with Liren in second game of World Championship

It may be recalled that the

Chinese had won the last

world championship match

against Ian Nepomniachtchi

of Russia after coming back

from behind as many as three

The 32-year-old said he was

happy with how he performed in the second

"In the first game I played

something new in the opening and of course it

requires a lot of memory.

Today I also played not a

common move (for me) 1.E4

and I prepared a lot," Liren

"I think it will be a big fight tomorrow. He's a point down and he will have the white

pieces, so I am ready for a

Liren's fifth move, when he moved his Queen's knight,

was indication enough about

his peaceful intentions. There

have been many top-level

games that have ended in

manoeuvre and this game

Gukesh just had to develop

his pieces randomly and the

game never really got off to a

situation where it could be

Both the Bishops and the Queens were off the board

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#### PTI SINGAPORE

Indian Grandmaster D Gukesh bounced back to draw a largely uneventful second game against defending champion Ding Liren of China in the World Chess Championship here on Tuesday.

Playing with black pieces, Gukesh made a comeback of sorts, having lost to Liren in the opener of the 14-game showdown, on Monday.

It was a good recovery by Gukesh as Liren could do very little with his white pieces and had to share the point

Draw with black in the world championship match is always nice and it's too early, we still have a long match," the Chennai-based GM said in the post-game press conference

"I think after I was surprised in the opening, I reacted pretty decently, and I didn't give him any chances. It was a solid game with black, which is nice," he added.

If Monday was the day when nothing he did worked according to plan, Tuesday changed everything for Gukesh as he could not have asked for a better start.

Liren did not press at all while Gukesh just followed the basics as the game ended in a draw via repetition soon after black had completed the 23rd turn.

each for both players with It was one of the quietest hardly any real chances for a variation in the Italian breakthrough. The draw was a just result but opening as Liren probably there was no denying that it did not want to rush things having grabbed a full point was a morale-boosting moment for Gukesh who can advantage in the first game

Getting Venky was one of our main priorities, says Bravo

now look up to his next game with optimism with the slightly favourable colour in

the game. In head-to-head encounters, Liren has a handsome threepoint lead in Classical games and Team Gukesh will now be focused on bringing it down in the USD 2.5 million prize money championship.

The 18-year-old Gukesh is the youngest ever challenger to the world crown and is looking to become the first Indian after the iconic Viswanathan Anand to win the title.

'There is obviously some pressure for anyone playing in a World Championship; there is a lot of pressure. But I also see it as a privilege that I can represent so many people

and my country," he said. "I am just focusing on one game at a time. Hopefully, things go my way," he added. The first player to reach 7.5 points among the two will claim the coveted crown in the USD 2.5 million prize

money event. Anand, who has played a major role in shaping Gukesh's career, held the title five times in his illustrious career before Norwegian superstar Magnus Carlsen dethroned him in 2013.

The Moves:

1.E4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bc4 Bc5 4.D3 Nf6 5.Nc3 a6 6.A4 d6 7.0-0 h6 8.Be3 Be6 9.A5 Bxc4 10.Dxc4 0-0 11.Bxc5 dxc5 12.B3 Qxd1 13.Rfxd1 Rad8 14.Rdc1 Nd4 15.Ne1 Rd6 16.Kf1 g6 17.Rd1 Rfd8 18.F3 Kg7 19.Kf2 h5 20.Ne2 Nc6 21.Nc3 Nd4 22.Ne2 Nc6 23.Nc3 Nd4 game drawn.

# DREAM

## My backstory always gives me confidence to tackle any situation: Yashasvi Jaiswal

PTI PERTH

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Brought up in penury, the Bensational Yashasvi television broadcaster Mark celebration atter getting to the three-figure mark, Jaiswal said, "Yes, it was (an unusual) was to be Howard The 22-year-old opener like, I will do this or that, added, "So this is what it and then suddenly, something happened, and I gives me and I am really blessed that I have this life, was like, oh my god, what that can give me a lot of should I do. "So, I was like, okay, I will confidence, learnings about myself, how I can believe in just celebrate, and I will enjoy this moment. I was me, and how I can go blessed, I was grateful, I enjoyed it, this feeling will with different through emotions, different situation

battle and I want to win the celebration after getting to hundred In my mit

to rejoin in Adelaide

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It is understood that "He left with his family on

## play each other in ICC events and Asia Cup.

experience gained from those difficult days as ammunition to conquer the battles on and off the field. Jaiswal stamped his class with a masterful hundred in the first Test against Australia, and is poised to take over the mantle of being India's batting mainstay from the great Virat Kohli, who also made a century after a long time.

Having moved to Mumbai from Uttar Pradesh's Bhadohi at age 11 to train at Azad Maidan, Jaiswal lived tents with the in groundsmen and sold paani puri at night to earn money for food.

something (his "It's backstory) that always gives me confidence that I can come out of any situation. I always fight, I always look to fight, I want to be in the battle, I want to enjoy the

stay with me for a long time. in my life. "I give kisses to all my loved "So I think it's just incredible and I really want to thank ones, all my fans who have god for where I am and what supported me. I just wanted to give them my love with I am doing, and I am doing what I love, so I am just the kisses. He spoke to his family after happy at the moment. I want to enjoy this with every ball." the fine achievement. "I just called my family on His journey to fame is a whatsapp, getting everyone along and celebrate with them. My brother always fascinating tale of a strongwilled man making his own destiny. His swashbuckling hundred more than made for talks to me about cricket." the first-innings duck at India won the first Test by a Perth, where the five-match

huge margin of 297 runs and the second match will be Test series began from November 22. played in Adelaide from Asked about his unusual

PTI 📕 JEDDAH

Former West Indies all-rounder Dwayne Bravo, who is now the mentor of reigning champions Kolkata Knight Riders, has defended the team's strategy of "going all out" for Venkatesh Iyer to keep the "core" of the IPL championship-winning side intact.

Seen as a potential captaincy candidate for KKR. Venkatesh's acquisition has sparked some criticism over why he wasn't retained if leadership was part of the team thinktank's plan for him.

"Getting Venky (Venkatesh Iyer) was one of the main priorities for us, as you could see, we went all out for him, said Bravo, a four-time IPL winner at Chennai Super Kings. "It's good that we have 90 per

cent of the players from the championship-winning team. That in itself is a positive "It's important to keep your

core because when you have to build from scratch, it becomes complicated to make combinations and all."

"We started planning while I was in Trinidad. We had come with a proper plan, the players we wanted to target," added Bravo, who will be in charge of all the franchises of the Knight Riders label in T20 leagues.

At a staggering Rs 23.75 crore, the 29-year old Madhya Pradesh all-rounder, who has represented India in nine T20Is and two ODIs, emerged as the third most expensive player at the twoday IPL mega auction that concluded here on Monday. Only Rishabh Pant (Lucknow, Rs 27 crore) and Shreyas Iyer

Giants captain, who was picked up by Delhi Capitals for Rs 14 crore.

Umran Malik.



of most expensive players as all. Happy that we're able to he even eclipsed experienced nail him down." Indian batter KL Rahul, a KKR CEO and MD Venky Mysore added: "The way the former Lucknow Super retention rules are set up, the

RTM rules, the salary caps, Bravo was also excited that marquee players, and the two-day auction -- this was KKR roped in fiery pacer definitely more demanding,

for sure. Quite nervewracking because of the nuances. "The nuances. think tank's unanimous view was to maintain the structure. which we have done. In certain areas, we have also improved and upgraded. Hopefully, it will continue to work well."

Mysore also highlighted the value Rovman Powell would bring to the Kolkata Knight Riders setup, emphasising his extensive experience and leadership qualities.

"Rovman Powell, over the years, we have seen what he has done in the CPL, other leagues, and, of course, the IPL as well. He's highly experienced, leads West Indies -- that leadership experience, captaincy, and what he has achieved -- all of it put together makes him really, really special. Great to have him in the side.

December 6.

## Australia to retain squad for Adelaide Test, Marsh's fitness will be monitored: McDonald

## PTI 📕 PERTH

Australia will not make any change to the squad that took a 295-run hammering from India in 295-run the opening Border-Gavaskar Trophy Test here but there are some fitness concerns over all-rounder Mitchell Marsh's ability to bowl, coach and selector Andrew McDonald has said. Following the crushing loss, McDonald revealed that the team would land in Adelaide for the day-night second Test beginning December 6 earlier than planned to allow an additional net session.

"The people in that changeroom (for Perth Test) are the same people that will be in Adelaide," McDonald was quoted as saying by <sup>c</sup>ricket.Com.Au<sup>2</sup>

"It (making changes) is always a consideration, wherever you go in the world satisfactory."

in terms of the personnel Another you pick for conditions."

Marsh, who bowled just 17 overs in the first Test for a match haul of three wickets, has been dealing with "niggles" since the white-ball of England in tour September.

Skipper Pat Cummins has already revealed that Marsh finished the first Test "a little bit sore."

McDonald expressed satisfaction with Marsh's bowling performance in the first innings but said his fitness would be monitored closely moving forward. "Has he (Marsh) pulled up okay? We'll wait and see,"

McDonald said "No, we didn't feel that (was a weakness). We knew that Mitch (Marsh) was slightly underdone coming in, but I thought the performance in the first innings was

player under scanner is top-order batter Marnus Labuschagne, who has struggled for form with an average of just 13.66 in his last 10 Test innings. However, McDonald said he has faith in Labuschagne's abilities, describing him as "the player we need" and urging him to rediscover his form.

That's an ongoing discussion and that ebbs and flows in players' careers, so at the moment he's in one of those patches and no doubt he'll be getting critiqued externally," McDonald said. "But internally we're really confident that, at his best, he's the player that we need." When asked if Labuschagne's struggles were due to a technical issue, McDonald responded: "It's always a combination of factors, isn't it, with the mindset?



"There's some technical said, we're really confident aspects to that also within that he can turn that the mindset play. So as I around."

The decision to ask debutant Nathan McSweeney to open the innings backfired as he scored just 10 and 0 in his two innings. McSweeney had enjoyed success in first-class cricket, as had Beau Webster, but neither of them has the experience of being an

opener. "I think there's been enough players banging down the door. I feel as though we've got some depth there if called upon," he said.

"I think sometimes people look at the pure numbers of what's happening in Shield cricket, but it's sometimes hard to get a connection with the surfaces they're playing on. So we feel as though we've got ample players available if called upon." Despite the heavy defeat, McDonald said morale of the

team was strong. "I think we've got to own it, and we've got to own that as coaches as well. So there will be a semblance of review

around what we have done

and what we can learn from it," McDonald said.

lows, it's quite a level team, so we'll be somewhere in the

The coach also stated that while a review of the performance would take lace, the team's preparation had been sound, and they were focused on the

We felt as though our planning going in (to Perth) was where we needed it to be. Execution in amongst that is always a question, but

always going to be a learning moving forward. So we've got some challenges, no doubt about that."

"But I think morale is pretty good. I think this team is really good at the highs and

middle of that."

challenges ahead.

we were comfortable with the plans. "Clearly, the method with the batters and the way they've been challenged is