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Suspense + emotion = Maha potboiler

T N RAGHUNATHA ■ MUMBAI

When everything appeared to be hunky-dory in the run-up to the formation of a new government in Maharashtra, things suddenly turned topsy-turvy in the state capital on Friday as Shiv Sena leader and caretaker Chief Minister Eknath Shinde, on his return from New Delhi, headed straight to his native place in Satara district, prompting the Bharatiya Janata Party-led MahaYuti to cancel a crucial meeting of its three leaders called to decide on the contours of the new government.

On a day when the political situation became fluid resulting in the unexplained delay in the government formation in the state, the ruling BJP, which heads the MahaYuti that scored a landslide victory in the just-concluded Maharashtra Assembly, found itself in a limbo not knowing how to deal with Shinde and also with the emerging scenario within the party over the chief ministerial choice.

Shinde, who had sprung a

nasty surprise on the then Uddhav Thackeray-led Maha Vikas Aghadi (MVA) by splitting the Shiv Sena and teaming up with the BJP to form a new government in the State in June 2022, set the cat among the pigeons by heading to his native village amid the efforts by the MahaYuti to form a new government in the State. Though it was not officially known as to what transpired at the joint meeting of the MahaYuti leaders, Fadnavis of the BJP, Shinde of the Shiv Sena (ES) and Ajit Pawar of the Nationalist Congress Party (NCP-AP) that Union Home Minister Amit Shah had convened at his New Delhi residence to formalise details of the government formation in the state, Mumbai experienced political tremors sparking speculations of all kind.

While there was no official word as to why Shinde cancelled all his appointments after his return from the National Capital and left for his native village Dare in Satara district in western Maharashtra, it was also confirmed that he would take up the post of deputy chief minister's in the new government.

However, informed sources within the BJP said that Shinde was not averse to accepting the DCM's post provided the BJP gave him the all-important State Home Ministry, a portfolio that Fadnavis held in the previous MahaYuti government. Knowing Shinde's 'nuisance' value, the BJP is not ready to give the Home portfolio to the Shiv Sena (ES) president. "Maybe, the reason behind Shinde's sudden departure to his native place is to express his link over the denial of Home and a few other crucial portfolios in the State Cabinet," a senior Shinde Sena leader said.

The swearing-ceremony of the MahaYuti government, which in the normal course was to take on December 2 (Monday) is understood to have been postponed to December 5, because of the sudden turbulence within the MahaYuti - caused by Shinde's sulk over denial of the Chief Minister's post and leadership issues that have surfaced within the BJP.

Meanwhile, the delay in the election of BJP's Legislature Party (BJPLP) leader has surprised many within the State political circles. In the normal course, Devendra Fadnavis, who was all along touted as the front-runner for the chief minister's post, should have been elected as the BJPLP leader by now. Though six days have passed since it led the MahaYuti to a historic victory in the polls, the BJPLP meeting has not taken place yet. Sources in the BJP attributed the delay to the holding of BJPLP meeting to the delay in the arrival of party's central observers in Mumbai. They said that the observers were arriving in Mumbai on Sunday.

The delay has sparked speculation in the State political circles whether the JP Nadda-led party would spring a surprise like the one it did recently in Madhya Pradesh where it anointed Mohan Yadav, a leader from the Yadav OBC community, as the chief minister of that state in place of Shivraj Chauhan, more than two weeks after the Assembly poll outcome there.

Judicial Commission to probe Sambhal violence

BISWAJEET BANERJEE ■ LUCKNOW

In a swift response to the recent violence in Sambhal, the Uttar Pradesh government has constituted a three-member judicial commission to investigate the incident. The decision was made on Thursday night, hours before the issue came up for in the Supreme Court.

The commission will be chaired by retired High Court Judge DK Arora, with retired IAS officer Amit Mohan and retired IPS officer Arvind Kumar Jain serving as members. The team has been tasked with examining whether the violence was premeditated or a spontaneous occurrence.

The inquiry will also delve into the role of individuals or groups suspected of instigating the unrest. In addition, the commission will scrutinise the actions taken by the police and local administration during and after the incident.

The judicial panel has been directed to submit its findings within two months from the date of the notification, and will seek to uncover the reasons behind the violence. Should an extension to this period be required, it will need approval from the state government.

Alongside identifying the causes of the violence, the commission will provide recommendations to prevent such incidents from recurring in the future.

In a notification issued on November 28, the Governor highlighted the importance of a thorough and transparent investigation into the matter. This will ensure the public's trust in the judicial process and serve the greater interest of justice.



A security official stands guard at Sambhal PTI

Delhi school gets hoax bomb threat

STAFF REPORTER ■ NEW DELHI

Panic gripped students and parents of a private school in Delhi's Rohini, a day after a low intensity blast occurred in an area located within one kilometre of the school, as it received a bomb threat via email on Friday morning. While the threat later turned out to be a hoax after a search was initiated on the school campus, the psychological impact on the public was visible as the area has been gripped in bomb blasts for over a month.

Following the threat in Venkateshwar Global School in Rohini, school authorities sprung into action while informing the parents for early dispersal of the students and requested them to pick up their wards by 11 am. While some were sent in school buses, parents of the others rushed to pick their children, who waited anxiously in a designated area.

A mother, Rati Awasthi, whose 12-year-old daughter studies in class VII, expressed her concerns regarding the safety of her children in light of the recent blasts in the city. "We are deeply concerned about the current situation in the city. How can we feel confident about our children's safety?" she questioned, adding that just a day before, a bomb blast occurred in Prashant Vihar, barely 1 kilometre away from the school, and today, the school itself has received a bomb threat.



Photo: Ranjan Dimri/Pioneer

Delhi a "gangster capital", says Arvind Kejriwal

SAUMYA SHUKLA ■ NEW DELHI

Setting the tone for the upcoming high-octane Delhi Assembly polls, Aam Aadmi Party (AAP) national convener and former Chief Minister Arvind Kejriwal on Friday launched a scathing attack on the Bharatiya Janata Party-led Central government during an Assembly session. He called the city a "gangster capital", blaming the "deteriorating law and order situation".

The first day of the session ended with AAP supremo slamming Union Home Minister Amit Shah over the increasing instances of extortion related firing at businessmen in the capital. Kejriwal expressed grave concern over the safety of Delhiites.

"What is Amit Shah doing? Shootouts are happening openly on a daily basis. It feels like Delhi is run by gangs," he said while speaking during a discussion on the 'rising crime rates and the law and order situation'.

Earlier, Speaker Ram Niwas Goel marshaled out Leader of Opposition Vijender Gupta who launched an offensive against Kejriwal during the discussion. The remaining BJP MLAs followed Gupta and walked out of the House.

"Business people live in fear of extortion calls, followed by violent attacks on their shops or showrooms," he said, while reading out the various instances of such firing happening across various areas of Delhi. Kejriwal also questioned the activities of notorious gangster Lawrence Bishnoi, currently lodged in Sabarmati jail in Delhi, who is allegedly operating extortion rackets in Delhi and beyond.

Tough decisions will have to be taken, Kharge tells CWC

PIONEER NEWS SERVICE ■ NEW DELHI

Jolted by the recent Assembly poll outcomes for the party, Congress leaders on Friday huddled up on its electoral defeats during which party chief Mallikarjun Kharge asserted that "tough decisions" will have to be taken to strengthen the organisation from the grassroots, accountability has to be fixed, and urged leaders to remain united and not speak publicly against each other.

In his address at the Congress Working Committee meeting at the AICC headquarters, Kharge said he believes that the EVMs have made the electoral process "suspect" and stressed that it is the constitutional responsibility of the Election Commission to ensure free and fair elections in the country. Kharge said that due to the Congress' repeated defeats, "fascist forces" are making their roots deeper. "One by one they are also taking over the institutions of the state," he added.

The meeting was chaired by Kharge and attended by former party chief Rahul Gandhi and AICC general secretaries Priyanka Gandhi Vadra, K C Venugopal and Jairam Ramesh, among others. While the Maha Vikas Aghadi, of which the Congress is a part, was



LoP in the Lok Sabha and Congress leader Rahul Gandhi with party President Mallikarjun Kharge and party leaders P Chidambaram, K C Venugopal, Ajay Maken and others during the Congress Working Committee meeting, at the AICC headquarters in New Delhi PTI

decimated in the polls in Maharashtra, the party's alliance led by the JMM scored a victory in Jharkhand. In Haryana, the Congress had suffered a shock defeat at the hands of the BJP.

Kharge also hit out at internal bickering in the party, asserting that the lack of unity and statements against own party leaders harms the party a lot. "Unless we fight elections unitedly and stop making statements against each other, how will we be able to defeat our opponents politically?" the Congress president said.

He also called for removing shortcomings in the party by learning lessons from the election results and said the party would have to evolve a strategy to effectively counter the "propaganda and misinformation" by its rivals. "Therefore, it is important that we strictly follow discipline. We have to remain

united under all circumstances. The party also has the weapon of disciplining. But we do not want to put our workers in any bondage. Therefore, everyone needs to think that a victory of the Congress party is our victory and a defeat is our defeat. Our strength lies in the strength of the party," the Congress president said while urging workers not to get dejected with poll results.

He said the party will have to effect changes from the grassroots level to the All India Congress Committee (AICC) to strengthen the party. The AICC is the central decision-making Assembly of the party. Speaking on the Maharashtra and Haryana polls, Kharge said the Assembly poll results after a good outcome in Lok Sabha elections jolted the party. He said some "tough decisions" will have to be taken due to the "below expectation" performance in state elections.

Riding on its performance in the Lok Sabha polls, the Congress went into Assembly polls with new enthusiasm but the election results were not as per the party's expectations, the Congress chief said. "INDIA parties formed the government in 2 out of 4 states. But our performance was below expectations. This is a challenge for us in terms of the future," he said.

"We need to immediately learn from the election results and correct all our weaknesses and shortcomings at the organisational level. These results are a message for us," he said. He noted that the mood was in the Congress' favour during the elections but pointed out that just the atmosphere being in its favour does not guarantee victory.

Delhi... it is time to count your trees

PIONEER NEWS SERVICE ■ NEW DELHI

To check felling of trees in the National Capital, the Supreme Court (SC) on Friday highlighted the need for a census of trees and said it wanted to create an authority to supervise the work carried out by the tree officer. The Supreme Court also mulled conducting a tree census in 10,400 square-kilometre area of the Taj Trapezium Zone (TTZ) in Uttar Pradesh and developing a mechanism to keep a vigil on illegal tree felling.

A Bench of Justices Abhay S Oka and Augustine George Masih said the issue over the strict implementation of the provisions of the Delhi Preservation of Trees Act, 1994, required immediate attention. "Apart from tree census, that order we are going to pass, we also want to create an authority. That authority will verify whether the tree officer has done a proper job. Somebody has to supervise the permission granted," the Bench said. The Bench was hearing an application seeking to restrain the Delhi government from allowing felling of trees without the supreme court's permission.

The first tree census in Delhi was conducted in December 2023. The Municipal Corporation of Delhi (MCD) identified 2.50 lakh trees in 12 zones. The provisions of the 1994 Act, which provide for



preservation of trees in the NCT of Delhi, deals with the establishment and duties of the tree authority and appointment of a tree officer. During the hearing, the Bench asked the lawyers appearing in the matter to give suggestions on the basis of which the authority should be constituted. It observed that not only individual experts were required, but an institution had to be involved in this process also.

"We always believe that in environment matters, harsh orders are warranted," the Bench noted. The Bench remarked that the lawyers appearing before it in matters related to preservation of environment and protection of trees were very cooperative and they have always taken a fair stand before the court.

"We are grateful. Your lordships are doing it for our better future, our children's better future," Additional

Solicitor General Aishwarya Bhati said. The court termed as very important the issue concerning strict implementation of the provisions of the 1994 Act.

"To enable the counsel appearing for the parties to address us on the issue, we direct that the petition shall be listed on December 18," it said. One of the lawyers appearing in the matter referred to the notifications issued by the Delhi government in the past exempting any area or any species of trees from the provisions of the 1994 Act.

"This power, for the interim, has to be curtailed. They cannot keep on issuing notifications under Section 29 (of the Act)," he said.

Section 29 of the Act pertains to power of the government for exemption. While one lawyer boasted of there being a "lot of awareness" among people, another lamented the ground situation saying it was "as bad as it was" before claiming two trees had been felled inside the Supreme Court premises. The advocate said complaints on the tree helpline of the forest department elicited no response. "You place that complaint on record," the Bench said.

On the tree census in Taj Trapezium Zone (TTZ), the Bench said apart from the tree census in the TTZ it wanted to develop the institutional mechanism.

Yamuna Vatika, a green dream for a grey city

RAJESH KUMAR ■ NEW DELHI

Yamuna Vatika is an expansive green space spread across 450 acres of meticulously designed flower fields, flowering trees and gardens being developed by Delhi Development Authority (DDA) on the river floodplains, soon to be the largest of its kind in the city. It will help in mitigating pollution to an extent, and provide green lungs to Delhi. This initiative for greening Delhi, expected to be opened to the public in the next three weeks, has been helmed by Lieutenant Governor Vinai Kumar Saxena, who has already steered green marvels like Baansera, Asita East,

Vaishnavi, Vasudev Ghat and the revitalised Roshanara Bagh and Nursery. Designed as a multi-activity green space, Yamuna Vatika will serve as a haven for nature lovers, families and fitness enthusiasts alike. The project is part of the restoration scheme of Yamuna floodplains and witnessed the plantation of 500 chinar and 500 cherry blossom saplings. The project will have a garden, jogging and cycling tracks, eco-friendly temporary structures for eateries, a bio-retention zone and a wetland with a viewing deck, among others. The flower fields at Yamuna Vatika will feature a triple-layered floral design, setting a



new benchmark in urban landscaping. With its vibrant hues and serene ambience, this initiative aims to become the city's first dedicated 'Field of Flowers', adding to the ecological and aesthetic appeal of Delhi. Nearly 8,000 indigenous trees, including Gulmohar,



Amaltaas, Chinara and exotic species such as Cherry Blossom saplings, along with 10,000 bamboo have already been planted, contributing to the floodplains ecological rejuvenation. These vibrant trees will not only enhance the city's green cover but also offer a spectacular visual

treat to visitors at Yamuna Vatika. It also features four large water bodies, strategically integrated into its design to support water conservation as also holding water during flooding. In a bid to restore the ecology of the Yamuna floodplains

and give breathable green space to the people of East Delhi, the DDA has inaugurated the Asita East project near Laxmi Nagar. Asita East project is spread over 197 hectares of land, of which 90 hectares are with DDA and the remaining falls under the jurisdiction of the UP irrigation department. Vikas Marg forms the southern edge, Pushta Road, the eastern edge, and the Yamuna flows towards its west. The 90 hectares of land under the DDA, located adjacent to Vikas Marg, has been inaugurated and opened to people.

"Vaishnavi" park at Ashok Vihar-II is an area spread over 10 acres, developed by

the DDA to promote urban green spaces. There were tonnes of waste lying at the spot, and the locals were fed up with the poor condition of this place. The park features a diverse array of native and medicinal plants, along with walkways, waterbodies, fountains and lights to give an aesthetic look to the place. The LG's other project is Vasudev Ghat, located along the western bank of the Yamuna between Yamuna Ghat and Nigam Bodh Ghat. The ghat - the first in the city to be built by the DDA - was previously inaccessible due to a steep slope, was littered with garbage, and had 1.5-foot-deep silt deposits from the July floods of last year.

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BEDKHALI NOTICE

I, Sudesh Rani W/o Keshar Singh R/o 229, Ward No.9, Near Bus Stand, Masit Wali Gali, Rampura Phul, Bathinda (Punjab) declare that my son Happy & his wife Preeti Alias Reetu are out of my control. So, I disown them from my all movable/immovable properties. If anybody deals with them shall do their own risk in future.

I, Raj Kumar S/o Manphol Ram R/o # 1374, Dadu Majra Colony, Sector 38 West, Chandigarh declare that my daughter Sonu is out of my control. So I disown him from my all movable/immovable properties in Future.

I, Rajkumar, S/o Kallu Ram, R/o H.No. 331/22, Near Paras Cinema, Indra Colony, Thanesar Tehsil Thanesar District Kurukshetra, declare that my elder son Anurag is beyond my hearing. Therefore, I disown my son Anurag from all my movable and immovable property. After today, whoever transacts with it will be responsible himself. Please note all concerned.

I, Prem Kumari W/o Late sh. Goverdhan Lal R/O House no. 885 sector-7 Panchkula Haryana Declare that I disown my daughter Anju Juneja from moveable/ immovable properties. Anybody dealing with her at their own risk.

I, Karmbir Singh S/o Lalia Ram, R/O Village Kanheri, Tehsil Tohana (Fatehabad), disown my daughter Suman, from movable/immovable property as she is beyond my control. Anybody deals her at own risk/responsibility. I and family shall not be responsible.

I, Gurdev Singh S/o Pritam Singh Vill Siana Saidan Teh Pehowa, District Kurukshetra. My Daughter Ramandeep Kaur is out of My control. I, disown them from all my moveable and immovable properties. If anybody deals with him at his own risk.

I, Ram Kumar S/o Rati Ram R/O H.No. 2114 Sector 5 Urban Estate Kurukshetra, have evicted my son Vishal Kumar, his wife Manju from all my movable- immovable as they are out of my control. Anybody dealing with them at their own risk.

I, Bateri Devi W/o late Ramesh Kumar R/o H.No. 256/12, Station Majri, Shahabad, Markanda, District Kurukshetra, have evicted my son Rahul, his wife Suman from all my moveable-immovable properties, as they are out of my control. Anybody dealing with them at their own risk.

I, Subhash Chand Adhar No. 246478293349, S/O Gurmukh Singh R/O Balraj Nagar, Tehsil Kaithal, District Kaithal Informers That Our Daughter Simran Is Married With Jaspreet Singh S/O Prem Chand R/O Khanpur Bhangar. Simran Is Now Out Of Our Control. We Disown Simran From Our Movable And Immovable Property. We Will Not Responsible For Simran Any Matter In Future.

I, Anoop Singh S/O Bawa Singh R/O Village - Rauwal, Po/Tehsil - Dinanagar, Distt- Gurdaspur. Declare that My Daughter Harpreet Kaur Is Not In My Saying Out Of Control. So I Disinherit Them From My Moveable & Immovable Property. I Shall Not Be Responsible.

We, Gurdeep Singh son of Jetha Singh and Wife Jasveer Kaur resident of Balwan Colony Abrol Nagar Tehsil and District Pathankot declare that my son Amrit Pal Singh and his wife Priya Khangotra are out of my control. I evict them from my movable and immovable property. Those who deals with them will be responsible himself.

मैं पुनः देवी पत्नी श्री बिजेन्द्र सिंह निवासी मकान नं. 107/19, गली नं.1, पटेल नगर, सोनीपत तहसील व जिला सोनीपत घोषणा करती हूँ, कि मेरा पुत्र दीपक खत्री और कोजल निवासी गाँव करकरी, तहसील समालखा जिला पानीपत, मेरे नियंत्रण से बाहर है, इसलिए मैं इसे अपनी चूल् अर्थात् सम्पत्ति से बंदखुल करती हूँ, इनसे लेनदेन करने वाले स्वयं जिम्मेवार होंगे।

PUBLIC NOTICE

I, Hanamant Patil legally brother of No.16134311X Rank L/NK Name Mahesh Patil Unit 4 Engr Regt C/o 56 APO Bathinda Cantt. (Punjab) permanent resident of VPO Kotabagi, Distt. Belagavi, State Karnataka-591310 declare that I have changed my name from Hanamant Patil to Hanamant Durgappa Patil and DOB from 04.02.2004 to 28.01.2004 vide affidavit dated 28.11.2024.

I, Jasvir Kaur wife of Army No 4474163P, Havildar (Late) Malkit Singh (UIDAI No-352479235091) residence of Vill- Chok Gandha Singh Wala, PO- Bariwala, Teh- Bariwala, Distt- Sri Muktsar Sahib (PB-152025). Declared That in my late husband's Army service record, my name is wrongly written as S Jasbir Kaur whereas my correct name is Jasvir Kaur and my date of birth is also wrongly written as 02 Aug 1980 whereas my correct date of birth is 02 Aug 1975. All concerned please note.

I army number 18007892N rank NK jasvir singh s/o najar Singh r/o balianwali district Bathinda that in my army record the date of birth of my mother charnjit Kaur is recorded as 25-07-1965 which is wrong, her correct date of birth is 25-07-1961. please My army records, my mother Charanjit Kaur date of birth should be corrected 25-07-1961. no.IN-PB80297349703873W dated 18-11-2024.

I army number 18007892N rank NK jasvir singh s/o najar Singh r/o balianwali district Bathinda that in my army records my father name is Nazar Singh and date of birth is 01-06-1961 which is wrong, his correct name is najar Singh date of birth is 01-01-1959. Please correct my army record, my father name is Najar Singh and date of birth is 01-01-1959. Affidavit no.IN-PB80289509618514W dated 18-11-2024

I, Syed Jyothi Kuari legally mother of No. 16114568F Rank NK Name Syed Mohamed Ali Unit 38 AER C/o 56 APO Bathinda Cantt. (Punjab) permanent resident of 9-5-51, Dammala Veedhi, Sriakulam, VTC : Sriakulam, Distt. Sriakulam State Andhra Pradesh - 532001 declare that I have changed name from Syed Jyothi Kuari to Syed Jyothi Kumari and DOB from 01.07.1964 to 25.03.1964 vide affidavit dated 28.11.2024

I, Reshma Anil Karande legally spouse of No. 15724930Y Rank Sigm Name Karande Anil Bhimrav Unit 10 CSR C/o 56 APO Bathinda Cantt. (Punjab) permanent resident of Kola, Distt. Solapur Maharashtra-413314 declare that I have changed my DOB from 25.08.1998 to 25.09.1998 vide affidavit dated 29.11.2024

I, Maddila Venkata Rao legally father of No. 16135257F Rank Spr Name Maddila Giribabu Unit 4 Engr Regt. C/o 56 APO Bathinda Cantt. (Punjab) permanent resident of 1-63, Bariti Veedhi, Sriakulam State- Andhra Pradesh -532220 declare That I have changed name from Maddila Venkata Rao to Maddili Venkataramana vide affidavit dated 29.11.2024

I, Maddila Saraswathi legally mother of No. 16135257F Rank Spr Name Maddila Giribabu Unit 4 Engr Regt. C/o 56 APO Bathinda Cantt. (Punjab) permanent resident of 1-63, Bariti Veedhi, Sriakulam State- Andhra Pradesh -532220 declare That I have changed name from Maddila Saraswathi to Maddili Saraswathi vide affidavit dated 29.11.2024

I, Lakhwinder Singh S/o Balkar Singh R/o Village Husnar, Tehsil Gidderbaha, Distt. Sri Muktsar Sahib-152101, hereby declare that my father Balkar Singh, passed away on 25-5-2021. In my passport No. M5465681, my father's name has been wrongly written as Balkaar Singh, whereas the correct name of my father is Balkar Singh, which may amended accordingly.

I No 2479598P Hav. Suram Singh S/O Bishamher Singh Village Jamalpur Kalan Tehsil Dasuya Distt Hoshiarpur Punjab declare that in my Army's record My Wife Ramesh Kanta Devi Date of Birth Written 18-01-1972 Wrongly. Actually her Date of birth is 13-12-1970 as per her aadhar card record.

I, Kanchan legally wedded spouse of No.JC 770535X Rank Sub Pradip Kumar Thakur Presently residing at Mohalla Shanti Nagar, Post office Kanke, Tehsil Kanke, Distt Ranchi, State Jharkhand, Pin 834006 declare that I have changed my name Kanchan to Kanchan Devi and date of birth 18-07-1989 to 18-07-1990 vide Affidavit dated 18-11-2024

I Service No. 14646679H Rank HAV Name S Nagabhusanhan Son of S Sreenivasulu R/O Village And Post Office Kottalam, Tehsil Yadamari, District Chittoor Pin Code 517422 (AP) declare that on my service record my son's name has been wrongly entered as S Shrinath (old name). But correct name is S Srinath (new name) as per his Aadhar card and other documents. Both are same person. Plz note.

I, Suman Devi W/o No. JC-482020-L Ex Nub Sub Late Sh. Rajender Singh R/O Vill. & P.O. Katesra, Teh. Kalanaur, Distt. Rohtak (Haryana) declare that my son name Mahender and his DOB 05.11.1994 are wrongly mentioned in my husband Army record. But my son correct & actual name is Mahender Singh and his correct DOB is 08.11.1994. vide affidavit dated 29.11.2024 before Notary Public Rohtak.

I Hitherto Known As Pooja Rohilla Alias Pooja D/o Balbir Singh W/O Raman Residing At House No. 341, Dhani Mehtab Dass, Halwas Gate, Bhiwani, Haryana- 127021 Have Changed My Name And I Shall Hereafter Be Known As Pooja Rohilla. It Is Certified That I Have Complied With Other Legal Requirements In This Connection.

It is for general information that I, Swati D/o Gurdip Singh Jaggi R/O Behrampur Road, Barnala, PO-Gurdaspur, Dist-Gurdaspur, Punjab - 143521, declare that my father name has been wrongly written as Gurdeep Singh in my Secondary School Grade Sheet Cum Certificate of Performance and as Gurdeep Singh Jaggi in my Senior School Marks Statement and my mother name as Kamlesh in my Senior School Marks Statement. The actual name of my father and my mother are Gurdip Singh Jaggi and Kamlesh Kumari respectively, which may be amended accordingly.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, Ritu W/o Ashish Shukla R/O 1765, New Christian Colony, Jagadhri, Tehsil Jagadhri, Distt Yamuna Nagar have changed my name from Ritu to Ritu Shukla.

I, KM Shaily Devi W/o Sayyam Jain R/O 31C, Railway Colony, Near Railway Hospital, Jagadhri Workshop, Yamuna Nagar declare that after marriage I have changed my name from KM Shaily Devi to Shaily.

I, Sunita Sharma W/o Deepak Sharma R/O House No. 1186, Behind Hari Har Mandir, Sector 12-A, Panchkula, Haryana, have changed my name from Sunita to Sunita Sharma.

I Subhash Chander Is Legally Father Of No - 8037715L, Rank Hav Clk (Sd), Name Harjit Singh Residing At Vill: Bharyal Po: Rattangarh, Teh Pathankot, Dist: Pathankot (Punjab), 143534 Have Changed My Name From Subash Chander To Subhash Chander.

I, Jyoti Kumari W/o Sh. Tarun Thakral R/O H. No. 499, Sector 15-A, Near Ekta Park, Hisar, Haryana 125001 declare that I have changed my name from Jyoti Kumari to Jyoti Thakral for all future purposes.

I, Parmanand S/o Santlal Singhal R/O H. No. 580, Sector-14, Hisar declare that I have changed my name from Parmanand to Parma Nand Singhal for all future purposes.

I, Anjali W/o Deep Chand R/O Village Rajpur, PO Chouli Rampur, Distt Yamuna Nagar have changed my name from Anjali to Anjali Devi.

I, Deep Chand S/o Sunder Lal R/O Village Rajpur, PO Chouli Rampur, Distt Yamuna Nagar declare that Deep is my name and Chand is my surname.

I Rozy Gupta Adhar No 943795447708 W/O Sh Vijender Gupta Flat No 508 Youraj Apartment Gh Sector 24 Panchkula Haryana Have Change My Name From Rozy Gupta To Reetu Gupta. That Rozy Gupt A & Reetu Gupta Is The Names Of The Same And One Person.

I, Vandana D/o Brij Mohan R/O House no. 3, Tirath Road Nagar Sri Chand Gurudwara, Partap Nagar, Amritsar, Amritsar I, Punjab 143001 declare that Vandana and Vandana Kad are the names of one and the same person and i am known by both names.

I, Vaishali W/o Harjinder Pal R/O Near I.T.I, Ward No. 2, V.P.O Hariana Distt. Hoshiarpur have changed my name to Sunita Kumari. Concerned Note.

I, Kirandeep Kaur D/o Kulwinder Singh R/O Village Bairon Kangri Distt. Hoshiarpur Punjab declare that my name is Kirandeep Kaur. Kaur as my surname and my given name is Kirandeep. Concerned note.

I, Surjit Kaur W/o Kulwinder Singh R/O Village Bairon Kangri Distt. Hoshiarpur Punjab declare that my name is Surjit Kaur. Kaur as my surname and my given name is Surjit. Concerned note.

I, Sachin Kaushik S/o Satyanarayan R/o #139/6, Canal Road, Near Tata Union, Patram Nagar, Narwana, Distt.Jind (Haryana) have changed my name from Sachin S/o Satnarain to Sachin Kaushik S/o Satyanarayan.

I, Abhinav Singh Mohan S/O Sh. Himmat Singh R/O E-9, Sector-36, Suncity, Rohtak-124001 declare that I have changed my name Abhinav to Abhinav Singh Mohan. I may be called as Abhinav Singh Mohan in future.

I, Dharambir Singh S/O Sh. Mamchand R/O H.No. 178, Yamuna Enclave, Sector 17, G.T. Road, Panipat declare that I have changed my name from Dharambir Singh to Dharmvir Singh. For all future purposes.

I, Varun Singh S/O Dharambir Singh S/O Sh. Mamchand R/O H.No. 178, Yamuna Enclave, Sector 17, G.T. Road, Panipat declare that I have changed my name from Varun Singh S/O Dharambir Singh to Varun Singh S/O Dharmvir Singh. For all future purposes.

I, Savita W/o Harender Singh R/O H.No. 153, Gandhi Nagar, ward no-15, Panchi Road, Gannaur, Distt. Sonipat declare that I have changed my name from Savita to SavitaRaperia, for all future purpose.

I, Pushpa Devi W/o Jaspal Singh R/O 62, Ram Vihar, Baltana, Distt. S.A.S. Nagar (Mohali), Punjab have changed my name to Pushpa Bhandari.

I, Parminder Singh S/O Jogsinder Singh R/O VPO Tarsikka, Tehsil Baba Bakala, Distt. Amritsar, Punjab have changed my name from Parminder Singh to Singh is my surname and Parminder is my given name.

I, Joginder Kumar S/O Satpal R/O Sirsi Post office Sirsi District Karnal Haryana have changed my name from Joginder Kumar to Joginder.

I Ravinder S/o Ramphal R/O flat No- 9/GF, Block No-C3, DLF Valley Sector -3, Panchkula Haryana have changed my minor daughter's name from Somya to Somya Dhanekar.

I, Himanshu S/o Late Sh. Subhash Kumar Resident of House No 12/17, Amar Bhawan Chowk, Panipat-132103 have declared that I have change my name from Himanshu S/O Late Sh. Subhash Kumar to Himanshu Sharma S/O Late Sh. Subhash Sharma.

I, Roji D/o Gurneje Chand Village Rose Tehsil Kalanaur District Gurdaspur have changed my name Roji To Roji Sohe. Please Note.

I, Gurtej Singh S/O Harijinder Singh R/O Vill: Ghuman Khurd, P.O: Naushera Majia Singh, Distt. Gurdaspur declare that Gurtej is my given name and Singh is my Surname and Concerned Note.

I, Jagroop Singh S/O Balbir Singh R/O Vill: Ghuman Khurd, P.O: Naushera Majia Singh, Distt. Gurdaspur declare that Jagroop is my given name and Singh is my Surname. Concerned Note.

I, Asha Jat W/o Rajaram Jat R/O Village Kalyan Nagar PO Fatehpur Tehsil Bansur Distt Alwar (Rajasthan)-301406 have changed my name from Asha Devi to Asha Jat due to wrong name entered in my husband's Army Service record.

I, Ranjeet Kaur w/o Vinod Kumar r/o vpo nangal bihalana tehsil mukerian district Hoshiarpur have changed my minor daughter name Purvi to Purvi Kaur. Please note.

I, Seva Kaur W/o Pritam Singh R/O village Jia Sahota Kalan, PO Garhiwala, Distt Hoshiarpur, Punjab have changed my name from Seva Kaur to Sewa Kaur. Concerned Note.

I, Salkha D/o Mangal Singh R/O Vill Udhoke Khurd, Uchoke Khurd, PO Uddoke, Distt. Amritsar, Punjab-143119 have changed my name from Salkha to Komalpreet Kaur D/o Manjit Singh.

I, Digambar (Existing Name Of Father) Is Legally Father Of No 14848561 K Rank - Hav/Clk (Sd) Name Banjeepale Baliram Digambar Presently Residing At Vpo - Nalgr, Tehsil Udgr, Distt - Latur, Maharashtra - 413517, Have Changed My Name From Digambar To Digambar Bapurao Banjipalle In Service Record

I, Bharat Bai (Existing Name Of Mother) Is Legally Mother Of No 14848561 K Rank - Hav/Clk (Sd) Name Banjeepale Baliram Digambar Pres-Ently Residing At Vpo - Nalgr, Tehsil Udgr, Distt Latur, Maharashtra - 413517 Have Changed My Name From Bharat Bai To Bharat Digambar Banjipalle In Service Record

I Divya Bhonsle W/O Gagandeep Singh Chahal R/O House No 88,Sec-8, Urban Estate Huda Ambala City Have Changed My Name From Divya To Divya Bhonsle.

I Bhavana D/O Raj Kumar Nagpal R/O H.No-949 Sec-9, Urban Estate, Ambala City Have Changed My Name From Bhavana To Bhavana Nagpal.

I Service No. 15785298H Rank L/Hav Name Nikesh P P Of Unit 105 Ad Regt C/O 56 Apo, R/O Place-Pacheni, Vill-Pariyaram, Tehsil-Taliparamba, Distt-Kannur, State-Kerala, Pin-670502 Have Changed My Mother Name From PP Devi To Devi P P Vide Affidavit Dated 29-11-2024 Before Ambala Cantt

It Is For General Information That I, Deepa W/O Dinesh Kumar Chopra R/O House No.-171, Prabhu Prem Puram, Ambala Cantt, Ambala, Haryana-133001 Declare That Name Of Mine Has Been Wrongly Written As Smt. Deepa Pal In My Service Records. The Actual Name Of Mine Is Deepa Which May Be Amended Accordingly.

I, Navneet Chauhan S/O Satpal Permanent Resident Of House No. 177a, Ward No. 11, Mohalla Swaniya, Sadhaur, Sadhaaura (51), Yamuna Nagar, Haryana-133204. Have Changed The Name Of My Minor Son Gitansh Aged 14 Years And He Shall Hereafter Be Known As Gitansh Chauhan.

I, Service No. 15793756H Rank NK Name M Ramesh Rao Unit 105 Ad Regt C/O 56 Apo, R/O 262/1 Tarayi Para Jagdalpur, Bohaghat Kangoli Bastar, Chhattisgarh-494005 Have Changed My Wife Name From P Mamata Devi To M Mamata Devi Vide Affidavit Dated 29-11-2024 Before Ambala Cantt

I Service No. JC 857293W Rank Sub,Name Jadhav Mahesh Manohar S/O Manohar Jadhav R/O VPO Matwan, Tehsil Dapoli, Distt. Ratnagiri, State Maharashtra, 415712. have changed my Son Name from Ved To Ved Mahesh Jadhav.

I Nidhi Mahesh Jadhav is legally D/o Service No. JC 857293W Rank Sub, Jadhav Mahesh Manohar R/O VPO Matwan, Tehsil Dapoli, Distt. Ratnagiri, State Maharashtra, 415712. have changed my Name from Nidhi To Nidhi Mahesh Jadhav.

I No. 2706594P Rank L/Hav Uttam Kumar S/O Somraj of Unit 14 Grenadiers C/o 56 APO have changed my Daughter Name From Kritika To Kritika Kumar.

I Sandeep Singh S/O Baljeet Singh R/O Vill Dubli, P/O kesri, Distt. Ambala. have changed my Son Name from Armaan To Armaan Singh Rasoday.

I Geeta Spouse of Service No. 15154744A Rank Hav Name Omkar Singh R/O Nagla Rate, Karhal, P/O Karhal, Distt. Mainpuri, U.P - 205264. Have Changed my DOB from 27.11.1984 To 01.05.1989 (Proposed/adopted new DOB) Vide affidavit dated 29.11.2024 before Ambala

I Geeta Spouse of No. 15154744A Rank Hav Name Omkar Singh vill-Nagla Rate, P/O Karhal, Distt. Mainpuri, State- UP PIN- 205264. Have changed my name from Gita Devi To Geeta vide affidavit dated 29.11.2024 before Ambala Cantt.

I, Pinki W/o Manohar Kanaujia # 119, Burali, Sector 45, Chandigarh have changed my name to Praveen Devi.

I, Davinder Kumar @ Devinder Kumar S/O Sh. Jiwan Dass R/O H.No.2111/12, Bairagi Mohalla, Binjore, Tehsil Kalka, Distt. Panchkula, Haryana, that Davinder Kumar and Devinder Kumar both are my name's and both names belongs to same person.

I Satnam singh s/o Sucha Singh R/o Rayya , Pheruman, Amritsar declare that In my son educational documents his name is wrongly recorded as Arsh Deep Singh. But his correct name is Arshdeep Singh.

I Ramandeep Toor D/O Rajinder Singh R/O House No. 05, Neelkanth Duplex, Peerbaba Road, Baltana, Zirakpur SAS Nagar Punjab have changed my name from Ramandeep Toor to Ramandeep

I, Astha Latawa W/O Sh. Manu Kapoor R/O Cinema Gali Vikasnagar Dehradun-Uttarakhand, I have changed my name from Astha Latawa to Astha Kapoor.

I, No.15814023A Hav Pradip Kumar S/O Ashok Kumar, Presently Serving in 9 FOD, C/o 56 APO Kandrori, Tehsil Indora, District Kangra (H.P.), Have Changed My Minor Son Name From Jyant Sharma to Jayant Sharma, Vide Affidavit No. IN-HP31709825111223W, Dated 28 Nov-2024, Kindly Note.

I, hitherto Known as Rajwinder Kaur Wife of Gurbeer Singh residing at Ward No.13, Village Makhu, Tehsil Zira District Ferozepur-142044 Punjab have changed my name and Shall hereafter be known as Raj Kaur.

I, hitherto known as Utkanthika Oberoi Dauthter of Rohit Oberoi residing at H.No.632, Urban Estate Districtt Kapurthala-144601 Punjab, India have changed my name and shall hereafter be known as Mishty Oberoi

I, Kanchan and Kanchan Passi W/O Chanan Kumar R/O Baba Jallan Avenue, Adda Chhabhal Tehsil and District Tarn Taran have declaer that above both name's are mine one and Same Person

I, Rajinder Kaur W/o Jaspal Singh R/O Ward No.6 Cheema Kalan Tarn Taran have declare that Rajinder is my name Given name and Kaur is my Surname

I, Rajdeep Singh Son of Palwinder Singh R/O House No.266, Ward No.5, Patti, Tehsil Patti, District Tarn Taran, Punjab have declare that Rajdeep is my Given name and Singh is my Surname

I, Athare Vidya Pramod Spouse Of No.15587654M NK Athare Pramod Uttam R/O Chandewadi Road, Fatyabad, Ahmadnagar, Maharashtra-413710 have changed my name from Tidke Vidya Balasaheb to Athare Vidya Pramod Vide Affidavit No.IN-PB833833692969983W Dt.27.11.2024 before Notary Public Amritsar

I, Nanda Uttam Athare mother of No.15587654M NK Athare Pramod Uttam R/O Chandewadi Road, Fatyabad, Ahmadnagar, Maharashtra-413710 have changed my name from Nanda to Nanda Uttam Athare Vide Affidavit No.IN-PB83384257524082W Dt.27.11.2024 before Notary Public Amritsar

I, Bodh Raj Father of No.14936872A Hav Satish Sharma R/O Village Rara Tehsil Rangarh Distt Samba J&K UT-184120 now at 15 Mech Inf C/o 56 Apo have changed my name to Bodh Raj Sharma and Date of Birth from 01.07.1961 to 19.01.1960 Vide Affidavit No.IN-PB83979065760560W Dt.29.11.2024 Before Notary Public Amritsar

I, Ayodhya Devi Mother of No.14936872A Hav Satish Sharma R/O Village Rara Tehsil Rangarh Distt Samba J&K UT-184120 now at 15 Mech Inf C/o 56 Apo have changed my name to Ayodhya Devi and Date of Birth from 01.07.1966 to 22.06.1964 Vide Affidavit No.IN-PB83979792060645W Dt.29.11.2024 Before Notary Public Amritsar

I, Ramesh Chander father of No.15509153A Ald Raj Kumar R/O Near Mata Vaishno Mandir, Tbia Bhan, Satrayan Jammu, Jammu and Kashmir-181102 have changed my name from Ramesh Chander to Ramesh Chander Vide Affidavit No.IN-PB83598022724248W Dt.28.11.2024 before Notary Public Amritsar

I, Tajinder Kaur mother of Dalbir Singh R/O Subhanpur, PO Barian Kalan District Hoshiarpur Punjab-146101 have changed my name from Tajinder Kaur to Tejinder Kaur Vide Affidavit No.IN-PB83961620742462W Dt.29.11.2024 before Notary Public Amritsar

I, Sarabjit Sharma S/o Kishan Lal R/O 224, Makhhan Wali Gali, Ravidass Chowk Garha, Jalandhar have changed my name from Sarabjit Sharma to Sarabjeet Sharma

I, Pankaj Garg S/o Late Sh. Ganga Bishan R/O House No. 1927, Sector 14, Hisar (Haryana) declare that I have changed the name of my deceased father Ganga Bishan Garg to Ganga Bishan in my passport for all future purpose.

I, Suresh S/o Lakhmi Chand R/O House No. 191, Village Shikarpur, Teh. & Distt. Hisar (Haryana) declare that I have changed my name from Suresh to Suresh Kumar for all future purpose.

I, Manju Bala W/o Sh. Sandeep Kumar Jagga R/O Ward No-11, Behind S.B.I. Barwala Distt. Hisar (Haryana) declare that I have changed my name from Manju to Manju Bala as such in future for all purpose. I may be called with my said new name Manju Bala.

I, Sandeep Kumar Jagga S/O Sh. Ram Lal Jagga R/O Ward No-11, Behind S.B.I. Barwala Distt. Hisar (Haryana) declare that I have changed my name from Sandeep Jagga, Sandeep to Sandeep Kumar Jagga as such in future for all purpose. I may be called with my said new name Sandeep Kumar Jagga.

It Is For General Information That I, Sneh Lata W/O Rajesh Kumar Residing At H.No.1831, Sector-14-P, Hisar, Haryana-125001 Declare That The Name Of Mine Has Been Wrongly Written As Sneh In My Minor Son Puranjay Jindal Aged 17 Years In His Cbse Class 10th Educational Documents. The Actual Name Of Mine Is Sneh Lata Which May Be Amended Accordingly. It Is Certified That I Have Complied With Other Legal Requirements In This Connection.

I, Jaipal Singh S/o Sh. Balwinder Singh R/O 234/3, Teliyan Wali Gali, Near Masjid, Sirsa (Haryana). That I have changed my name from Jaipal to Jaipal Singh , in future my name is to be called as Jaipal Singh.

I, Jasvir Kaur W/o Sukhwant Singh Chopra R/O H.No. 897, Anand Nagar-A, Distt. Patiala (Punjab) have changed my name from Jasbir Kaur to Jasvir Kaur.

I, Sagar Chhabra S/o Sh. Ravi Kumar R/O 124, Faiz Bazar, Kot Mohalla, Dhannu Halwai wali Gali, Sonipat declare that Sagar & Sagor Chhabra both name is same and one person.

I Taramati Yadav Spouse of No. 15164853A Rank NK Dharmendra Kumar Yadav Unit of 197 FD Regt C/o 56 Apo Resident of Village Khanpur P.O Kajha Khurd Tehsil Mohammda B.P (Gohana) Distt Mau State U.P Pin 276403, declare That my Husband Army Service Records my name Wrongly mentioned as Taramati Yadav & Date of Birth 02/03/1987 But Actual and Correct my name Tara & Date of birth 10/05/1980.

I, Lattaba, Spouse of N. Chudasama Jaypal Sinh Ghanshyam Sinh, Unit of 512 ASC BN Resident of Village Panchi Tehsil Dholera District Ahmedabad State Gujarat Pin Code 382455 have changed my name from Lattaba to Chudasama Lattaba & Date of birth 10/07/1992 to 18/09/1992.

I Renuka Kadapatti Legally Mother of Army No 16121139H Hav Santosh Shekhappa Kadapatti of unit 22 Engr Regt C/o 56 Apo Ferozepur Permanent resident Near Maruti Temple Vtc Kotikall P.o. Guledgudd Tehsil Badami District Bagalkot State Karnataka Pin 587203 declare that my name Renuka and Date of Birth 01.01.1971 wrongly written in my son Army service record but my correct name is Renuka Kadapatti and Date of Birth 01.01.1973.

I Shekharappa Kadapatti Legally Father of Army No 16121139H Hav Santosh Shekhappa Kadapatti of unit 22 Engr Regt C/o 56 Apo Ferozepur Permanent resident Near Maruti Temple Vtc Kotikall P.o. Guledgudd Tehsil Badami District Bagalkot State Karnataka Pin 587203 declare that my name Shekhappa Kadapatti and Date of Birth 01.06.1963 wrongly written in my son Army service record but my correct name is Shekharappa Kadapatti and Date of Birth 01.01.1958

I Mahesh Chandra Legally Father of Army No 16115148 N L/Nk Narayan Singh of unit 22 Engr Regt C/o 56 Apo Ferozepur Permanent resident Jaspapur, Sakwai, Farrukhabad State Uttar Pradesh Pin 206451 declare that my name Mahesh Singh and Date of Birth

Punjab Govt Bows to Farmers' Demands, Dallewal to Be Released

PNS ■ CHANDIGARH

Punjab Government has yielded to farmers' demands, agreeing to the release of the senior farmer leader Jagjit Singh Dallewal, who was detained during the wee hours on Tuesday ahead of his fast-unto-death. The decision came after an intense hours-long meeting between the Punjab Police, the administration, and farmer leaders at the Khanauri border on Friday. Farmer leader Sarwan Singh Pandher, leading the ongoing protest along with Dallewal, confirmed the development, stating, "We have not spoken to Dallewal yet, but officials have assured us that his health is stable. Our sole demand was Dallewal's release, and the Government has agreed to it. He will soon join the protest at Khanauri border, and his hunger strike will continue. The decision regarding the December 1 demonstration will be made after his arrival."

The standoff began on November 26, when Dallewal announced his hunger strike at Khanauri border to press for the farmers' demands. However, at around 2 am, Punjab Police took him into custody from his protest tent, citing concerns about his health. Dallewal was subsequently moved to DMC Hospital in Ludhiana for medical examination. IG Jaskaran Singh, addressing the media, stated that Dallewal was discharged from the hospital and would soon rejoin the Khanauri protest. "The Punjab Government prioritized his health. Farmers have been assured that medical facilities will remain available in case of any emergency during the protest," he said. Patiala Range DIG Mandeep Singh Sidhu added that Dallewal's hunger strike posed significant health risks, especially given the crowd gathering at the protest site.

"The administration had decided to act preemptively to ensure his safety," he explained. Following Dallewal's detention, farmers convened at Khanauri border and resolved to intensify their agitation. Former soldier Sukhjit Singh Hardo took up the mantle, launching his hunger strike. Now in its fourth day of his hunger strike — underscoring the farmers' unwavering resolve. Pandher had earlier announced that the farmers would march to Sangrur on December 1 to protest against Punjab Chief Minister Bhagwant Mann. However, now the decision, whether to continue with the demonstration outside Chief Minister's private residence in Sangrur, will be taken after Dallewal joined the protest at Khanauri border. The farmers had accused Mann's Government of betraying their trust and failing to address their longstanding issues.

"For 10 months, our struggle was primarily against the BJP-led Central Government. However, the Punjab Government's actions have revealed its intent to suppress our movement, just like the Centre. CM Mann, who once claimed to be a farmers' advocate, must now explain his stance and the steps he has taken to resolve our issues with the Centre," Pandher had said a day before. Pandher also disclosed plans for a massive march to Delhi on December 6. "Farmers across Punjab are being mobilized for this action. Our agitation, which initially targeted the Centre, now includes the State Government as well. The protest will escalate in the coming days," he asserted. Farmers have expressed growing discontent with both the Centre and the Punjab Government, accusing them of neglecting their grievances. In a strong demonstration

of their commitment to securing the rights and welfare of farmers, various farmer organizations have put forth 13 critical demands, with the enactment of a law guaranteeing the Minimum Support Price (MSP) for all crops being the principal. Besides, the protesting farmers are also demanding a comprehensive report on the cost of cultivation by Dr MS Swaminathan, and a reduction in the price of DAP fertilizers. Farmers are also calling for justice in the Lakhimpur Kheri violence, fair wages for agricultural workers, and a halt to policies that undermine their livelihoods, such as the unchecked expansion of free trade agreements. Additionally, the farmers are demanding reforms in electricity and labour laws, compensation for families affected by the farmer protests, and stronger accountability measures against corruption in the agricultural sector.

Global Artificial Intelligence Centre to be set up in Hry with support of World Bank: CM Saini

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Haryana Chief Minister Nayab Singh Saini on Friday said that with the assistance of World Bank, Global Artificial Intelligence (AI) Centre will be set up in the State.



After meeting with the representatives of the World Bank, Saini said that the present State Government in its manifesto has announced to establish Haryana as a global education hub through which the youth would be imparted training in Artificial Intelligence and modern skills. This initiative of Global AI Center is set to position Haryana as a hub for artificial intelligence research and innovation. This collaboration is expected to boost the state's technological capabilities and contribute to the growth of the digital economy in the region, he added. In addition to the AI Centre, the Chief Minister also expressed keen interest for collaboration with the World Bank on the ambitious Interlinking of Rivers project. The World Bank also expressed keen interest in cooperation in this direction. The interlinking of rivers is expected to significantly improve irrigation facilities across the state and help implement the Amrit Sarovar Scheme, which aims to rejuvenate water bodies and enhance water storage capacity particularly in rural areas. This collaboration will ensure better water management, improve agricultural productivity, and contribute to the long-term sustainability of Haryana's water resources. He said that a team from the state of Haryana will soon visit Gujarat to study the interlinking of rivers in Gujarat. During the meeting, the Haryana Clean Air Project was also discussed. This initiative is aimed at enhancing sustainable development in the state and improving air quality. With a total project investment of Rs. 3647 crore, the World Bank has committed to providing a loan of Rs. 2498 crore to support the implementation of the project. The Haryana state government will contribute Rs. 1066 crore, and an additional Rs. 83 crore has been allocated as a grant. This funding will be directed towards initiatives such as air pollution control measures, sustainable urban development, and the promotion of cleaner technologies. Saini expressed his gratitude to the World Bank for its continued support, emphasizing the importance of these projects for the state's growth and sustainability. "These initiatives will not only improve the quality of life for our citizens but will also set Haryana on a path to becoming a leader in technology, water management, and environmental sustainability," he said. The World Bank's Country Director for India Auguste Koume said that Haryana holds immense potential for economic growth. Due to its proximity to the national capital, Delhi, Haryana attracts foreign investors, making it a preferred destination for investment.

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PUNJAB LAUNCHES SPECIAL CAMPAIGN TO RESOLVE PENDING DISPUTE-FREE MUTATIONS BY YEAR-END

Chandigarh: Taking a tough stance on administrative delays, the Punjab Government has announced a comprehensive campaign to expedite the resolution of pending dispute-free land mutation cases. The state Revenue and Rehabilitation Minister Hardip Singh Mundian on Friday emphasized that delays beyond the stipulated time frame of 45 days will not be tolerated, and strict action will follow against negligent officials. Mundian highlighted the government's firm decision to hold accountable any officer or employee responsible for unresolved dispute-free mutations after December 31, 2024. The Minister revealed that despite clear instructions from the state, several cases remain pending for months, with some even exceeding a year. This inefficiency, he stated, has caused unnecessary inconvenience to citizens and will no longer be overlooked. To address the backlog, a special campaign will run across villages and cities in December, supervised by Deputy Commissioners, Sub-Divisional Magistrates, and Tehsildars. The campaign aims to settle all pending dispute-free mutations by year-end. The Revenue Department has directed officials to prioritize these cases, ensuring resolutions within a month and adhering to the mandatory 45-day timeline for fresh applications.

PUNJAB TO LAUNCH WOMEN-CENTRIC AWARENESS CAMPS, STATE-LEVEL EVENT FOR PWDS

Chandigarh: Punjab Government is set to initiate a series of awareness camps focusing on women's health, hygiene, and employment opportunities starting December 2 from Sri Muktsar Sahib's Malout. Announcing the initiative, Social Security, Women, and Child Development Minister Dr Baljit Kaur on Friday emphasized the state's commitment to empowering women and enhancing their access to healthcare and job prospects. In tandem with these efforts, the state will commemorate the 'International Day of Persons with Disabilities' on December 3 with a grand event in Faridkot. The event will honour the individuals and organizations championing the welfare of persons with disabilities, alongside highlighting the government's comprehensive initiatives for their empowerment.

FOUNDATION STONE FOR PUNJAB'S LARGEST LIFT IRRIGATION SCHEME LAID

Sri Anandpur Sahib/Chandigarh: Punjab Cabinet Minister Harjot Singh Bains on Friday laid the foundation stone of Punjab's largest lift irrigation scheme in Samlah village, Changar region, under the Sri Anandpur Sahib Assembly Constituency. This Rs 90-crore project aims to bring canal water to irrigate 3,300 acres of semi-mountainous agricultural land and promises completion within six months. Bains, addressing a gathering of residents from over a dozen villages, shared his long-standing commitment to resolving the water scarcity that has plagued the Changar region for decades. He revealed that securing approvals from 23 departments and the Union Government delayed the project by over 18 months, but the work has finally begun, fulfilling his heart-felt dream. He explained that the project would utilize 10 pump sets to irrigate farmlands, ending the seasonal migration of residents forced to abandon their homes and crops due to water shortages. He highlighted the devastating impact of wild animals on abandoned fields and said the scheme would transform the agricultural prospects of the region.

PUNJAB GOVT TARGETS 100% CANAL WATER UTILIZATION WITH MAJOR IRRIGATION OVERHAUL

Chandigarh/Faridkot: Punjab Government has embarked on an ambitious mission to ensure the complete utilization of dam and canal water for irrigation while reducing dependence on groundwater and electricity. Announcing this, the state's Water Resources Minister Brinder Kumar Goyal on Friday unveiled plans to renovate canals, minors, and watercourses across the state, focusing on conserving natural resources and boosting agricultural productivity. During the inauguration of two newly constructed steel bridges on the Sirhind Feeder and Rajasthan Feeder at Machaki Mall Singh Road, costing Rs 10.24 crore, Goyal highlighted the government's commitment to modernizing Punjab's irrigation network. He praised the district administration and officials for completing the bridges four months ahead of schedule, vastly improving connectivity for Faridkot and neighboring districts.

PUNJAB GOVT TO CREATE STATE-OF-THE-ART URBAN ESTATES ACROSS CITIES

Chandigarh: Punjab Government, on the lines of big cities, plans to establish Urban Estates in every city equipped with state-of-the-art facilities, marking a transformative step towards urban development. Chief Minister Bhagwant Singh Mann's government has prioritized providing transparent, efficient, and citizen-centric services to fulfill the basic needs of the people, including food, clothing, and housing. Punjab Revenue, Housing, and Urban Development Minister Hardip Singh Mundian unveiled this vision at a real estate summit in Chandigarh on Friday, organized by a private news channel. He emphasized that the government is committed to ensuring planned urban growth and addressing issues faced by city dwellers. The Urban Estates project, he stated, is a significant move towards this goal, with surveys already underway to expedite the development process.

HRY CM REVIEWS PROGRESS OF 'SAMADHAN SHIVIRS'; GIVES OFFICIALS NECESSARY INSTRUCTIONS

Chandigarh: Haryana Chief Minister Nayab Singh Saini on Friday reviewed the progress of the Samadhan Shivirs via video conference on Friday. During the review, the Chief Minister instructed that these Shivirs be broadcast live, allowing him to directly interact with officials and citizens at any time, from the war room at his residence. During the session, the Chief Minister engaged directly with citizens attending camps in Fatehabad, Rohtak, Yamunanagar, and Jhajjar, and directed officials to address their concerns without delay. He said that if a citizen's application was rejected due to policy constraints, the rejection details and reasons should be updated on the portal for transparency.

Haryana Govt to reward whistleblowers reporting Tax Evaders: CM

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To tackle tax evasion in Haryana, Chief Minister Nayab Singh Saini on Friday said that individuals providing information about tax evasion by any person or firm in the state will be rewarded by the government. The identity and details of those sharing such information will remain confidential. To support this initiative, an initial fund of Rs 2 crore will be allocated to the Excise and Taxation Department.

Control Bureau, and the Police, in order to completely eradicate the issue of drug peddling. While issuing directives to take stern action against individuals involved in producing counterfeit liquor and its smuggling, the Chief Minister said that the department should enforce the strictest penalties, including hefty fines, against such anti-social elements. Furthermore, he said that assets acquired by such individuals through illicit means should also be attached.

and religious sites, and obtaining approval from the Gram Panchayat should be made mandatory for not establishing such vends. He also asked the department to introduce a one-time settlement scheme to resolve pending tax issues for small traders.

Chairing a review meeting of the Excise and Taxation Department, Saini directed the officers to intensify efforts to combat drug peddling across the state. He instructed that a dedicated portal be developed, enabling people to report drug peddling activities online. Those providing such information will also be rewarded, with their identities kept confidential.

Saini further stated that during enforcement actions by the Excise and Taxation Department targeting tax evasion and fake liquor, if any evidence of drug smuggling or related products is discovered, appropriate action should be taken against the accused, in coordination with the police. Apart from this, the provisions for tax evasion of illegal liquor will be further tightened. Also, changes will be made in the Punjab Excise Act, 1914.

During the meeting, it was informed that Haryana ranks fifth in the country for overall GST collection. Moreover, in the category of major states, Haryana holds the top position for per capita GST collection. It was also shared that the Excise and Taxation Department is expected to collect over Rs 63,000 crore in revenue in the budget estimate for the fiscal year 2024-25. In addition, the Chief Minister directed the department to explore new avenues to enhance revenue generation in the next fiscal.

To effectively curb drug smuggling, he emphasized the need for coordinated efforts between the Excise and Taxation Department, the Haryana State Narcotics

He also instructed that liquor vends in rural areas should be located at a sufficient distance from homes, schools,

It was decided in the meeting that the manpower of the department will be increased so that revenue can be collected more effectively. Apart from this, a training center will also be set up for the training of excise and taxation officers.

Punjab Govt Doubles Depot Holders' Commission After 8 Years

PNS ■ CHANDIGARH

To bolster the welfare of depot holders and improve food distribution systems, the Punjab Government on Friday announced to increase the commission for ration depot holders from Rs 50 to Rs 90 per quintal. The decision, announced after an eight-year gap, will benefit 14,400 depot holders across the state, ensuring better income stability for those supporting the Public Distribution System (PDS). The increased commission will be implemented starting April 2024, with the State Government already allocating Rs 38 crore for the purpose.

ically catering to 800 beneficiaries, would see an annual increase in earnings from Rs 24,200 to Rs 43,200. The initiative is expected to address long-standing demands by depot holders, who have been advocating for fair remuneration for years.

ernment aims to enhance food accessibility for citizens while creating new opportunities for depot holders.

Punjab Food, Civil Supplies, and Consumer Affairs Minister Lal Chand Kataruchak, addressing a press conference in Chandigarh, highlighted the financial benefits of the hike. He explained that a depot holder managing 200 ration cards, typ-

The Minister clarified that this decision was greenlit by Chief Minister Bhagwant Mann, emphasizing the government's commitment to ensuring the economic welfare of those serving in the food security sector.

The Minister also noted that the annual commission allocated for depot holders has increased to Rs 78.4 crore. Of this, Rs 17.4 crore will be funded directly by the State Government, highlighting its commitment to improving public welfare through robust financial support.

Punjab CM Seeks World Bank Support to Address State's Key Challenges, Drive Growth

PNS ■ CHANDIGARH

Punjab Chief Minister Bhagwant Mann on Friday called for the World Bank's full support in addressing the major challenges the state is currently facing, emphasizing the need for financial assistance to accelerate growth, improve public services, and safeguard the environment.

Government's reform agenda, which focuses on fiscal prudence, better governance, and improved service delivery — all aimed at enhancing the quality of life for the state's citizens. With a solid track record of implementing reforms, Punjab is well-positioned to make substantial progress with the right financial backing, Mann added.

He explained the steps being taken to conserve groundwater and reduce the depletion of this vital resource. Efforts to revive old water courses and line canals to increase surface water usage are central to these initiatives. The government's commitment to these efforts has already yielded positive results, with groundwater levels increasing by approximately one meter over the past two years, he added.

The Chief Minister, in a significant meeting with the World Bank Country Director for India Auguste Tano Kouamé, presented a compelling case for the Bank's involvement in Punjab's developmental projects. Highlighting Punjab's commitment to fiscal resilience and institutional reform, the Chief Minister stressed the importance of external financial support to achieve the state's development priorities. He outlined the

The proposed financial support would target several key areas, including infrastructure development, human resource development, and social welfare initiatives, which are vital to the state's growth trajectory. The Chief Minister said that with World Bank's assistance, Punjab is poised for a major leap forward in economic prosperity. One of the most pressing issues discussed was the environment, which Mann said is the State Government's top pri-

In addition to water conservation, the Chief Minister highlighted the state's solarization program for agricultural pump sets. This initiative aims to drastically reduce farmers' electricity costs while boosting their income. Mann expressed confidence that, within five years, a significant portion of Punjab's agricultural pumps could be solarized.

DCs and SPs in Himachal to address public grievances twice a week

PNS ■ SHIMLA

All Deputy Commissioners and Superintendents of Police in the state will address public grievances twice a week in their offices as per the directions of Chief Minister Sukhvinder Singh Sukhu, officials said on Friday. A notification has been issued in this regard by the Secretary, Administrative Reforms.

the days, the officials will attend to their duties on the next working day. These instructions were given by the chief minister during the DC-SP's conference held in Shimla on November 7 and 8.

in Himachal Pradesh while the number of police districts in the state is 14 with Nurpur and Baddi being two additional police districts.

According to the notification, the DCs and SPs will address public grievances on Mondays and Thursdays. If a public holiday falls on either of

The CM had emphasised the need for timely resolution of public issues to avoid unnecessary delay in solving their grievances. "The DCs are a vital link in ensuring good governance. Addressing grievances at district level in a timely manner will provide relief to the public and enhance administrative efficiency," Sukhu said. There are 12 revenue districts

As part of this commitment, the government has also launched the 'Sarkar Gaon Ke Dwar' initiative, under which ministers will also visit the rural areas to listen and resolve issues of the citizens. The government has also resolved over 2.5 lakh pending revenue cases through 'lok adalats', relieving people from repeated visits to government offices.

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PRIZE AMOUNT FOR SELLER : ₹ 10 LAKHS

PRIZE AMOUNT FOR SUB-STOCKIST : ₹ 5 LAKHS

TOTAL PRIZE AMOUNT ₹ 1.65 CRORES

1st PRIZE WILL BE DRAWN OUT OF SOLD TICKETS ONLY

2nd Prize Amount for Winner

₹10 LAKHS

PRIZE AMOUNT FOR SELLER

₹ 1,00,000

PRIZE AMOUNT FOR SUB-STOCKIST

₹ 50,000

TOTAL PRIZE AMOUNT ₹ 11.50 LAKHS

3rd Prize Amount for Winner

₹ 5 LAKHS

PRIZE AMOUNT FOR SELLER

₹ 50,000

PRIZE AMOUNT FOR SUB-STOCKIST

₹ 20,000

TOTAL PRIZE AMOUNT ₹ 5.70 LAKHS

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Rank	Prize Amount for Winners ₹	Prize Amount for Sellers ₹	Prize Amount for Sub-Stockist ₹
1	1,50,00,000	10,00,000	5,00,000
2	10,00,000	1,00,000	50,000
3	5,00,000	50,000	20,000
4	5,000	500	50
5	3,000	500	50
6	500	50	10

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मधु चालू पुरो वही नवासा निवासी सन 2018-19/01/15/71 dated: 07/03/2018. The owner was not in possession of original old sale deed bearing vaska no. 13885 dated: 20/11/2002 as the same has been lost. Despite best efforts he could not find it. DDR no. 8 dated: 01/08/2011 has been lodged with P.S. S.B.S. Nagar, Ludhiana. Now owner is selling his said property to Manpreet Singh S/o Avtar Singh, who is availing loan from Union Bank of India, Ludhiana. In case any body has any objection for the same then he/she may contact bank within 5 days of this notice. Thereafter no claim of any kind whatsoever shall be entertained.

PUBLIC NOTICE
It is inform General Public that M/s Sachdeva Building Contractors Pvt. Ltd. is owner of property/house no. 81-E measuring 150 Sq. Yds., M.C. No. B-36-81-E, out of Kharsa No. 62/19, Khata No. 1435/1594, jambaundi for the year 2011-12, situated at Village Sunet, Abadi Shaheed Bhagat Singh Nagar, Tehsil & Distt. Ludhiana, vide sale deed vaska no. 2018-19/01/15/71 dated: 07/03/2018. The owner was not in possession of original old sale deed bearing vaska no. 13885 dated: 20/11/2002 as the same has been lost. Despite best efforts he could not find it. DDR no. 8 dated: 01/08/2011 has been lodged with P.S. S.B.S. Nagar, Ludhiana. Now owner is selling his said property to Manpreet Singh S/o Avtar Singh, who is availing loan from Union Bank of India, Ludhiana. In case any body has any objection for the same then he/she may contact bank within 5 days of this notice. Thereafter no claim of any kind whatsoever shall be entertained.

PUBLIC NOTICE
It is notified for the information of the general public and all concerned with the property No. Flat No. 826 8th floor, type B. GH-3 Housing Board Colony, Sector-31, Panchkula, Haryana, which stands in the name of Sh. Myan Singh S/o Sh. Banwari Lal Nain R/o Village-Amarargh, Narwana, Jind, Haryana as per record of this office it has been reported by the applicant is Sh. Myan Singh S/o Sh. Banwari Lal Nain R/o Village-Amarargh, Narwana, Jind, Haryana was the owner of the property applied for General transfer on 14.10.2024 has applied for the General transfer for the said property in his/her name on the basis of documents of General transfer Policy Smt. Geeta Devi W/o Sh. Naresh Kumar R/o Village-Ramana, Bakal, Kathal, which may furnish their objection in writing in the office of the undersigned within 30 days from the date of publication of this notice, failing which this property shall be transferred accordingly and no further claim whatsoever shall be entertained later on.

PUBLIC NOTICE
It is notified for the information of the general public and all concerned with the property No. Shop No. 8, Housing Board Colony, Sec-10, Housing Board Colony Ambala Haryana, which stands in the name of Late Sh. Sajjan Singh Multani S/o Sh. Nanak Singh Multani as per record of this office it has been reported by the applicant that Late Sh. Sajjan Singh Multani S/o Sh. Nanak Singh Multani who was the owner of this property died 12.03.2004 and claimed applied for the transfer for the said property in there name on the basis of intestate death of Late Sh. Sajjan Singh Multani S/o Sh. Nanak Singh Multani, if anybody have any objection for transfer of the said property in favour of the applicant, Sh. Sukhpreet Singh Multani S/o Late Sh. Sajjan Singh Multani R/o H.No. 494, HBC, Sec-9, Ambala City, Haryana they may furnish their objection in writing in the office of the undersigned within 30 days from the date of publication of this notice, failing which this property shall be transferred accordingly and no further claim whatsoever shall be entertained later on.

Lost & Found
I, Jatinder Singh S/o Pritam Singh, R/o District: Panchkula, State: Haryana, P.S: Pinjore Pin: 134102 Tehsil: Kalka Village: Manakpur Nanakchand Pinjore India, declare that I lost my Sale Deed No 2810/1 dated 04.12.2017 lost Date: 27.11.2024 at Kalka. If anyone finds the sale deed please send it to the above mentioned address.

सार्वजनिक सूचना
इस पब्लिक नोटिस के माफिक जन्म-मरण का मुद्रित किताब है कि प्र. श्री गुरचरण सिंह वल्ला वृत्त नं. 1, अमरगढ़ सिंगल प्रिनारि ह.नो. 3868 कच्छा बाजार, अम्बाला हरियाणा, जो प्रिनारि ह.नो. 3868 के रिजिस्ट्रार के कार्यालय में प्रकटन के 15 दिन के अंदर-अंदर अपील दर्ज करवा सकता है। यदि प्र. श्री गुरचरण सिंह वल्ला के परिवार के कोई सदस्य या कोई अन्य व्यक्ति इस सूचना के माफिक कोई भी दावा करना चाहता है तो उसे अपने दावे के माफिक लिखित रूप में प्रकटन के 15 दिन के अंदर-अंदर अपील दर्ज करवा देना चाहिए। अन्यथा इस सूचना के माफिक कोई भी दावा नहीं किया जा सकेगा।

LOST & FOUND
I, Vishal S/o Dilbag Singh R/o House no. 51 Ekta Colony, Karnal, declare that property registry Kharsa no. 1363/446 Vaska no. 495, registry dated 23.04.2021 which is in the name of Shanti Devi has lost in Karnal on 1st November 2024. Anyone who finds it should contact the above address.

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PUBLIC NOTICE
It is notified for the information of the general public and all concerned with the property No. Shop No. 1854 M/G, Housing Board Colony, Sec-10, Housing Board Colony Ambala Haryana, which stands in the name of Late Sh. Sajjan Singh Multani S/o Sh. Nanak Singh Multani as per record of this office.

PUBLIC NOTICE
It is hereby notified for the information of the general public and all concerned with the following property: No. 1464/2012, allotment No. 13842, Re-allotment No. 12953, Re-allotment 12932, Re-allotment 1273, occupation no. 12203 and lost at Sec-8 Market Karnal and lost date 10.12.2019 if someone found plz contact my address

SMFG India Home Finance Co. Ltd.
(Formerly Fullerton India Home Finance Co. Ltd.)
Corporate Office: 503 & 504, 5th Floor, Park, Inskip BKC, BKC Main Road, Bandra Kurla Complex, Bandra (E), Mumbai - 400015
Regd. Off.: Cornerzone IT Park, Tower B, 1st Floor, No. 111, Mooni Poonamale Road, Pauri, Chennai - 600116

POSSESSION NOTICE FOR IMMOVABLE PROPERTY [(Appendix IV) Rule 8(1)]
WHEREAS the undersigned being the Authorized Officer of SMFG India Home Finance Co. Ltd. (Formerly Fullerton India Home Finance Co. Ltd.) a Housing Finance Company (fully registered with National Housing Company (Fully Owned by RBI)) (hereinafter referred to as "SMHFC") under Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (SARFESI Act, 2002), and in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 13(2) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued Demand Notice dated mentioned below under Section 13(2) of the said Act calling upon you being the borrowers (names mentioned below) to repay the amount mentioned in the said notice and interest thereon within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice. The borrowers mentioned herein below having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers mentioned herein below and to the public in general that the undersigned has taken Possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on me under sub-section (4) of Section 13 of the Act read with Rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002. The borrowers mentioned herein are in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with said property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of "SMHFC" for an amount as mentioned herein under and interest thereon.

Sl. No.	Name of the Borrower(s) / Guarantor(s) LAN	Description of Secured Assets (Immovable Property)	Demand Notice Date & Amount	Date of Possession
1.	LAN :- 610139211201815 1. Gursewak Singh 2. Veerpal Kaur	One House Measuring 5 Marla 1/91 Share 22 Kanala, 15 Marla's Composed in Khawat No. 1653 Khatori No. 2995 Kharsa No. 1466(22-15) at Dashedh Nagar, Street 4B Mukatsar-I.H.B. No. 54 Tehsil and Distt. Mukatsar.	Rs. 36,92,385/- (Rs. Thirty Six Lakh Ninety Two Thousand Three Hundred Eighty Five Only) as on 12.12.2023	28.11.2024

Authorized Officer, SMFG INDIA HOME FINANCE CO. LTD. (Formerly Fullerton India Home Finance Co. Ltd.)

PIRAMAL CAPITAL & HOUSING FINANCE LTD.
CIN: L65910MH1984PLC032839
Registered Office: 801, 8th Floor, Piramal Amli Building, Piramal Agastya Corporate Park, Kanani Junction, Opp. Fire Station, LBS Marg, Kuria, West, Mumbai - 400070. T+91 22 3802 4000
Branch Office: SCO 16-17, 2nd Floor, Firoze Gandhi Market, Opp. Ludhiana Stock Exchange, Ludhiana 141001

Loan Code No. (Co-Borrower's)	Demand Notice Date and Amount	Property Address -final	Reserve Price	Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) (10% of RP)	Outstanding Amount (28-11-2024)
Loan Code No. 1780003555, Patalia (Branch), Akash Kumar Sharma (Borrower), Priya Sharma (Co-Borrower 1)	22-12-2022 Rs. 10,40,500/- (Rs. Ten Lakh Forty Thousand Five Hundred Six Only)	All The Piece and Parcel of The Property Having An Extent: Sukhran Colony Rakha Rasulpur Saldan Nee Na Dr. Chada Dr. Chada Patalia Patalia Punjab in 147001 Boundaries as North: House 29*4 South: House of Joinder Panday 26*4 East: Street 21*6 West: Plot 21*6	Rs. 79,380/- (Rs. Seventy Nine Thousand Three Hundred Eighty Only)	Rs. 14,24,052/- (Rs. Fourteen Lakh Twenty Four Thousand Three Hundred Eighty Only)	Rs. 14,24,052/- (Rs. Fourteen Lakh Twenty Four Thousand Three Hundred Eighty Only)

STATUTORY 15 DAYS SALE NOTICE UNDER SARFESI ACT TO THE BORROWER/GUARANTOR / MORTGAGOR
The above mentioned Borrower/Guarantor are hereby notified to pay the sum as mentioned in section 13(2) notice in full with accrued interest till date before the date of auction, failing which property will be auctioned/sold and balance dues if any will be recovered with interest and cost from borrower/guarantor.
Date : November 30, 2024
Place : Punjab

PUBLIC NOTICE
Branch Office: ICICI Bank Limited Plot No.-23, Shal Tower, 3rd Floor, New Rohtak Road, Karol Bagh, New Delhi-110005

The following borrower(s) has/have defaulted in the repayment of principal and interest towards the Loan facility(ies) availed from ICICI Bank. The Loan(s) has/have been classified as Non-Performing Asset(s) (NPA).
A Notice was issued to them under Section 13(2) of the Securitisation and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, at their last known addresses. However, it has not been served and are therefore being notified by way of this Public Notice.

Sr. No.	Name of the Borrower/ Co-Borrower/ Guarantor (Loan Account Number) & Address	Description of Secured Asset to be enforced	Date of Notice sent/ Outstanding as on Date of Notice	NPA Date
1.	Roll Top Info Tech, Rajinder Kumar, Seema Rani, 057805500763, Represented by Proprietor Rajinder Kumar, B XXXI, 7208- Guru Arjun Dev Nagar, Punjab, Ludhiana - 141001	Property Bearing House No. B-33-7208, Property Mesuring Area 100 Sq. Yds. Comprised In Kharsa No 727, 1806/725 Khatta No 732/789, 57/6 As Per Jamabandi For Year 2007-08 Situated At Village Taraj Saldan H.B No. 172, Abadi Known As Guru Arjun Dev Nagar, Tehsil & District Ludhiana, Punjab.	18/10/2024 Rs. 28,26,824.03/-	02/08/2024

These steps are being taken for substituted service of Notice. The above borrower(s) and/or guarantor(s) (as applicable) is/are advised to make the outstanding payment within 60 days from the date of publishing this Notice. Else, further steps will be taken as per the provisions of the Securitisation and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002.

शेन्ट बैंक होम फायनेन्स लिमिटेड
Cent Bank Home Finance Limited
Branch Office- SCO 43, First Floor, Sector - 4, Panchkula, Haryana-134112, Ph.: 0172-315728

APPENDIX IV [RULE 8(1)] POSSESSION NOTICE FOR IMMOVABLE PROPERTY
WHEREAS, the undersigned being the Authorized Officer of the CENT BANK HOME FINANCE LTD., Branch Office SCO 43, First Floor, Sector 4, Panchkula, UNDER THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002 (Act. No. 54 of 2002) and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13(2) read with Rule 9 of the security interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a Demand Notice to mentioned borrowers, to repay the amount mentioned in the notices within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice. The Borrowers having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the Borrowers and the public in general that the undersigned has taken PHYSICAL POSSESSION of the properties described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under section 13(4) of the said Act read with the rule 8 of the said rules on the below mentioned dates. The borrowers in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the properties/ies and any dealings with the properties/ies will be subject to the charge of CENT BANK HOME FINANCE LIMITED, Branch Office SCO 43, First Floor, Sector -4, Panchkula, Haryana-134112.

Name & Address of the Borrower(s)	Description of the Property	Date of Demand Notice	Amount in Demand Notice (₹)
Sh. Krishan Dev S/o Sh. Sadhu Ram and Mrs. Baljit Kaur W/o Sh. Krishan Dev.	Shop No. 15 measuring 1 Marla bearing Khawat / Khatori No. 13/14 comprised under Kharsa No. 8/20/14/5-5, 21(1-5), 9/116/6(1-3), 17(7-6), 24(8-0), 25(6-17), 11/4(6-0), 5(0-8), 7(1-6), Kitee 9, land measuring 43 Kanal 0 Marla share to the extent of 1/860 share i.e. 1 Marla situated at Village Zirakpur, Hadabst No. 235, M.C. and Sub. Tehsil Zirakpur, Tehsil Derabassi & Distt. SAS Nagar, Mohali. Boundaries of the property are as under- By East: Road; By West: Other Property; By North: Shop No.16; By South: Shop No.14.	02.08.2021 27.11.2024 (Physical Possession)	16,97,533/- + applicable interest and other charges

Authorized Officer, Cent Bank Home Finance Ltd, Panchkula

HIMACHAL PRADESH JAL SHAKTI VIBHAG
SHORT NOTICE INVITING E-TENDER

Sr. No.	Description	E/ Cost	E/Money	Time	Cost of Form
1	R/M of LWSS to Nahana Town from Giri river at Dadahu in Tehsil Dadahu Distt. Simour HP (SH: - C/o additional room for staff with toilet at sub division building Dadahu).	7,70,756/-	15,415/-	3 Months	250/-
2	Providing of LIS Dhakwala Kherwala in Tehsil Nahana Distt. Simour HP (SH: - Replacement of centrifugal pumping machinery with allied accessories).	5,90,000/-	11,800/-	1 Month	250/-
3	C/O Multipurpose low height Dam at Patahar Khad near village Khatana in Tehsil Nahana Distt. Simour HP (SH: - C/O 1 No RCC Irrigation collection tank 120000 ltrs capacity, wire crate, 17 Nos RCC pillar for Nallah crossing, 1 No Low Height Dam at Patahar Khad, 10 Nos RCC outlets chamber, L/U/Testing HDPE pipeline of various dia in distribution system and Providing and fixing spillway gates for Low Height Dam).	94,29,671/-	1,26,797/-	6 Months	800/-

1. Tender documents and other instructions can be downloaded or viewed online from the portal <http://hptenders.gov.in> by the firms/individual registered on the website which is free of cost.
2. As the bids are to be submitted online are required to be encrypted and digitally signed, the bidders are advised to obtain Digital Signature Certificate (DSC) from suitable vendors or from any authorized agency at the earliest.
3. Key dates will be as under-
 - 1 Date of Online publication: 27/11/2024 AT 5:00 PM
 - 2 Downloading of e-tender Documents: From 27/11/2024 at 5:00 PM up to 9:00 AM on 09/12/2024
 - 3 Date of submission of e-tendering: From 02/12/2024 at 5:00 PM up to 11:00 AM on 09/12/2024
 - 4 Physical submit on of earnest money deposit and cost of tender documents: Up to 11:00 AM on 09/12/2024
 - 5 Date of opening of Cover -1 (Eligibility criteria) and Cover-2 (Technical bid): 09/12/2024 at 11:30 AM
 - 6 Date of Opening of Financial Bids Cover -2: Shall be intimated se parately.

Note:- Other Tender information may be checked online portal website: www.hptender.com
Executive Engineer
Jal Shakti Division
HIM SUCHANA AVAN JIAN SAMPARK
RO NO. 3582/2024-2025 Dated: 29-11-2024

NAME CHANGE
I Narendra Kumar Garg son of Shri Suresh Kumar resident of House No. 613, Ward No. 33, Kath Mandi, Rohtak declare that I have now changed my name from Narendra Kumar to Narendra Kumar Garg. In future I should be known as Narendra Kumar Garg.

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CNR NO.-PBLD03-043335-2021
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सार्वजनिक सूचना
इस पब्लिक नोटिस के माफिक जन्म-मरण का मुद्रित किताब है कि प्र. श्री गुरचरण सिंह वल्ला वृत्त नं. 1, अमरगढ़ सिंगल प्रिनारि ह.नो. 3868 कच्छा बाजार, अम्बाला हरियाणा, जो प्रिनारि ह.नो. 3868 के रिजिस्ट्रार के कार्यालय में प्रकटन के 15 दिन के अंदर-अंदर अपील दर्ज करवा सकता है। यदि प्र. श्री गुरचरण सिंह वल्ला के परिवार के कोई सदस्य या कोई अन्य व्यक्ति इस सूचना के माफिक कोई भी दावा करना चाहता है तो उसे अपने दावे के माफिक लिखित रूप में प्रकटन के 15 दिन के अंदर-अंदर अपील दर्ज करवा देना चाहिए। अन्यथा इस सूचना के माफिक कोई भी दावा नहीं किया जा सकेगा।

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PAPER WITH PASSION

Unjust arrest

The arrest of Chinmoy Krishna Das in Bangladesh underscores the persistent challenges faced by its religious minorities

The recent arrest of Chinmoy Krishna Das, a prominent Hindu monk and spokesperson for the Bangladesh Sammilit Sanatan Jagran Jote, has spotlighted the precarious situation of religious minorities in Bangladesh. Das, known for his advocacy on behalf of Hindu communities, was apprehended on sedition charges after a religious flag was reportedly hoisted above the Bangladeshi national flag during a rally in Chittagong. This incident has sparked heated debates, both domestically and internationally, about the treatment of minorities in Bangladesh and its implications for regional stability.

Chinmoy Krishna Das, a senior figure within ISKCON and leader of the 'Sanatan Jagaran Mancha,' has been vocal about the rights of Hindus in Bangladesh. His arrest follows an incident on October 25, when the ISKCON flag was placed above the Bangladeshi national flag at a protest. The act, perceived by authorities as a threat to national sovereignty, led to sedition charges under Bangladeshi law. While the government views the flag incident as an affront to national integrity, critics argue that the charges are politically motivated, aiming to suppress minority voices. Das and the 'Sanatan Jagaran Mancha' have articulated an eight-point agenda, emphasising structural reforms to protect minorities in Bangladesh. They are demanding a dedicated ministry for minority affairs and establishment of a tribunal to expedite justice for crimes against minorities and other safeguards for preserving their identity. Their demands reflect a long-standing plea for systemic changes to safeguard minority communities, which constitute approximately 10 per cent of Bangladesh's population. The arrest has triggered widespread criticism.

Former Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina condemned the government's action, calling for the monk's immediate release and emphasising the importance of religious freedom. The incident also drew attention to recent waves of violence against religious minorities, including the burning of a Hindu temple in Chittagong and attacks on other religious groups. This episode has exposed the interim government's struggle to maintain law and order, with opposition leaders accusing it of targeting minorities to divert attention from economic mismanagement and political instability. While New Delhi often raises concerns about the safety of Hindus in Bangladesh, it must tread cautiously to avoid exacerbating tensions. India's position must be consistent. While advocating for minority rights abroad, India must also reflect on its domestic challenges. Rising incidents of communal violence and rhetoric against minorities in India undermine its credibility on the global stage. By ensuring that its own minorities feel secure and respected, India can lead by example and strengthen its moral authority when engaging with Bangladesh. For Bangladesh, the way forward lies in embracing its pluralistic heritage and ensuring that all its citizens, regardless of faith, feel safe and valued. Only then can it achieve sustainable stability and international respect it deserves.

PICTALK



Artist paints a wall as beautification drive ahead of the Rising Rajasthan event, in Jaipur

Save India's elephants from multiple threats



HIARNMAY KARLEKAR

Encroachments on migration corridors, poaching and deadly interactions with humans and infrastructure are creating a precarious future for these gentle giants

According to the report, "The Status of Elephants in India 2022-23", there has been a nearly 20 per cent decline in India's elephant population between 2017 and 2022. Authorities have dubbed the printed version, compiled by the Wildlife Institute of India, which is under the Union Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change, as an interim report because census data from the country's north-eastern part have yet to be completed. The final report will be released by the end of June, 2025.

The final figures from the north-eastern part are unlikely to make a significant difference to the percentage of decline. This is because of the pattern of development in the region where, according to the report, elephant populations are scattered in a mosaic dominated by human habitations, tea plantations, mines, oil refineries and linear infrastructure (roads and railway lines), which makes their movements and lives precarious. Poaching for ivory is another menace.

More or less the same causes account for the challenges elephants face in other parts of the country. Not only are their habitats encroached upon, the 88 elephant corridors, through which the behemoths migrate for food and water, are encroached upon by human settlements and have railway lines and roads running across them.

While efforts have been made to ensure safe passage by building over-bridges for elephants to cross railway lines, most elephants do not use them and cross roads and railway lines on foot. Not surprisingly, over 200 of them have perished in train accidents over the last 10 years. Their habitats being encroached upon, and movements under pressure, elephants are migrating to new areas abutting human settlements. Human-elephant conflicts have consequently increased steeply, with the number of people killed increasing from 457 in 2018-19 to 605 in 2022-23. Three hundred elephants have been killed in the last three years. They



also suffer casualties as offshoots of wider human-animal conflict.

The killings are often done with appalling cruelty. On August 15, 2024, a cow elephant died in agony in Jhargram, West Bengal, after being pierced by a flaming spear by a band of about 35 men forming a "hulla" (loud noise) party—the nomenclature given to groups, armed with mashaals (flaming torches) and tasked by state forest departments with driving wild elephants away from human habitations. In this case, the party was reportedly mobilised by West Bengal's Forest department to chase away a herd of six elephants which had entered a human habitation and killed a senior citizen. The cow elephant continued to be hit even after she was wounded. Moving forward, dragging her hind feet and writhing in agony, she finally collapsed and died eight hours later despite the forest department's efforts to treat her.

A report by Jayashree Nandi and Joydeep Thakur in 'The Hindustan Times' dated August 20, 2024, quoted a representative of the Human & Environment Alliance League (HEAL), a Kolkata-based non-profit organisation, as saying, "Hulla drives happen in mob



WHILE EFFORTS HAVE BEEN MADE TO ENSURE SAFE PASSAGE BY BUILDING OVER-BRIDGES FOR ELEPHANTS TO CROSS RAILWAY LINES, MOST ELEPHANTS DO NOT USE THEM

situations... The elephants suffer emotional trauma because of these invasive measures, in addition to physical distress. There is an urgent need to completely stop the use of mashaals by state authorities to drive [out] elephants."

The report quoted an environmentalist, who had asked not to be named, as saying, that the whole idea behind having a hulla party was to chase elephants away by using light. "We know that animals are instinctively scared of fire. But we have seen in the past that hulla groups, employed by the forest department, are in [an] inebriated condition and resort to all kinds of horrific torture. Locals are extremely disturbed about this. Moreover, all corridors that can help these elephants escape are now encroached upon so conflict is rising."

Sometimes, death is a collateral development. On May 27, 2020, a pregnant elephant collapsed in Velliya river in Kerala's Palakkad district and died, after having stood there since May 25. According to the post-mortem report on the tragedy, the immediate cause of her death was drowning. On May 12, 2020, she had tried to eat a coconut that had been stuffed with explosives to kill wild boars that ate up crops.

The result was serious, incapacitating wounds in her oral cavity. "This," the post-mortem report continued, "resulted in excruciating pain and distress in the region and prevented the animal from taking food and water for nearly two weeks. Severe debility and weakness, in turn, resulted in a final collapse in water that led to drowning." According to a report by Sujit Bisoyi in 'The Indian Express' (dated November 18, 2024), three elephants, including a calf, died after falling into an electrified trap, laid by poachers for killing wild boars, in Odisha's Sambalpur district.

The question is: should wild boars be killed in this terrible way? The human-animal conflict is making demons out of people. Meanwhile, there is good news from across the border. Under the auspices of Four Paws, a global animal welfare organisation, Madhubala, an African elephant, was shifted on November 26, 2024, from the Karachi Zoo to Karachi Safari Park, to join her two sisters, Malika and Sonia, in open air. One hopes, brought from Africa when young, they live happily hereafter.

(The author is Consulting Editor, The Pioneer; the views expressed are personal)

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

REMEMBERING PHILLIP HUGHES

Madam — A decade has passed since the tragic death of the Australian cricketer Phillip Hughes. The painful irony is that Hughes was killed by the very game that he loved most. As a thumb rule, cricket ought to provide entertainment to all of us. But, in Hughes' demise, the game dealt a severe blow to the cricketing fraternity, from which it could not come to terms till today.

Numbers 408 and 63 that denote Hughes' Test cap and the last runs scored by him, respectively, will ever remain a shadow bigger than his frame. As the cricket world pauses to reflect on Hughes' contributions and untimely loss, the commemorations that Cricket Australia is preparing to pay a heartfelt tribute to him, marking his 10th death anniversary, serve as a reminder of the unity and resilience within the cricketing community. Hughes' legacy continues to inspire players and fans alike, reinforcing the profound and lasting impact he had on Australian cricket. Perhaps the bulbs that bloom on the grass at the Sydney Cricket Ground every day are not snowdrops but are droplets of tears in memory of the deceased young Australian cricketer.

Ranganathan Sivakumar | Chennai

PRIYANKA IN PARLIAMENT

Madam — History sometimes records the rarest of the rare incidence in its book and in Indian history, the Congress party is renowned for creating multiple such historic incidences. The Gandhi family has once again done something similar to having three members in the Parliament from one family only. After Sonia and Rahul Gandhi, the newest MP in the house, Priyanka Gandhi Vadra is all set to begin her new league in the temple of Indian democracy, the Indian parliament. Initiating her spectacular victory this election from Wayanad with the huge margin of around four lakh votes, Priyanka Gandhi Vadra is paving the way to represent the aspirations of Wayanad on the floor of Parliament itself. Her oath catch-

Ceasefire a huge respite for Lebanon



As propos to "Glimmer of Hope," published on November 28. The Lebanon ceasefire is definitely a huge respite. Over one million have been forced to flee their homes by Israeli military action and more than 3,500 citizens have been killed in Israeli attacks and

homes of tens of thousands have been destroyed. Though few people in Israel feel that this ceasefire would collapse as Netanyahu himself said that this is the time to give breathers to his forces and replenish stocks. The US and France will have to ensure that this ceasefire holds.

As of now, the Israeli army would remain in the southern part of Lebanon and adapt the wait-and-watch policy. Israel has eliminated the whole top leadership of Hezbollah and we should be hopeful that they do not backtrack. Lebanon should focus on rebuilding its battered infrastructure. It is a moment of cautious hope as peace has been elusive in this part of the world. Both parties should avoid provocations and prioritise the lives of civilians over the politics of war. The world would watch with bated breath.

Bal Govind | Noida

es the attention, as she holds the copy of the Constitution in her hand and takes the oath simultaneously.

Now, Priyanka Gandhi is also there, Rahul Gandhi, who is the current Leader of the Opposition from Congress, can represent the Opposition opinion more strongly. Priyanka can contribute the southern aspirations and perspective more explicitly due to her southern representation in the Parliament. Beginning the new political league at the parliament at the age of 52 needs strong zeal. She has taken the oath and become the Member of Parliament, we hope that she will be able to walk the talk and keep the Constitution at the epitome during her service period as MP.

Kirti Wadhawan | Kanpur

ONLINE SERVICES DISRUPTED

Madam — Since the afternoon of Thursday, November 28, people and companies using net banking and online services in the country have been facing problems. The OTP i.e. 'One Time Password,' that comes on the registered mobile number while making any transaction has start-

ed arriving very late. After which, on entering the OTP, a message comes that the 'One Time Password' has expired. This is happening because due to the new rules of the Telecom Regulatory Authority of India, i.e. TRAI, there has been a delay in receiving the One Time Password (OTP).

TRAI claims that under this, they want to ensure that online users do not become victims of any kind of cyber fraud. But to prevent them from becoming victims of fraud, the work of people, institutions and companies has now come to a halt. Now we will have to go back to the manual era and for every transaction like NEFT, i.e. National Electronic Fund Transfer and RTGS, i.e. 'Real Time Gross Settlement' fund transfer work, we will have to stand in queues at the counters of banks. These transactions will not be possible on holidays. TRAI needs to reconsider its decision. This will start having an adverse effect on the business of billions of rupees every day.

Jang Bahadur Singh | Jamshedpur

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Antimicrobial resistance: An invisible risk for women health

With AMR deaths projected to exceed 10 million annually by 2050, a gender-sensitive, intersectional approach is critical to tackling this silent epidemic

When antibiotics or antimicrobials, impactful the first few times, lose their efficacy as their intake increases, sometimes unthinkingly and unnecessarily, it indicates that the bacteria, fungi, viruses and parasites it was being used to treat have become resistant to these drugs. Prevention and treatment of infections then become increasingly difficult and can lead to fatal consequences. While this antimicrobial resistance (AMR) is invisible, the people affected by it are not. In 2021, deaths linked to AMR numbered a staggering 4.7 million and approximately 1.5 million were directly caused by it.

Worryingly, India has one of the world's highest AMR rates. Equally worrying is that the impacts of AMR are not the same for everyone. Since the drivers of AMR in India include lack of access to clean water, sanitation and hygiene (WASH), and limited access to healthcare facilities among others, AMR disproportionately affects certain groups compared with others. Thus, marginalised and vulnerable communities, espe-



cially women, face a higher risk of acquiring bacterial infections, including drug-resistant infections and AMR. It is a good fact that women face more barriers to accessing health information than men. Limited mobility prevents them from attending public health awareness events and learning about the safe use of antibiotics.

Low levels of education lead to ignorance on the use and misuse of antibiotics not just for themselves, but for their children also. Studies have found that misuse of antibiotics while breastfeeding can contribute to the development of AMR, particularly in intestinal microbiota in a child, through breast milk transfer. They are more prone to seeking antibiotics to get better as fast as possible, to

work. Medicines used for self-medication are often purchased without prescriptions from unlicensed local shops as limited financial resources often dictate whether it is worth paying a visit to a health facility.

It has been proven that treating viral infections with antibiotics, not buying the full course of treatment, interrupting treatment and sharing medicines can lead to an increased risk of AMR with the emergence of resistant strains of bacteria. Sexual orientation and associated sexual behaviours among individuals also contribute to the risks of acquiring AMR. Laws that criminalise homosexual relationships coupled with stigma are deterrents to health-seeking behaviour by key populations such as men having sex with men (MSM), lesbian, gay, bi, trans, queer and other identities (LGBTQ+) individuals. This enhances their exposure to pathogens, such as an increased risk of sexually transmitted infections (STIs) and antimicrobial drug resistance. Gender-based violence also plays a significant role in AMR among women.

Multiple studies have shown that women, including married women, are at a higher risk than men of being exposed to STIs through sexual violence, having a spouse with multiple partners, male resistance to condom use and women's low ability to negotiate safe sex. This increases women's risk of contracting STIs, particularly gonorrhoea, one of the most transmitted STIs which has the potential for drug resistance. The more frequent the UTIs, the greater the use of ciprofloxacin and the higher the risk of AMR. With the possibility of deaths associated with AMR rising to over 10 million annually by 2050, there is an urgent need to adopt a robust intersectional approach. Greater data disaggregated by sex, gender, disability, geographical location, occupation, sexual orientation and socio-economic status is urgently needed to implement policies to prevent AMR, especially among women, LGBTQ, people living with HIV and other vulnerable groups.

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RAVI VALLURI

On your marks, set, go. The gunshot fired and the cauldron rose rambunctiously as Usain Bolt scorched the track, adding to his ever-growing tally of medals. Contrast this with Indian athletes. Why is our mind prepared for the also-ran? Indian athletes need to possess the single-minded pursuit, the talent, the eye and the mind of an Arjuna. He was a successful archer as he honed his skills and had immense faith in his Guru—Dronacharya and his sakha – Lord Krishna. He was rewarded by both. Lord Krishna blessed him with a divine vision to capture the SOHAM Swaroop, the Vishwarup Darshan. Dronacharya equipped his favourite tutee by filling his arsenal with all the weaponry at his disposal. The elasticity, malleability and humility of Arjuna's mind enabled him to conquer his fears and his opponents, by fortuitously overcoming the cobwebs in his mind. Arjuna's mind was Ajatashatru and thus became his ally. True, the spirit and motto of the Olympics as coined by Pierre de Coubertin in 1894 was and is Citiuis, Altius, Fortius (Faster, Higher, Stronger), and one should play in the spirit of sportsmanship. But the drive to excel and stand at the podium is dismally missing. The passion to climb, not clamber to the podium, What makes the minds of those athletes tick, where we fail? We do not possess the wherewithal. Cricket remains the Holy Grail of the nation and these days it is the Indian Premier League that dominates our sporting arena. At one end of the spectrum is cricket and all other sports are at the other end. It is



a virtual denouncing of all other sports. Sakshi Malik, Olympic bronze medalist works with the Northern Railway and the first woman Olympic silver medalist, PV Sindhu's father is the sports officer of South-Central Railway. The mindsets of these women of substance were akin to Ajatashatru as they turned around gruelling situations into triumphant ones.

These mindsets indicate the indomitable spirit which should be embraced by all sportspersons. The mindset and approach of the Ministry of Sports need to be altered radically. The administration of this department needs a vigorous overhaul. Indian Railways and Indian Defence Forces should be actively involved in revamping the moribund organisation along with the participation of the private sector to provide an adequate corpus of funds through their Corporate Social Responsibility programme. However, doubts should not arise in the corners of the minds of the administrators. They should be willing to take the risks. Their minds too should be flexible in approach and become Ajatashatru. Most sportspersons find relaxation with the latest gizmos and listening to music and in the entertainment industry. Perhaps it will be a profitable exercise to begin the rigorous schedule by practising yoga, and pranayama and then resume their normal routine. The day should end with the practice of Sudarshan Kriya and meditation. This will make the bodies and minds supple. Several East Asian countries and China follow a regimen of spiritual teachings like Vipassana to enhance the quality of performance of their athletes. China takes several pages from the works of Tsung Tzu to learn the craft of war to train the minds of their sportspersons. This dynamic approach produces champions. "Endurance is one of the most difficult disciplines, but it is to the one who endures that the final victory comes," said Buddha. It is a matter of honour to climb the podium. Let us begin our preparations yesterday with earnestness and train our sportspersons to become truly Ajatashatru.

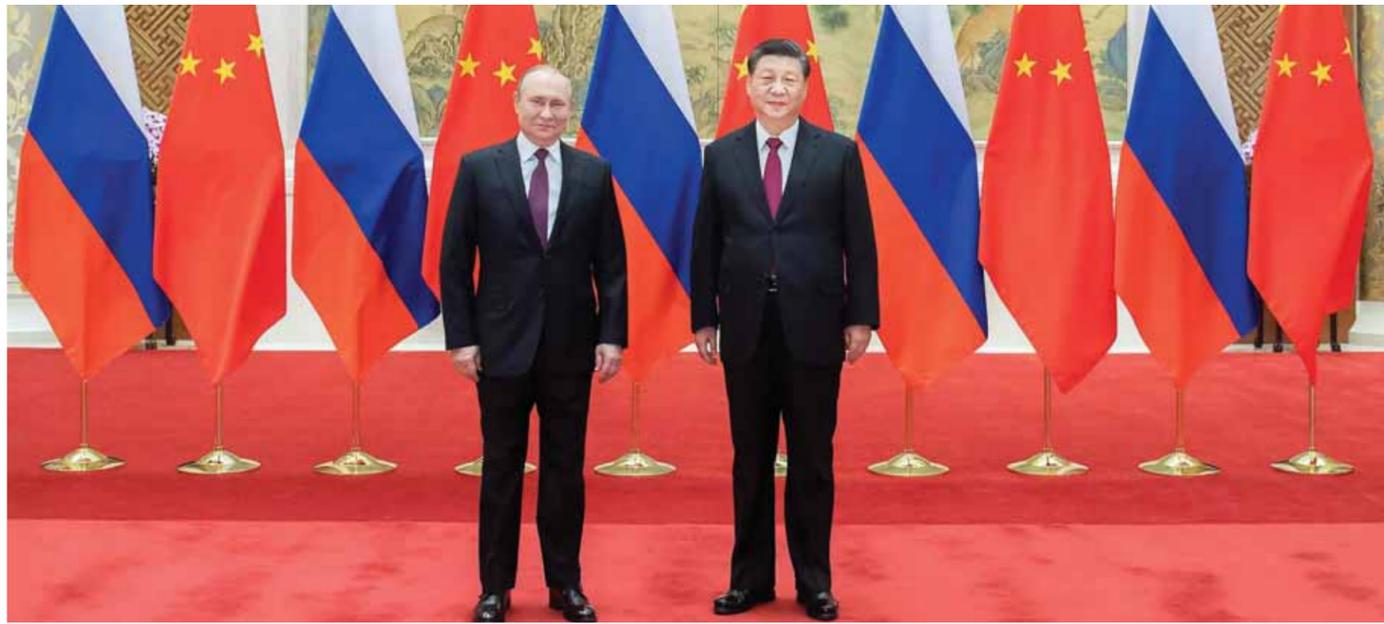
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The Eastern challenge to Western supremacy



NILANTHA LANGAMUWA

As alliances between Eastern nations grow stronger, the American-led global order faces an existential challenge—one that could redefine the world's balance of power



What if everything you've been told about global conflicts is a carefully crafted narrative, designed to obscure the true motives behind the wars shaping our world? What if the West, in its pursuit of global dominance, has been engineering not only conflicts but also economic crises to maintain an order that ensures its supremacy? From secret military operations to covert sabotage of vital infrastructure, the unsettling reality is far darker and more strategic than we're led to believe.

Take, for example, the US Space Force's secret X-37B spacecraft, a classified project performing manoeuvres unknown to the public. Officially seen as a technological marvel for testing new military systems, the X-37B reveals the West's obsession with space as the final frontier of warfare—a new realm for control, surveillance, and preparation for conflict beyond terrestrial borders. In Europe, Germany is quietly preparing for a war that might never be fought, but whose consequences will be felt across generations. The German government has begun drawing up plans for the construction and expansion of bunkers, turning buildings—metro stations, and underground car parks—into fortified shelters in case of conflict. The reasons for these preparations are not openly discussed, but anyone with a cursory knowledge of geopolitics can understand the strategic intent. At the heart of this is the fear of Russia, a fear that has taken root despite decades of diplomatic agreements and economic cooperation. But the true motive behind these moves, hidden beneath the veil of defence, is not just survival. It's about keeping Europe within the American orbit—controlling the narrative and preventing the rise of any bloc that might dare to challenge the order established in the aftermath of the Cold War. As the West tightens its grip on the war



ECONOMIC SANCTIONS, COVERT OPERATIONS, AND POLITICAL MANIPULATION ARE BUT TOOLS IN THE WEST'S ARSENAL, DEPLOYED TO DIVIDE AND CONQUER, ENSURING THAT PEACE BETWEEN CHINA, RUSSIA AND INDIA REMAINS AN UNTHINKABLE PROSPECT

in Ukraine, a much larger game is unfolding—one rooted in economic sabotage, echoing dark chapters from WWI and WWII. During WWI, the British naval blockade led to over 750,000 German deaths from starvation, while in WWII, both Axis and Allied powers exploited occupied economies. The US used sanctions and trade embargoes to cripple Germany, Japan, and Italy, before later pushing the Marshall Plan to prevent Soviet expansion. WWII's hidden agenda was to establish a new global economic order, cemented by institutions like the IMF and World Bank. Today, the destruction of the Nord Stream pipelines, a symbol of the West's desperation, exemplifies the lengths to which the West will go to control European energy resources. While it harms the German public and European markets, the US and its allies benefit from the uncertainty and dependence on their energy exports. This isn't a mere accident; it's economic warfare to weaken Russia and prevent Germany from growing too independent. A fragmented Europe is far easier to control than a self-sufficient one. But the true target of the West's fear is not merely Russia. It is the potential unity between China, India and Russia. These nations, once seen as geopolitical rivals, are now forging alliances that threaten to upend the balance of power in a way that the West cannot tolerate. The prospect of India, the world's most populous country, rising to become the third-largest economy in the world in the next few years is a nightmare for the West. India, with its growing manufac-

turing sector, burgeoning technological innovation, and rapidly expanding middle class, represents an existential threat to the economic order that has been so carefully crafted by the West over the last century. But there's something even more dangerous: the potential for India, China, and Russia to align themselves strategically, creating a bloc that could challenge the very foundations of the American-led global system. This is not mere conjecture. The relationship between these nations is growing stronger by the day, driven by mutual interests in trade, energy, and security. India's role as a bridge between the East and West has already made it a key player in the global economy, and its rise is inevitable—unless, of course, the West can sabotage it. From the ongoing conflict with Pakistan to the subtle manoeuvring within India's border countries, the West's tactics are clear: prevent India from becoming too powerful, too independent. The rise of India would disrupt the existing order, unseating the US dollar's global dominance, challenging the West's monopoly over technological innovation, and upsetting the very structure of global trade. For years, the West has maintained a delicate balance by keeping China, India, and Russia in a state of disunity, playing them off each other whenever possible. This disunity has been the foundation of Western power in the modern world, preventing the rise of any one nation that could unite the East and threaten the West's economic hegemony. The more these nations grow closer, the more the West fears

losing its control over global affairs. A united East is the ultimate nightmare, and the West will stop at nothing to ensure it never happens. Economic sanctions, covert operations, and political manipulation are but tools in the West's arsenal, deployed to divide and conquer, ensuring that peace between China, Russia, and India remains an unthinkable prospect. But what if India, China, and Russia do unite? What if they form a powerful bloc, in addition to BRICS but similar to Five Eyes or AUKUS, one that can rival the economic and military might of the West? The very notion of peace in this region—the idea that these nations could cooperate, trade, and build mutual trust—strikes at the heart of Western strategy. Peace in the East is the West's greatest fear, and the possibility of such a peace emerging in the wake of current geopolitical turmoil is something the West cannot allow. It is the very foundation of the Western empire that stands on the brink of collapse, should this unity ever come to pass. If unity is ensured, the East may finally break free from the chains of Western manipulation, and the world may look very different from how it does today. The question remains: can the West survive in a world where it no longer controls the narrative, the economy, or the very fate of nations? Only time will tell, but the signs are already clear—if the West doesn't change its course, it will be its actions that lead to its downfall. (The writer is a journalist and author; Views expressed are personal)

Trump re-elected as the US President: Nationalism rises amid global shifts

His re-election is set to influence US immigration, trade and foreign policies while creating ripple effects across the globe

Donald Trump has been re-elected as President of the United States, defeating Kamala Harris in a closely watched election. His return to power has sparked global speculation about potential shifts in US economic and social policies. Trump's previous tenure was marked by transformative changes, and his "America First" doctrine remains central to his administration. The Rise of Nationalism Globally, nationalism is surging amid challenges like globalisation, terrorism, religious extremism and economic upheaval. Trump's victory reflects this trend. During his first term, Trump emphasised reviving American manufacturing, limiting Chinese imports, and reform-



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ing immigration policies to protect American jobs. His proposal to build a US-Mexico border wall became symbolic of his immigration stance. Trump also advocated reducing costly military interventions abroad and fostered a controversial friendship with Russian President Vladimir Putin, breaking traditional US-Russia dynamics. These policies resonated with a significant portion of the

electorate, reinforcing Trump's popularity. Nationalism is also gaining traction in Europe. Post-World War II liberalism and globalisation have given way to a nationalist wave, driven by economic concerns and fears of societal erosion. Britain's Brexit epitomised this shift, and several European nations, including Italy, Finland and Hungary, now have nationalist governments. Even traditionally liberal countries like Germany and France are witnessing growing influence from nationalist parties. Rising extremism, as seen in recent violent incidents in France and England, has further fueled public discontent with liberal immigration policies, rein-

forcing nationalist sentiments. Implications of victory of Nationalism Trump's win represents a significant setback for liberal ideologies, including Wokeism and leftist movements. His administration's emphasis on American nationalism underscores a rejection of policies perceived as prioritising minority appeasement or extremism. While Trump has praised the contributions of Hindus in America, he has also vowed to take a hardline stance against extremism, including deporting Muslim immigrants linked to groups like Hamas. The Biden administration's perceived support for liberal and leftist ideologies con-



trasts with Trump's firm nationalist agenda. His "America First" slogan signifies a broader rejection of extremism and a commitment to protecting US interests. This ideological divide is emblematic of a global realignment favoring nationalism.

Elon Musk's Role Elon Musk, a billionaire industrialist, played a pivotal role in the elections. Musk, a former critic of Trump, became a vocal supporter due to his personal experiences with Wokeism, particularly involving his family. California's Woke-influenced education policies led to a gender transition for Musk's son, causing a rift within his family. Disillusioned, Musk resolved to challenge Wokeism. After acquiring Twitter (now X), Musk reinstated Trump's account and actively supported his campaign. Musk's actions symbolise a broader cultural battle against Woke ideologies, aligning with Trump's nationalist narrative.

Trump's Victory and Its Impact on India Trump's presidency has significant implications for India. His tough stance on China aligns with India's interests, potentially encouraging global firms to view India as a manufacturing alternative. This could bolster India's Atmanirbhar Bharat initiative. However, Trump's protectionist policies, such as potential tariff hikes and restrictions on H-1B visas, might pose challenges for Indian exporters and IT firms. Trump's administration may also bring geopolitical benefits for India. Strengthening ties with both the US and Russia could enhance India's global positioning. While Trump's climate change stance might

hinder global environmental goals, his leadership could contribute to reducing extremism and terrorism, fostering stability. Conclusion Trump's re-election reflects a global shift toward nationalism, driven by dissatisfaction with liberal policies and rising concerns about extremism. His presidency promises significant changes in US domestic and foreign policies, emphasising economic protectionism, immigration reform, and geopolitical realignments. For India, Trump's leadership presents both opportunities and challenges, shaping its role in the evolving global landscape. (The author is Professor, PGDAV College, University of Delhi; views are personal)

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CHANGE OF NAME

I, Hukam Chand S/O Rameshwar Dayal Sharma R/O Beri Khurd (93), Rewari, Haryana-123401 have changed my name to Hukam Chand Sharma.

I, Harpreet Singh S/O Jaswinder Singh R/O # B006-01633-01, Ward No-10, Sector-14, Guru Teg Bahadur Nagar, Kharar, SAS Nagar (Mohali), Punjab-140301 have changed my name of my minor daughter Anhad Kaur aged 06 years to Kohinoor Kaur.

I, Rajan Kumar Alias Rajan Kumar S/O Paras Ram R/O Shri Sai Niwas House No-39, Opp-Town Hall, Model Town, Ferozepur, Punjab-152002 have changed my name to Rajan Kumar Chanana.

I, Anita Rani W/O Amit Kumar R/O Near Bus Stand VPO Dholwaha, Hoshiarpur, Punjab-144206 have changed my name to Anita Thakur.

I, Santokh Singh S/O Sangara Singh R/O Village -Lehal, Dhariwal, Tehsil/Distt- Gurdaspur, Pin-143519, Punjab, India. Have Changed My Name From Santosh Singh To Santokh Singh.

I, Darshana Devi Mother Of No. 2502063 Rank Nk Name Rahul Sharma Presently Residing At Vpo - Ranipur, Tehsil & Distt Pathankot (Punjab) Have Changed My Name From Darshana Devi To Darshana Devi Vide Affidavit No. In-Pb84071607463456w Dated 29-11-2024 Before Executive Magistrate Pathankot (Punjab).

I, Nanak Chand S/O Madan Lal, Residing At House No 521, Model Town, Bhagat Nagar, Hoshiarpur, Punjab, Have Changed The Name Of My Minor Daughter Vedanshi, Aged 6 Years And Shall Hereafter Be Known As Vedanshi Gogna.

I, Naveen S/O Jaspal Singh R/O VPO. Hazara, Jalandhar, Punjab have changed my name from Naveen to Naveen Singh. All concerned please note.

I, Navjot Singh S/O Malkit Singh R/O Vill. Bhana, Teh. Dasuya, Distt. Hoshiarpur have changed my name from Navjot Singh to Navjot Singh Sandhar.

I, Ram Rati Devi W/O Sh. B. M. Soni R/O Village Satrod Khas, Distt. Hisar, Haryana declare that I have to change my name from Ramrati to Ram Rati Devi for all future purpose. In future I shall be known as Ram Rati Devi.

I, Palwinder Kaur W/O Saroop Singh R/O Vill. Gorsian Nihal, P.O Ramewal, Tehsil Phillaur, Distt. Jalandhar declare that Palwinder Kaur alias Amarjit Kaur is one and the same person.

I, Balihar Singh Nirwan S/O Piara Singh R/O VPO. Bharoli, Tehsil Banga, Distt. SBS Nagar, Punjab have changed my name from Balihar Singh Nirwan to Balihar Singh.

I, Ramrati m/o L/Nk Hargovind serving in 4 Guards (1 Rajput) have changed my name from Ramvati to Ramrati.

I, Potuganti Kasamma m/o Hav Mahabusuvani Potughanti serving in Unit 11 Corps Signal Regt C/o 56 APO my name wrongly entered as P. Kasamma in my son service record my correct name is Potuganti Kasamma.

I, Potughanti Noorjahan w/o Hav Mahabusuvani Potughanti serving in Unit 11 Corps Signal Regt C/o 56 APO my name wrongly entered as P. Noorjahan in my husband service record my correct name is Potughanti Noorjahan.

I, Naresh Kumar S/O Sham Sunder Jairath R/O W/X-229, Basti Nau, Jalandhar-144002, Punjab have change my name from Naresh Kumar to Naresh Kumar (Jairath as Surname)

I, Gaurav S/O Balwinder Lal R/O VPO. Sarih, Patti Veepa, Tehsil Nakodar, District Jalandhar, Punjab have changed my name from Gaurav to Gaurav Rattan.

I, Baljinder Singh S/O Sarwan Singh R/O Village Gaddowal, Po. Sampillar, District Jalandhar, Punjab have changed my name from Baljinder Singh Uppal to Baljinder Singh.

I, hitherto known as Preet S/o Kulwinder Kumar R/O H.No. 238/2, Mohalla Kot Ram Dass, P.O Chugitti, Jalandhar, Punjab 144009 have changed my name and shall hereafter be known as Preet Duggal.

I, hitherto Known as Ishu D/o Pawan Kumar R/O Baldev Nagar, Distt. Jalandhar-144004, Punjab, India have changed my name and shall hereafter be known as Anjali.

I, Mangat Ram S/o Nath Ram R/O H.No. B1-817, Ram Nagar, Jalandhar, Punjab have changed my minor son name from Dharampreet to Dharampreet Jassi.

I, Mangat Ram S/o Nath Ram R/O H.No. B1-817, Ram Nagar, Jalandhar, Punjab have changed my minor son name from Harman to Harman Jassi.

I, Mangat Ram S/o Nath Ram R/O H.No. B1-817, Ram Nagar, Jalandhar, Punjab have changed my minor daughter name from Bhavna to Bhavna Kumari.

I, Surinder Pal Sandhu S/O Lal Chand R/O Vpo. Kadiana, Tehsil Phillaur, Distt. Jalandhar Have Changed My Name From Surinder Pal Sandhu To Surinder Pal.

I, Pardeep Syal S/O Abad Ram Syal R/O Ferozepur Distt. Ferozepur Have Changed My Minor Daughter's Name Pushti To Pushti Syal.

I, Hardeep Singh S/O Nasib Singh R/O Village Chhauni Kalan, District Hoshiarpur, Punjab, Declare That My Given Name As Hardeep And Surname As Singh.

I, Lakhwinder Singh Brar S/o Balkar Singh R/O Vpo Husner, Teh. Gidderbaha, Distt. Sri Muktsar Sahib-152101 have changed my name to Lakhwinder Singh.

I, Gagandeep Kaur Brar W/o Lakhwinder Singh R/O Vpo Husner, Teh. Gidderbaha, Distt. Sri Muktsar Sahib-152101 have changed my name to Gagandeep Kaur.

I, Manpreet Kaur Gill W/o Harvinder Singh R/O Pheroke (Ferozepur) have changed my name to Manpreet Kaur (after marriage)

I, Gurjeet Singh S/O Jaskaran Singh R/O Village Rurki Khurd Teh Balachaur District Sbs Nagar Have Changed My Name Singh As Surname Gurjeet As Given Name.

I, Mohinder Kaur W/O Jarnail Singh R/O Ward No. 3, Balachaur, Sbs Nagar Have Changed My Name To Maninder Kaur.

I, Harmanpreet Kaur D/O Harpal Singh R/O Village Mugal Chak Panuwan (Tarn Taran) Have Changed My Name To Harmanpreet Kaur Aujla.

I, Manjit Singh S/O Narinder Singh R/O Main Gali, Officer Avenue Near Bus Stand Focal Point Tarn Taran. Changed My Name to Manjit Singh Sandhawalia. Where Manjit Singh is The Given Name and Sandhawalia as Surname.

I, Baidya Nath Singh S/O Yogendra Singh R/O W.No.22, Mohalla Uttam Nagar, Khanna (Ludhiana) also known as Baidya Nath, these both names are mine, one & the same person.

I, Dish Pal S/O Maluk Chand R/O H.No. 81, Street No. 3, Block-A, Mount Avenue Hoshiarpur have changed my name to Pal Dish. Pal is my Surname & Dish is my Given Name.

I, Rajat Kumar S/O Ramjeet R/O V.P.O Baghpur Distt. Hoshiarpur have changed my name to Kumar Rajat. Kumar is my Surname & Rajat is my Given Name.

I, Amarjit Singh S/O Joginder Singh R/O B-9, MCH 553, New Model Town, Near Flour Mill, Hoshiarpur have changed my name to Amarjeet Singh.

I, Surinder Singh Dadhal So Samund Singh R/O H.No. 208-B Near Sony Collection Model House (Ludhiana) have known by both names Surinder Singh Dadhal & Surinder Singh one and the same person.

I, Shelja Rani, W/o Sh. Dharmender Kumar R/O Ward No. 14, Sargodha Colony, Narainagar, District Ambala, have changed my name from Shelja Rani to Shelja.

I, Meenakshi Kapila W/O Sukhdev R/O 05 Ward No 15 Kashi Nagari Ferozepur Have Changed My Name Meenakshi.

I, Sukhdev Sharma S/O Ram Parkash R/O 05 Ward No 15 Kashi Nagari Ferozepur Have Changed My Name Sukhdev.

I, Parmjit Kaur W/O Malkit Singh Resident Of Village Janer Po Loombi Wala, Dastul Sahiwalwa District Ferozepur Have Changed My Name To Parmjit Kaur.

I, Army No. Chudasama Jaypal Singh Ghanshyam Singh, Unit Of 512 Asc Bn Resident Of Village Panchi Tehsil Dholera District Ahmedabad State Gujarat Pin Code 382455 Have Changed My Minor Son Name From Harshvardhan Singh To Chudasama Harshvardhan Singh Jaypal Singh Vide Affidavit Dated 29 November 2024 Before At Notary Ferozepur.

I, Army No. Chudasama Jaypal Singh Ghanshyam Singh, Unit Of 512 Asc Bn Resident Of Village Panchi Tehsil Dholera District Ahmedabad State Gujarat Pin Code 382455 Have Changed My Minor Son Name From Dhruvshit Raj Singh Jaypal Singh Vide Affidavit Dated 29 November 2024 Before At Notary Ferozepur.

I, Durgam Usharani Legally Wife Of Army No 16116401W L/Nk Mahesh Kumar Bhadvelu Of Unit 22 Engr Regt C/O 56 Apo Ferozepur Parmanent Resident Of 2-2-249, Chintakayala Street, Chintakayala Street Vtc Tirupati (Urban) District Chittoor S State Andhra Pradesh Pin 517501 Declare That My Name Bhavelu Usharani Wrongly Written In My Husband Army Service Record But My Correct Name Is Durgam Usharani.

I, Annie M L Is Wife Of Army No.16122150n Nk Shajin S S Of Unit 5 Engr Regt C/O 56 Apo Have Changed My Name From Annie Ml To Annie M L Before At Notary Ferozepur.

I, Baljit Kaur W/o Ranjit Singh R/o #2422/4 Bhera Road Patiala have changed my name to Baljeet Kaur.

I, Jeet Kaur W/o Jagjit Singh R/o #2422/4 Bhera Road Patiala have changed my name to Surjit Kaur.

I, Jit Kaur W/o Gurdeep Singh R/O Gill Patti District Bathinda have changed my name to Parvinder Kaur After Marriage.

I, Ocean Garg S/o Vinod Kumar R/O W.No.5, Barf Wali Gali, Near Bharu Gate, Giddarbaha Distt. Sri Muktsar Sahib Have changed my Name to Ocean.

I, Amanpreet Kaur W/O Satinder Singh R/O Vill. Partapura, PO. Lohar Partapura, Distt. Jalandhar declare that I have changed my name to Kaur Amanpreet, Amanpreet as given name & Kaur as Surname.

I, No: JC-733153W Rank- Sub/Amn Tech Name-Dharmvir Singh Presently Posted At Unit: 603 Asc Bn (AM) Pin: 905603 C/O 56 APO N-Area Chandigarh Declare that I have changed my Father's name from Mohender Singh to Mahender and Also Correct my Father's Date of birth from 20/02/1955 to 29/05/1956. Vide Affidavit No-54AA 645889, Dated: 29/11/24

I, No: JC-733153W Rank- Sub/Amn Tech Name-Dharmvir Singh Presently Posted At Unit: 603 Asc Bn (AM) Pin: 905603 C/O 56 APO N-Area Chandigarh Declare that I have changed my Mother's name from Amarparati to Amar Pati and Also Correct my Mother's Date of birth from 12/08/1957 to 03/09/1956. Vide Affidavit No-54AA 645900, Dated: 29/11/24

I, Rajat Kumar S/O Ramjeet R/O V.P.O Baghpur Distt. Hoshiarpur have changed my name to Kumar Rajat. Kumar is my Surname & Rajat is my Given Name.

I, Amarjit Singh S/O Joginder Singh R/O B-9, MCH 553, New Model Town, Near Flour Mill, Hoshiarpur have changed my name to Amarjeet Singh.

I, Surinder Singh Dadhal So Samund Singh R/O H.No. 208-B Near Sony Collection Model House (Ludhiana) have known by both names Surinder Singh Dadhal & Surinder Singh one and the same person.

I, Shelja Rani, W/o Sh. Dharmender Kumar R/O Ward No. 14, Sargodha Colony, Narainagar, District Ambala, have changed my name from Shelja Rani to Shelja.

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I, Rina M Legally Wedded Wife of Army No. 15713785M, RANK Rank-L/NK Name Sumesh K Nair Unit 18RR BN have changed my DOB from 25-05-1993 to 25-11-1992 through Vide document no. IN-PB84021081917559W, Dated 29-11-2024

I, Ruby Bala Daughter of ExGS- 157955F DVR MT Late Angrej Singh resident of Village- Gharota Khurd, Post-Gharota Kalan, Tehsil-Pathankot, District- Pathankot, State- Punjab, have changed my name from Roobibala to Ruby Bala Vide affidavit No.IN-PB82134762696102W dated 23 Nov 2024 before Executive Magistrate Pathankot

I, No.15704707N Hav Ravi Kivande resident of Village- Kanagala, Post-Kanagala, Tehsil- Hukkeri, District- Belgaum, State- Karnataka, Pin-591225, have changed my Daughter name from Divya to Divya Ravi Kivande Vide affidavit No.IN-PB83229514186904W dated 27 Nov 2024 before notary public Pathankot

I, No.15704707N Hav Ravi Kivande resident of Village- Kanagala, Post-Kanagala, Tehsil- Hukkeri, District- Belgaum, State- Karnataka, Pin-591225, have changed my Daughter name from Swara to Swara Ravi Kivande Vide affidavit No.IN-PB83228668185800W dated 27 Nov 2024 before notary public Pathankot

I, No. JC-343364Y Sub Sarvesh Singh resident of Village- Ummerpur, Post- Khalwara, Tehsil- Kayamganj, District- Farrukhabad, State- Uttar Pradesh, Pin- 209501, have changed my Son name from Koushlander Singh to Kaushlendra Singh Vide affidavit No.IN-PB83997907546973W dated 29 Nov 2024 before notary public Pathankot

I, No. JC-343364Y Sub Sarvesh Singh resident of Village- Ummerpur, Post- Khalwara, Tehsil- Kayamganj, District- Farrukhabad, State- Uttar Pradesh, Pin- 209501, have changed my Daughter name from Manju to Manju Devi Vide affidavit No.IN-PB83998669813775W dated 29 Nov 2024 before notary public Pathankot

I, Lajjabati spouse of No. JC-343364Y Sub Sarvesh Singh resident of Village- Ummerpur, Post- Khalwara, Tehsil- Kayamganj, District- Farrukhabad, State- Uttar Pradesh, Pin- 209501, have changed my name from Lajjabati to Lajjavati Vide affidavit No.IN-PB83999596376580W dated 29 Nov 2024 before notary public Pathankot.

I, No. JC-775603K NB/Sub Santhosh Kumar C resident of Village- Alathur, Post- Kattusseri, Tehsil- Alathur, District- Palakkad, State- Kerala, Pin-678542, have changed my Daughter name from Shivani Santosh C to Shivani Santhosh C Vide affidavit No.IN-PB836233197081126W dated 28 Nov 2024 before notary public Pathankot.

I, Durga Prasad K resident of Village- Kumarpuram, Post-Karuvatta, Tehsil- Karthikapally, District- Alapuzha, State- Kerala, Pin-690517, have changed my Mother name from Devakiamma to Devakiyamma Vide affidavit No.IN-PB83644258566412W dated 29 Nov 2024 before notary public Pathankot

I, Karuny Ambika spouse of No. JC-775603K NB/Sub Santhosh Kumar C resident of Village- Alathur, Post- Kattusseri, Tehsil- Alathur, District- Palakkad, State- Kerala, Pin-678542, have changed my name from Karuny Ambika to Karunambika C Vide affidavit No.IN-PB83624146679808W dated 28 Nov 2024 before notary public Pathankot

I Meenu Shastri W/O Verender Shastri R/O H.No. 21-C, Sector -C, defence colony Ambala cantt, Kalarheri (28), PO: Kalarheri, DIST: Ambala, Haryana -133001 that I have changed my daughter's name from Sahiba Sharma to Sahiba Shastri . Concerned note

I Meenu Shastri W/O Verender Shastri R/O H.No. 21-C, Sector -C, defence colony Ambala cantt, Kalarheri (28), PO: Kalarheri, DIST: Ambala, Haryana -133001 that I have changed my son's name from Agam Sharma to Agam Shastri . Concerned note

I Meenu Shastri W/O Verender Shastri R/O H.No. 21-C, Sector-C, defence colony Ambala cantt, Kalarheri (28), PO: Kalarheri, DIST: Ambala, Haryana -133001 that I have changed my name from Meenu Sharma to Meenu Shastri . Concerned note

I, Sunil Kumar S/o Sh. Ram Chander R/O House No. 127, Near Government School, Babyal, Ambala declare that I have changed my wife name from Renu Rani to Rainu Rani. In future it should be known as Rainu Rani.

I Ghanshyam S/o Sanjay Kumar R/O H.No. 4012/2 Patel Road Ambala City Ambala that I have changed my name from Ghanshyam to Ghanshyam Wadhwa. Concerned note

I, Gagandeep Singh S/O Mr. Pritpal Singh R/O V.P.O. Sohana, Near Jeet Dairy Mouli Road, Sector-78, Mohali, Tehsil & Distt. S.A.S. Nagar (Punjab) Pin:-140308 declare I have changed my name from Gagandeep Singh to Gagandeep Singh Rangji.

I Malket Kaur is legally mother of mander Singh residing at village maur kalan district Bathinda (Punjab) pin 151509 have changed my wrong name from malket Kaur to correct name malkit Kaur . Vide affidavit dated 29/11/2024 before court complex talwandi sabo (Bathinda)

I, Surender S/o Rajee Ram R/O Ward No. 1, Loharu Distt. Bhiwani have declared that my name changed from Surender To Surender Singh. In future all purposes.

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Public Notice
This is to notify all the concerned that, on behalf of my client, Ujivan Small Finance Bank Limited, I hereby give notice to the general public that one customer, Sh. Ashar Ali Mandali S/o Sh. Saboor Ali Mandali and Co-applicant Smt. Sarmila Mondal has applied for a loan vide Prospect no. 1168000004 over the Property of 11 House situated at Village Amloh, Tehsil Amloh and Distt. Fatehgarh Sahib, area measuring 0-7 Marlas i.e. 205 sq. yds, comprised in Khatian No. 153, Khata No. 335, Khata Nos. 1911/6, 1912/1, 1912/2 (4-4), 241/2(10-13), 256(0-0), 131/151(10-8), Kita 6, total area 20 Kanals 18 Marlas out of which 0-7 Marlas i.e. 205 sq. yds in the name of Sh. Navjot Singh S/o Late Sh. Rajinder Singh vide Transfer deed no. 2024-25/251/333 dated 07.06.2024 and Transfer deed no. 2024-25/251/334 dated 07.06.2024 and wide mutation no. 9562 (0-2 Marlas 3 Sarsahi) 9563 (0-2 Marlas 3 Sarsahi) and inheritance mutation no. 9493 (0-2 Marlas 3 Sarsahi) and as per revenue record. The present Owner (Sh. Navjot Singh) is/are stating that the previous Original Sale deed no. 2020-21/25/1439 dated 14.09.2020 and Original Sale deed no. 2383 dated 20.03.2008 regarding the property mentioned above have been lost and regarding this the DDR has been got lodged vide No. 542045/2024 dated 29.11.2024 in Police Station Amloh. Ujivan Small Finance Bank Limited required above mentioned missing articles in original to regularize mortgage. So through this public notice, it is notified that if any concern, bank or person having any claim, objection related to the said equitable mortgage of the above said property with Ujivan Small Finance Bank Limited he/she may kindly contact and returned the same if found with above said Bank or wither 07.12.2024, 7 days before the start of this publication in below mentioned address, failing which no claim will be entertain later and Ujivan Small Finance Bank Limited will disburse the loan to proposed customer. Detail of the property is above mentioned.

Yours Sincerely, Rupesh Singh, Advocate, Chamber No 508, 4th Floor, Yadvindra Complex, Distt Courts, Patiala M- 9914379170

Public Notice
This is to notify all the concerned that, on behalf of my client, Axis Bank Ltd, I hereby give notice to the general public that one customer, Smt. Gurmeet Kaur W/o Sh. Rupinder Singh R/O House No. 531, Phase-2, Urban Estate, Chaura, University Patiala has applied for a loan vide application no. 8151522 dated 07.06.2024 on the property i.e. House no. 531 situated at Urban Estate, Phase-2, Patiala, Tehsil and Distt. Patiala, area measuring 256.67 sq. yds, in the name of Smt. Gurpreet Kaur Ruder dated 07.06.2024. In this regard, the loan no. 18786 dated 09.02.2006 and her name in this regard has been duly incorporated in PUDA records vide Ownership Transfer letter no. 3139 dated 07.03.2007. 7 days before the start of this previous Original Conveyance deed no. 6634 dated 10.10.1996 & Original Allotment Letter no. 8173 dated 30.04.1987 regarding the property mentioned above have been lost and regarding this the DDR has been got lodged vide No. 541994/2024 dated 29.11.2024 in Police station, Patiala. Axis Bank Ltd required above mentioned missing articles in original to regularize mortgage. So through this public notice, it is notified that if any concern, bank or person having any claim, objection related to the said equitable mortgage of the above said property with Axis Bank Ltd he/she may kindly contact and returned the same if found with above said Bank or with me within 7 days from the date of this publication in below mentioned address, failing which no claim will be entertain later and Axis Bank Ltd will disburse the loan to proposed customer. Detail of the property is above mentioned.

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PUBLIC NOTICE
It is to put the General Public on notice that Urmila Ranj Singh s/o Sukhdev Singh s/o Late Sh. Gurbh Singh Harshil Distt Ferozepur is owner of Property measuring 17 Marla 3 Sarsahi being 13/87 share of 5 K 16 bearing khata no 401 24/1(5-16) as per khatian no 17 vide jamabandi for the year 1918-2019 of Dharanokot Tehsil Kot Iser Khan Distt Moga The Property is bounded by: East-Rasta, West-Dharanokot, North - Ashok Gulali, South- Rasta which she has purchased from Muktesh Singh s/o Ashok Kumar s/o Late Sh. Rajinder Kot Iser Khan Distt Moga vide sale deed vaskia no 727 dated 22-10-2014. Urmila has previous Original sale deed dated 10-11-2005 vaskia no 3005, and Original sale deed dated 12-6-2012 vaskia no 406 and she has also got registered DDR no 14 dated 26-11-2024 PPS Kot Iser Khan. If any body have objection in respect of the said property or regarding the mortgage with my client, I may raise their objections with in 14 days from the dated of this Publication . to the below mentioned address.

Dinesh Kumar Garg Advocate, Distt court Moga, Chamber No 156 6284831792, 9888378077.

Public Notice
It is to put the General Public on notice that Vajrangal Singh s/o Sukhdev Singh s/o Amar Singh R/o Iser Singh Nagar Tehsil Jagraon Distt Ludhiana is owner of property 0 K 13 M 3 Sarsahi being 10/25 Marla 3 Sarsahi as per khatian no 10025(5-6) 10036(3-1) as per khatian no 1689 khaton no 1784 vide jamabandi for the year 2019-2020 of Agwar Gulian 1 Tehsil Jagraon Distt Ludhiana. Urmila has purchased this property from Ashok Kumar sons of Surinderpal R/O Kot Iser Khan Distt Moga vide Sale deed Vaskia no 2020-21/25/1439 dated 07.06.2024. Urmila Singh has previous Original Sale deed vaskia no 4368 dated 7-12-2012. Vaheguru Singh has approached my client Sandhan Bank Branch Jagraon Distt Ludhiana with a request to extend Loan against thmortgage of the above property. Vaheguru Singh has got lost Original Sale deed vaskia no 4368 dated 7-12-2012. Urmila Singh also got registered DDR No 45965818 dated PPS City Jagraon . If any body have objection in respect of the said property or regarding the mortgage with my client , I may raise their objections with in 7days from the dated of this Publication . to the below mentioned address.

Dinesh Kumar Garg Advocate, Distt court Moga, Chamber No 156, 6284831792, 9888378077.

Public Notice
It is notified for the information of the general public and all concerned with the property No Flat No. 2FF, Housing Board Colony, Sector 3.4.4A, Pinjore, Kalka, Panchkula, Haryana, which stands in the name of Neha Malhotra D/o Sh. Raj Kumar R/O Village-Khatpural, Panchkula, Haryana, was the owner of this property. She has approached my client, Estate Housing Board Haryana, Panchkula, for the transfer of the said property in his/her name on the basis of documents of General Transfer Policy. Poonam W/o Sh. Vijay Bakshi H.No.2199, New Saini Mohalla, Pinjore, Panchkula, Haryana. If anybody have any objection for the transfer of the said property in his favour they may furnish their objection in writing in the office of the undersigned within 30 days from the date of publication.

Estate Housing Board Haryana, Panchkula

Public Notice
It is notified for the information of the general public and all concerned with the property No H. No. 950, Housing Board Colony, Sec-10, Panchkula, which stands in the name Late Sh. Gian Singh S/o Late Sh. Shamsher Singh, who was the owner of this property died on 08.02.2020. Smt. parjoti Singh, Late Sh. Gian Singh W/o H.No 950, HBC, Sec-10 Panchkula, Haryana, claimed/applied for the transfer for the said property in her name on the basis of intestate death of Late Sh. Gian Singh S/o Late Sh. Shamsher Singh. If anybody have any objection for the transfer of the said property in his favour they may furnish their objection in writing in the office of the undersigned within 30 days from the date of publication.

Estate Housing Board Haryana, Panchkula

Public Notice
I, Suman W/o Naveen Kumar is owner in respect of property i.e., Part of bearing Khatian No. 1474 (New Khatian No. 1602), New Khatas No. 1902, Kita (73K-19M), measuring 9K-5M (150 sq yards), situated at Tosham Tehsil Tosham District Bhiwani as per Sale Deed No. 304 dated 09.07.2020 and Fard Jamabandi for the year 2021-22. I have lost Deed No. 2805 dated 09.03.2012 anywhere in Tosham. A DDR also registered at Tosham. I also declare that I have not taken any type of Loan, CC Limit or OD Limit on the said property. If anybody have objection regarding with this property, please contact Advocate Bhupander Kumar, Ph. no. 829594981 # 1591 HSR WITHIN 7 DAY OF THIS PUBLICATION.

Public Notice
I, Mantia Devi W/o Rajesh Kumar is owner in respect of property i.e., Part of bearing, Khatian no. 2483, Taddai 63K-13M, measuring 9K-12-466 (380 Sq. Yards), situated at Tosham Tehsil Tosham District Bhiwani as per Sale Deed No. 6111 dated 06.12.2023. I have lost Sale Deed No. 4202 dated 17.02.2021, anywhere in Tosham. A DDR no registered at Tosham. I also declare that I have not taken any type of Loan, CC Limit or OD Limit on the said property. If anybody have objection regarding with this property, please contact Advocate Bhupander Kumar, Ph. no. 829594981 # 1591 HSR WITHIN 7 DAY OF THIS PUBLICATION.

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Syria insurgents push their advance toward 2nd largest city Aleppo

Thousands of Syrian insurgents pushed on with their advances on government-held areas in the country's north-west, reaching the outskirts of Syria's second largest city Aleppo and wresting control of several strategic towns and villages along the way, activists and fighters said on Friday.

to the capital Damascus to avoid clashes, state-controlled media reported. Fighters also advanced on the town of Saraqab, in north-western Idlib province, a strategic area that would secure supply lines to Aleppo.

2019 agreement that de-escalated fighting in the area, which has been the last remaining opposition stronghold for years. State media reported airstrikes on insurgents' positions in Aleppo countryside.

itary campaign and a siege that lasted for weeks. The battle for Aleppo was a turning point in the war between Syrian government forces and rebel fighters since the 2011 protests against Bashar Assad's rule turned into an all-out war.

Ireland votes in close-run election

Ireland is voting on Friday in a parliamentary election that will decide the next government — and will show whether Ireland bucks the global trend of incumbents being ousted by disgruntled voters after years of pandemic, international instability and a cost-of-living pressures.

stunning breakthrough in the 2020 election, topping the popular vote, but was shut out of government because Fianna Fail and Fine Gael refused to work with it, citing its leftist policies and historic ties with militant group the Irish Republican Army during three decades of violence in Northern Ireland.

Under Ireland's system of proportional representation, each of the 43 constituencies elects multiple lawmakers, with voters ranking their preferences. That makes it relatively easy for smaller parties and independent candidates with a strong local following to gain seats.

This election includes a large crop of independent candidates, ranging from local campaigners to far-right activists and reputed crime boss Gerry 'the Monk' Hutch. What are the main issues? As in many other countries, the cost of living — especially housing — has dominated the campaign.

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Senegalese President Bassirou Diomaye Faye said he received the letter, which was seen by The Associated Press. Speaking to reporters late on Thursday, Faye said Macron's step should "open the door" so that the "whole truth about this painful event of Thiaroye" can finally come out. "We have long sought closure on this story and we believe that, this time, France's commitment will be full, frank and collaborative," he added.

"France must recognise that on that day, the confrontation between soldiers and riflemen who demanded their full legitimate wages be paid, triggered a chain of events that resulted in a massacre," read Macron's letter. "It is also important to establish, as far as possible, the causes and facts that led to this tragedy," Macron added. "I have asked my services to inform me of the progress of the work of the committee for the Restoration of the Facts, which your government has decided to set up, under the direction of Professor Mamadou Diouf, whose eminence and qualities are recognised by all."

The letter comes weeks after the Senegalese legislative elections, in which the ruling party PASTEF secured a definite majority. Faye the win granted newly elected President Faye a clear mandate to carry out ambitious reforms promised during the campaign, which include more economic independence from foreign companies, including French ones, which are heavily invested in the country. France still has around 350 troops in its former colony, mainly in a supportive role.

PUBLIC NOTICE: Known to all that my client Sh. Dharam Pal Goyal owner of the PORTION OF LHS OF...

PARADIP PORT AUTHORITY: TENDER CALL NOTICE: Name of the work: Raising of NE-4 Siding inside Harbour area. Estimated Cost: Rs.5,81,34,662.17.

REVISED E-AUCTION PROGRAMME FOR SALE OF RAILWAY SCRAP MATERIAL: One more additional E-Auction programme for sale of railway scrap materials under jurisdiction of Lumding for the month of December, 2024 has been fixed as under.

Canara Bank: RZ 5A Palam Vihar Sector 6, Dwarka New Delhi 110075. The under mentioned person are hereby informed that they have failed to pay off the liability in the loan account.

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France's Macron calls 1944 killings of West African troops by French massacre

French President Emmanuel Macron on Thursday for the first time recognised the killing of West African soldiers by the French Army in 1944 as a massacre in a letter addressed to the Senegalese authorities.

Macron's move, on the eve of the 80th anniversary of the World War II killings in Thiaroye — a fishing village on the outskirts of the Senegalese capital of Dakar — comes as France's influence is declining in the region, with Paris losing its sway in the former French colonies in West Africa.

Between 35 and 400 West African soldiers who fought for the French Army in the Battle of France in 1940 were killed on December 1, 1944 by French soldiers after what the French described as a mutiny over unpaid wages.

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GDP growth slows to two-year low of 5.4 per cent in Q2

PTI ■ NEW DELHI

India's economic growth slowed to near two-year low of 5.4 per cent in the July-September quarter of this fiscal due to poor performance of manufacturing and mining sectors, but the country continued to remain the fastest-growing large economy, data showed on Friday.

The gross domestic product (GDP) had expanded by 8.1 per cent in the July-September quarter of 2023-24 fiscal.

The previous low level of GDP growth at 4.3 per cent was recorded in the third quarter (October-December 2022) of financial year 2022-23.

However, India remained the fastest-growing major economy as China's GDP growth in the July-September quarter this year was at 4.6 per cent.

According to the National Statistical Office (NSO) data, the growth of agriculture sector GVA



(Gross Value Added) accelerated to 3.5 per cent in the latest July-September quarter from 1.7 per cent a year ago.

The GVA in the manufacturing sector slowed to 2.2 per cent in the second quarter of the current fiscal compared to an expansion of 14.3

per cent in the year-ago period. As per the data, the output (GVA) in the 'mining and quarrying' contracted to 0.01 per cent in the second quarter against a growth of 11.1 per cent a year ago.

The expansion in financial, real estate and professional services'

GVA was 6.7 per cent, up from 6.2 per cent in the year-ago quarter. Electricity, gas, water supply and other utility services grew by 3.3 per cent, slower than 10.5 per cent a year ago.

The construction sector recorded a growth of 7.7 per cent in the second quarter, down from 13.6 per cent year on year.

The growth in gross domestic product (GDP) during the April-June quarter of 2024-25 remained unchanged at 6.7 per cent.

"Real GDP or GDP at constant prices in Q2 of 2024-25 is estimated at Rs 44.10 lakh crore, against Rs 41.86 lakh crore in Q2 of 2023-24, showing a growth rate of 5.4 per cent," the NSO said in a statement.

Nominal GDP or GDP at current prices in Q2 of 2024-25 is estimated at Rs 76.60 lakh crore, against Rs 70.90 lakh crore in Q2 of 2023-24, showing a growth rate of 8.0 per cent, it added.

On half-yearly basis, the statement said the real GDP or GDP at

constant prices in April-September of 2024-25 (H1 FY25) is estimated at Rs 87.74 lakh crore, against Rs 82.77 lakh crore in the first half of 2023-24, showing a growth rate of 6 per cent.

Nominal GDP or GDP at current prices in H1, 2024-25 is estimated at Rs 153.91 lakh crore, against Rs 141.40 lakh crore in H1 of 2023-24, showing a growth rate of 8.9 per cent, it stated.

Meanwhile, the government data showed that the Centre's fiscal deficit at the end of the first seven months of the current financial year touched 46.5 per cent of the full-year target.

In absolute terms, the fiscal deficit - the gap between government's expenditure and revenue -- was at Rs 7,50,824 crore during April-October period, according to data released by the Controller General of Accounts (CGA).

The deficit stood at 45 per cent of the Budget Estimates (BE) in the corresponding period of 2023-24.

Sensex rebounds 759 points, Nifty ends above 24,100

PTI ■ MUMBAI

Benchmark Sensex rallied 759 points while Nifty closed above 24,100 on Friday following buying in frontline stocks Bharti Airtel and Reliance Industries.

The 30-share BSE Sensex jumped 759.05 points or 0.96 per cent to settle at 79,802.79. During the day, it soared 880.16 points or 1.11 per cent to 79,923.90.

The NSE Nifty climbed 216.95 points or 0.91 per cent to 24,131.10.

From the 30-share Sensex pack, Bharti Airtel, Mahindra & Mahindra, UltraTech Cement, Adani Ports, Reliance Industries, Larsen & Toubro, JSW Steel, Hindustan Unilever, Titan and Tata Motors were the biggest gainers.

Power Grid, Nestle, State Bank of India and Infosys were the laggards.

Majority of Adani Group firms ended higher, with Adani Green Energy soaring 21.72 per cent and Adani Energy Solutions surging 15.56 per cent on the BSE.

The BSE smallcap gauge climbed 0.76 per cent and midcap index went up by 0.31 per cent.

"A large-cap-driven, broad-based rally ensued in the domestic market. The anticipated slowdown in India's Q2 GDP to 6.5% has already been reflected in Q2 corporate earnings, which the market appears to have discounted," Vinod Nair, Head of Research, Geojit Financial Services said.

Official data released after the market hours showed the Indian economy growing at a slower rate of 5.4 per cent in the July-September period of 2024-25 from 8.1 per cent in



the year-ago period. Among sectoral indices, BSE healthcare jumped the most 2.05 per cent, followed by telecommunication (1.53 per cent), utilities (1.46 per cent), energy (1.09 per cent), commodities (1.04 per cent) and teck (1.02 per cent). Realty emerged as the only laggard.

As many as 2,347 stocks advanced while 1,606 declined and 97 remained unchanged on the BSE.

On the weekly front, the BSE benchmark jumped 685.68 points or 0.86 per cent and the Nifty climbed 223.85 points or 0.93 per cent. In Asian markets, Shanghai and Hong Kong settled in the positive territory while Seoul and Tokyo ended lower. European markets were trading lower. US markets were closed on Thursday for Thanksgiving.

Foreign Institutional Investors (FIIs) offloaded equities worth Rs 11,756.25 crore on Thursday, according to exchange data. Global oil benchmark Brent crude dipped 0.30 per cent to USD 73.06 a barrel.

The BSE benchmark slumped 1,190.34 points or 1.48 per cent to settle at 79,043.74 on Thursday. The Nifty tumbled 360.75 points or 1.49 per cent to 23,914.15.

Forex reserves drop USD 1.31 bn to USD 656.5 bn

PTI ■ MUMBAI

India's forex reserves dropped USD 1.31 billion to USD 656.582 billion for the week ended November 22, the Reserve Bank of India (RBI) said.

The kitty had dropped a record USD 17.761 billion to USD 657.892 billion in the previous reporting week ending November 15.

The reserves, which had hit an all-time high of USD 704.885 billion in end-September, have been declining for multiple weeks, at a time when the rupee has also been under pressure.

For the week ended November 22, foreign currency assets - a major component of the reserves -- decreased USD 3.043 billion

to USD 566.791 billion, the data, which was released on Friday, showed.

Expressed in dollar terms, the foreign currency assets include the effect of appreciation or depreciation of non-US units like the euro, pound, and yen held in the foreign exchange reserves.

Gold reserves increased USD 1.828 billion to USD 67.573 billion during the week, the RBI said.

The special drawing rights (SDRs) were down USD 79 million to USD 17.985 billion, the apex bank said. India's reserve position with the International Monetary Fund (IMF) was also down USD 15 million to USD 4.232 billion in the reporting week, the RBI data showed.

Fiscal deficit at 46.5 per cent of full-year target at Oct-end: Govt data

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The Centre's fiscal deficit at the end of the first seven months of financial year 2024-25 touched 46.5 per cent of the full-year target, government data showed on Friday.

In absolute terms, the fiscal deficit -- the gap between government's expenditure and revenue -- was at Rs 7,50,824 crore during April-October period, according to data released by the Controller General of Accounts (CGA).

The deficit stood at 45 per cent of the Budget Estimates (BE) in the corresponding period of 2023-24. In the Union Budget, the government projected to bring down the fiscal deficit



to 4.9 per cent of gross domestic product (GDP) in the current 2024-25 financial year. The deficit was 5.6 per cent of the GDP in 2023-24. In absolute terms, the government aims to contain the fiscal deficit at Rs 16,13,312 crore during the

current fiscal. The revenue-expenditure data of the Union government for the first seven months of 2024-25 showed that the net tax revenue was about Rs 13 lakh crore or 50.5 per cent of budget estimate for the

current fiscal. The net tax revenue collection was 55.9 per cent of September-end of 2023.

The central government's total expenditure in the seven months through October stood at Rs 24.7 lakh crore or 51.3 per cent of budget estimate. Expenditure was 53.2 per cent of budget estimate in the year-ago period.

Of the total expenditure, Rs 20 lakh crore was in the revenue account and Rs 4.66 lakh crore in the capital account.

Fiscal deficit is the difference between the total expenditure and revenue of the government. It is an indication of the total borrowing that is needed by the government.

Sentiments of realtors, financial institutions remain positive for future growth: Report



PTI ■ NEW DELHI

Real estate developers and financial institutions are upbeat about growth potential of the realty sector for the six months ending March next year, according to Knight Frank and NAREDCO. Real estate consultant Knight Frank and realtors' body NAREDCO on Friday released 'Real Estate Sentiment Index Q3 2024 (July-September 2024)', highlighting continued optimism in the realty sector.

There was a marginal dip in the current sentiment score, which stands at 64, down from 65 in the April-June period.

However, the future sentiment score improved to 67, up from 65 in the previous quarter, signalling rising confidence in the sector's growth over the

next six months. The index captures the perceptions of supply-side stakeholders and financial institutions regarding the real estate sector, economic climate, and funding availability. A score of 50 indicates a neutral outlook; scores above 50 reflect positive sentiment, while those below 50 suggest a negative outlook.

Both current and future sentiment scores remain firmly in the positive zone, reflecting sustained trust in the industry's long-term potential, the report said. In the residential market, Knight Frank said the optimism prevails as 62 per cent of respondents anticipate a rise in residential prices, while 40 per cent foresee increased sales, and 38 per cent expect market stability.

Similarly, the office market outlook is buoyant, with strong confidence in key parameters such as leasing, supply, and rents, underscoring stakeholder optimism for robust performance in the coming months.

NAREDCO President Hari Babu said the sentiment index "reflects the Indian real estate sector's resilience amidst global uncertainties." The RBI's GDP growth projection of 7.2 per cent for 2024-25 and the stable interest rate environment will further boost investor sentiment. As the sector continues to grow, its essential that we address the existing challenges and leverage opportunities for sustainable growth," he added.

Knight Frank India CMD Shishir Bajaj said strong demand in high-end residential sales and stable leasing in commercial spaces underscore the sector's steady performance. "Developers, with improved sentiment this quarter, remain optimistic. Supported by stable economic fundamentals and favourable market dynamics, the sector is well-positioned for sustained growth and continued opportunities," he added.



Banks' credit to industry grows by eight per cent in October: RBI data

PTI ■ MUMBAI

Banks' credit to industry grew by 8 per cent in October 2024 compared to 4.8 per cent in the year-ago period, according to the RBI data released on Friday.

The Reserve Bank data also showed that credit to agriculture and allied activities registered a growth of 15.5 per cent year-on-year (y-o-y) in October 2024, compared to 17.4 per cent seen in the same month of last year.

Among major industries, credit to 'chemicals and chemical products', 'petroleum, coal products and nuclear fuels', and 'all engineering' recorded a higher growth in October 2024 as compared to their respective growth rates a year ago.

Personal loans growth decelerated to 15.8 per cent (y-o-y) in October as compared to 18 per cent recorded a year ago, largely due to decline in growth

in 'other personal loans', 'vehicle loans' and 'credit card outstanding'.

However, 'housing' -- the largest constituent of personal loans segment -- recorded an accelerated growth on year.

RBI further said credit growth to services sector was at 14.1 per cent in October 2024 (20.4 per cent a year ago), primarily due to lower growth in credit to 'non-banking financial companies' (NBFCs) and trade segment. However, growth of credit to 'commercial real estate' accelerated in October 2024.

Non-food bank credit in October 2024 grew at 12.8 per cent, as compared to 15.5 per cent a year ago, RBI said.

Data on sectoral deployment of bank credit for October 2024 was collected from 41 select commercial banks, accounting for about 95 per cent of the total non-food credit deployed by all scheduled commercial banks.

Malaysian billionaire tycoon Ananda Krishnan dies at age 86

PNS ■ NEW DELHI

Ananda Krishnan, one of Malaysia's richest tycoons with a vast business empire including telecommunications, media, petroleum and real estate, has died. He was 86.

His investment holding company, Usaha Tegas, said he passed away peacefully on Thursday and that his family requested privacy. It didn't specify the cause of death.

"Ananda made significant contributions to nation-building and the corporate world. His philanthropic initiatives have touched many lives," it said in a statement.

Ananda was ranked Malaysia's sixth-richest man by Forbes with a net worth of USD 5.1 billion (22.6 billion ringgit).

Born April 1, 1938, Ananda was a graduate of Harvard Business School who started his career in oil trading before venturing into other sectors. He owned stakes in telecommunications firm Maxis, media company Astro, satellite services firm Measat and oil services provider Bumi Armada, among others.

Local media reported that



Ananda made most of his wealth during the 1980s and 1990s, making him closely associated with then-Prime Minister Mahathir Mohamad.

He was a founding director of state oil firm Petronas, and the national Bernama news agency reported on Friday that he sold the idea of building the 88-story Petronas Twin Towers to Mahathir.

Ananda was instructed to lead its construction, transforming a horse racing track into the landmark and forever changing Kuala Lumpur's skyline.

Ananda donated to education, the arts, sports and humanitarian causes in Malaysia. The Edge newspaper reported that his fortunes took a hit in 2018

when Indian authorities linked him to a high-profile corruption scandal involving high-ranking government officials. Although arrest warrants were issued in India for him and his former deputy, Ralph Marshall, neither was apprehended or extradited to face charges.

Despite his success, Ananda avoided the limelight and shunned between Malaysia and France, where he resided with his wife, local media reported. His only son is a Buddhist monk in Thailand. His two daughters are not involved in his businesses.

Prime Minister Anwar Ibrahim paid tribute to Ananda, saying his "contribution in the corporate world, philanthropy and society will definitely be remembered."

Exports of India's med-tech industry could reach USD 20 bn by 2030: CII

PTI ■ NEW DELHI

India's medical technology industry is expected to touch exports of up to USD 20 billion by 2030 but the sector needs more government incentives and further ease of doing business to accelerate overseas shipments, industry body CII said on Friday.

The production linked incentive (PLI) scheme for the medical technology sector currently available for select medical devices needs to be extended across products, while export incentives to 'reimburse hidden costs' need to be provided to manufacturers, CII Chairman National Medical Technology Forum Himanshu Baid told reporters here.

"Today, we are importing almost 60 to 70 per cent of our medical equipment which are needed in the country. Whereas, our manufacturing is still very low as around 30 per cent is only manufactured in the country. Our imports are far exceeding our exports. Our imports are almost USD 8 billion and our exports are close to USD 4 billion," he said.

However, Baid said, India has the best potential to grow this industry to the next level, taking advantage of the world adopting the 'China plus one' strategy to reduce import dependence on one particular country. India is very well poised to take advantage of it on the back of the talent it has in terms of software, hardware

and low-cost of labour as compared to China. On the export potential of the Indian medical technology industry, he said, "My expectation is that by 2030 India's exports can reach around USD 15 billion to USD 20 billion dollar and our imports would reduce from USD 8 billion to USD 3 billion-USD 4 billion."

In order to realise the potential, Baid said, "As an industry, we're also looking for some more ease of doing business, (removal of) overlapping regulations and certain areas where they have put in QCO orders, which is also impacting 'Make in India' and also exports." Elaborating, he said the medical devices industry, which is currently governed under the Drugs and



Cosmetics Act that regulates the pharma sector, needs a separate regulator. "We are part of the pharma regulation. Drugs and pharma and medical devices are seen under the same lens. We have the same regulator. Our industry's demand was to have a separate regulator,"

he said. Asserting that medical device is a "very complex engineering industry" with electronic, mechanical and plastic parts with different standards, he said, it is "very different from pharma which is more about chemical and pharmacopeia with a defined

formulations". On the quality control order (QCO) issue, he said at present suppliers of raw materials need to register with BIS and then only those products can be imported into the country.

"That is causing a lot of roadblocks for local industry to manufacture products in India....At one point, the government is saying 'Make in India' but the raw materials suppliers are small players, who don't have the wherewithal to go BIS and register themselves globally. So we are asking the government for exemption from QCO especially for med-tech industry," Baid said.

He also said in order to enhance exports, the PLI for the medical devices sector

needs to be extended to more products.

"Today 3,000 products are already regulated in India by CDSCO. We need PLI for almost the whole industry. When we say PLI should not be limited to very few products, the government should incentivise every manufacturing which is happening in the country to push for global markets," Baid asserted.

In the existing PLI scheme for the medical devices sectors, he said only 28 companies were allotted and there was a budget of Rs 3,400 crore and only 10 to 20 per cent of the fund have been utilised. "The government has a surplus budget. Please use it for pushing more exports out of the country, more

manufacturing in the country. Can we enlarge the scope of the scheme to more and more products?" he asked.

Baid also said the remission of duties under the RoDTEP scheme by the Ministry of Commerce for exports needs to be enhanced to 2-2.5 per cent from the current range of 0.5 per cent and 0.7 per cent, stating it is "not enough".

"There are a lot of hidden costs, which are there in manufacturing in the country. What we are asking is for the government to reimburse those hidden costs. Maybe a 2-2.5 per cent incentive would be good enough to help us get through those hidden costs and be competitive," he added.



THE POWER OF UNSPOKEN CONNECTIONS

'Sumang: The Unison of Souls', was a powerful dance performance that explored human connections through movement, music and emotion. Curated by Suparna Singh and Mahima Satsangi and choreographed by Dr. Shovana Narayan, the production beautifully captured the bonds that unite us all, says **SAKSHI PRIYA**



the divine unity explored in Alingan, the dance spoke to the depths of human interaction. In Sarvagya, the connection between teacher and disciple was honoured, and in the grand finale, Samagam, the interconnectedness of all beings was celebrated. Each act invited the audience to pause, to reflect on their own relationships and to recognise the deep bonds that unite us all, whether they are between friends, families, teachers, or the universal spirit that ties every soul together.

What made *Sumang* truly special was its ability to make each member of the audience feel personally connected to the story. The dance wasn't just something to watch; it was an invitation to feel, to remember, and to understand. For Mahima Satsangi and Suparna Singh, this production was not just about showcasing their craft; it was about celebrating the profound beauty of human connection and the transformative power of dance. It was about creating a space where everyone could come together, share in the experience, and feel part of something much bigger than themselves.

In the end, *Sumang* left an indelible mark, not just because of its stunning choreography or soulful music but because it reminded us of the profound connections that shape our lives. In a world where we are constantly moving and rushing, this performance paused time for just a moment, inviting the audience to remember the ties that truly matter. It was a celebration of humanity, of shared experiences and of the deep connections that go beyond words, leaving everyone who witnessed it with a sense of unity and belonging.

encompassing experience. The music didn't just accompany the dance; it gave voice to the unspeakable, carrying the audience through the highs and lows of the emotional journey unfolding on stage. The musicians played with such sensitivity that their instruments became characters in the story, each note from the Sarangi, Sarod, Sitar, Flute and Tabla

adding depth and texture to the dance. The performance was enhanced by the delicate lighting design of Sandeep Dutta, which shifted with every act, casting different moods across the stage, while the photography and video work by Innee Singh captured every moment with clarity and grace.

Dr. Shovana Narayan, who has spent

decades exploring the spiritual and emotional depths of dance, shared her thoughts on the production. "As I watched *Sumang*, I was reminded of how dance can connect us on a level that words simply can't reach. This production is a tribute to the emotional and spiritual connections that make us human." Her words highlighted the essence of the

performance, a reminder that while we may struggle to put emotions into words, art has a way of expressing what we sometimes can't.

The production unfolded in four acts, each exploring a different aspect of human connection. From the quiet intimacy of *Pratibimb*, which delved into the relationship between confidants, to

A Glimpse into Nature's Harmony



KAVITA CHOPRA DIKSHIT'S *Enchanted Forests*, curated by Jyoti A. Kathalia, offered a captivating journey into the beauty and fragility of forests, blending personal memories with a universal message of coexistence, says **SAKSHI PRIYA**

The solo exhibition *Enchanted Forests* by Kavita Chopra Dikshit, curated by Jyoti A. Kathalia, was an evocative celebration of nature's abundance and its enduring relationship with humanity. Showcased through a series of oil-on-canvas works, the exhibition mesmerised viewers with its vibrant depictions of forests, drawing on the artist's personal memories and a deep sense of connection to the natural world. Kavita's upbringing in Gomia, Jharkhand, a town surrounded by dense forests, flowing rivers and rolling hills, was the heart of her inspiration. These landscapes, part of her childhood, found new life on her canvases. The paintings reflected a profound reverence for the environment, capturing the intricate interplay of life within the forests and the harmonious existence of the people who inhabit them. The exhibition was not just a showcase of art but a tribute to a way of life that is slowly being lost to modernity. Each piece in the collection



displayed Kavita's mastery of texture, light and emotion. Her use of layered greens, punctuated with earthy browns and vibrant bursts of light, created an almost tangible forest experience. The paintings seemed alive, evoking the sounds of rustling leaves, the whisper of winds through the trees and the unseen presence of wildlife. Viewers were transported to a world where nature reigned supreme, a world filled with an enchanting yet fragile beauty. What set Kavita's work apart was its ability to communicate on multiple levels. On the surface, the paintings were visually stunning, drawing admiration for their technical brilliance. Beneath that, however, lay a poignant narrative of

environmental concern. The forests on her canvases were not just idyllic landscapes; they were symbols of a delicate balance, a call to humanity to remember its roots and renew its commitment to preserving the natural world. The curation by Jyoti A. Kathalia played a crucial role in elevating the exhibition. Each painting was positioned to guide the viewer on a journey, not just through Kavita's memories but through an exploration of the universal connection between humanity and nature. The narrative was clear yet subtle, inviting contemplation rather than confrontation. Visitors left the exhibition not only enchanted but also introspective. Kavita's *Enchanted Forests* served as a reminder of the profound beauty of nature and the responsibility to protect it. Her work bridged the personal and the universal, offering a powerful reflection on the beauty of life and the pressing need for harmony between humans and their environment.

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TEAM VIVA

The *India Art Festival* (IAF) once again transformed New Delhi's Constitution Club of India into a vibrant world for art lovers, celebrating the country's diverse artistic expressions. Stepping into the exhibition, you were immediately struck by a collection of colours, styles and stories, each artwork seemed to invite you into a world of its own. This year's festival not only showcased talent but captured the very essence of India's contemporary art scene, where tradition meets innovation.

The opening was marked by a symbolic lamp lighting ceremony, a gesture that set the stage for the festival's spirit of unity and creativity. Eminent figures like Prayag Shukla, Jatin Das and IAF Director Rajendra Patil were there to welcome guests, signalling the start of an event that would bring together over 450 artists and more than 3,500 artworks. It was a visual feast, an explosion of creativity that drew in everyone from art collectors to curious newcomers. The dual-pavilion setup, with one section devoted to established galleries and another for independent artists, created an inclusive atmosphere where every voice mattered. This year,



INSIDE THE ART MOVEMENT



renowned galleries like Delhi's Gallery Pioneer and Mumbai's Bouquet of Art Gallery shared space with emerging artists, each showcasing their unique perspectives. The festival's layout felt like a dialogue between the traditional and the contemporary, with seasoned collectors mingling alongside first-time visitors, all united by a

shared love for art. The sheer variety on display was astonishing, works ranged from vivid landscapes capturing India's rural heartland to modern abstractions exploring deep emotions. One could not help but be drawn to artists like Antra Shrivastava, whose expressive pieces captured human connection and Bharat Jain,

whose surreal and symbolic works left a lasting impression. There were also deeply spiritual portraits by Pratima Abhange that brought a sense of serenity to the festival's lively atmosphere. IAF was not limited to paintings alone. Sculptures, wildlife art and reimagined traditional works made the festival a rich visual journey. There was something for everyone, geometric modernism, delicate florals, symbolic representations and experimental art all came together to tell the multifaceted story of Indian creativity. What set this festival apart was its multi-sensory approach. The

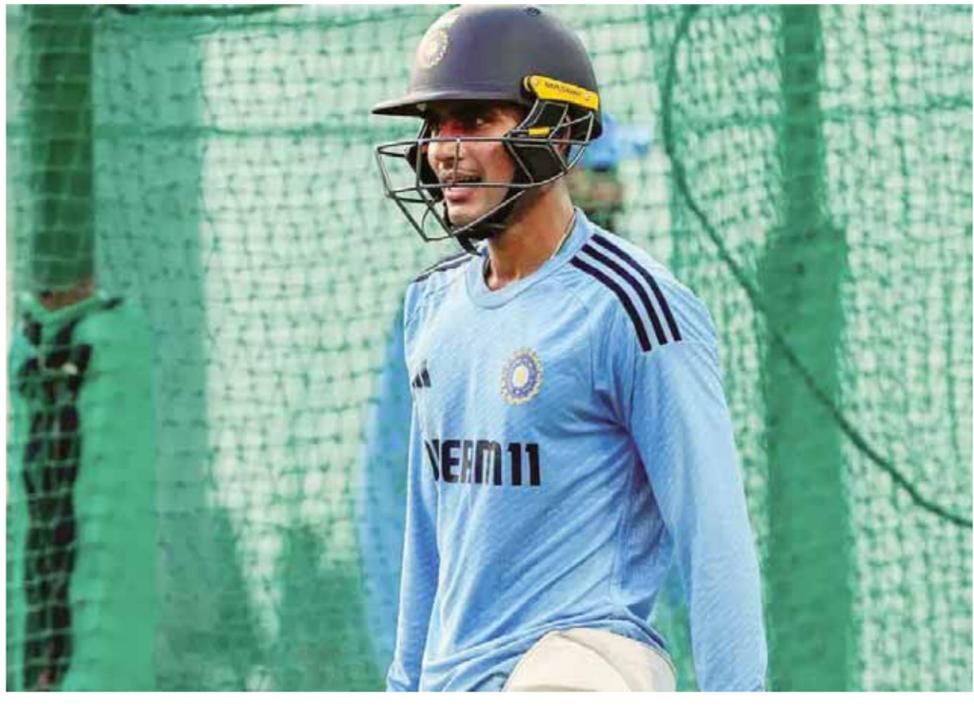


daily screenings of *The Eternal Canvas*, a film tracing India's artistic evolution, added depth and context to the visual experience, while live performances by sitar maestro Uma Shankar and flautist Ritjeet Deepak filled the air with a soulful charm. It was more than an art festival; it was a cultural celebration, a reminder of how deeply art is worked into the fabric of India's identity. Leaving the festival, one couldn't help but be struck by the sense of community it created, a space where artists, collectors and the general public could engage directly and intimately with each other. The *India Art Festival* wasn't just about appreciating art; it was about experiencing it, connecting with it and seeing how it continues to evolve and inspire. For anyone passionate about art, it was an unmissable event that left a profound and lasting impression.

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Gill returns to nets after thumb injury

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Shubman Gill returned to the India nets on Friday, showing enough signs of a full recovery from a thumb injury that ruled him out of the series opener against Australia in Perth. Gill's absence was not felt in Perth as India won the game by 295 runs but considering his impressive run on the previous tour, the visitors need him at his best over the course of the five-match series. The top-order batter was seen facing Yash Dayal and Akash Deep in the nets ahead of the pink-ball warm-up game against Australian PM's XI starting Saturday. "I was just trying to get a feel to be honest, see how the injury is reacting, if any kind of soreness is there but it went much better than what I and Kamlesh bhai (Kamlesh Jain, physio) expected. Very happy with that," Gill said in a video posted by BCCI on X after the training session here. Gill was naturally disappointed about getting injured ahead of the first Test but India's special



performance put him back in a positive frame of mind. "Any ball when it hits the middle of the bat, the feeling that you get, that is the feeling I play for. When I got to know about my injury, first couple of days I was quite low and disappointed. "Perth is the only venue we did not play last time around (2020-21). It is such an iconic venue. But the way we played at the end of it, I was very happy," the batter added. In Gill's absence, Devdutt Padikkal came at number three for India but could not deliver. However, it is not a given that Gill will return to his usual batting position as K L Rahul excelled as an opener in Perth in skipper Rohit Sharma's absence. While Rohit is expected to open alongside Yashasvi Jaiswal, Rahul could come in at three pushing Gill to number 5. It remains to be seen if India experiment in the batting order in the warm-up game as all batters would be allowed a hit in the middle considering it is not a first-class game.



India look to make most of pink ball warm-up

PTI ■ CANBERRA
India would aim to figure out their batting combination for next week's day-night Test in Adelaide when they face Australia Prime Minister's XI in a two-day tour game at the Manuka Oval here from Saturday. India have played four day-night Tests thus far with their only loss coming at Adelaide four years ago when they were bowled out for 36 before making a winning comeback in the four-match Test series. The pink ball does a lot more compare to the red cherry, especially in the twilight period. Considering it is not a first-class game, majority of the Indian batters would like to get a feel of the ball in the middle. Coming from their most dominant win in Australia in the opening Test in Perth, the Indian dressing room is in high spirits. However, the arrival of Rohit Sharma, who missed the first Test due to the birth of his second child and expected return of a fit again Shubman Gill will force the think tank to rejig the batting order for the match beginning December 6. Rohit and Yashasvi Jaiswal are the designated openers but with the latter and K L Rahul excelling at the top in Perth, there is a case for the Indian skipper to drop himself down the order. If that does happen, Gill's position will also need to be adjusted. India will have to make those calls in the practice game before reaching Adelaide with full clarity. As it is only a two-day game, India would be hoping to get a lot more time with the bat than the ball. The likes of Sarfaraz Khan, who are unlikely to be considered unless there is an injury, would also be hoping for some game time. The team is in a relaxed mood and had its first net session on Friday where Gill took guard, indicating that his recovery is well on course. India have been reluctant to play four games as they are often not competitive enough. With Test players like Matt Renshaw and Scott Boland in the line-up, the visitors can hope for some decent match practice. The PM's XI will be led by all-rounder Jack Edwards and will also have Australia U-19 stars including Charlie Anderson, Mahli Beardman, Aidan O'Connor and Sam Konstas. Fast bowling all-rounder Hanno Jacobs will be another player to watch out for. The Squads: India: Rohit Sharma (C), Jasprit Bumrah (VC), Yashasvi Jaiswal, Abhimanyu Easwaran, Shubman Gill, Virat Kohli, KL Rahul, Rishabh Pant (WK), Sarfaraz Khan, Dhruv Jurel (WK), R Ashwin, R Jadeja, Mohd. Siraj, Akash Deep, Prasidh Krishna, Harshit Rana, Nitish Kumar Reddy, Washington Sundar. PM's XI: Jack Edwards (C), Charlie Anderson, Mahli Beardman, Scott Boland, Jack Clayton, Aidan O'Connor, Ollie Davies, Jayden Goodwin, Sam Harper, Hanno Jacobs, Sam Konstas, Lloyd Pope, Matthew Renshaw, Jem Ryan.



Australia let Kohli roll on to a hundred in Perth: Allan Border

PTI ■ MELBOURNE
Former Australia captain Allan Border has expressed his disappointment over the team's inability to contain Virat Kohli during the first Test in Perth and feels that can potentially cost the hosts the five-match series. Kohli, who had not scored a Test century in 18 months, roared back to form with an unbeaten 100 in the second innings as India secured a thumping 295-run victory over the hosts. "I was really disappointed in the way we let Kohli roll on to a hundred without much resistance," Border told SEN radio on Friday morning. "We don't want this guy full of confidence for the rest of the series." Border also questioned the tactics of skipper Pat Cummins, suggesting they



allowed Kohli to regain his rhythm after his struggles against New Zealand in the recent home series. Kohli's century marked his seventh on Australian soil. Former opener Matthew Hayden also took aim at Cummins, criticising the

field placements after Kohli's arrival in the middle. "You can't cut a sucker an even break when a bloke is under pressure as he was. The field we actually finished with - two slips, no point, a man straight - it offered up the outside edge of his bat as well. He found it a little more frustrating. When he got the bit between the teeth, it was too late. Hayden also pointed to tactical lapses during India's earlier partnership, noting the delayed use of short-ball strategies. "Jaiswal looked vulnerable against it. Maybe tiny things with Pat Cummins, the ability to think through these decisions. They were shell-shocked from the average batting performance (in the first innings) and as we see now, again, bombs are going," he said.

KL should continue to open with Jaiswal, Rohit can come in at 3: Pujara

PTI ■ CANBERRA
Cheteshwar Pujara wants K L Rahul to open the batting alongside Yashasvi Jaiswal in the second Test against Australia despite the arrival of skipper Rohit Sharma. Rohit's absence in the series opener in Perth allowed India to move Rahul to the top of the order from the middle order. Pujara, the rock of Indian batting on the previous two tours of Australia, feels the opening combination should not be tinkered with after a 295-run win in the series opener. Jaiswal scored a memorable hundred while Rahul too was impressive, collecting 26 and 77 in the two innings in Perth. "I think, for some reason if we can carry on with the same batting order, like KL and Yashasvi to open, Rohit could come in at three, and Shubman could come in at five," Pujara said in a chat with ESPNcricinfo. "If Rohit wants to open, KL should bat at No. 3. Nothing later than that. I think he has

to bat top of the order, because it suits his game really well. I hope we don't tinker around with that." Gill, who missed the first Test due to a thumb injury, is also expected to feature in the playing eleven in the day-night Test beginning December 6. "Ideally No. 5 (for Gill). Because it allows him to come in at a time, even if we lose two wickets early, he is someone who can negotiate the new ball," Pujara said. "But if he walks in after, say, 25 or 30 overs, he can play his natural game. And in case we lose the first three wickets early, Gill walks in and saves Rishabh Pant for the old ball. "[Pant] doesn't have to face the new ball. I wouldn't want him to walk in to bat when the ball is hard and new," Pujara added. Gill has opened the batting in Australia but has now moved down to number three. India also play a two-day warm up game in Canberra ahead of the pink-ball Test in Adelaide.

Harmanpreet unveils Indian women's cricket team ODI jersey

PTI ■ MUMBAI
The Indian women's cricket team captain Harmanpreet Kaur and BCCI secretary Jay Shah on Friday unveiled the side's new ODI jersey at the Board's headquarters here. The women's team will don the new jersey during the three-match ODI series against the West Indies to be played in Vadodara from December 22. "It's an honour to unveil the jersey today and really happy that we are the first ones who is going to wear this jersey against the West Indies team," said Harmanpreet. "Really happy, really like the look. The tri-colour on the shoulder is looking really beautiful and really happy that



Battle of Equals: Gukesh, Liren draw fourth round game; remain level on points in WC

PTI ■ SINGAPORE
Indian Grandmaster D Gukesh and defending champion Ding Liren played out a mostly risk-free draw in the fourth round to remain level on points in the World Chess Championship battle here on Friday. The two players signed peace after 42 moves vide repetition and are tied on two points each after four games of the 14-round showdown. The first to reach 7.5 points will be crowned the champion. The 18-year-old Gukesh, who was playing with black on Friday, is the youngest ever challenger for the title and had won the third game on Wednesday. "Towards the end, I had some chances to press better but with black this is all you can expect," Gukesh said after the game. "I am just trying to make good moves," he added when asked about the



prospect of becoming the youngest world champion. The 32-year-old Liren had won the opening game before the two played out a draw in the second game. "This round, I tried to play safe. It turns out I got a little bit of an advantage. The score is still balanced. There are more games to come," Liren said. "I had a rest day to recover from the tough loss. I am in a very good mood. It

worked well, not so bad," he added. With just 10 games remaining under the classical time control, Gukesh will have the advantage of playing white in the fifth game. On Friday, Liren started with the bird's opening trying to take out on the queen's bishop early in the opening which was a clear indication that the Chinese wanted to fight the Indian on the skill rather than preparation. Gukesh was up to the task in responding as he matched Liren move for move and the pieces traded hands leading to equality. The players eventually reached rook and pawns endgame which was theoretically drawn and the split of a point was a just result. Viswanathan Anand is so far the only Indian to have won the title, having claimed it five times in his career. The semi-retired legend made the ceremonial first move for Gukesh on Friday.

Guardiola urges Man City hierarchy to give him time to fix faltering team as Nadal visits

AP ■ MANCHESTER
Manchester City manager Pep Guardiola has urged the Abu Dhabi hierarchy to give him the chance to revive his faltering team amid its staggering run of poor results, saying Friday he will not "run away" from the challenge. City lost five games in a row before squandering a three-goal lead from the 75th minute to draw 3-3 with Feyenoord in the Champions League on Tuesday. The longest winless streak in Guardiola's coaching career could be extended on Sunday when City plays away to Liverpool, which is in first place in the Premier League and the Champions League. "It's not normal in the big clubs to do the results we have done, but what we have to do is accept it," Guardiola said. "For sure I want to stay here, I want to do it, but the moment I feel I'm not positive for the club, another one will come. "But, I want the opportunity to try. I don't want to run away. I want to be there. I want to rebuild the team. I ask for that challenge. I ask for this opportunity to do it. Because I feel it. I know what I want to do. I know what we need. I know what we



have to do." Guardiola, who has won the Premier League six times in his eight full seasons with City and the club's first Champions League title, said he is in regular communication with chairman Khaldoon Al Mubarak. "He knows we are going to find a solution," Guardiola said. "In the circumstances that it doesn't happen, the club will take the solution, the decision, it has to take." The Spanish coach said he deserved to be given time to turn things around. "I have it all on my shoulders. I want it," he said. "Here at the football club you have to win — if you don't win, you'll be in trouble. I

know that. "People said, Oh, why is Pep not in trouble? Why is he not sacked? What we have done the last eight years is why we have this margin." Guardiola played down talk of a "crisis" at City when asked by a reporter, but was unsure when the team would start winning again. After Liverpool, City plays seventh-place Nottingham Forest on Wednesday. "We will be back — I know that," Guardiola said. "I don't know when that is the truth. "We have to accept," he added, "that it is completely normal — maybe the exception was in the past, not what happened now. How we stand up again, this is the big success in life. It's how many times you stand up, again and again, and again, whatever happens. They are the greatest (people)." Rafael Nadal, the 22-time Grand Slam champion who retired from tennis this month, visited City's training ground on Thursday. He is a Real Madrid fan and was in northwest England to watch the Spanish team play Liverpool in the Champions League on Tuesday.

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APPENDIX IV [SEE RULE 8(I)] POSSESSION NOTICE

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