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GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB**Short Term Tender Notice Reference No. 06/2024/LG/MC/NABHA**
The Department of Local Govt. Punjab (M.C. Nabha) invites online bids for the following:-

Sr. No.	Item	Quantity
1	Various Items Supply under SBM	18

Closing Date & Time: **26.06.2024 at 02.00 p.m.**
For details login to: <https://eproc.punjab.gov.in>**Note:** Any corrigendum(s) to the Tender/RFP Notice shall be published on the above website only.

Sd/- President, Municipal Council, Nabha,	Sd/- Executive Officer, Municipal Council, Nabha,	Sd/- Asst. Municipal Engineer, Municipal Council, Nabha,
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DPR/PB/34530

**GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB
SHORT TERM TENDER NOTICE****BID No. E-Tender-MC Kharar/2024-2025/1134** Dated: **12.06.2024**Municipal Council has invited Tender of amount 474.5 lacs from Societies/ Contractors/Firms. The details are Terms & Conditions and any future Corrigendum can be seen on the website <https://eproc.punjab.gov.in>. The tenders can only be filled on above website.**Schedule of Date and Times:-**

Last Date & Time for filling the online Tender	Date & Time for opening the Technical Bid
Date : 01.07.2024 Time : 03.00 p.m.	Date : 01.07.2024 Time : 04.00 p.m.

Sd/- **Executive Officer,
Municipal Council, Kharar.**
DPR/PB/34554**GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB
TENDER NOTICE FOR VARIOUS WORKS****Tender Notice Reference No. 21 dt. 12.06.2024**

The Department of Punjab Water Supply & Sewerage Board invites online bids for the following:-

Sr. No.	Item	Quantity
1	P & I of Desktop Computer for PWSS Division No. 2, Patiala	1

Pre-Bid Meeting :- Date: **18.06.2024 at 11:00 A.M.**Venue of Pre-Bid Meeting:- **Executive Engineer, Punjab Water Supply & Sew. Division No. 2, Patiala.**Closing Date and Time :- **up to 24.06.2024 at 03:00 P.M.**For details login to :- **eproc.punjab.gov.in****Note:-** Any Corrigendum(s) to the Tender Notice shall be published on the above website only.Sd/- **Executive Engineer,
Punjab W/S & Sew. Divn No. 2, Patiala.**
eep2.pwssb@punjab.gov.in
DPR/PB/34498**OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT EDUCATION OFFICER,
U.T., SEC-19 B, CHANDIGARH**
Ph No. 0172-5021691
e-mail address:- mdmchd@gmail.com**QUOTATION NOTICE****Memo No.DEO-UT-MDM-22-2024/** Dated:

Sr. No.	Particulars	Number of bags
1	Empty Jute Good Bags	15000
2	Empty Torn Jute Bags	9000
3	Empty Wheat Plastic Good Bags	4000
4	Empty Dal Plastic Good Bags	5500

Note: The quantity of the material can be increased/decreased.

For this purpose, the Quotations are invited from the Firms/Companies etc. as per list enclosed or from the open market (who is capable) for the Purchase of Empty Jute Good Bags, Torn Jute Bags, Plastic Good Bags and Torn Plastic Bags. The Firms/Companies/are required to quote their rates including all taxes/duties/GST on the prescribed proforma enclosed with this notice.

The quotations in sealed cover super scribed in bold letters "QUOTATION FOR THE PURCHASE OF ABOVE SAID ITEMS" should be sent in the office of District Education Officer, Sector-19 B, U.T., Chandigarh by hand/Registered post so as to reach on or before Chandigarh on or before 25.06.2024 up to 11:30 A.M. The said quotations will be opened in the presence of the representatives of the firms/companies/whosoever wishes to be present on the same day at 3:30 P.M.

Quotations received late from the stipulated date and time shall not be considered and shall be rejected outrightly.

**TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR THE AUCTION OF
EMPTY JUTE GOOD BAGS, TORN JUTE BAGS, WHEAT
PLASTIC GOOD BAGS AND DAL PLASTIC GOOD BAGS.**

- The quotations received in the sealed cover only will be accepted. The offer/price bid through any other method will not be considered and rejected straightway.
- Incomplete/conditional quotations will not be entertained and shall be rejected outrightly.
- The highest bidder shall be bound to deposit an advance amount Rs. 21000/- as performance security in the shape of Demand Draft/FDR in favour District Education Officer, U.T., payable at Chandigarh, within 7 days from the issue of offer letter/Lol.
- The successful bidder is required to lift the entire stock of above said items within 15 days from the date of issue of the office letter/Lol and shall deposit the balance amount before lifting the total stock of item. In case of failure, the amount of advance/performance security deposit will be forfeited without any further communication in this regard.
- There should not be any cutting or overwriting in the Officer/Price bid form. However, any cutting/overwriting shall be duly authenticated with sign and Rubber Stamp of the firm.
- In case of difference in the bid amount expressed in figures and words, the excess amount expressed will be considered.
- The rates should be quoted in Indian Rupees only.

The department reserves every right to (a) cancel/ withdraw/ amend or extend the due date at his sole discretion or (b) accept or reject any quotation without assigning any reason.

Sd/- **District Education Officer,
U.T., Chandigarh.****OFFER/PRICE BID**

The undersigned _____ S/o Shri _____ on behalf of M/s _____ of which I am a Partner/ Proprietor/Director/Manager/ _____ (please tick mark) hereby submit my offer as under:-

- I am duly authorized to submit this Offer/Price Bid.
- I have read all the Terms and Conditions etc., in detail and on the basis of my full study of the above-mentioned terms and conditions and the Quotation Notice. I undertake to Purchase the material exactly in accordance with the above said terms and conditions.
- I undertake that I/my firm/company have not been blacklisted by the Department of Govt. of India or any State Govt. or any Union Territory or any Public Undertaking/ PSU/Corporation/Board.

Sr. No.	Particulars	Number of bags	Rate Quoted per bag including all taxes/ duties & landed rate in figures (in Rs.)	Rate Quoted per bag including all taxes/ duties & landed rate in words (in Rs.)
1.	Empty Jute Good Bags	26848		
2.	Empty Torn Jute Bags	11035		
3.	Empty Plastic Good Bags	10396		
4.	Empty Torn Plastic Bags	1396		

Signature of the Bidder
Name of the Bidder
(with Rubber Stamp)
Address _____Mobile No. _____
Tel. No. _____
PAN/TAN No. _____
GST No. _____**HIMACHAL PRADESH****PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT**HPPWD Division Gumarwin, Distt. Bilaspur(H.P)-174021
Tel:- 01978-255281, e-mail id:- ee-gu-hp@nic.in.**E-PROCUREMENT NOTICE/INITIATION FOR BIDS (IBF)**

The Executive Engineer H.P.P.W.D. Division Gumarwin Distt. Bilaspur H.P. on behalf of Governor of Himachal Pradesh invites on online bids on item rates in electronic tendering system from the eligible class of contractors registered with the H.P.P.W.D. for the following works as per detail given below:-

Sr. No.	Name of Work	Estimated Cost	EMD	Time Limit
1.	C/o Circular road around Nagar Parisaad Gumarwin (Court Complex Tikkar to Kullaru Km. 0/0 to 2/0 (SH:- C/o Hume Pipe culvert at R.D. 0/040 and 0/440)	708851/-	15000/-	Two Months
2.	C/o Link road village Paddal Km. 0/0 to 1/00 (SH:- C/o Hume Pipe culvert at R.D. 0/150 and 0/750)	794667/-	16000/-	Two Months
3.	C/o Link road from Village Trauntra to Village Trauntra in Tehsil Gumarwin (SH:- C/o Hume pipe culvert at RD 0/510, R/wall at R.D 0/030 to 0/042.50 and M/T at R.D 0/350 to 0/600)	1100727/-	22100/-	One Month
4.	C/o link road Village Mehran near Tiun Khas Tower in G.P. Tiun Khas (SH:- M/T at R.D. 0/0 to 0/500)	1312337/-	26500/-	One Month

Starting date for downloading of bids: **14.06.2024 (for each)**
Deadline for submission of bids: **21.06.2024 (for each)**The bidders are advised to note other detail from the Govt. Website www.hptenders.gov.in.For & on behalf of Governor of Himachal Pradesh.
Executive Engineer,
Gumarwin Division,
H.P.P.W.D. Gumarwin.

DPR/HP/126

**PROCLAMATION REQUIRING THE
APPEARANCE OF ACCUSED PERSONS****(See Section 82 Cr.PC)**

Whereas complaint has been made before me that accused (1) **Ms. Nidhi Jain (2) Sh. Anil Jain (3) Sh. Sidharth Jain (4) Sh. Sunil Jain Partner of M/s Finishes - n- Fragrances at: Khasra No.107 & 103/1, Vill. Theda, Kharuni-Lodimajra Road, Tehsil Baddi (H.P.)** Also at **Khasra No.235, Village Balyana, P.O. Barotiwal, Tehsil Baddi, Distt. Solan (HP)** have committed (or are suspected to have committed) the offence in case **CC No.538121/16 u/s 138 NI Act, P.S. Lahori Gate, Delhi** and it has been returned to a warrant of arrest thereupon issued that the said accused (1) **Ms. Nidhi Jain (2) Sh. Anil Jain (3) Sh. Sidharth Jain (4) Sh. Sunil Jain** cannot be found and whereas it has been shown to my satisfaction that the said accused (1) **Ms. Nidhi Jain (2) Sh. Anil Jain (3) Sh. Sidharth Jain (4) Sh. Sunil Jain** have absconded (or are concealing themselves to avoid the service of the said warrant). Proclamation is hereby made that the said accused (1) **Ms. Nidhi Jain (2) Sh. Anil Jain (3) Sh. Sidharth Jain (4) Sh. Sunil Jain (4) Sh. Sunil Jain** of **CC No.538121/16 u/s 138 NI Act, P.S. Lahori Gate, Delhi** are required to appear before this Court to answer the said complaint on or before **27.08.2024**.

By Order,
Ms. Divya GuptaMetropolitan Magistrate NI Act-05, Room No.2, Ground Floor,
Annexe Building-01, Tis Hazari Court, Delhi
DP/6817/N/2024**HIMACHAL PRADESH****PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT****E-PROCUREMENT NOTICE****INVITATION FOR BIDS (IFB)**

- The Executive Engineer, Thalout Division, HPPWD., Thalout on behalf of Governor of H.P. re-invites the online bids on percentage rate, in electronic tendering system, in 2 Cover System for the undermentioned work from the eligible and approved Contractors/Firms registered with HPPWD.

Sr. No.	Name of Work	Estimated Cost	EMD	Cost of Tender	Time Period	Eligible Class of Contractor
1	Repair and maintenance of Four Lining End of Pandoh Bypass to Takoli Kullu Section of NH-21 (Km 222/700 to 232/500) (SH - Removal of signs, Construction of retaining wall, Metalting and W-metal beam crash barrier in km 222/700 to 227/600).	Rs. 1,70,37,381/-	Rs. 3,41,000/-	Rs. 5000/-	Three Months	Class 'B' to 'C'

Starting Date of downloading Bid: **18.06.2024 at 05.00 P.M.**Deadline for submission of Bid: **26.06.2024 at 10.00 A.M.**Date of opening of Bid: **26.06.2024 at 11.30 A.M.**

- The rates beyond the limit over +5% will be rejected besides this the Additional Performance security will have to come @ 20% & 30% for unbalanced bid in case the rates is lower than 10% but up to 20% & lower than 20% up to 30% respectively. The tender will be accepted beyond the limit of -30% also.
- Only scanned copy of original documents as uploaded on the tender website are required for technical & financial elevation. The original documents shall be required only from the successful bidder before issue of letter of award.
- The participants should have the work done of similar nature & sufficient machinery as required in bid document.

The bidders are advised to note other details of tenders from the department website www.hptenders.gov.inOn behalf of Governor of Himachal Pradesh
Sd/- Executive Engineer,
Thalout Division, HPPWD, Thalout Distt. Mandi.
Phone No. 01905-293767

NO. PW/TLD/AB/Tender/2024:- 1602-11 Dated: 12.06.2024 DPR/HP/135

**GOVERNMENT MEDICAL COLLEGE AND
HOSPITAL, CHANDIGARH**(Hospital Building, Sector 32-B, Chandigarh — 160030,
Ph. No. 0172-2665253-60, Fax No. 0172-2608488)**E-TENDER NOTICE**

E-Tender (Online tenders) are invited for hiring a recruitment agency which should only be a Government/Semi-Government/Government Autonomous Body/Government Board/Government Corporation/ Government Enterprises/PSU for conducting the Written Examination for filling up approximate 400 post of Staff Nurse/Nursing Officer on temporary basic but likely to continue. All bids must be accompanied by an EMD as specified in the bid documents. The EMD must be delivered in the physical form in the office of HA-I, Room No. 221 Level II, 'D' Block, Government Medical College & Hospital, Sector 32 B, Chandigarh — 160030.

Time Schedule

1.	Date of Publication	18.06.2024 at 1600 Hrs.
2.	Downloading of E-Tender Documents	18.06.2024 at 1600 Hrs. to 10.07.2024 at 1600 Hrs.
3.	Date of Submission of E-Tender	11.07.2024 at 1600 Hrs.
4.	Physical Submission of EMD	11.07.2024 at 1600 Hrs.
5.	Opening of Technical Bids	12.07.2024 at 1600 Hrs.

Terms & Conditions:

- Tender documents for the above item can be obtained from website.
- The Competent authority reserves all rights to reject any or all the tenders without assigning any reason.
- Tender Document of GMCH, after duly signed & stamped, along with original brochure of the firm and EMD, in the shape of FDR/DD/Bankers Cheque/Bank Guarantee, (separate for each item), must be submitted in physical form, in the office of Hospital Administration Branch, Room No. 221, Block - D, First Floor, GMCH, Sector 32, Chandigarh on or before the dates as noted against each item by 1600 hours on any working day. Tenders without submission of EMD and Tender Document in physical form shall be rejected straightway.
- The tenders must be submitted online on or before the dates as noted against each item by 1600 hours. The bid guarantee and technical bid will be opened on due date at 1600 hours. No tender shall be accepted in physical form.
- Opening of Price Bid to be intimated to all the qualified bidders separately.
- The tenderer can approach the Computer Programmer-cum-Nodal Officer, e-tendering, GMCH-32, Chandigarh on any working day, in case any query/clarification regarding e-tendering process (Ph. No. 0172-2601023-27, Extn. 2112) or (Ph. No. 0172-2740641) of IT Dept., UT, Chandigarh.
- The information regarding these tenders are also available at the following websites: <http://gmch.gov.in>, <http://etenders.chd.nic.in>

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An Autonomous Organization of Department of Horticulture & Food Processing
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FEES: Rs. 2,500/- (ONLINE) Date: 15th & 16th June, 2024
Time: 5.00 PM to 8.00 PM

CONTENT:- How to start a cloud kitchen. Difference between cloud kitchen and normal restaurant kitchen. License and equipment. Kitchen equipment, raw material and packaging systems. Staff requirement and job pattern. Implementation of the project. Budgeting and costing. Software and web solutions. Digital Marketing. Customer support and future expansion. Integration with online portals as Zomato and Swiggy. Pre requisites to enter Food Business. Food safety and Food safety to be followed in industry. Food entrepreneurship. Possible food businesses. Certifications needed. Mandatory rules to be followed. Food business operations. Food processing technologies. Food enterprises, meat, fish, poultry, dairy and dairy products. Bakery, Namkeen and confectionery. Packaging technologies. Laboratory testing for food and water. Branding and marketing of food products.

M. : 8178836164, 9811047670, 9599713406
E-CERTIFICATE WILL BE AWARDED. Website: www.rfacg.org **LIMITED SEATS**

PUNJAB STATE POWER CORPORATION LIMITED
Regd. Office: PSEB Head Office, The Mall, Patiala — 147001
CIN: U40109PB2010SGC033813 Website: www.pspcl.in
(Contact Number 96461-22644)

E-Tender Enquiry No. 04/Sr. Xen/Civil/SPH/2024-25 Dated: 14.06.2024

Sr. Xen/Civil, Shanan Power House, PSPCL, Joginder Nagar, Distt. Mandi (HP) invites E-tender for the Construction of new roof truss of 50 MW Power House building at Shanan Power House, Joginder Nagar, Distt. Mandi, H.P. For detailed NIT & tender specification please refer to <https://eproc.punjab.in> on 14/06/2024 from 09:00 a.m. onwards.**Note:** Corrigendum and addendum, if any will be published online at <https://eproc.punjab.gov.in>

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(Regd. Office PSEB Head Office, The Mall, Patiala)
Corporate Identification Number:
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Website: www.pspcl.in
(Contact No. 96461-22208)

Tender Inquiry No. ENF/2024-25/PSPCL/ASE/Enf-cum-EA & MMTS-6, Ldh. Date: 12.06.2024

Addl. SE/Enforcement-Cum-EA & MMTS-6, PSPCL, Ludhiana invites Short Term Tender for hiring outsourced vehicle as per Corporate Transport policy of PSPCL. For detailed NIT & tender specifications please contact the O/o Addl. SE/Enf Cum EA & MMTS-6, PSPCL, Ludhiana from 13.06.2024 onwards.
Note: Corrigendum and Addendum, if any will be published online at <https://www.pspcl.in>

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**RFP-2024 "Establishment of Centre of
Excellence-Dairy Farm-cum-Training Centre"
NOTICE INVITING BID**

Bid ID No. 2023_DAH1_79892_1 Dated: 07th June 2024

RFP for the "Establishment of Centre of Excellence-Dairy Farm-cum-Training Centre" at Village Basal, District Una in Himachal Pradesh on Turnkey basis and on Engineering, Procurement and Construction (EPC) Mode and Supply of Robotics and Other equipment of Specified Standards Thereof Including Comprehensive Maintenance of Robotics, Machinery and Equipment for Period of Five (05) Years". The scope of work will broadly include the Design, Engineering, Development, Construction and Supply of Robotics and other equipment of Specified Standards thereof as detailed at Volume-II: Requirements and Specifications and the Details of the facilities to be developed are given in Volume-III – Lay out, Drawings & Designs for buildings including Situation Plan, Building Floor Plans, Section & Facades in this RFP.

The MS, HPLPDB now invites bids from eligible Bidder(s) for the following project:

Name of Work	Estimated Cost in Cr	Completion Period	Operation and Maintenance Period
"Establishment of Centre of Excellence-Dairy Farm-cum-Training Centre" at Village Basal, District Una in Himachal Pradesh on Turnkey basis and on Engineering, Procurement and Construction (EPC) Mode and Supply of Robotics and Other equipment of Specified Standards thereof including comprehensive maintenance of Robotics, Machinery and Equipment for Period of Five (05) Years".	₹ 40,00,00,000.00 (Indian Rupees - INR Forty-Crores Only) Exclusive of Operation & Maintenance Cost	18 Months	60 Months (Post completion period)

- Estimated cost is an indicative cost Exclusive of Operation & Maintenance Cost and not binding on HPLPDB, bidders have to do their own due diligence for ascertaining the same.
- The RFP document is required to be downloaded from the website <https://hptenders.gov.in>. Entire tender process will be carried out online through above mentioned website and the Tenderers need to login to the site through their user ID/password chosen during registration at <https://hptenders.gov.in>
- The RFP document can also be downloaded from website of the Department of Animal Husbandry Himachal Pradesh <https://bit.ly/37TLeAj>
- The Bidding document may be downloaded from the website <https://hptenders.gov.in> and the Bidder will pay a sum of ₹ 5,000/- (Indian Rupees - INR Five Thousand Only) + 18% GST as non-refundable cost of the Bidding documents during the submission of the Bid in the shape of Demand Draft in the name of Director Animal Husbandry-cum-Member Secretary, Himachal Pradesh Livestock Development Board, Shimla-5.
- The bids are required to be uploaded on the tender site: hptenders.gov.in within the stipulated time frame as detailed in NIT & tender input form and the Tender Notice dated 07th June 2024.

Tenderer is required to upload the tender application along with requisite documents on the tender site. The tender documents shall be uploaded under twobid system. One bid containing separately the "Technical Bid" and the second bid "Financial Bid".

- The Bidder shall furnish as part of its Bid, an Earnest Money of ₹ 80,00,000 (Indian Rupees - INR Eighty Lakh Only). Earnest Money shall be paid through or BG-Bank Guarantee or FD Pledged in favour of DAH-cum-MIS as mentioned in Tender document.
- The Bidder shall also be required to submit the Technical Bid in hard bound covers as specified in Clause 3.12 of this document. The Bidder shall be required to submit the Bid in hard bound cover by **11:00 A.M., Monday, 24th June 2024**. Technical Bids of those Bidders who have not submitted their hard copy bid, shall not be considered for opening and evaluation.
- Financial Bid has to be uploaded only online. Prices are expected to be quoted as the price in Indian rupees in totality for the turnkey project over the BoQ in the Tender Document. Any attempt to disclose the price in Technical Bid will lead to disqualification of the bid.**
- The Time followed in this RFP is Indian Standard Time (IST) which is GMT+5:30. The bidders should adhere to this time during bid submission.
- All the images contained in the RFP are merely indicative and may not represent the final requirement of the project.

- The specifications and requirements for all the items/structures are representative of standards and automated technological solutions and the bidder may provide better integrated automated solutions for establishing the facility.
- The Service Provider/Contractor shall abide by and comply with all the relevant laws and statutory requirements covered under Contract Labour (regulation & abolition Act 1970), Minimum Wages Act, EPF & MP Act 1952 and any other law if applicable with regard to the labour engaged by him for works, at his own cost and risk.

Exclusions:-

- Procurement of Animals is not covered under scope of work of current RFP.
- Construction of Bio Gas Unit is not covered under scope of work of current RFP.
- Setting up of Dairy processing Plant is not covered under scope of work of current RFP.
- Construction of Guard Room is not covered under the scope of work of current RFP.
- Bank Details Himachal Pradesh Livestock & Poultry Development Board-Shimla-5.
 - Account No. 36591811962
 - IFSC Code: SBIN0006785
 - Branch: SBI Boileau Ganj, Shimla
 - Name of Account Holder: HP Livestock Dev Board Shimla-5

Availability of tender information:-Tender information Inquiries and clarifications are required to be addressed the Director, Animal Husbandry-cum-Member Secretary, Himachal Pradesh Livestock & Poultry Development Board, Pashudhan Bhawan, Shimla – 171005, Phone No. **0177-2830089**.

All queries must be sent over email to following e-mail addresses:-

- ms-ldb@hp.gov.in
- ceohpldb@gmail.com

Sd/- Director,
Animal Husbandry-cum-Member Secretary,
Himachal Pradesh Livestock & Poultry Development Board,
Pashudhan Bhawan, Shimla – 171005.
Phone No. 0177-2830089

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(Regd. Office PSEB Head Office, The Mall, Patiala)
CIN: U40109PB2010SGC033813 Website: www.pspcl.in
(Contact No. 9646119170)

Tender Inquiry No. 02/CCM/LDH/2024-25 Dated: 11.06.2024

The Office of Sr. Xen/CC&M, Kothi No. A-2, Power Colony-I, Ferozepur Road, Sarabha Nagar, PSPCL, Ludhiana invites tender for the Repair & Maintenance of Office Building of Protection Division, PSPCL, Khanna. For detailed NIT & tender specifications please visit office of Sr. Xen/CC&M, Kothi No. A-2, Power Colony-I, Ferozepur Road, Sarabha Nagar, PSPCL, Ludhiana.

Note:- Corrigendum and addendum, if any, will be published online at <https://pspcl.in/Otherlinks/e-tender-notices-2023.aspx>

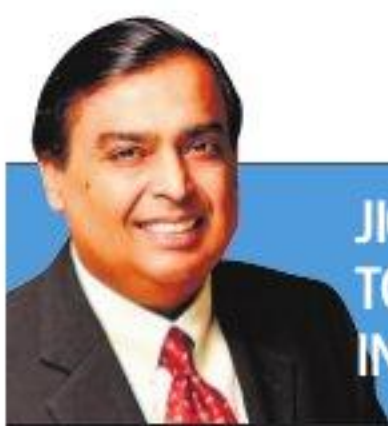
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GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB**Tender Notice for Various Works****Tender Notice Reference No. 19 dt. 12.06.2024**

The Department of Punjab Water Supply & Sewerage Board invites online bids for the following -

Sr. No.	Item	Quantity
1.	Prov. W/S, T/Wall & OHSR at Bhadsan (App. Cost Rs. 523.27 Lakh) (EMD 5.23 Lakh)	1
2.	Prov. W/S & OHSR at Nabha (App. Cost Rs. 752.36 Lakh) (EMD 7.52 Lakh)	1
3.	Prov. W/S at Sanaur (App. Cost Rs. 1523.37 Lakh) (EMD 15.23 Lakh)	1
4.	-Do- at Devgarh (App. Cost Rs. 472.99 Lakh) (EMD 9.46 Lakh)	1
5.	-Do- at Ghanaur (App. Cost Rs. 274.15 Lakh) (EMD 5.48 Lakh)	1



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Go full throttle to eliminate terror in J&K, PM tells security agencies

Holds review meeting as Jammu region sees four militant attacks in four days

ADITI TANDON
TRIBUNE NEWS SERVICE

NEW DELHI, JUNE 13

A day after two militants were killed, a CRPF jawan lost his life and six security personnel were injured in separate encounters in Jammu and Kashmir's Kathua and Doda, PM Narendra Modi chaired a high-level review meeting ordering the deployment of full spectrum of the country's counter-terror capabilities in the UT.

The PM held the review meeting with National Security Adviser Ajit Doval and other top officials of the security apparatus. He was given a full overview of the security-related situation in J&K.

"The Prime Minister was apprised of the counter-terror efforts that are being undertaken. He has asked the security officials to deploy the full spectrum of national counter-terror capabilities in Jammu and Kashmir," official sources said. PM Modi also spoke to Union Home Minister Amit Shah and discussed the deployment of security forces and counter-terror operation



personnel in the UT. In a conversation with J&K Lieutenant Governor Manoj Sinha, the PM took stock of the ground situation in the UT. "The PM was briefed on the efforts being undertaken by local administration," government sources said. Doval was reappointed as

NSA today, days after Modi returned to the PMO for the third straight time. Doval remains critical to anti-terror response in Jammu and Kashmir and is well known in security circles for establishing the grid that successfully offset potential backlashes in J&K following the abrogation

of Article 370 in the erstwhile state in August 2019.

NSA Doval is also acknowledged as the mind behind the Indian response following the Pulwama terror attack that killed 40 CRPF personnel in February 2019.

PM's review meeting came after a series of terror attacks

BACK-TO-BACK STRIKES

■ Nine persons were killed and 33 injured after terrorists opened fire on a bus carrying pilgrims from Shiv Khori Temple to Katra in Reasi district on June 9; the bus rolled down a deep gorge after firing

■ On Tuesday, one civilian was injured after being hit by a gunshot in Kathua's Hiranagar; later, two terrorists and one CRPF jawan were killed in an encounter there

■ The same night, six security personnel were injured in an encounter with terrorists at Chattergala in Jammu's Doda district

■ On Wednesday, yet another encounter occurred in Gandoh area of Doda district

<<Police personnel conduct a search operation after a suspicious movement in Narwal area of Jammu. ANI

and encounters in Jammu and Kashmir since Sunday.

On Wednesday, hours after the Kathua incident, which left one CRPF personnel dead, terrorists attacked a camp of the Special Operations Group in Doda in the fourth strike in Jammu region in four days.

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Yet another term for Doval; Mishra stays as PS to Modi

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NEW DELHI, JUNE 13

After retaining core ministers in the Union Cabinet, PM Narendra Modi on Thursday opted for continuity in the PMO too by reappointing top two advisers, Pramod Kumar Mishra and Ajit Doval as Principal Secretary and National Security Adviser, respectively.

The appointments, effective from June 10, will be coterminous with the PM's term or until further orders, whichever is earlier, according to government orders. Both Mishra and Doval will continue in the ranks of Cabinet ministers in the Table of Precedence.

Mishra (75) and Doval (79) were elevated to Cabinet ranks in 2019 in the Modi's second term as PM.

The return of Mishra, a retired 1972-batch IAS officer of Gujarat cadre and Doval, a former Intelligence Bureau Director, signals PM's stress on continuity in security and administrative policy besides reflecting the high level of trust he reposes in the duo. Doval's tenure as NSA has seen major military actions — the 2015 surgical strike across the Myanmar border following the killing of 18 Army men in an



PM Modi embarks for Italy to attend the G7 summit. PTI BACK PAGE



Pramod K. Mishra
Principal Secretary



Ajit Doval
NSA

2 OTHERS ALSO RETAINED

■ Former bureaucrats Amit Khare (1985-batch, Jharkhand cadre) and Tarun Kapoor (1987-batch, Himachal cadre) have been retained as advisers to the PM

■ Both appointments have been made in the rank and scale of Secretary to the govt for 2 years

ambush in Manipur; the 2016 surgical strike following a terror attack in Uri; and the 2019 airstrikes on terror camps in Pakistan's Balakot after the Pulwama attack that killed 40 CRPF personnel on February 14 that year.

PM's frequent "ghar mein ghus ke marenge" warning

stems from these military actions. Earlier Doval, a 1968-batch Kerala cadre IPS officer, was the first cop to be awarded Kirti Chakra, the second highest peacetime bravery award, for his role in the 1988 Operation Black Thunder-II that was

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Minister of State for External Affairs Kirti Vardhan Singh meets an injured Indian at Jaber hospital in Kuwait on Thursday. PTI

45 Indians among Kuwait fire victims, reveals DNA report

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The Kuwait authorities have identified the bodies of 45 Indians who were among 49 foreign workers who lost their lives in a fire incident yesterday. The bodies were identified following DNA sequencing.

The Kingdom of Kuwait has vowed to investigate the incident and assured full support in repatriating the mortal remains of the victims.

At least 49 foreign workers were killed and 50 others injured in the fire on Wednesday at a seven-storey building where 196 migrant workers were staying in the southern city of Mangaf.

Sheikh Fahad Al-Yousuf Al-Sabah, serving as the First Deputy Prime Minister, Minister of Interior and Minister of Defence, confirmed that the authorities had identified 48 bodies, among them 45 were Indians and three Filipino nationals, English daily Arab Times reported. Efforts were underway to determine the identity of one remaining body, he said.

Efforts on to bring their mortal remains home

GAS LEAK CAUSED BLAZE? PROBE ON

■ Kuwait's public prosecutor launches an investigation into the building fire incident

■ But no official word yet on how blaze started or what caused it

■ Media reports say there could have been gas leak on the ground floor of the building

■ Officials found inflammable material having been used as partition between apartments

Thursday, Minister of State for External Affairs Kirti Vardhan Singh, who left for Kuwait on Thursday morning, said the bodies were charred beyond recognition and a DNA test was needed to establish their identity.

Singh, who reached Kuwait to oversee assistance to Indians injured in the incident and to ensure early repatriation of mortal remains of the deceased, met Kuwait's Foreign Minister Abdullah Ali Al-Yahya. The latter assured full support and vowed to promptly investigate the tragedy. Singh also met some

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NTA scraps grace marks to 1,563 NEET students, gives retest option on June 23

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NEW DELHI, JUNE 13

Amid allegations of paper leak and other malpractices in NEET-UG 2024, the Centre on Thursday told the Supreme Court that grace marks given on account of loss of time to 1,563 candidates have been cancelled.

These candidates will be given an option to take a retest on June 23, advocate Kanu Agrawal told a Vacation Bench of Justice Vikram Nath and Justice Sandeep Mehta on behalf of the Centre.

After the withdrawal of grace marks, the number of top rankers has gone down to 61 from 67, officials said. Six of these 1,563 candidates from a centre in Haryana had shared the top rank with 61 others. The decision on scrapping grace marks was taken after meetings held by the National Testing Agency (NTA) Grievance Redressal Committee from June 10 to 12 to allay fears of candidates about any possible irregularities, Agrawal told the Bench.

The committee suggested that the score cards of the

Number of top rankers down to 61 from 67



NEET applicants and doctors protest in New Delhi. MANAS RANJAN BHUI

ROW OVER 67 TOPPERS, BIHAR ARRESTS

■ Record 67 candidates getting perfect score stirred row as usually 1-2 students share top rank

■ Some top rankers had same sequence of roll numbers; most from same exam centres

■ This led to allegations of inflation of marks, NEET-UG paper leak and other irregularities

affected 1,563 candidates issued on June 4 stood cancelled and withdrawn.

"They will be informed about their actual scores without adding compensatory marks. Further, a retest will be conducted

for the affected 1,563 candidates. The result of those who do not wish to appear for the retest will be declared based on their actual marks (without adding compensatory marks)

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No paper leak, Congspreading lies: Pradhan

NEW DELHI, JUNE 13
Union Education Minister Dharmendra Pradhan, while claiming that there was no trace of corruption in the conduct of NEET-UG, accused the Congress of misrepresenting facts and playing politics over a "sensitive" issue.



Dharmendra Pradhan

Pradhan said, "No concrete evidence of any kind of rigging, corruption or paper leak has been found so far. The Union Government passed the Public Examination (Prevention of Unfair Means) Act this year, which has several strict provisions. The Congress should not be under any misconception

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HP's U-turn on water for Delhi draws SC ire

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NEW DELHI, JUNE 13

Noting that it didn't have the expertise to decide the "complex and sensitive issue", the Supreme Court on Thursday asked the Delhi Government to approach the Upper Yamuna River Board (UYRB) for an additional 150 cusec water to deal with the peak summer water crisis in the national capital.

"The issue should be left to be considered by the UYRB, a body constituted with the agreement of parties in the MoU dated May 12, 1994," a Vacation Bench led by Justice PK Mishra said.

The order came after the Himachal Pradesh Government retracted from its earlier statement and said it had no surplus water left for Delhi, and whatever it had had already been released. The top court warned the State of Himachal Pradesh of contempt of court action for misleading it, saying it was on the basis of their statement that it had passed an order on releasing surplus 137 cusec water available with it from the upstream so that the water

CONTEMPT WARNING

"If you (Himachal) have excess water and you are not supplying that excess water (to Delhi), you are in contempt. SC Vacation Bench

reached Hathnikund Barrage and then reached Delhi through Wazirabad Barrage.

However, Himachal Pradesh Advocate General Anup Kumar Rattan today withdrew the state's earlier statement and categorically said the state did not have additional 137 cusecs water as on date. The Himachal Pradesh Government's flip-flop invited the wrath of the Supreme Court, which warned its officials of contempt of court action for making contradictory statements before it.

Such was the anger of the Vacation Bench, which also comprised Justice PB Varale, that Advocate General Rattan had to withdraw the state government's earlier statement on "availability" of surplus water to be supplied to Delhi via Haryana. Basing on the statements made by a

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Agnipath review on cards, but no increase in four-year tenure

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NEW DELHI, JUNE 13

The much-demanded "review" of the Agnipath scheme will have four key points — providing financial support in case of death or disability; deciding on tenure of service; increase in number of those being retained after the four-year tenure and a specialised agency handling job placement for those not retained in the service.

These points would be put up by the Department of Military Affairs before the Ministry of Defence, sources



Agniveers undergo training at Grenadiers Regimental Centre, Jabalpur. FILE

KIN MAY GET SUBSISTENCE ALLOWANCE

■ The ceiling of retaining 25% Agniveers as regular soldiers after 4-year tenure under the Agnipath scheme may go up

■ In case of an Agniveer dying in line of duty, family (father, mother, invalid sister/brother) to get 'subsistence allowance'

■ Agniveers who get disabled in the line of duty to be entitled to full benefits as in the case of regular soldiers

said. A review of the scheme is expected after allies of the newly formed NDA government demanded that the scheme needed a fresh look.

Sources, however, said there was no move to increase the four-year tenure of the recruits. "It will be counter-productive

to increase the tenure as it will mean extending uncertainty for the recruits, whether they are being absorbed full-time into the Army or not," a senior functionary said.

The Agnipath scheme entails the recruitment of youth in the armed forces for four years.

After that period, 25 per cent of them will be retained as full-time soldiers, while others will be relieved of the service.

The three services want that the ceiling of retaining 25 per cent soldiers be increased in phases. The first increase should be up to 50 per cent, followed by another increase to take it further higher. That increase has not been specified in the proposal. In case of an Agniveer dying in the line of duty, his family (father, mother, invalid sister or brother) be given a "subsistence allowance"

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Stuck door, sloganeering mar Selja's press meet in Tohana

Supporters of local Cong leader Paramvir put up show of strength

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HISAR, JUNE 13
The visit of the newly elected Congress MP from Sirsa, Kumari Selja, to Tohana town of Fatehabad district today saw some drama apparently due to factionalism among local party leaders of Tohana Assembly segment.

Selja, who was on a thanksgiving visit after her victory, was addressing a press conference in a room at the venue of the workers' meeting when former Agriculture Minister and Congress leader Paramvir Singh reached outside the venue.

As Selja started addressing the press conference, mediapersons closed the door to prevent disturbance from outside. In the meantime, Paramvir, with his supporters, tried to enter the room to join the press conference. But the door of the room got stuck.

When the door could not be opened despite repeated and loud knocks, Selja — who was unaware of the arrival of Paramvir Singh — too got upset and stopped the press conference while asking people to stop the disturbance.

But Singh's supporters kept on knocking on the door and smashed a glass pane on the door. The door too was finally forced open.

Paramvir — on entering the room — complained that the door was deliberately bolted from inside. However, Selja tried to explain that the door



Sirsa MP Kumari Selja at a workers' meet in Tohana on Thursday. TRIBUNE PHOTO

seemed to have got stuck and urged Paramvir not to take the matter seriously as it was nobody's fault. Singh finally settled down alongside Selja who resumed the press conference.

Earlier, during the workers' meeting, the supporters of Paramvir tried to showcase their strength by raising slogans in his favour. Selja objected to it saying that it was her programme to thank workers for their work during campaigning and there was no need for sloganeering.

Notably, there are different factions within the Congress at Tohana Assembly segment including those of Paramvir Singh, Nishan Singh and also the supporters of Devender

Babli though he has not officially joined the Congress. Besides, there are some young faces of the party who too are trying to make their mark in the local politics in Tohana.

Selja got a maximum lead of over 48,000 from Tohana Assembly segment during the Lok Sabha poll which ensured her victory by about 2.6 lakh votes over BJP candidate Ashok Tanwar.

Former JJP state president Nishan Singh, who joined the Congress recently, was also sitting alongside Selja at the press conference. Besides, supporters of JJP MLA Devender Babli too attended the workers' meeting today as Babli had extended support to the

Congress in the elections. Selja even visited Babli at his office today to thank him for his support.

Addressing the press conference, Selja also spoke about the chief ministerial aspirations among leaders in Haryana Congress stating that there are always multiple aspirants for the post of Chief Minister but it is up to the party high command to take a final call on the issue.

"There are two to four names on which the party high command looks into to take a final decision. The Congress is a national party and the party high command looks into all the aspects while taking a decision. Everyone knows this," she said.

Govt college to be set up at Ballabgarh

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CHANDIGARH, JUNE 13
Haryana's Minister of Industry, Commerce and Labour Mool Chand Sharma has given a big bonanza to the Ballabgarh Assembly constituency.

A government co-education college will be constructed in Sector 23 of Ballabgarh, benefitting the youth of this region and surrounding areas significantly. The admission process for the college has started from this academic session itself. Until the new building of this college is constructed, classes will be held in Government College, Kheri Gujran.

Sharma expressed gratitude to Chief Minister Nayab Singh Saini and Union Minister Manohar Lal Khattar for ensuring this college project. He said the college named after Shaheed Bhagat Singh is being constructed at a cost of approximately Rs 90 crore. The portal for admissions has been opened.

The minister said earlier, a women's college named after Sushma Swaraj was constructed in Ballabgarh where 1,800 girls were studying.

After poor show, JJP dissolves party units ahead of Assembly elections

Bid to make organisation more broad-based, representative

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CHANDIGARH, JUNE 13
After its worst-ever performance in the recently concluded Lok Sabha elections, the JJP has dissolved all its units in an attempt to rebuild the party in the run-up to the upcoming October Assembly elections in Haryana.

Sources said the party was in the process of reorganising its various units to put its best foot forward in the 2024 Assembly elections. "The party organisation would be made more broad-based and representative to cash in on the anti-incumbency against the Nayab Singh Saini-led BJP government," sources said.

A senior party leader said there still existed a political vacuum in the state which only a non-BJP and the non-Congress party could fill. "The JJP is in perfect position to fill that vacuum in the next Assembly elections to fulfil regional aspirations of the people," the leader asserted.

Ajay Chautala, JJP's founder-president, said the new-look party organisation would work with more energy to face the challenges



WILL WORK WITH MORE ENERGY

"The new-look party organisation will work with more energy to face the challenges arising out of the Lok Sabha defeat and perform better in the state Assembly polls."

Ajay Chautala, JJP FOUNDER-PRESIDENT

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Formed out of a family rift in the clan of former Chief Minister Om Prakash Chautala in December 2018, the JJP has been at loggerheads with its parent party INLD to emerge as the true inheritor of the legacy of former Deputy

Prime Minister Devi Lal.

In the aftermath of the 2019 Assembly elections, the JJP emerged as a king-maker bagging 10 seats and securing 14.8% votes. As the Haryana voters threw up a hung Assembly with the largest party BJP getting 40 seats in the 90-member House, the JJP stitched together an alliance with the saffron party. The alliance, with JJP leader Dushyant Chautala as Deputy Chief Minister, continued till March 2024 before it ended on the issue of seat-sharing for the Lok Sabha polls.

After the alliance ended, several senior leaders left the party and five of its MLAs displayed rebellious postures. To add insult to the injury, the party clocked its worst-ever performance in the recent Lok Sabha elections, securing a mere 0.87 per cent votes. None of its 10 candidates was able to save his security deposits.

JJP's dismal performance in the parliamentary elections was primarily blamed on its key vote bank farmers, especially the Jats, who rallied behind the Congress.

Topppers with grace marks unhappy; others want to take NEET-UG again

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ROHTAK, JUNE 13

The Supreme Court's directives for withdrawal of grace marks and re-examination of 1,563 candidates of the National Eligibility-cum-Entrance Test-Undergraduate (NEET-UG) has brought disappointment to those who scored cent per cent and near to it with grace marks. But those who were not awarded grace marks to compensate for loss of time want to take the exam again to prove their capability.

The papers having wrong codes were distributed at two of three exam centres set up at Bahadurgarh town of Jhajjar district on May 5. Around half an hour was wasted in the process of replacing the papers at both the centres, but grace marks were awarded to candidates of one centre while those at the other centre were reportedly deprived of grace marks.

The grace marks helped some of the candidates secure cent per cent and near to that mark.

"I am a little disappointed by the direction of re-examination but am ready to take the exam again. I was also thinking of qualifying on my own and not on grace marks. I appeal to other candidates too to take it as an opportunity and to believe in themselves for clearing the exam again," said Anjali of Jhajjar who secured maximum 720 marks in NEET-UG.

Yash, another candidate who appeared at the same centre at Bahadurgarh and scored 718 with grace marks, said he was feeling that injustice was done to him twice during the exam. "First, wrong paper distribution at the exam centre wasted our time and secondly, I will have to reappear in it by preparing again. However, I am confident of performing well in this attempt as well," he added.

Vinod, father of another

UNFAIR TREATMENT TO ONE EXAM CENTRE

■ The papers having wrong codes were distributed at two of three exam centres set up at Bahadurgarh town of Jhajjar district on May 5

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candidate who appeared at another centre in Bahadurgarh but did not get grace marks, said re-examination of grace-mark holders was a welcome step but those who suffered loss of time due to wrong distribution of papers should also be allowed to reappear in the exam.

"What is the fault of those candidates who were not awarded grace marks despite losing time? Why one centre was chosen for grace marks and not the other?" he questioned.

Jagbir, another parent, said he was satisfied with the decision of re-examination as it would give another opportunity to those candidates who suffered loss of time due to distribution of wrong papers to prove their mettle. "Though my daughter got grace marks, she

could not put in her full effort according to her talent due to time loss. Now, she has a good opportunity to give her best," he added.

Meanwhile, The Tribune also talked to some teachers who give coaching for NEET-UG and a centre incharge over the allegations of cheating in the exam.

Principal of a Bahadurgarh-based private school where an exam centre was set up said schoolteachers were assigned the duty of invigilator during the exam and none of them was from a science background as there was a clear instruction that no teacher having science background would be appointed invigilator to prevent the possibility of cheating.

Ashok Kumar, who gives coaching to NEET aspirants, said cheating at exam centres was possible only in case of paper leak but there was no report of NEET-UG paper leak in the region. "Otherwise, the candidates do not have much time to cheat from slips due to the minimum period for attempting a large number of questions," he added.

Govt exploring options to develop airport in Karnal

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KARNAL, JUNE 13

The state government has again started exploring the possibility of developing a domestic airport in Karnal at the site of the Karnal Aviation Club. Spearheading the initiative, Civil Aviation and Health Minister Dr Kamal Gupta conducted a comprehensive inspection of the club on Thursday.

The expansion of the Karnal Aviation Club is a long-awaited project, which aims to open up new avenues for air travel, bringing Karnal closer to the rest of the country.

In 2012, the previous Congress government had announced the expansion of this club into a domestic airport. Later, former Chief Minister Manohar Lal Khattar announced the development of the Karnal Civil Aviation Club as a domestic airport on November 8, 2014, but it was later limited to the expansion and renovation of the aviation club. In February 2021, the High

MINISTER VISITS AVIATION CLUB

Haryana Civil Aviation and Health Minister Dr Kamal Gupta conducted a comprehensive inspection of the Karnal Aviation Club on Thursday.

Powered Purchase Committee, headed by the then CM Khattar, approved the expansion and renovation of the club.

After reviewing the club, Dr Gupta highlighted the state government's plan to explore the possibility of developing the runways out of five runways into domestic airports wherever feasible. "There are five runways in Karnal, Ambala, Pinjore, Narnaul, and Bhiwani. We are planning to expand them with more facilities. Surveys of these runways are being conducted and possibilities for developing domestic airports are being explored. After surveying all these runways, domestic airports will be built wherever feasible," said Dr Gupta.

"Former CM and Union Minister Manohar Lal Khattar and CM Nayab Singh Saini want to develop a domestic airport in Karnal. After inspecting the runways in Pinjore and Ambala, I came to review the Karnal Aviation Club. A decision will be made after receiving the feasibility report from the officials to determine whether the domestic airport project in Karnal can be implemented. If the feasibility report is approved by the relevant department, the government will implement the plan as soon as possible," Gupta added.

While discussing various points about expanding the club into a domestic airport with the officials of the Aviation Department, Deputy Commissioner Uttam Singh, and others, Dr Gupta directed the authorities to explore all options. Rishi Sachdeva, XEN PWD (B&R), said work on the boundary wall of the recently acquired land was going on, with nearly 50 per cent of the work completed.



Haryana Civil Aviation Minister Dr Kamal Gupta inspects the Karnal Aviation Club on Thursday.

Congfielded best candidates for LS polls: Hisar MP

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HISAR, JUNE 13

Stating that the Congress picked the best candidate among the aspirants for party tickets in the Lok Sabha polls, Congress MP Jai Prakash claimed that he got the ticket on the basis of a survey by the party.

Addressing a press conference here today, Jai Prakash, popularly known as JP, said, "Had it not been the survey-based ticket allocation, I would not have got the ticket." He added that the Congress had performed well across the state and bagged five seats while the margin of loss was quite low at two seats — Bhiwani-Mahendergarh and Gurgaon.

When asked to comment on the statement of Sirsa MP Kumari Selja that better ticket allocation could have resulted in clean sweep of the party in Haryana, JP said he was given the ticket by the party leadership, including AICC president Mallikarjun Kharge, Rahul Gandhi and Sonia Gandhi, on the basis of the survey which was conducted by the party.

JP said he was not aware about any sabotage attempts by insiders as the people had backed him to ensure his victory. "People know about such things and I was not aware of such acts. It has been the habit of some people to indulge in backstabbing and betrayal, but I was not concerned about it," he said.

The Hisar MP said he would raise the issue of the airport being set up in Hisar.

HC raps UHBVN for arbitrary termination of workman

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CHANDIGARH, JUNE 13

A petition filed by Uttar Haryana Bijli Vitran Nigam Ltd. (UHBVN) challenging an award in a workman's favour has virtually gone awry. Dismissing the UHBVN's plea, the Punjab and Haryana High Court has remanded the organisation for acting in a completely arbitrary manner, leading to the termination of the workman's services, forcing him to remain out of employment for approximately 38 years.

"The management has acted

totally in an arbitrary manner, which has resulted in the termination of service of workman Faquir Chand, who remained out of service for about 38 years," Justice Sanjay Vashisth of the high court asserted.

The matter was placed before Justice Vashisth's Bench after Ambala Industrial Tribunal-cum-Labour Court found UHBVN in violation of Sections 25-G and 25-H of the Industrial Disputes Act before holding Chand entitled to reinstatement in service with its continuity and 50 per cent back wages.

Chand's stand in the mat-

RENDERED JOBLESS FOR 38 YEARS

■ The case refers to workman Faquir Chand, who joined as a daily wage worker in May 1980 under the administrative control of petitioner-management (UHBVN) and continuously worked until May 1984

■ However, his services were retrenched illegally, in gross violation of the mandatory provisions of the Act



■ The employees junior to him were retained in service and had now been regularised

ter was that he joined services as a daily wage worker in May 1980 under the administrative control of the petitioner-management and continu-

ously worked until May 1984. However, his services were retrenched illegally, in gross violation of the mandatory provisions of the Act, due to

the shortage of material and paucity of work. The Bench was also told that employees junior to the workman were retained in service and had now been regularised.

The management, on the other hand, contended that an opportunity was given to Chand to appear for an interview in 1988 when 'fresh' daily wagers were recruited. However, he could not clear the same and was not found suitable for the job as he did not possess the mandatory ITI diploma.

Justice Vashisth added: "It is a settled proposition of law that the senior cannot be placed at an

inferior status without any substance, as it may cause a lot of humiliation to the senior employee. Three of the employees/workmen are already found to be junior. Therefore, on this score alone, I do not find any illegality in the impugned award."

Justice Vashisth also referred to a Supreme Court judgment holding that the management must be made to understand and realise the pain and agony suffered by the workman, where the termination is not because of his fault and "a lot of humiliation has been suffered by him due to being out of service."

Election results would have been different sans AAP support: Gupta

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ROHTAK, JUNE 13

Aam Aadmi Party (AAP) Haryana state president Dr Sushil Gupta has said the results of Lok Sabha elections in Haryana would have been different without the support of AAP as an alliance partner.

He was responding to a query about the BJP and Congress leaders of Haryana asserting that only their parties matter as no other party had a considerable mass base in the state. Asked whether the AAP

would join hands with the Congress and other INDI Alliance parties in the Assembly elections as well, Gupta maintained that the decision in this regard would be taken by the party's national leadership.

The AAP leader accused the BJP government in the state for not taking any flood-control measures.

"The Haryana government has not taken any lesson from last year's flood fury which had caused widespread damage to life, crops and property in the state," he remarked.



CM Nayab Singh and Assembly Speaker Gian Chand Gupta address mediapersons in Panchkula on Thursday. NITIN MITTAL

Domestic flights from Hisar airport to be launched in Aug

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PANCHKULA, JUNE 13

The state government will begin domestic flights from Hisar's Maharaja Agrasen airport to various parts of the country from August. Chief Minister Nayab Singh Saini today stated this during a programme organised by the Civil Aviation Department in Panchkula.

The new initiative, he said, would give the state economy a boost and would make air travel more accessible to residents.

The Aviation Department has signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with the Alliance Air Aviation Limited to run the operations. It has already obtained necessary licences from Director General of Civil Aviation (DGCA) for the operations.

Civil Aviation Minister Dr Kamal Gupta was present along with CM Saini. Additional Director, Civil Aviation Department, Satish Kumar Singla and Network Planning Head, Alliance Air Aviation Limited, Ranjan Kumar Dutta signed the Memorandum of Understanding (MoU).

Employees regularised in 2014 entitled to promotion: Chief Secy

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CHANDIGARH, JUNE 13

The Haryana Government has decided that employees regularised under the regularisation policies of 2014 will be entitled to promotions. However, these promotions will be subject to the outcome of the pending special leave petitions (SLPs) in the Supreme Court.

Chief Secretary TVSN Prasad has issued instructions to all Administrative Secretaries and Heads of the Departments in this regard.

Police to use speech-to-text feature for filing FIRs

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CHANDIGARH, JUNE 13

Haryana Police will now employ speech-to-text technological feature for filing FIRs and daily reports.

During a meeting of DGP Shatrueet Kapur with districts' SPs and ADGP (Cyber) OP Singh, IG Telecom Y Purnan Kumar today, it was mentioned that a speech-to-text feature for FIR and daily reports has been developed and work on it has commenced.

Directions have been given to all police superintendents to encourage investigation officers to use this technology to enhance their efficiency.

This would save time and enable them to work more conveniently and efficiently. Officers were also asked to provide feedback on using this technology so that any shortcomings could be addressed promptly," informed the police spokesperson.

Kapur also reviewed the CCTNS (Crime and Criminal Tracking Network and Systems) and ICJS (Interoperable Criminal Justice System).

Pollution board seals 7 illegal denim dyeing units in Sonapat

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SONEPAT, JUNE 13

The Haryana State Pollution Control Board (HSPCB) has sealed seven illegal denim dyeing units which were operational in Ferozepur Bangar area in Kharkhoda for violating pollution norms and discharging untreated effluents in open areas. Apart from these, some units were found locked during the inspection.

The HSPCB had already served show-cause notices on 13 illegal denim dyeing and washing units for violating the pollution norms. These units were found operational without valid consent to operate (CTO) and consent to establishment (CTE).

Delhi-based environmentalist Varun Gulati had filed a complaint in the National Green Tribunal (NGT) alleging that over 500 dyeing units were operating in the residential and non-confirming areas — Dheeraj Nagar and Surya Vihar of Faridabad district; Friends Colony, Pyau Maniyari, Ferozepur Bangar of Sonapat district; Bajghera, Dhankot, Dhanwapur and



WERE VIOLATING POLLUTION NORMS

- These units were running without the consent to operate and valid permission for the extraction of groundwater from the Haryana Water Resources Authority
- According to the complainant, these units had no effluent treatment plant and were discharging effluents directly into drains, which was also a big reason for pollution in the Yamuna

<< A pollution board employee seals a machine at an illegal unit in Ferozepur Bangar area of Sonapat district.

Sector 37 of Gurugram and Badsa village of Jhajjar district and Nizampur in Bahadurgarh.

He said the dyeing units were under the 'red category' and were grossly polluting industries. These were running without the CTO, CTE and valid permission for the extraction of groundwater from the Haryana Water Resources Authority (HWRA).

Gulati further alleged these units had no effluent treatment plants and were discharging effluents directly into the drains, which was also a big reason for pollution in the Yamuna.

Following his complaint, the National Green Tribunal (NGT) had sought a fact-finding report.

After the NGT's directions, a team led by Assistant Environment Engineer Amit Dahiya conducted the inspection in Ferozepur Bangar and found 13 denim dyeing and washing units operational.

Dahiya said these units had failed to show any valid consent from the pollution board during the inspection.

The HSPCB had served show-cause notices on them under the Water and Air Act a week ago.

Pradeep Singh, Regional Officer, HSPCB, said seven units have been sealed after they were found operational illegally while the other units were found locked. Further action would be initiated accordingly, he added.

444 farmers await tubewell connections in Karnal

PARVEEN ARORA
TRIBUNE NEWS SERVICE

KARNAL, JUNE 13

As many as 444 farmers in the district are still waiting for their tubewell connections despite having deposited the requisite fee in March. These farmers, who had applied for the connections between January 1, 2019 and December 31, 2021, are facing significant delays, affecting their ability to irrigate their fields ahead of

the paddy season.

As per the data collected by The Tribune, 783 farmers had applied and deposited their fee. The Uttar Haryana Bijli Vitran Nigam (UHBVN) has since issued connections to 339 farmers over the past two-and-a-half months, while the remaining are yet to get connections.

Among the pending connections, 17 are from Newal subdivision area, six in Ram



Nagar area, 21 in Indri, 51 in Taraori, seven in Garhibirbal, 24 in Bhadson, 36 in Nilokheri, 64 in Nigdh, seven in Gharaunda City, four in Gharaunda Sub-Urban, 64 in Munak,

16 in Nissing, 60 in Assandh-1 and 67 in Assandh-2.

Authorities attribute the delay to the slow approval of conductors and other equipment by assigned contractors.

The farmers said that they have limited window to install poles and wires before the paddy transplantation begins on June 15. This period is critical as neighbouring fields will soon be flooded for the transplantation process.



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1	Contract for assistance of various services at NFL Panipat for the year 2024-26	NFL/PT/HR/MS/2024-26 Date: 10.06.2024	Free of Cost	₹ 1,00,000/-	₹ 1,13,40,319.67	01.07.2024 [03:00(PM) & 03:30(PM)]
2	Contract for providing assistance in medical treatment at NFL Hospital and Occupational Health Center (OHC) by high skilled and semi skilled workers at NFL Panipat Unit for the year 2024-26	NFL/PT/HR/MEDICAL/2024-26 Date: 10.06.2024	Free of Cost	₹ 1,00,000/-	₹ 1,02,81,802.56	01.07.2024 [11:00(AM) & 11:30(AM)]

The tender details are available on these websites - www.nationalfertilizers.com, <http://eprocure.gov.in>, <http://gem.gov.in>. Any Amendment/Corrigendum to this NIT will be displayed only on these websites.



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Ahead of bypoll, Mann may shift to rented abode near Jalandhar Cantt

Congress gets into action mode, holds meeting at MP-elect Channi's house

DEEPAK KAL KAUR
TRIBUNE NEWS SERVICE

JALANDHAR, JUNE 13 Chief Minister Bhagwant Mann is expected to be in Jalandhar this weekend to review the situation for the Jalandhar West (Reserved) Assembly bypoll and he is likely to be here with his bag and baggage.

At a recent meeting with Jalandhar leaders and workers in Chandigarh, he had reportedly told them that he would be shifting to his new rented house at Deep Nagar near Jalandhar Cantonment with his family. Mann is learnt to have told them that he, his wife Gurpreet Kaur and sister Manpreet Kaur would be accompanying him to Jalandhar and would stay put with him there.

He told them that it would not be his new abode for just a month till the bypoll but till the 2027 the Assembly elections. "I shall be available at this address for at least three days a week. This shall help me stay in close touch with AAP workers in the Doaba and Majha regions. From this location, I shall also be able to hold the "Sarkar Aap Ke Dwar" programme on a regular basis for



In his previous tours, including for the Jalandhar LS bypoll last year, Mann and his team used to stay in hotels.

AAP PLANS DOOR-TO-DOOR VISITS

- Chief Minister Bhagwant Mann has asked party workers to gear up for multiple door-to-door visits in localities to win the Jalandhar West bypoll
- AAP had received a huge drubbing in the poll for the Jalandhar LS seat, where it ended on the third position

PAPERS TO BE FILED FROM TODAY

- Filing of papers for Jalandhar West bypoll: June 14, 15, 18, 19, 20, 21 (11 am to 3 pm)
- Scrutiny of papers: June 24
- Last date for withdrawal: June 26
- Polling date: July 10 (from 7 am to 6 pm)
- Counting: July 13

the masses," he told them. In his previous tours, including for the Jalandhar LS bypoll last year, Mann and his team used to stay in hotels.

As far as the bypoll is concerned, he has asked workers to gear up for multiple door-to-door visits in localities to win the Jalandhar West seat.

The party had received a huge drubbing in the poll for the Jalandhar LS seat, where it ended on the third position. From the Jalandhar West seg-

ment, the party trailed behind the Congress and the BJP by about 28,000 votes. The Chief Minister told the workers that micro-management strategies would have to be worked upon to win the seat.

The party is in the process of finalising its candidate. Among the contenders are Mohinder Bhagat, halqa in-charge and son of former BJP minister Bhagat Chunni Lal, district convener Steven Kler and district planning committee chairman Amritpal Singh. There also is a buzz that the party may also import a Dalit BJP leader as its nominee.

The Congress camp too has upped its activities in Jalandhar in view of the bypoll. The nomination process for the bypoll is set to start tomorrow. Leader of the Opposition Par-tap Bajwa and party strate-gist Capt Sandeep Sandhu were at MP-elect Charanjit Singh Channi's place last evening where they held a meeting with party workers of the area. Channi intro-duced them to 16 applicants from whom the party had received claims, mostly its councillors. The party is expected to take its decision in another five days.

Jakhar reminds PM of promise to rename airport after Guru Ravidas

TRIBUNE NEWS SERVICE

JALANDHAR, JUNE 13 With the Jalandhar West (Reserved) Assembly bypoll less than a month away, almost all political parties have started wooing the Dalit community of the area.

State BJP chief Sunil Jakhar on Thursday reminded Prime Minister Narendra Modi about his commitment towards renaming the Adampur airport in Jalandhar after Guru Ravidas by writing to him. Jakhar posted a copy of his communique to the PM on X. The PM, in his last poll address on May 30 in Hoshiapur, had made an announcement in this regard. Sensing that this single move could help boost the party's prospects in the bypoll, Jakhar has perhaps initiated the move just days after Modi's oath-taking for the third term.

The PM had inaugurated the renovated terminal building of the Adampur airport by the virtual mode in March, days before the LS poll code came into effect. Jakhar wrote to the PM, "The renaming of the Adampur Airport after 15th-century spiritual leader Guru Ravidas, as already expressed by you during your recent visit to Punjab, will go a long way in underpinning the ethos of spirituality in the



LONG-PENDING DEMAND OF PEOPLE

"The renaming of the Adampur airport after 15th-century spiritual leader Guru Ravidas, as already expressed by you (PM) during your recent visit to Punjab, will go a long way in underpinning the ethos of spirituality in the diversity that binds India. This has also been a long-pending demand of people of Punjab." Sunil Jakhar, STATE BJP CHIEF

₹91 CRORE RELEASED FOR SC STUDENTS

The AAP government is learnt to have released an amount of ₹91.46 crore for 1.17 lakh SC students as the post-matric scholarship scheme dues for the 2023-24 session. Dr Ajay Gupta, Amritsar Central MLA, has put a post regarding this.

diversity that binds India. This has also been a long-pending demand of the people of Punjab."

Jakhar has also requested Modi for setting up a "vatika" (landscaped garden area) around the Guru Ravidas temple at Tughlaqabad as it is to be remodelled. "This will enhance the appeal of the shrine with-

out tinkering with the layout. This will inspire people from all over to soak in the egalitarian preaching of the revered saint," the letter reads.

He has mentioned that both issues have "a deep emotional-spiritual bearing on the minds of people. These issues also find resonance with your commitment towards society".

Each Olympian from state to get ₹15 lakh: Hayer

CHANDIGARH, JUNE 13

Under the new policy of the Punjab Government, a player participating in the Olympics will be given Rs 15 lakh for preparation. The gold, silver and bronze medal winner will get a cash prize of Rs 3 crore, Rs 2 crore and Rs 1 crore, respectively. It was stated by Sports Minister Gurmeet Singh Meht Hayer in a press statement issued here today.

During a meeting with officials of the Sports Department at the Civil Secretariat, Hayer said the preparation money should be released to players going to the Olympics. He said so far, six shooters had been selected for the Olympics, while a larger number of Punjabi players in hockey, shooting and athletics would be selected. Meht Hayer said the work of establishing sports nurseries was going on in the state. — TNS

SAD committee places full faith in Sukhbir's leadership, flays Kangana

Says won't be part of either NDA or INDIA

JUPINDERJIT SINGH
TRIBUNE NEWS SERVICE

CHANDIGARH, JUNE 13

On a day when one of the closest aides of SAD president Sukhbir Badal asked him to tender a written apology to the Sikh Panth for various "controversial" decisions, the party's core committee today rallied behind the party president.

The meeting introspected on the Lok Sabha poll loss and placed on record its "whole-hearted appreciation of the spirited, selfless and resolute leadership provided by party president Sukhbir Badal, especially during the past six months leading up to the polling date".

It said, "The manner in which the SAD president took brave and selfless decisions, making unheard-of personal sacrifices in the party's interests, is a matter of pride for the

LAUDS 'SELFLESS' DECISIONS

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entire party. The party places full faith and confidence in his leadership and salutes his single-minded devotion in the party's interests."

Charanjit Singh Brar, OSD to Sukhbir Badal, in an open letter on social media earlier in the day, demanded that the party should tender a written apology to Akal Takht and accept punishment for controversial decisions taken in the past by the leadership.

The core committee took a serious view of a well-orchestrated and vicious vilification campaign against the party and its leadership.

In a resolution, the party expressed deep concern over the growing communal polarisation in society and its abuse

in politics in the country. Referring to MP Kangana Ranaut, it said, "While the party does not approve of resorting to violence, Kangana must be held accountable for her abusive, humiliating and rabidly communal utterances, which caused deep emotional hurt that led to the unfortunate incident at the airport. Kulvinder Kaur's alleged action must not be seen in isolation of the circumstances that led to it."

The party also strongly opposed the pernicious idea of "one nation-one culture" being promoted the country.

The core committee said it would not be part of either the NDA or the INDIA block.

Deliberating on the loss in the elections, the committee

Front wants online portal reopened for transfer of teachers

NEHA SAINI
TRIBUNE NEWS SERVICE

AMRITSAR, JUNE 13

The Democratic Teachers Front (DTF), Punjab, has urged the Education Department to re-open the e-Punjab online portal to allow teachers to apply for transfer as the process had been stopped due to the General Election.

Ahead of the parliamentary elections, the Punjab Education Department had opened the e-Punjab portal for seeking transfer applications from teachers, who were interested in changing stations. The process was to be completed from March 12 to March 19, but the process was stopped as the General Election were announced. Teachers are now demanding that the transfer portal should be reopened during the summer vacations so that those teachers, who were left out, get an opportunity to apply.

Vikram Dev Singh, state president of the DTF, met the OSD to the Education Minister to discuss the matter on Wednesday. He said over one lakh government school teachers across the state were being affected by this delay in transfers.

"Every year, around 5,000-6,000 government school teachers are transferred, for which, the process should begin in January (according to the policy). But every year, there is a delay in teacher transfer process and it is done during May-June. This year, despite knowing that the model code of conduct will be in place due to General Election, the Education Department announced to open the portal for one week in March. But even that process got halted as teachers were busy with election duties and missed the chance to apply," he shared.

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The borrower, having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower, in particular and the public, in general, that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under section 13(4) of the said Act read with rule 8 of the said Rules.

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Loan Account No.	Name of Obligor(s) (Legal Heir(s)/ Legal Representative(s))	Amount & Date of Demand Notice	Possession Date
TCHHL03 52000100 110402, & TCHIN03 52000100 111856	Mr. Narender Singh (as Borrower) and Mrs. Kulwinder Kaur (Co Borrower)	Rs. 47,90,674/- under Loan Account No. TCHHL0352000100110402 and Rs. 1,32,640/- under Loan Account No. TCHIN0352000100111856 i.e. totalling Rs. 49,23,314/- (Rupees Forty Nine Lakh Twenty Three Thousand Three Hundred Fourteen Only) Outstanding as on 25/02/2023	10.06.2024
Description of the Secured Assets / Immovable Properties / Mortgaged Properties:- All that piece & parcels of Residential House bearing No. 2237, Category B, Admeasuring 212 Sq. Yds. (72x28) i.e. 07 Marlas - 03 Marlas being 1/49 share of 07 Kanal. 07 Marlas comprised in Khewat No. 935, Murabba No. 48. Kharsa Nos. 712(7-7), Kitta 1 and 04 Marlas being 4/147 share of 07 Kanal. 07 Marlas comprised in Khewat No. 940, Murabba No. 48. Kharsa Nos. 6/2 (7-7), Covered Area 1000 Sq. Ft. As per Jamabandi 2015-16, Situated at Rakha Village Darra Kalan, Locality known as Gurdar Nagar, Ward No. 08, Inside MC Limits Thanesar, Tehsil Thanesar, Distt. Kurukshetra - 136118 (Haryana), with all common amenities mentioned in Sale Deed. Boundaries: East- Road 20' Wide, West House of Raushan Lal Gupta, North Plot No. 37, South Plot No. 35 of Mrs. Parvinder Kaur.			
TCHHL07 33000100 114891 & TCHIN07 73300010 0117612	Mr. Raj Kumar (as Borrower) and Mrs. Nathu Ram, Mrs. Phoolwati (as Co Borrower)	Rs. 6,58,522/- under Loan Account No. TCHHL0733000100114891 and Rs. 31,134/- under Loan Account No. TCHIN0733000100117612 i.e. totalling Rs. 6,89,656/- (Rupees Six Lakh Eighty Nine Thousand Six Hundred Fifty Six Only) Outstanding as on 06/03/2024	10.06.2024
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Heat, paddy season push power demand to season's all-time high

AMAN SOOD
TRIBUNE NEWS SERVICE

PATIALA, JUNE 13

The extreme summer conditions accompanied by the ongoing paddy transplantation pushed the power demand to an all-time high today, breaking last year's record of 15,325 MW. The demand is expected to touch a new high in the next 10 days when the paddy season will be at its peak.

It touched 15,379 MW today, the highest in this season. The state's own generation was around 6,200 MW and withdrawal from the northern grid was around 8,900 MW. As per Northern Region Load Dispatch Centre, the power supply on Wednesday was 2,750 LU (lakh units) with the maximum demand of 14,731 MW. The thermal supply from the state's own plants was 400 LU.

Last year on June 23, the PSPCL met a record maxi-

mum demand of 15,325 MW and supplied 3,435 lakh units. "The maximum demand of over 16,500 MW can be expected in the last week of June when the paddy season will be at peak," said a senior PSPCL official.

Yesterday, the maximum power demand crossed 14,700 MW, the second highest in this paddy season, with the state's own generation being around 6,150 MW and withdrawal from the northern grid around 8,550 MW. In the first 11 days of June, the PSPCL has supplied 26,589 LU against 18,841 LU during the corresponding period last year. The increase in the supply by the PSPCL in the first 11 days is 7,748 LU.

As per Punjab Agriculture Department, the state had witnessed a staggering 31.93 lakh hectares under rice cultivation, including 5.87 lakh hectares of basmati, in 2023.



Agricultural land inundated due to a breach in a canal in Ferozepur; and (right) work underway to plug in the breach. TRIBUNE PHOTOS

Canal breach leaves fields inundated

ANIRUDH GUPTA

FEROZEPUR, JUNE 13

Hundreds of acres of agricultural land was inundated following a 35-foot-long breach in the Bikaner canal near Luthar village on the Ferozepur-Fazilka road, around 8 km from the district headquarters.

As soon as the matter was reported, the district administration swung into action and officials from the canal

Breach took place when a farmer tried to extract water from the canal with the help of a pipe

wing reached the spot and launched an operation to plug the breach with the help of JCB machines.

Deputy Commissioner Rajesh Dhiman said as soon as information was received, instructions were issued to officials of the Irrigation Department and work on

plugging the breach was started in no time.

Rajinder Goyal, SDO, Irrigation, said they diverted the flow of the water to the eastern canal, which helped in speedy plugging of the breach in a few hours.

The breach took place as one of the farmers was trying

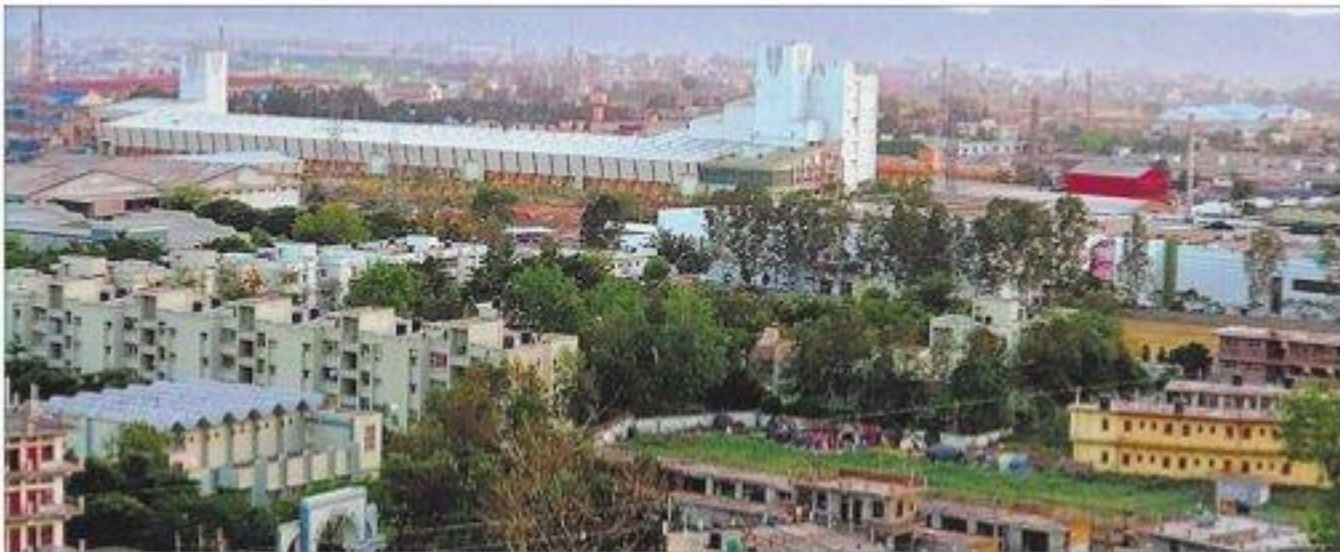
to extract canal water with the help of a pipe. The SDO said action would be taken against the farmer.

Bara Singh, a farmer belonging to Luthar village, said the breach took place around 4 am. "Within a short period of time, the canal water reached the fields and our standing paddy crop was inundated," said Bara, while lauding the efforts of administration in taking swift action to plug the breach.

Cancer-causing pollutants found in Baddi-Barotiwala groundwater: Study

AMBIKA SHARMA
TRIBUNE NEWS SERVICE

SOLAN, JUNE 13
In an alarming revelation, assessment of groundwater by the Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Mandi, and the IIT-Jammu in the state's Baddi-Barotiwala industrial area has revealed high carcinogenic risks for adults, mainly from industrial nickel and chromium. Experts claim, "If left unattended, the lower Himalayan region is on a trajectory similar to south-western Punjab, which is considered the cancer belt of India."
"Industrialisation has contaminated groundwater with toxic metals, exceeding permissible limits. The reliance on untreated groundwater has caused numerous health problems, including cancer and renal disease between 2013 and 2018," indicates the study.
Besides, high non-carcinogenic risks for both adults and children, primarily due to natural uranium, with additional risks from industrial sources of zinc, lead, cobalt, and barium have also



Baddi-Barotiwala groundwater has been contaminated due to discharge of toxic metals by industries.

2014 STUDY FOUND 16 CONTAMINATED SITES	SPCB NOT AWARE OF REPORT
<ul style="list-style-type: none">A study by the IIT-Mandi and IIT-Jammu states that industrialisation has contaminated groundwater with toxic metals, exceeding permissible limitsAn environmental study conducted by the IIT-Kanpur in 2014 had also raised the alarm as it found 16 sites where higher-than-normal presence of carcinogen benzo(a)pyrene (BaP) found in coal tar, automobile exhaust fumes, etc), high level of arsenic, besides higher lead concentration in water was found	<ul style="list-style-type: none">The study found that the region's groundwater was rock-dominated, mainly of calcium carbonate typeUniform uranium levels were detected in all samples, with most metals traced to industrial sourcesMember Secretary, State Pollution Control Board (SPCB), Anil Joshi said they were not aware of the report

been found in the study. Researchers analysed the distribution of cancer-causing pollutants in the groundwater in the area.
Dr Nitin Joshi, Assistant Professor, IIT-Jammu, while expressing concern, said,

"The analysis revealed that, if left unattended, the lower Himalayan region is on a trajectory similar to south-western Punjab". The belt houses more than 90 per cent of the state's industry and non-functional effluent treat-

ment plants where untreated effluents are conveniently let out through the drains. They find their way into the ground water much to the peril of the residents.
The study once again corroborated the sorry state of

affairs in this industrial belt while stressing the need for improved effluent treatment to reduce these risks.
The study found that the region's groundwater was rock-dominated, mainly of the calcium carbonate type. Uniform uranium levels were detected in all samples, with most metals traced to industrial sources, while uranium and molybdenum were naturally occurring.
Elaborating on the research, Dr Deepak Swami, Associate Professor, School of Civil and Environmental Engineering, IIT-Mandi, said, "Groundwater poses high health risks through oral intake, necessitating urgent remediation. Monitoring industrial effluents for zinc, lead, nickel, and chromium is essential to prevent health hazards. Policies must be framed to balance industrial development with public health for sustainable growth."
Key metals of concern have been identified and geospatial maps showing contamination and health risks across villages have been prepared by the experts.

BJP fields three former Ind MLAs for Assembly bypoll

TRIBUNE NEWS SERVICE

SHIMLA, JUNE 13
As expected, the BJP today gave ticket to all three former Independent MLAs, who had resigned from the Vidhan Sabha to join the party.
Two-time Independent MLA Hoshiyar Singh has been fielded from the Dehra Assembly segment in Kangra. KL Thakur, a former BJP MLA who had won the 2022 Assembly poll as an Independent candidate, has been fielded from his Nalagarh seat while Ashish Sharma, who was elected MLA



from Hamirpur as an Independent candidate in the 2022 elections, has been from the same seat.
The announcement of the candidates for the byelections to the Nalagarh, Dehra and Hamirpur Assembly seats was made after approval from the BJP Central Election Committee. The BJP Legislature Party and the BJP core group had met here yesterday to deliberate on the candidates for the three Assembly byelections for which polling will be held on July 10.

Rape accused dies in police custody

TRIBUNE NEWS SERVICE

MANDI, JUNE 13
A rape accused Beant Singh (33), a resident of Barota village in Bilaspur district, committed suicide by consuming some poisonous substance in police custody at Sundernagar police station in Mandi district today. Mandi Additional SP

Sagar Chander said the accused was apprehended yesterday afternoon. He consumed a poisonous substance today morning.
"He was rushed to the Sundernagar hospital around 4:45 am. Due to the severity of his condition, he was later referred to Ner Chowk medical college. However, despite medical

intervention, Beant Singh couldn't survive and passed away around 9:30 am," said Sagar. He added that investigation of this case was being conducted.
The incident raises a serious question on the functioning of police and how a poisonous substance reached the accused in police custody.

CM: Will provide additional funds for Una drug park

SHIMLA, JUNE 13
Chief Minister Sukhvinder Singh Sukhu today said that the state government would act as a strategic partner and provide additional funds in addition to the funds coming from the Central Government for the timely completion of the bulk drug park in Una.
Sukhu presided over a high-level meeting here to review the progress of the drug park project. He said the project would span over 570 hectares at an estimated cost of Rs 1,923 crore. The government decided that it would cover the operational cost of the project for the first 10 years.
"The bulk drug park will feature a common effluent treatment plant with a five MLD capacity, a solid waste management plant, a stormwater drain network, a common solvent storage, recovery and distillation facility, stream generation plant, an advanced laboratory testing centre, an emergency response centre, hazardous operations audit centre and a centre of excellence," said Sukhu.
Besides, Sukhu said, infrastructure such as pathways, canteen, fire station and administrative block would be constructed and the site development works would also be carried out. — TNS

Heatwave to continue for next three days

SHIMLA, JUNE 13
There will be no relief from scorching heat in Himachal Pradesh and the heat wave will continue till June 16, the weather office said here on Thursday.
The local Met Department predicted that the maximum and minimum temperatures would rise over the next two-three days.
In the plains and lower hills, the maximum and minimum temperatures were likely to increase by one to two degrees Celsius for next three or four days and would remain above normal, it said.
The Met Department warned of a heatwave at isolated pockets in Una, Bilaspur, Hamirpur, Shimla, Solan, Kullu, Kangra, Sirmour and Mandi districts for the next three days. — PTI



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Kuwait tragedy

Workers' wellbeing should be Delhi's priority

THE death of 49 people, mostly Indians, in a fire that engulfed a building housing foreign workers in Mangaf, Kuwait, has turned the spotlight on the conditions under which these employees live and work not only in this Gulf nation but the region as a whole. Deputy Prime Minister Sheikh Fahad Yusuf Saud Al-Sabah, who visited the site, has blamed the greed of real-estate owners for such incidents, even as an investigation has been launched to pinpoint the lapses and fix accountability. India's immediate focus is on the identification of the bodies and bringing back the mortal remains of the victims, besides granting ex gratia relief to the families of the deceased. At the same time, New Delhi needs to be actively involved in the probe to ensure that those responsible for the tragedy are dealt with strictly.

Those under scrutiny include the companies that hire foreign workers and the realtors who provide accommodation, besides travel agents who facilitate recruitment. According to reports, India's embassy in Kuwait received over 16,000 complaints from Indian citizens working there between March 2021 and December 2023. Most of them pertained to delays in the payment of salaries, below-par accommodation and harassment by employers. Alarming, over 1,400 Indians, mostly migrant workers, died in Kuwait in 2022 and 2023, according to information shared by the Ministry of External Affairs in Parliament earlier this year. All this suggests that the Indian authorities have been lax in addressing the workers' concerns.

India is the world leader in terms of remittance receipts, with a total of \$125 billion being sent by Indians living across the globe to their families back home last year. Gulf Cooperation Council countries are among the biggest sources of India's remittance inflow. New Delhi must press these nations to crack down on unscrupulous employers who compromise the safety and wellbeing of workers.

Gender gap

Low ranking must spur policy relook

THE World Economic Forum's Global Gender Gap index has ranked India 129th out of 146 nations on the list. The data reflects a troubling reality in stark contrast to the India growth story. The methodology of arriving at the conclusions may be open to debate, but numbers don't lie. It would be prudent to heed the larger message. As the results of the Lok Sabha elections have shown, the distress on the ground is real. Continuity in the governance model is all very well, but the developmental strategies need comprehensive evaluation, with rebooting of policies and plans, if required. Change is visible, but it is skewed and too slow.

According to the report, India's economic parity score has been on an upward trend for the past four years. That said, in the economic parity and opportunity sub-index, it finds itself at the 142nd position, one of the lowest globally. India is ranked 120th on wage equality for similar work. Women in India on an average earn Rs 39.8 for every Rs 100 that men earn. The country maintains its 142nd slot on the health and survival index. A notable positive is India's high ranking on gender parity in secondary education enrolment. Ranked 65th in the parameter of political empowerment of women, it is 10th on parity in the number of years with female and male heads of state over the last 50 years. The women's reservation legislation could be a transformative moment, provided the political leadership accords the issue the seriousness it deserves.

Globally, 68.5 per cent of the gender gap has been closed, says the report. Achieving full gender parity will take 134 years more, equivalent to five generations. This is India's century, we are constantly reminded. No excuse would suffice.

ON THIS DAY...100 YEARS AGO

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LAHORE, SATURDAY, JUNE 14, 1924

The memorandum

IF the preamble to the memorandum which some of our distinguished countrymen, now in England in one capacity or another, have prepared for presentation to the India office, is unexceptionable, so is the actual demand made in it. To the first and most important part of it, that India should draft her own Constitution in the same way as the Dominions and the Irish Free State did, we have already referred. It must be plain to the meanest understanding that this part of the demand lies at the basis of all other parts, and that if this part were conceded, all other things would follow as a natural consequence. It was as regards this part of the nationalist demand, moreover, that the Liberals at one time were either undecided or equivocal in their attitude. They had accepted the Government of India Act with all its implications, they felt, and it was not for them to go behind that Act and say that not the British Parliament but the Indian people were to be the ultimate authority in this matter of drafting the Indian Constitution. Recent events have, however, disillusioned our countrymen, and the memorandum is the latest and most conclusive evidence of the fact that in this as in so many other matters, the Liberals and the Nationalists are of virtually one mind today. The rest of the demand has, subject to one important reservation, been a part of the Liberal platform now for many months. "The central civil Government of India," says the memorandum, "should be carried on by the Viceroy with a cabinet responsible to the Indian Legislature, the defence of the country remaining in the hands of the Viceroy, subject to agreed reservations, until a responsible Government of India is ready to take it over."

The PM has his work cut out

The govt may have to revisit policy in the light of victory of some separatists in Lok Sabha polls



TRYSTS AND TURNS
JULIO RIBEIRO

THE Modi 2.0 government adopted a no-holds-barred stand against individuals who were perceived to be a security threat. The new government led by Narendra Modi may have to revisit this policy in the light of the victory of some separatists in the recent Lok Sabha elections.

The election of imprisoned Khalistani activist Amritpal Singh from Khadoor Sahib and Indira Gandhi assassin Beant Singh's son Sarabjeet Singh Khalsa from Faridkot should make the government sit up and take notice. The Surjit Singh Barnala-led Akali government, which worked in close association with the ruling Congress at the Centre in the 1980s, had got the Sikh masses to reject Khalistan. In the early 1990s, Jat Sikh farmers assisted the government in curbing terrorism. Without their active help, terrorism could not have been wiped out.

The allegations made by Canada regarding the murder of Khalistani separatist Hardeep Singh Nijjar and the US claim about an India-sponsored plot to eliminate Gurbatwant Singh Panun, a US national spearheading the Khalistan demand in the West, must have influenced the people who voted in favour of Amritpal and Sarabjeet.

So, in a manner of speaking, the Modi-Shah policy of stern action against anti-nationals may become the trigger for a recurrence of the troubles Punjab faced in the 1980s. Policymakers should keep such factors in mind before taking hard decisions.

The defeat of moderate leaders like Omar Abdullah and Mehbooba Mufti in Kashmir and the vic-



MOOT POINT: The key question is whether Modi can be convinced to adopt softer policies. **PM**

tory of a hardliner like Engineer Rashid are signs that the Modi-Shah duo needs to ponder over. The swift and decisive action they took in the troubled state of Jammu and Kashmir to abrogate Article 370 had the approbation of the BJP's core supporters in the Hindi heartland and even beyond, but the fallout is becoming alarmingly clear in the aftermath of the 2024 Lok Sabha elections. Muslim voters of Kashmir are turning away from their own mainstream political parties and opting for the more defiant opponents of the Modi regime. This is another cause for concern.

The election of two Khalistani Sikhs and a radical Kashmiri Muslim to the Lok Sabha underlines the need to consult sage and moderate voices like Gurbachan Jagat and Amarjit Singh Dulat, the latter for dealing with Kashmiri malcontents. Should the elected MPs be allowed to enter and speak in Parliament and vent their feelings instead of silently inciting their co-religionists against the Indian state? Whatever steps the government had taken or planned against these rabble-rousers have not worked. Their respective communities have to be won over to our side.

Parakala Prabhakar is a

Modi should be told that Netanyahu is only creating more terrorists by killing Hamas fighters and bombing hospitals and civilian localities in Gaza.

thinker who describes matters in befitting words. He doubts if Modi can be convinced to adopt softer policies. Prabhakar reminds us that a wolf that wears sheep's clothing will continue to be a wolf. In the constitution of his Cabinet and distribution of portfolios, Modi has already shown that he is the sole decision-maker. He continues to rule in the same manner as before.

Modi should be told that Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu is only creating more terrorists by killing Hamas fighters and bombing hospitals and civilian localities in Gaza. We had that experience in Punjab during our struggle with Khalistani terrorists. Listing and then eliminating culprits only resulted in their replacement, sometimes by two men for the one lost.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

Peace is not absence of conflict, it is the ability to handle conflict by peaceful means. — Ronald Reagan

The money order and chaos

SV VENU GOPALAN

THE postman hadn't expected such a response to his call 'amma... money order!' at our doorstep. All through his career, he would have only received a warm reception while handing over cash. My grandmother had every reason to express shock and disbelief. Time and again, it was she who had been sending money to her brother-in-law at Bengaluru on receiving his letters for financial help. None had ever sent her money.

'Where has this money order come from?' she enquired.

The postman's reply compounded her confusion. The money order was from her brother-in-law.

'Is it for 300 rupees?' she asked. The postman nodded.

'Oh oh... what the hell is happening! That was the exact amount I sent to Bengaluru yesterday by money order... How dare you come here to return it to me?'

The postman was puzzled. Grandma looked at me and my elder brother. She snatched the money order form and quickly identified the handwriting. It seemed she had solved the riddle.

She started yelling at my brother: 'You mixed up the addresses of the sender and the recipient... oh my God... what will I do now?'

She told the postman that the money was intended to be sent to Bengaluru and not the other way round. He firmly told her that it was his duty to deliver the cash to her as per postal rules.

An irrepressible woman who had faced innumerable challenges courageously, my grandma told the postman that she had asked her grandson only the day before to send a money order and she would not accept that cash in return from the postal authorities. The poor postman couldn't do anything further and calmly left the place, advising her to take up the matter with the post office.

We followed our grandma, who marched towards the post office near our house. It was amusing to hear her argue with the postmaster. She narrated her travails — the loss of her eldest daughter (my mother) two decades ago, the struggle to bring up her grandchildren, the death of her husband, a headmaster, and her ongoing fight for his pension.

The postmaster convinced her that it was her grandson who had erred in filling the money order form and the post office had no option but to return the money. Ultimately, she accepted the cash with tears in her eyes and made a special request to the postmaster that the acknowledgement shall not be sent to Bengaluru, for it would convey the wrong message. With great reluctance and after my grandma's repeated pleas, he relented.

Then, a new money order form was filled to send the money to her brother-in-law, and the commission had to be paid once more. My grandma glared at my brother, who promptly and apologetically bowed his head.

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come out of the 'reluctant politician' mode, Rahul and Shashi should make a good pair for the Congress in the INDIA bloc. Supriya Sule is a young woman whom I admire for her poise and equanimity. It was gracious of her to call on her vanquished opponent's mother to soothe ruffled feathers in her own family, now that her cousin, Ajit Pawar, has been cut down to size.

The inauguration of the new Parliament building was presided over by the Prime Minister and the Speaker last year. Its inauguration for its actual intended use as a place where governance decisions are debated and approved — and sometimes (rarely) discarded — should take precedence over gimmicks. The people of India will be extremely unhappy and disappointed if they do not get to hear and see democracy at play in the new Lok Sabha.

The way Parliament was run in the 17th Lok Sabha was an insult to democracy. Walkouts, suspensions and adjournments were the norm. Even laws meant to curb crime were passed without a debate. We did not get to learn why the government took radical decisions like demonetisation, the nationwide Covid lockdown and even the farm laws — which Modi was forced to repeal — without discussions in Parliament.

The normal parliamentary procedures of scrutiny of Bills by committees should be restarted now that one party and its supreme leader have been forced to share power with its allies. As Modi himself has admitted, there has to be consensus on critical decisions. Just one man or a cabal does not constitute a democratic decision-making body. If Modi wants the NDA to rule for the next 10 years, he will have to prove Prabhakar wrong.

If the NDA constituents were not able to influence Modi in the formation of the coalition Cabinet, they should stand firm on contentious issues like the National Register of Citizens and the treatment of minorities.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Need to redefine merit

The Supreme Court's observation on the sanctity of NEET being affected amid allegations of a paper leak highlights a deeper issue: the test fails to ensure a level playing field. The concept of 'one nation, one test' needs urgent reconsideration. NEET's flaws — from paper leaks to technical glitches — jeopardise its integrity and disproportionately disadvantage underprivileged students. Merit should reflect societal good, not just test scores. NEET's single-test approach neglects essential qualities like empathy and dedication, which are crucial for future doctors. Moreover, the rise of commercial coaching centres exacerbates inequalities, favouring urban, affluent students over rural and economically disadvantaged ones. True meritocracy means providing equal opportunities for all students, considering diverse backgrounds and experiences. It's time to redefine merit in medical admissions to foster a more inclusive society.

SARGUNPREET KAUR, MOHALI

Future of aspirants at stake

Apropos of the article 'NEET fails to provide a level playing field', the allegations of a paper leak and irregularities in the test should be addressed on priority. The National Testing Agency must come clean and take steps to avoid a repeat of the fiasco. The future of lakhs of students is at stake. This is not the first time that the integrity of an entrance test or a recruitment exam has come under the scanner. Haryana, Punjab and Himachal Pradesh have all been rocked by cheating scans. The onus is on the authorities concerned to allay the apprehensions of the candidates.

SUBHASH C TANEJA, GURUGRAM

Ensure fairness in entrance tests

Frequent paper leaks, partiality in recruitment tests and malpractices at centres call into question the integrity of testing agencies. It is incumbent on the National Testing Agency to restore public faith in the test. It must ensure transparency in the allotment of marks. Stringent action should be taken against those behind the leak to set a strong precedent. Technical glitches and delays in the frisking process at centres need to be looked into. Any widespread disruption in the test could affect the fortunes of numerous students and should hence be avoided. Fairness

and equality of opportunity in entrance exams and recruitment tests are the need of the hour.

ASHA RANI, YAMUNANAGAR

Plug the gap in defence

Refer to 'No room for complacency along LAC', the article rightly underscores the urgent need for the new government to prioritise the requirements of our armed forces. China's continued military buildup along the LAC demands enhanced Indian intelligence and better defence capabilities. There has been a modest rise in budgetary allocation to defence, but it is still inadequate for significant acquisitions. Besides, the delayed implementation of an integrated theatre command structure is a cause for concern. The ineffective Agnipath scheme warrants an urgent and thorough review. The government must address these critical issues on a priority basis.

CHANCHAL S MANN, UNA

No peace in J&K

The terrorist attack on a bus carrying pilgrims in Reasi and multiple encounters within this week have rattled not only Jammu and Kashmir but the entire nation. It is unfortunate that a CRPF jawan lost his life in Kathua district and five soldiers and two police officers sustained injuries in separate encounters. Innocent people are being gunned down in J&K. The BJP's decision not to contest in the Valley is an admission that the party's 'Naya Kashmir' policy is an abject failure. The government's claim of restoring normalcy in the region stands in stark contrast with the ground reality.

SK KHOSLA, CHANDIGARH

Manipur a victim of BJP apathy

Refer to 'In Bhagwat's utterances after polls, signs of RSS-BJP unease'; the Sangh chief's belated remarks on the government's failure to resolve the crisis in the conflict-torn Manipur are welcome. Bhagwat's comment is a message to the Narendra Modi-led BJP government. It seems like the BJP's indifference to the ethnic turmoil that has roiled the northeastern state was the final straw for the RSS chief. The Sangh leadership should have nudged Modi to act when the first reports of violence had started to trickle in from Manipur. The PM must pay heed to the RSS chief's words before it is too late.

AVINASH GODBOLEY, DEWAS (MP)

Draw lessons from Kuwait blaze to protect workers



KP FABIAN
FORMER AMBASSADOR TO QATAR

A building with about 200 foreign workers, mainly from India — with Kerala and Tamil Nadu accounting for the majority — caught fire in the early hours of June 12 in Kuwait. According to a report from Kuwait, the fire broke out around 3.15 am. As the building lacked arrangements for fire-fighting, including a fire alarm, the blaze spread and some residents even tried to jump from the building. At least one person died in such a fatal jump. The fire was reportedly caused by a cooking gas cylinder that was being used by a security guard. The fire department was alerted at 4.30 am and fire extinguishers were promptly sent. The Kuwaiti Home Ministry got a report of the fire by 6 am.

The Kuwait Government has expressed condolences over the loss of 49 lives. Some senior officials of the municipality have been suspended for failing to ensure adherence to safety norms for buildings.

While we spontaneously think of the plight of the bereaved families and of the injured, we should apply our minds to the lessons to be learnt and the measures required to prevent recurrence of such a tragedy.

Let me share a few thoughts based on my professional association with the West Asian region starting from 1976, when I went to Teheran. Our embassies need a better set-up to look after the nine million of our compatriots there. Kuwait has around one million Indians, accounting for 30 per cent of the expatriate population and about 21 per cent of the total population.

The embassy website says that the labour section works from 8 am to 4 pm, Sunday to Thursday. Obviously, barring the security guard, no official will be available to attend to emergencies when the labour section is closed.

In this context, we need to raise a few questions. When did the Indian embassy get information about the fire incident? When did the Indian media get to know of the fire? Hours after it occurred. Why?

When I was in Doha (1992-97), we had cases of maids running away from home seeking shelter in the embassy. We had arranged for an official, preferably speaking the mother tongue of the maid, to come



VISIT: Ambassador Adarsh Swaika (left) with an injured worker at a hospital in Kuwait. PTI

to the embassy within half an hour. This arrangement was good 24x7.

In the present case, I rang up the helpline number of the embassy a couple of times. It was busy. Obviously, there should have been more than one number.

In this context, there is a good deal we in India can learn from the Philippines. When a Philippine citizen arrives in a West Asian country to work as a caregiver or maid, she is received at the airport by embassy officials. She is briefed about the country and how she can get in touch with the embassy in need. She goes to the

It is wrong to assume that labour-exporting countries cannot work together as they are competing with each other.

employer after a day or two. The embassy invariably has labour attachés holding a law degree.

There is no communication or coordination among the labour-exporting countries. Two years ago, I visited the region. I asked the first secretary in charge of consular work and labour welfare whether he attended a conference that the International Labour Organisation had recently organised in the city on the problems of migrant labour. He replied that he had not heard about the conference.

I asked him whether he met his counterparts from manpower-exporting coun-

tries to exchange views. The answer was in the negative.

The set-up in the Central Government, too, needs a reform. For a long time, the Ministry of External Affairs (MEA) handled the matter. Later, the Ministry of Overseas Indian Affairs was established in 2004. It was dissolved in 2016 and the MEA resumed charge. There is only one Joint Secretary who is the Protector General of Emigrants, an office that was earlier with the Ministry of Labour.

The MEA organises well-choreographed annual Pravasi Day functions where the affluent members of the diaspora are feted and lauded. Has there been any conference on the problems facing the ABC (ayah, bearer, cook) part of the diaspora?

India is the leading country in South Asia and the leading voice of the Global South. What initiative has New Delhi taken to address the problems of the migrant labour globally? The idea that labour-exporting countries cannot work together as they are competing is wrong.

In the run-up to the 2022 Football World Cup in Qatar, many foreign workers died, mainly due to unsafe working conditions. I do not recall any in-depth investigation by the Indian media.

The Guardian of the UK investigated and concluded that 6,500 migrant work-

ers from South Asia had died, with India accounting for a good part thereof. We have not heard that India officially took up this matter with Qatar.

There is apathy in the government and the media. What can be done to remove that apathy? Any French citizen abroad can vote in the French elections. Let us extend this facility to Indian citizens abroad. If the workers in the Gulf can vote, we might expect our politicians, and consequently, the bureaucracy to take more interest in their welfare.

It might be argued that the Gulf monarchies would resent such a move. I doubt it. The matter deserves to be examined immediately.

The Central Government responded with alacrity once it came to know of the Kuwait tragedy. The Prime Minister chaired an emergency meeting. He sent Minister of State for External Affairs Kirti Vardhan Singh to Kuwait to oversee assistance to Indians injured in the mishap.

In the big evacuation of 1990-91 to bring back 176,000 Indians from Kuwait and Iraq, no minister had to visit Kuwait, except then External Affairs Minister IK Gujral, who oversaw the entire operation. He went there only once and did not interfere with the work of the Ambassador.

Spate of terror attacks unlikely to derail electoral process in J&K



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THE fresh spate of terror attacks in the Jammu region marks a concerning trend. Historically, such attacks were primarily concentrated in the Kashmir valley. This shift to the Jammu side of Pir Panjal suggests a strategic change in tactics.

The terror strikes in Reasi, Doda and Kathua appear calculated to send out a political message and create chaos. Their timing, coinciding with the installation of the new government at the Centre, is aimed at undermining the government's narrative of achieving stability and normalcy in the region. The intention seems to be to disrupt the democratic process, as the Election Commission of India has begun the process of allotting symbols to parties and preparing for the Assembly elections.

While such actions are meant to foster fear and uncertainty, the fact is that the recent Lok Sabha elections did not witness violence in J&K and saw the highest turnout in 35

years at 58.46 per cent.

The 2024 General Election in J&K was historic as it marked the first major electoral process in the region since August 2019, when the Government of India abrogated Article 370 of the Constitution, which granted J&K special status.

The elections were historic for two reasons. One, the most notable outcome was the dismantling of the longstanding perception that participating in polls was an act of betrayal, often referred to as 'gaddari'. This stigma had long discouraged many from voting, as they feared social ostracism or being labelled as traitors to the so-called cause of Kashmiri autonomy. This shift reflects a growing acceptance of democratic norms and a desire for political engagement among the populace. Two, the participation of young voters was another critical aspect of this election. For the first time in many years, there was a substantial turnout of young people.

This election was also historic because it managed to satisfy diverse political aspirations in one way or another. Despite being relatively new to the political scene in Kashmir, the BJP managed to make inroads. The party's success lies in its ability to challenge the entrenched political dominance of two prominent families — the Abdullahs and the Muftis. Although the perceived BJP proxies — Sajad Ghani Lone



SHIFTING SANDS: The emergence of Engineer Rashid is a proclamation of democracy's triumph in the Valley. PTI

and Altaf Bukhari — did not win, the mere fact that the traditional political strongholds were shaken is a significant achievement for the saffron party. One of the most profound impacts of this election is the emergence of alternative politics in the region. This is crucial as it opens up the political arena to new actors and ideas, which is essential for a healthy democracy.

The election of Engineer Rashid, who defeated former Chief Minister Omar Abdullah, is a loud proclamation of democracy's triumph in the Valley. Rashid, who has been lodged in Delhi's Tihar Jail since 2019 for alleged terror funding, capitalised on a wave

The BJP's success in fostering alternative politics is something that the Congress could not achieve, highlighting a fundamental shift in the region's political dynamics.

of sympathy votes across north Kashmir. The National Investigation Agency had filed a case against him for raising and receiving funds through illegal means, including *hawala*, to support separatist and terrorist activities in J&K. Rashid's victory is not just a personal success but a symbol of the people's desire for a new political narrative, free from the clutches of dynastic politics.

Rashid is a two-time former MIA from north Kashmir's Langate Assembly segment. In his earlier avatar, he was considered a close confidante of slain Hurriyat leader and People's Conference founder Abdul Ghani Lone. Sajad's father Rashid broke away and made a significant impact by

winning the 2008 and 2014 Assembly elections. Rashid's victory dismantled the political legacy that Sajad and his father had established since 1967. His release from jail could further enhance the BJP's position by fostering alternative political voices.

Rashid's release, provided that he is able to counter the charges against him, will be a critical moment in Kashmir's political evolution. It could signify the end of the dominance of traditional political parties, particularly the National Conference (NC). Rashid's ideology, often considered a deviation from the mainstream, could be re-evaluated in a more pragmatic light, given the evolving political dynamics in the Valley. The political scenario in Kashmir has evolved significantly over the past five years. The fact that even the Jamaat-e-Islami — traditionally seen as a separatist organisation — had expressed its willingness to contest elections underscores the changing dynamics in the Valley.

Rashid, along with many others, appears willing to work within a transformed environment, acknowledging the evolving political realities and the necessity for a more inclusive and democratic approach. The possibility of the government considering Rashid's release stems from the failure of the BJP's perceived proxies to create a substantial alternative. Rashid's release could further bolster the BJP's

efforts to establish a new political paradigm in the Valley.

The election also brought to light a significant shift in public sentiment towards the right to vote. For several years, Kashmiris were deprived of this fundamental right. The boycott of elections in the past only served to reinforce the dominance of traditional political parties. This time, however, the high turnout demonstrated a collective determination to reclaim democratic rights and participate in the electoral process.

Whether the BJP, the NC or the People's Democratic Party won or lost, the true winner of this election was democracy. This poll was a testament to the people's desire for change and a better future. The BJP's success in fostering alternative politics is something that the Congress could never achieve, highlighting a fundamental shift in the region's political landscape.

As the UT looks forward to the Assembly polls, the General Election has not only restored the democratic process but also laid the groundwork for a more inclusive and representative political environment in Kashmir. The terror attacks in the Jammu region are intended to delay the elections and create a sense of unrest. However, such attempts are unlikely to succeed, given the clear signal that the people of Jammu and Kashmir are fully committed to democracy.

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1 A great success (7)

5 Tree of Acer genus (5)

8 Documentation (9)

9 After all deductions (3)

10 Dejected (4)

12 Competitor with little chance (4,4)

14 A monastery (6)

15 Solid content (6)

17 State of being forgotten (8)

18 Regularly traversed round (4)

21 Do wrong (3)

22 Sacred writings (9)

24 Slightly unwell (5)

25 Uneasy (7)

DOWN

1 Slightly warm (5)

2 Mischievous child (3)

3 To notice (4)

4 Bringer of bad luck (6)

5 Substantiate (4,4)

6 A dwelling on a roof (9)

7 Designate (7)

11 In a more prominent form (4,5)

13 Grotesque misrepresentation (8)

14 Extraordinary ability (7)

16 The next day (6)

19 Set foot (5)

20 Stimulus (4)

23 Prefix indicating one (3)

Yesterday's solution

Across: 1 Untoward, 5 Oslo, 9 Large, 10 Prairie, 11 Fully-fledged, 13 Athens, 14 Jordan, 17 Stand a chance, 20 Fanfare, 21 Inane, 22 Lull, 23 Interest.

Down: 1 Ugly, 2 Through, 3 Wheel and deal, 4 Rip off, 6 Sprig, 7 Overdone, 8 Take for a ride, 12 Parsifal, 15 Dictate, 16 Screen, 18 Annul, 19 Next.

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CALENDAR

JUNE 14, 2024, FRIDAY

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■ Jyeshtha Shaka 24

■ Aashadh Purnim 1

■ Hijari 1445

■ Shukla Paksha Tithi 8, up to 12.05 am

■ Siddhi Yoga up to 7.07 pm

■ Uttarphalguni Nakshatra

■ Moon enters Virgo sign 11.55 am

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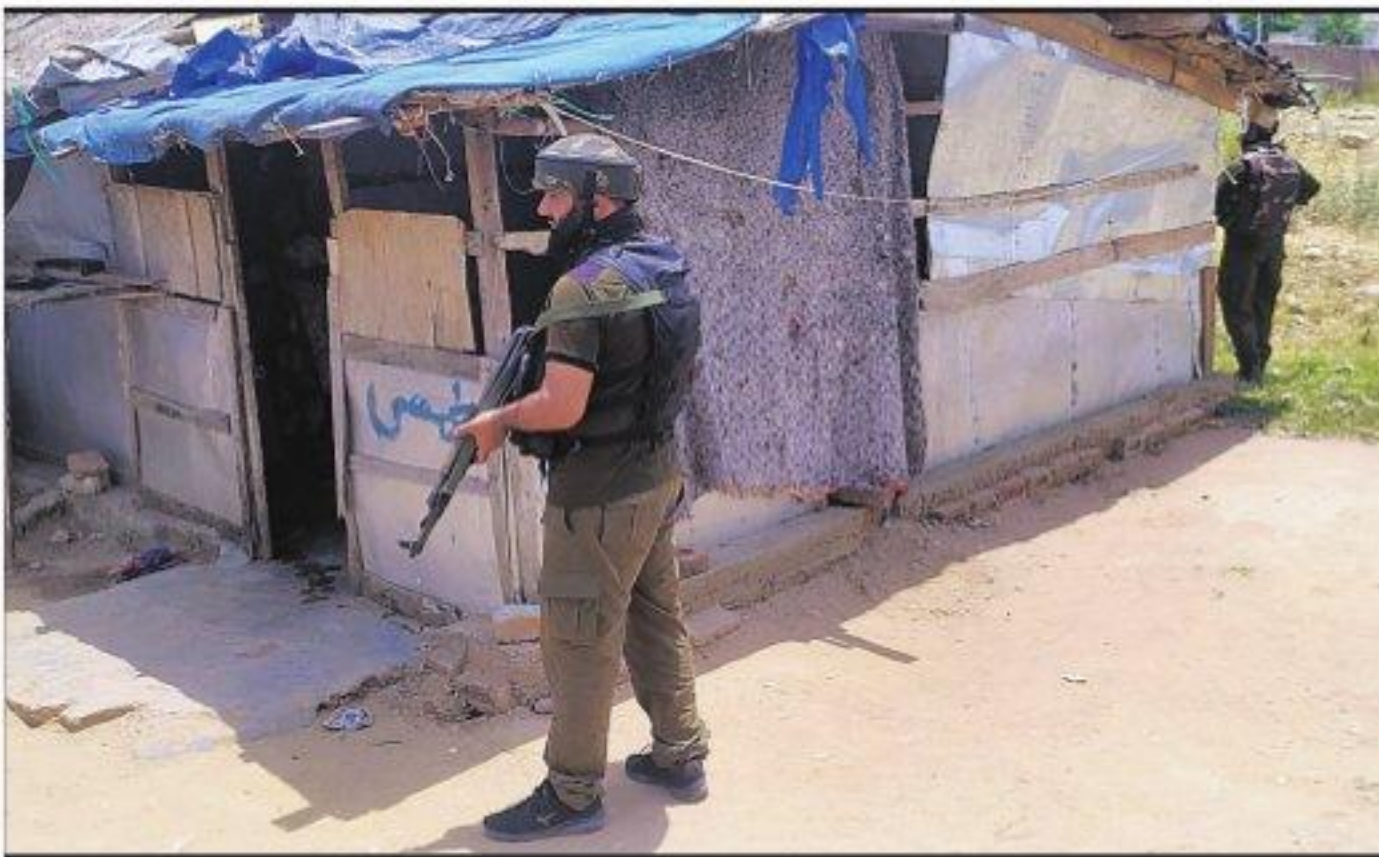
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Mostly peaceful since 2006, Doda back on forces’ radar after twin terror strikes

ARJUN SHARMA

JAMMU, JUNE 13 After the elimination of two terrorists who perpetrated an attack at a village in Kathua recently, the focus of security forces has now shifted to Doda, where two terrorist strikes have taken place on two consecutive days, leaving seven security personnel injured. Doda has remained mostly peaceful for years now, especially after 2006, before which it was a hotbed of Pakistan-backed terrorism and many massacres, specifically of members of the Hindu community, were witnessed there in that period. Intelligence inputs have suggested that the terrorists might try to attack security establishments in the coming days to create an atmosphere of chaos. An alert has been sounded by the police and Army establishment, asking its personnel to remain on high alert. After the first attack on a joint check-point of Rashtriya Rifles (RR) and the J&K Police on Tuesday at Chattergala in Doda, injuring six personnel, another attack on an



ROLE OF PoK-BASED FUGITIVES UNDER LENS

- At least 118 terrorists from Doda district had fled to PoK decades ago and are now believed to be strengthening the local support base for terrorists
- It is believed that 10 of these 118 terrorists are active in recruiting overground workers (OGWs) in Doda and Kishtwar. Many of these terrorists have been declared as proclaimed offenders and properties of some of them have also been seized

«Security forces during a search operation to track down terrorists in Jammu. ANI

SOG camp occurred on Wednesday evening, in which one personnel was injured at Gandoh in the district. The J&K Police have released the sketches of four terrorists operating in Doda and stated that they were “roaming in upper reaches of Bhaderwah, Thathri and Gandoh and are involved in terror-related activities”. The police have also announced a reward of Rs 5 lakh for providing informa-

tion on each terrorist. It is believed that both the attacks in Doda were perpetrated by same group of terrorists who are also in touch with each other over communication devises. It is not known if all four were involved in each attack or were in group of two each. A major search operation was also carried out in the forest areas of the mountainous Doda district, where it was suspected that the ultras

could be hiding. Checkpoints by the Army and police have come up in different areas of Jammu division, with frisking and checking of vehicles of suspects going on. Intelligence sources said terror activities in Doda were being controlled by the handlers sitting in Pakistan-occupied J&K (PoJK). It is believed that the Doda attacks were executed by a team of local and Pakistani ultras. Interestingly, at least 118

Reasi attack: 50 detained, search expanded to far-flung areas of dist

OUR CORRESPONDENT

JAMMU, JUNE 13 At least 50 individuals have been detained by the Reasi police in connection with the investigation into the recent terror attack on a bus, in which nine pilgrims were killed. A police official said the detentions were made following an intensive investigation led by the police at the Kanda area police station in Pooni. “Significant leads have been uncovered in the probe, which will aid the identification and arrest of those involved in orchestrating the attack,” the official added. For a comprehensive probe, search operations have been expanded to encompass far-flung areas of Amas and Mahore, which were terrorist

RESIDENTS BEING HARASSED BY ADMN: OMAR

- NC leader Omar Abdullah on Thursday hit out at the administration for allegedly arresting and harassing people in the aftermath of terror attacks in Jammu region
- “If the only tool you have is a hammer, everything looks like a nail. This incompetent J&K administration only knows how to arrest, detain & harass people,” Omar posted on X

hotbeds between 1995 and 2005. The operations are aimed at uncovering further evidence to apprehend the terrorists who may be hiding in these remote regions, the official said. Reasi SSP Mohita Sharma has urged the public to remain vigilant and report any suspicious activity to the authorities immediately. The police have already released a sketch of one of the terrorists and announced a cash reward of Rs 20 lakh for

information leading to the neutralisation of culprits. A group of at least two terrorists had on Sunday evening opened fire at a bus which was carrying pilgrims from Shiv Khori shrine to Katra. A terrorist came on the road and fired bullets at the driver, which caused the vehicle to veer off the road and fall in a deep gorge. The terrorists continued firing at the crashed bus, which caused bullet injuries to many pilgrims, including minors. — With PTI inputs

Soldier killed, 4 hurt as Army vehicle falls into gorge

RAJOURI/JAMMU, JUNE 13 An Army personnel was killed and four others injured when their vehicle skidded off the road and rolled down into a gorge in the Rajouri district of Jammu and Kashmir on Thursday, an official said. The accident took place near Bhawani village, near the Line of Control (LoC) in the Nowshera sector in the evening, he added. — PTI

CRPF bus catches fire, none hurt

RAMBAN/JAMMU, JUNE 13 A CRPF bus on its way to Jammu from Srinagar today caught fire due to a technical snag in Ramban. The occupants escaped unhurt. The bus, part of a CRPF convoy, caught fire near Battery Chashma on the Jammu-Srinagar highway. — PTI

Those supporting terrorism will repent: DGP

OUR CORRESPONDENT

JAMMU, JUNE 13 In the aftermath of one ambush and three terror attacks place in different areas of Jammu division in four days, DGP RR Swain on Thursday said Pakistan was trying to disturb the atmosphere of J&K and the security forces would give a befitting reply to terrorists. The DGP also visited Katra, which is the base camp of Vaishno Devi pilgrimage in Reasi district, which witnessed a terror attack on a pilgrim bus on Sunday. The DGP said the agents of the enemy would soon repent their decision to “support” terrorism. “The starting point of terrorism in J&K is across the border. The clear intent of the adversary is that if they cannot motivate locals for subversive activities to disturb the peaceful atmosphere in



DGP RR Swain speaks to the media in Reasi on Thursday. ANI

WILL GIVE BEFITTING REPLY

“What will be our response? We will utilise all our resources and our effort is to give a befitting response. Since they don't have anyone to care about, their power to inflict loss appears more. RR Swain, J&K DGP

Kashmir, send their own people, Pakistanis, after recruiting them there and forcibly push them into this side,” the DGP told reporters in Reasi. The police chief also chaired a high-level meeting to review security in the dis-

trict, where terrorists had attacked a bus on Sunday evening, killing nine and injuring 41. “The enemy agents are doing it (helping foreign terrorists) for money and narcotics. They will be identified and dealt with sternly. We want to warn them that while the (foreign) terrorists will get killed, those who are supporting them will repent,” Swain said. Swain said Pakistan seeks to use the tough terrain of Jammu and Kashmir by sending foreign terrorists into the forests and to disturb the peaceful atmosphere. “This is the truth,” he added. He, however, said the security forces were determined to maintain peace and eradicate terrorism from Jammu and Kashmir. “What will be our response? We are ready for the small loss because when a war is thrust upon us and terrorists stand before us to kill or get killed, we utilise all our resources and our effort is to give a befitting response. Since they don't have anyone to care about, their power to inflict loss appears more,” he said. — With PTI inputs

Security reviewed at Jammu railway station

JAMMU, JUNE 13 With the annual Amarnath yatra scheduled to start later this month, authorities on Thursday reviewed the security arrangements at the Jammu Railway Station in the wake of recent terror attacks, officials said. Senior Superintendent of Police, Railways, Shailender Singh chaired the meeting which was attended by officers of the Government Railway Police, Jammu, and other security agencies, they said. Security has been put on high alert across Jammu following four back-to-back terror attacks in Reasi, Kathua and Doda districts over the last four days. The attacks

left nine pilgrims and a CRPF jawan dead and seven security personnel and several others injured. Two suspected Pakistani terrorists were also killed in an encounter with security forces in Kathua and a large quantity of arms and ammunition were recovered from them. The meeting on Thursday discussed ways to further strengthen the security set-up at the railway station and ensure that no untoward incident takes place during the pilgrimage. The 52-day yatra to the 3,880-metre-high holy cave shrine of Amarnath in south Kashmir Himalayas will start from the twin tracks on June 29. — PTI

Police attach two-storey house of terror associate in Anantnag

SRINAGAR, JUNE 13 The police on Thursday attached the two-storey house of a terrorist associate in Anantnag district of Jammu and Kashmir, an official said. Riyaz Ahmad Bhat's house, located at Lohar Senzi in the Gadole area of the district, was attached by the police on the orders of Divisional Commissioner, Kashmir, under the UAPA, the offi-

cial added. “In a major action against terrorism, the Anantnag police carried out the attachment of a two-story residential house belonging to terror associate Riyaz Ahmad Bhat in the Lohar Senzi Gadole area. The attachment was executed under UAPA after confirmation from competent authority,” the Anantnag police posted on X. — PTI

Go full throttle...

Five jawans and a sub divisional special police officer were injured in the attack. The spate of violence in Jammu commenced on June 9 with a terror attack in Reasi district where nine persons were killed and 33 injured after terrorists opened fire on a bus carrying pilgrims from Shiv Khori Temple to Katra. The bus fell into a deep gorge as a result of the firing and children were among those killed. On Tuesday, one civilian was injured after being hit by a gunshot in Kathua's Hiranagar; later two terrorists and one CRPF jawan were killed in an encounter there. The same night, six security personnel were injured in an encounter with terrorists at Chattergala in Doda district of Jammu. On Wednesday another encounter occurred at Gandoh in Doda. The Congress has demanded explanation on terror attacks in Jammu and asked if the Pir Panjal range, which includes Rajouri and Poonch districts, had become a hotbed of cross-border terrorism over the past two years. “Is it not true that 35 soldiers have been martyred in attacks in these areas alone and the terror is now spreading to the neighbouring Reasi district too?” said Congress leader Pawan Kherra. The Congress-led Opposition is gearing up to raise the issue of security in J&K in the first session of the 18th Lok Sabha commencing from June 24.

Yet another term for Doval; Mishra stays as PS...

launched to take out terrorists holed up in the Golden Temple. Doval continues to be critical to the government amid ongoing LAC tension with China and had earlier worked with then Foreign Secretary S Jaishankar (now External Affairs Minister) to end the 73-day military standoff with China at Doklam. PK Mishra was the

Gujarat CM Modi's Principal Secretary from 2001 to 2004 before he left for a Central deputation in 2004. The powerful officer is known to have aided Modi through the challenge of rebuilding Kutch after the 2001 earthquake that devastated the region and claimed over 20,000 lives. Mishra retired as Union

Agriculture Secretary (2006-2008) during the UPA-I rule. Modi, still the Gujarat CM at the time of Mishra's retirement in 2008, appointed him the Chairman of the Gujarat Electricity Regulatory Commission for five years. When Modi became the PM in 2014, he inducted PK Mishra into the PMO as Additional Principal Secretary,

elevating him to Principal Secretary's position in 2019. Former bureaucrats Amit Khare (1985-batch Jharkhand cadre) and Tarun Kapoor (1987-batch Himachal cadre) have also been retained as advisers to the PM for two years, starting June 10. Khare (62) has earlier served as Union Secretary,

Information and Broadcasting, and Secretary, Higher Education. Kapoor (62) was the Petroleum Secretary. Both appointments have been made in the rank and scale of secretary to the government for two years on contractual basis. The appointments were notified before the PM left for Italy for the G7 summit.

NTA scraps grace marks to 1,563...

obtained by them in the test held on May 5 and the marks obtained by the candidates who appear in the re-test will be considered and their marks obtained in the test held on May 5 will be discarded,” the Bench said, citing the committee's recommendations. NTA counsel Naresh Kaushik said the retest would be held on June 23 and the results would be declared before June 30 so that the

counselling which was to begin from July 6 was not affected. Terming the move to cancel the grace marks as “fair, reasonable and justified”, the Bench allowed the NTA to proceed to hold the retest. Earlier, the top court had refused to stay the counselling process for admissions to MBBS, BDS, AYUSH and other related courses in more than 700 government and private institutions across India

even as it noted that the “sanctity of the examination has been affected” and that it “needs answers” from the NTA. Noting that the issue of compensatory marks stood closed, it posted the petitions, including the one filed by Physics Wallah founder Alakh Pandey for further hearing on July 8 when other petitions on NEET-UG 2024 were scheduled to be taken up.

Agnipath review on cards, but no increase...

for life, is part of the proposal. Since those recruited under the scheme cannot marry, the proposal does not mention the wife as a beneficiary. Under the new proposal, Agniveers who get disabled in line of duty are to be made entitled for full benefits like regular soldiers who get free

medical facilities for life and disability allowance. In December last year, the Parliamentary Standing Committee on Defence chaired by BJP MP Jual Oram recommended that families of Agniveers, name for troops recruited under the scheme, who die in line of

duty be provided the same benefits as given to the families of regular soldiers. The present rules do not have the provision of pension for the family of the Agniveers dying in line of duty. In case a regular soldier gets martyred, his family (wife or parents) gets pension for life.

No paper leak...

that if a nexus is found, no action will be taken.” Earlier, Congress chief Mallikarjun Kharge said it was a case of paper leak and corruption. “Grace marks were not the only problem in the NEET-UG. There has been rigging, papers have been leaked and corruption has taken place. The future of 24 lakh students is at stake due to the actions of Modi government. We demand a fair probe under the supervision of the SC into the scam,” Kharge alleged. On the grant of grace marks, Pradhan said, “There are two sets of question papers for the test. It is informed only on the day of the test whether to use paper A or B. This time, of 4,500 centres, a wrong set of question paper was given in six centres. The mistake was rectified, but it led to a loss of some time. There were 1,563 students there, who moved court.” — TNS

45 Indians among...

Indians injured in the fire and assured them all support. Later, he called on Sheikh Fahad, who conveyed condolences on behalf of the Emir and his instructions to ensure all necessary assistance and support. Singh conveyed PM Modi's greetings to the Emir and thanked the Deputy PM for pro-active facilitation being provided by the Kuwaiti authorities, the Indian mission said. Kuwait has said any building violation would be addressed promptly. Emir Sheikh Meshal Al-Ahmad Al-Jaber al-Sabah had issued directives for the distribution of financial assistance to the families of the deceased, Sheikh Fahad said, without mentioning the quantum of compensation. Additionally, the Emir has ordered the preparation of military aircraft to repatriate the bodies of deceased Indians.

HP's U-turn on water for Delhi draws SC ire

Himachal Additional Advocate General that the state had 137 cusecs of surplus water which would be released, the top court had on June 6 directed that “the State of Himachal Pradesh shall release 137 cusecs available with it from the upstream so that the water reaches Hathnikund Barrage and then reaches Delhi through Wazirabad.” However, when the State of Haryana communicated and requested the State of Himachal Pradesh to inform them about the release of additional 137 cusecs of water as per the top court's order, the Jal Shakti Vibhag of the State of Himachal Pradesh informed the Engineer-in-Chief, Haryana, Irrigation Department on June 6, 2024 that 137 Cusec of unutilised Yamuna water share of Himachal Pradesh was already flowing uninterruptedly from the territory of Himachal Pradesh to Tajewala (Hathnikund Barrage) in Yamuna river. “The officer who has supplied that chart is saying that we have excess water of 137 cusecs and the Additional AG was not properly apprised of the situation. Now, you are issuing a letter that 137 cusecs is already in the pipeline... If you have excess water and you are not supplying that excess water, you are in contempt,” the Bench noted.

When the Bench made a pointed query to Rattan as to the manner in which he would reconcile the statement made before the top court by his Additional Advocate General under instructions of the Engineer-in-Chief and the contents of the communication dated June 6, 2024, the Advocate General said the earlier statement regarding “availability” of surplus or additional water was not correct and that he should be permitted to withdraw that statement. Rattan said in view of the contents of the communication dated June 6, 2024, the State of Himachal Pradesh did not have additional 137 cusecs of water as on date. “You do not understand the repercussions of your statement to cover up the earlier statement... made such a casual statement before the court without understanding the ramifications,” Justice Mishra said. “In view of the statement made by learned Advocate General for the State of Himachal Pradesh before this court today, the very basis of our interim order dated June 6, 2024, does not survive and we have reached to the stage where we were placed on the date of filing of the writ petition,” the Bench said. Finally, it asked the Delhi Government to approach the Upper Yamuna River Board for additional 150 cusecs of water.

HIMACHAL PRADESH JAL SHAKTI VIBHAG
NOTICE INVITING TENDERS
The Executive Engineer Jal Shakti Division Thanakalan, invites tender on behalf of Governor of Himachal Pradesh, from approved eligible contractors for the following work through e-tendering process.

Sr. No.	Name of Work	Estimated Cost	Earnes Money
1.	C/o of Irrigation Scheme from existing RWHS in village Boul and C/o RWHS Mao Khas in GP Mao Minar in Tehsil Bangana Distt Una (HP). (SH- C/o Rain Water Harvesting Structure of height 13.00 mtrs. on Mao Khas Khad in Village Mao Khas).	4,32,85,835/-	4,65,358/-

Cost of Tender document: 2,500/-

Last dated of filling uploading the tender through e-tendering: 19.06.2024 up to 0530 p.m.

The tender form and other detailed conditions can be obtained from the website www.hphiph.org.

Executive Engineer,
Jal Shakti Divn. Thanakalan


DPR/HP/119

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Employment Notice
(Advt. No. 76/2024 to 97/2024)
Bhagat Phool Singh Mahila Vishwavidyalaya (BPSMV) invites applications from the eligible candidates for recruitment on regular Teaching posts i.e. Associate Professor and Professor in its Department/Institutes/Regional Centres & Constituent Colleges/Institutes against sanctioned budgeted vacant posts latest by 01.07.2024 up to 5.00 p.m. in the office of the Deputy Registrar, Establishment (Teaching), BPSMV, Khanpur Kalan (Sonipat), Haryana. Subject-wise and category-wise number of vacant posts along with Advt. Nos., detailed instructions, requisite qualifications, pay scales and modalities for selection are given on the University website www.bpsmv.ac.in.

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TENDER ENQUIRY No. 01/2024-25
Hiring of **One** No. vehicle (Mohindra Bolero Double Cabin/Mohindra Genius Double Cabin/Tata-207/408 Double Cabin or equivalent in price) for the office of AE/DS Sub-Division Dharamkot under the office of Addl. SE (Op), City Division PSPCL Moga for **One Year** (The vehicle should not more than 4 years old).

Last Date & Time for Sale of Tender Doc	27.06.2024, 05.00 p.m.
Last Date & Time for Receipt of Tenders	28.06.2024, 10.00 a.m.
Opening of Tenders	28.06.2024, 11.00 a.m.
Cost of Tender Document	Rs. 1180/-

Detailed NIT/Specification/Terms & Conditions may be downloaded from PSPCL website (www.pspcl.in). Corrigendum, if any, will not be published in newspaper, as such the website may be visited regularly for update.

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GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB
PUNJAB WATER SUPPLY & SEWERAGE BOARD
NIT No.: 27/PWSSB D-2/BT1 Date: 12.06.2024

Executive Engineer, Pb. W/S & Sew. Divn. No. 2, Bathinda on the behalf of Chief Executive Officer, Pb. W/S and Sew. Board Chandigarh invites online bids for the following:-

Sr. No.	Item	Amount in Lacs
1.	Part (A) - Prov. & Laying of RCC NP-3 Pipe with HDPE lining, UPVC pipe sewer, MPS including pumping Machinery, DI K-7 R/M and all others works contingent thereon at Bhagta Bhai Kaas per DNIT (SBM-2.0) Part (B) - Survey, Soil Testing, Design, Supply and Constrn., Commissioning of 3 MLD capacity STP cum 9 Kid FSTP based on Suitable Proven Sustainable Biological technology including other appurtenant works on turnkey basis as per DNIT including O&M for a period of 60 months after stabilization period of 3 months (SBM-2.0)	556.15 Lump Sum
2.	Part (A) :- (As per Sr. No. 1) S&S inside HDPE lining, at Nathana as per DNIT (SBM-2.0) Part (B) :- (As per Sr. No. 1) 1.00 MLD Capacity STP Cum 3 KLD FSTP (SBM-2.0)	1349.38 Lump Sum

Closing Date & Time - 8th Attempt : 08.07.2024 upto 11.00 AM
Opening Date & Time - 8th Attempt : 08.07.2024 up to 03.00 PM
Pre Bid Meeting Date & Time : 21.06.2024 at 11:00 AM
For detailed logon to: <https://eproc.punjab.gov.in>
Note: Any Corrigendum (s), to the Tender/RFP Notice shall be published on the above website only.

Sd/- Executive Engineer,
Pb. W/S & Sew. Divn. No. 2,
Bathinda.

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HIMACHAL PRADESH
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT
e-Procurement Notice
INVITATION FOR BIDS (IFB)

1. The Executive Engineer, Jhandutta Division HPPWD., Jhandutta (H.P.) on behalf of Governor of H.P. invites online bids on percentage rate, in electronic tendering system, in 2 Cover System for the undermentioned work from the eligible and approved contractors/Firms registered with HPPWD.

Sr. No.	Name of Work	Estimated Cost	EMD	Cost of Tender	Time limit
1.	Annual Maintenance Plan for PMGSY (Substitute Kms) for the year 2024-25 on link road Baroha Ser road Km. 0/0 to 10 (SH: Providing and laying 30MM thick (BC) Bituminous Concrete on road).	1108374/-	22200/-	500/-	One Month

2. **Availability of Bid Document and mode of submission:** The bid document is available online and bid should be submitted in online mode on website <https://hptenders.gov.in>. Bidder would be required to register in the website which is free of cost. For submission of bids, the bidder is required to have Digital Signature Certificate (DSC) from one of the authorized Certifying Authorities (CA). Aspiring bidders who have not obtained the user ID and password for participating in e-tendering in HPPWD may obtain the same from the website: <https://hptenders.gov.in>. Digital signature is mandatory to participate in the e-tendering. Bidders already possessing the digital signature issued from authorized as can use the same in this tender.

3. **Key Dates:**

1. Date of Online Publication	12.06.2024, 10:00 Hrs.
2. Document Download Start and End Date	12.06.2024, 10:30 Hrs. up to 20.06.2024, 10:30 Hrs.
3. Bid Submission Start and End Date	12.06.2024, 10:30 Hrs. up to 20.06.2024, 10:30 Hrs.
4. Physical Submission of EMD and Cost of Tender Document.	20.06.2024 up to 10:45 Hrs.
5. Date of Technical Bid opening	20.06.2024, 11:00 Hrs.

4. **TENDER DETAILS:**
The Tender Documents shall be uploaded online in 2 Cover:
Cover 1: shall contain scanned copies of all "Technical Documents/Eligibility Information".
Cover2: shall contain "BoQ/Financial Bid", where contractor will quote his offer for each item.
5. **SUBMISSION OF ORIGINAL DOCUMENTS:** The bidders are required to submit receipt of online payment on account of tender form cost and Earnest money and other Technical Documents in O/o Executive Engineer Jhandutta Division, HPPWD., Jhandutta H.P. as specified in Key Dates Sr. No. 4 on Tender Opening Date, failing which the bids will be declared non-responsive.
6. **BID OPENING DETAILS:** The bids shall be opened on 20.06.2024 at 11:00 Hrs. in the office of Executive Engineer, Jhandutta Division HPPWD., Jhandutta H.P. by the authorised officer. In their interest the tenderer are advised to be present along with original documents at the time of opening of tenders. If the office happens to be closed on the date of opening of the bids as specified, the bids will be opened on the next working day at the same time and venue.
7. The bids for the work shall remain valid for acceptance for a period not less than 75 days after the deadline date for bid submission.
8. Other details can be seen in the bidding documents. The officer inviting tender shall not be held liable for any delays due to system failure beyond its control. Even though the system will attempt to notify the bidders of any bid updates, the Employer shall not be liable for any information not received by the bidder. It is the bidders' responsibility to verify the website for the latest information related to the tender.

On behalf of Governor of Himachal Pradesh
Executive Engineer,
Jhandutta Division,

DPR/HP/44

GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB
Tender Notice for Various Works
Tender Notice Reference No. 22 dt. 12.06.2024
The Department of Punjab Water Supply & Sewerage Board invites online bids for the following :-

Sr. No.	Item	Quantity
1.	Providing Tap Connections to consumers, Extension and Augmentation of Water Supply System at Amloh District Fatehgarh Sahib for Distribution Network. Installation of Tubewell and Construction of 0.5 Lakh Gallon OHSR under AMRUT 2.0 Scheme, Part-I, Phase-I	1

Pre-Bid Meeting : Date : 18.06.2024 at 11:00 AM
Venue of Pre-Bid meeting : Executive Engineer, Punjab Water Supply & Sew. Division No.2, Patiala
Closing Date & Time : up to 08.07.2024 at 3:00 PM
For details logon to : eproc.punjab.gov.in
Note: Any Corrigendum(s) to the Tender Notice shall be published on the above website only.

Sd/-Executive Engineer,
Punjab W/S & Sew. Divn. No. 2,
Patiala.

eeep2.pwssb@punjab.gov.in

DPR/Pb/34499

PUBLIC NOTICE
Recognising Amritsar and Ludhiana Earth Warriors

The Municipal Corporations of Amritsar and Ludhiana proudly invite entries from local residents (individuals or groups) who have made exceptional contributions to environmental protection. If you are someone who has significantly impacted the community through innovative and effective environmental initiatives, we want to recognise your efforts.

Eligibility: Any Amritsar or Ludhiana resident who has worked on saving the environment by participating in activities such as tree plantation, waste management, water conservation, rainwater harvesting, reuse of wastewater, pollution prevention, carbon footprint reduction, conservation of natural resources, wildlife protection, etc.

Process: Please send us a detailed description of your work by post or email to the address given below.
Deadline: June 30, 2024.
Submit to: Punjab Municipal Infrastructure Development Company, Fifth Floor, Punjab Municipal Bhawan, Plot No. 3, Sector 35 A, Chandigarh - 160035, India.
Email: pmu-pmsip@punjab.gov.in
Selected participants will be recognised for their noble acts. Let's celebrate our local heroes for their incredible work to make Amritsar and Ludhiana greener, cleaner cities.

General Manager (Projects)
PMIDC

DPR/Pb/34510

Government of Punjab
Department of Health & Family Welfare
Empanelment Notice


The interested candidate for empanelment at Aam Aadmi Clinic at Patiala may attend the walk-in interview as per below mentioned scheduled in the office of Civil Surgeon of the Distt. Patiala. The empanelment fee is as tabulated below:

Sr. No.	Post Name	Empanelment Fee	Date & Time of Interview
1.	Medical Officer (MBBS)	Rs. 50/- per patient attended with minimum assured guarantee of 50 Patients per day	26.06.2024, 10 a.m. onwards NHM Branch, Block-3

1. Candidates must ensure to bring their original testimonials related to Qualification, Experience, Registration Punjab Medical Council/NMCC, Punjabi up to Matriculation, Age proof etc, and one self attested photocopy of all such documents for submission.
2. Candidates must bring 2 latest passport size photographs at the time of interview.
3. Candidates should have passed subject of Punjabi up to Matric Standard.
4. If any candidate is found not to be fulfilling the eligibility/selection criteria at the time of interview or at any point of time in the entire empanelment process by the screening or selection committee, his/her candidature will be cancelled/rejected for the said empanelment.
5. Candidates will not be paid any T/ADA for attending the above said interview.
6. The number of posts may increase or decrease at any stage of recruitment process.
7. Govt. of Punjab, Department of Health & Family welfare, reserves the right to cancel/amend/change/modify the entire empanelment process at any stage without issuing any notice.

Sd/- Civil Surgeon, Patiala.

DPR/Pb/34521

**H.P. POWER TRANSMISSION CORPORATION LTD.**
(A STATE GOVERNMENT UNDERTAKING)
Regd. Office: Himfed Bhawan, New ISBT Road, Panjari, Shimla - 171005
Ph: 0177-2831283, 2831284 Fax: 0177-2831284
(CIN): U40101HP 2008SGC030950
(GSTIN): 02AACCH1548M1ZP

No. HPPTCL/F&A/Annual Accounts/2023-24- 2455 Dated: 10.6.2024

NOTICE FOR INVITING EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FOR ACTUARIAL VALUATION OF THE LIABILITY ENDING 31ST MARCH, 2024 FOR EARNED LEAVE ENCASHMENT AND RETIREMENT GRATUITY.
HPPTCL needs to do actuarial valuation of the liability ending 31st March 2024 for the earned leave encashment & retirement gratuity in order to comply with the Company Act, 2013 and INDAS 19. In this regard HPPTCL invites EoI from the experienced Actuaries in practice/firms, who are member/registered with the Institute of Actuaries of India, to be engaged for actuarial valuation of liability ending 31st March, 2024 the detail content of EoI i.e. schedule of assignment, terms and conditions are available as per annexure A and B at HPPTCL website at <http://www.hpptcl.com> and can be downloaded.
Interested firms may submit their proposals to Dy. General Manager (Fin.) HPPTCL, Himfed Bhawan, Panjari Shimla (H.P) - 171005 latest by 21st June, 2024 up to 3:00 P.M.

Sd/- Dy. General Manager (Fin.)
HPPTCL, Himfed Bhawan,
Panjari, Shimla (H.P.) - 171005

DPR/HP/44

PM Shri School Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya
Dungrin, Distt. Hamirpur (H.P.)
Phone No. 01972-266035

Tender Notice
"Sealed tenders from registered and reputed suppliers/firms are hereby invited through Registered post only for the supply of Fresh Vegetables & Fruits, Sweets & Bakery items, AMC of Camera, Computer Items & AMC, Stationery-Items, Washing & Ironing of Uniform, Tuck Shop for the **Session 2024-25 (Valid upto 30.04.2025)**. The tender documents along with terms & conditions can be had from the Vidyalaya office on any working day by paying Rs. 300/- (Non refundable) upto **22.06.2024 by 11 AM**. The sealed tenders will be received through **sealed & registered post upto 22.06.2024 (by 04:00 PM)** alongwith the requisite Earnest Money in the shape of Demand Draft in favour of Principal, JNV Dungrin payable at SBI Tarkwari. The Tenders will be opened on **24.06.2024 at 11:30 AM** in the office of the **Principal JNV Dungrin Distt. Hamirpur (H.P.)**. The Tender forms can be also downloaded from our Vidyalaya website: <http://navodaya.gov.in/nvs-school/HAMIRPUR-HP/en/home/index.html>, besides Earnest money, Demand Draft of Rs. 300/- favouring Principal JNV Dungrin payable at SBI Tarkwari must be send alongwith sealed tender. Purchase Advisory Committee reserves the right to accept or reject any or all tenders without assigning any reason. Any Quarry for related of tender please contact in this no. 9816484414, 8059137785, 01972-266035.

GOVERNMENT OF HARYANA
TENDER NOTICE

Sr. No.	NAME OF BOARD/ CORP/ AUTH	NAME OF WORK/NOTICE/ TENDER	OPENING DATE CLOSING DATE (TIME)	AMOUNT/ EMD (APPROX.) in Rupees
1	HARYANA AGRO INDUSTRIES CORPORATION LIMITED	EoI FOR INVITING APPLICATION FROM EXPERIENCED FIRMS/ INDIVIDUALS TO WORK AS INSTITUTIONAL BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CONSULTANT OF HAICL FOR REGION DELHI (NCR), HARYANA, CHD, PANJAB & HP.	STARTS FROM 14.06.2024	EMD 500/-

WEBSITE OF THE BOARD/CORP./AUTH: <http://www.haicl.co.in>
NODAL OFFICER/CONTACT DETAILS/E-MAIL: 0172-2561305
haicpl@gmail.com
FOR FURTHER INFORMATION KINDLY VISIT:
www.haryanaeprocurement.gov.in or www.etenders.hry.nic.in
PRDH/13/2025/40/26742/V3/14

**AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE MARKET COMMITTEE,**
(S&K) Dhalli, Shimla- 171012.
e-mail-apmc.sk@gmail.com

TENDER NOTICE No. APMC/SM/L-(G5-1/2024- Dated: 11.06.2024
NOTICE INVITING TENDER
Sealed tenders are invited by the Secretary, Agricultural Produce Market Committee, (S&K) Dhalli, Shimla in Himachal Pradesh for providing cleaning and sanitation work in various 11 Nos. Market yards as well as 1 No. Kissan Bhawan Dhalli under Agricultural Produce Market Committee, (S&K) Dhalli, Shimla. The tender document, Terms and Conditions and qualifications required can be had from the office of the undersigned, on payment of **Rs. 500/-per tender** by Cash/demand draft be submitted along with tender document in favour of The Secretary, Agricultural Produce Market Committee (S&K) Dhalli, Shimla payable at Shimla. The proposal completes in all respects along with earnest money deposit (EMD) of Rs. 25000/- (Twenty-Five thousand) each only for the work at Sr. No. 1, 4, 7, 12 and Rs.10,000/- (Ten thousand) each for the works at Sr. No. 2, 3, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11 (as mentioned in the tender application form) in the shape of Fixed Deposit Receipt in favor of SECRETARY APMC SHIMLA & KINNAUR SHIMLA- 171012 must be submitted in the office of the undersigned on or before **27.06.2024 till 04.00 PM**.

Sd/- (Dev Raj Kashyap)
Secretary,
Agricultural Produce Market Committee,
(S&K) Dhalli, Shimla- 171012.

DPR/HP/40

HIMACHAL PRADESH
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT
INVITATION FOR BIDS (IFB)

The Executive Engineer, Mandi Division No. II HPPWD Mandi H.P on behalf of Governor of H.P. invites the online bids on percentage rate in electronic tendering system for the following works from the eligible and approved contractors/Firms registered with HPPWD.

Sr. No.	Name of Work	Esti- mated cost	EMD	Cost of tender	Eligible class of contractor	Time limit
1.	A/R and M/O Dhar Kathiyana road Km 0/00 to 0/800 (SH- Providing and laying WBM grade-III for correction layer and 20mm thick premix carpet with seal coat Rds in Km 0/00 to 0/800).	Rs. 10,58,955/-	Rs. 21,200/-	Rs.500	"A to D"	One Month

Starting date for downloading bid:- 13.06.2024.
Deadline for Submission of bid: 20.06.2024, 11.00 A.M.
Date of opening of bid:- 20.06.2024 at 11.30 A.M.
1. The rates beyond the limit of over + 5%, will be rejected and the rates quoted below 10 %, the Additional Performance security will have to borne for unbalanced bid.
2. Only scanned copy of original documents as uploaded on the tender website are required for technical & financial elevation. The original documents shall be required only from the successful bidder before issue of letter of award.
3. The participants should have the work done of similar nature.
4. The interested bidders must have hot mix plant in his/her possessions and material from HMP shall be allowed only.
5. The bidders are advised to note other details of tenders from the department website www.hptenders.gov.in.

Sd/- Executive Engineer,
Mandi Division No. II
HPPWD Mandi.

No.PW-MDII-CB/Tender Misc./on-line/2023- 2425-35 Dated: 11.6.2024 DPR/HP/131

GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, REHABILITATION AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT
(LAND REVENUE-2 BRANCH)
NOTIFICATION
The 29 April, 2024

No. 13/246/2012-LR-2(9)/6129 in pursuance of the directions issued by Hon'ble Punjab and Haryana High Court vide Order dated 20.05.2015 passed in LPA No. 35 of 2012 titled as The Punjab Border Kissan Welfare Society Vs. Union of India and Ors. and on the recommendation of Hon'ble Court as conveyed by Registrar General, High Court of Punjab and Haryana, Chandigarh vide Letter No. 202 Gaz-1/V.I.E.34 dated 25.02.2016, Sh. Darbari Lal, Additional District & Sessions Judge, Tam Taran was appointed to preside over the Special Tribunal Tam Taran for the purpose of determination of questions formulated in order dated 18.03.2015 and order dated 20.05.2015 of Hon'ble High Court and also to decide any other allied relevant or related issue that may arise or raised by the parties. Later on, Sh. Bishan Sarpoo, Additional District & Sessions Judge, Ludhiana and Sh. Kawajit Singh, Additional District & Sessions Judge, Sri Muktsar Sahib have held position as presiding officers of Special Tribunal, Tarn Sahib.
Now, whereas Registrar General, High Court of Punjab and Haryana, Chandigarh has conveyed vide their Letter No. 265 Gaz-1/V.I.Z.18 dated 23.04.2024 that Ms. Pooja Andotra, Additional District & Sessions Judge has been appointed as presiding officer, Special Tribunal, Tam Taran in place of Sh. Kawajit Singh, Additional District & Sessions Judge, (since transferred).
Therefore, in partial modification of Notification No. 13/246/2012-LR-2(9)/5360-84 dated 27.05.2021, Ms. Pooja Andotra, Additional District & Sessions Judge is appointed as Presiding Officer of Special Tribunal, Tam Taran w.e.f. the date the Hon'ble Judge assumed th charge as such.

Chandigarh
Dated: 29.04.2024

K.A.P Sinha
Spl. Chief Secretary and
Financial Commissioner Revenue,
Department of Revenue, Rehabilitation and
Disaster Management.

DPR/Pw/34514

HARYANA STATE POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD
C-11, SECTOR-6, PANCHKULA
Ph- 0172 -2577870-73, Fax No. 2581201
E-mail: hspcbhazardouswaste@gmail.com
NOTICE FOR PUBLIC HEARING

It is for the information of all concerned that M/s The Kaithal Cooperative Sugar Mills Ltd. has proposed a project with respect to Environment Clearance of new Distillery of 120 KLPD capacity consisting of B-Heavy Molasses with provision to use Grain for production of Ethanol along with 3.0 MW cogeneration power plant at Village Narar, Tehsil Kaithal, District-Kaithal, Haryana. The project proponent mentioned above has applied to the Haryana State Pollution Control Board for conducting the Public Hearing for obtaining Environmental Clearance as per EIA notification dated 14th September, 2006 for the proposed project. Accordingly, the Public Hearing for the above said project has been fixed on 18.07.2024 at 11.00 AM at the site.
Copies of executive summary of the project report and EIA study report, submitted by the project proponent, are available in the Head Office of the Board as well as in the following offices, which can be perused during office hours, on any working day:-
1. Deputy Commissioner, Kaithal
2. Regional Officer, Kaithal, Haryana State Pollution Control Board, 2nd floor of SCO 161- P,162, 163, Sector 20, HUDA, Kaithal
3. Chairman Zila Parishad, Kaithal
4. Executive Engineer, Municipal Corporation, Kaithal
5. Joint Director, District Industries Centre, Kaithal
Notice is hereby given to all concerned to file suggestions, views, comments and objections, if any, on the above said proposed project, to the Chairman, Haryana State Pollution Control Board, C-11, Sector-6, Panchkula as well as Regional Officer, Kaithal, Haryana State Pollution Control Board 2 nd floor of SCO 161- P,162,163, Sector 20, HUDA, Kaithal within 30 days of the publication of this notice. Besides, a Public Hearing will also be held on the Date, Time & Venue mentioned above at the proposed site of the project, which can be attended by any person including Environmental Groups, bonafide residents and others, located at the project site/sites of displacement/sites likely to be affected. Oral/Written suggestions, if any can also be made during the Public Hearing.
No T/ADA will be admissible for attending the Public Hearing.

Pardeep Kumar, IAS

ਜਨਤਕ ਨੋਟਿਸ
ਅਮ ਜਨਤਾ ਨੂੰ ਸੂਚਤ ਕੀਤਾ ਜਾਂਦਾ ਹੈ ਕਿ ਬੱਚਾ ਸੁਰਮ @ ਵੱਜੀ ਪੁੰਡਰ ਜਸ ਸਿੰਘ, ਵਾਸੀ ਪਿੰਡ ਵਾਂਦਾ ਜਟਾਣਾ, ਜ਼ਿਲ੍ਹਾ ਫਰੀਦਕੋਟ ਬਾਲ ਭਲਾਈ ਕਮੇਟੀ, ਫਰੀਦਕੋਟ ਦੇ ਹੁਕਮਾਂ ਨਾਲ ਸ੍ਰੀ ਰਾਧਾ ਕ੍ਰਿਸਮ ਧਾਮ ਸਮਿਤੀ ਫਰੀਦਕੋਟ ਵਿਖੇ ਟੈਪਰੇਰੀ ਸੈਲਟਰ ਲਈ ਰਹਿ ਰਿਹਾ ਹੈ। ਜਿਸ ਦੀ ਜੀ.ਡੀ. ਨੰ. (36) ਬਾਣਾ ਸਦਰ, ਫਰੀਦਕੋਟ ਵਿਖੇ ਦਰਜ ਹੈ। ਬੱਚੇ ਸੁਰਮ ਦੀ ਮਾਤਾ ਦੀ ਮੌਤ ਹੋ ਚੁੱਕੀ ਹੈ ਅਤੇ ਪਿਤਾ ਬਚੇ ਕੋਈ ਵੀ ਜਾਣਕਾਰੀ ਨਹੀਂ ਹੈ। ਇਸ ਬੱਚੇ ਦੇ ਮਾਪੇ ਜਾਂ ਰਿਸ਼ਤੇਦਾਰ ਸੂਰਨਾ ਦੇ ਫ਼ਫਣ ਤੋਂ 1 ਮਹੀਨੇ ਦੇ ਅੰਦਰ ਅੰਦਰ ਜ਼ਿਲ੍ਹਾ ਬਾਲ ਸੁਰੱਖਿਆ ਅਫ਼ਸਰ, ਫਰੀਦਕੋਟ ਨਾਲ ਸੰਪਰਕ ਕਰ ਸਕਦੇ ਹਨ। ਅਜਿਹਾ ਨਾ ਹੋਣ ਦੀ ਸੂਰਤ ਵਿਚ ਬੱਚੇ ਦੀ Central Adoption Resource Authority, New Delhi ਦੀਆਂ ਅਭਾਪਸਨ ਰੋਗੂਲੇਸ਼ਨ, 2022 ਦੀਆਂ ਗਾਈਡਲਾਈਨਜ਼ ਅਨੁਸਾਰ ਅਭਾਪਸਨ ਸਬੰਧੀ ਕਾਰਵਾਈ ਸ਼ੁਰੂ ਕਰ ਦਿੱਤੀ ਜਾਵੇਗੀ।
ਸੰਪਰਕ ਕਰਨ ਲਈ :
ਜ਼ਿਲ੍ਹਾ ਬਾਲ ਸੁਰੱਖਿਆ ਅਫ਼ਸਰ,
ਮਹਿਲਾ ਭਵਨ, ਜ਼ਿਲ੍ਹਾ ਪ੍ਰੀਸ਼ਦ ਕੰਪਲੈਕਸ, ਫਰੀਦਕੋਟ।
ਫ਼ੋਨ ਨੰ. 01639-500283, ਮੋਬਾਈਲ ਨੰ. 95308-57464
ਸਹੀ/- ਜ਼ਿਲ੍ਹਾ ਬਾਲ ਸੁਰੱਖਿਆ ਅਫ਼ਸਰ, ਫਰੀਦਕੋਟ।

DPR/Pb/34511

BOOKING OF CCL AND NCL COAL FROM MSMEs and BRICK KILN UNITS FOR THE YEAR 2024-25

PSIEC, State Nodal Agency for the distribution of coal against State Allocation, invites booking for Central Coalfields Ltd. (CCL) and Northern Coalfields Ltd. (NCL) coal, from MSMEs and Brick kilns and Small & Medium units.
Units having annual requirement not more than 10,000 MTs and not having any direct arrangement for getting supply of coal from any subsidiary of Coal India Ltd. are eligible to book the coal.
A party can book any number of wagons of any company i.e. CCL/NCL. Booking Amount is @ ₹ 20,000 per wagon for CCL and NCL coal.
Registration Fee of Rs. 10,000/- (Applicable to new units). Old units are required to submit a copy of already deposited).
Entitlement will be on the basis of capacity assessed by the office of G.M. District industries Centre concerned.
The material will be allotted on 'first come first serve basis' Corporation reserves the right to decide the norms for allotment.
The applications along with required booking amount and registration fee (if applicable) in form of Demand Draft only and other required documents including affidavit and other related documents should reach at Head Office (Raw Material Wing) up to **05.00 P.M. on 03.07.2024**.
The terms and conditions, Proforma of affidavit and authorization are available on our website: www.psiec.punjab.gov.in

MANAGING DIRECTOR,
Punjab Small Industries & Export Corpn. Ltd.
Udhyog Bhawan, 18, Himalaya Marg, Sector 17-A,
Chandigarh.
Phones: 0172-702301-05,
E-mail: info-psiec@punjab.gov.in
Website: psiec.punjab.gov.in

DPR/Pb/34537

Ropeways and Rapid Transport System
Development Corporation HP Limited
(A State Government Undertaking)
US Club, Shimla - 1
Phone No. 0177-2811001, 2811003, 2811004

NOTICE (2nd call)
INVITATION FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI)
The tender is hereby invited by the undersigned on behalf of Governor of H.P. from interested bidders/firms for undertaking Consultancy for preparation of DPR for Ropeway to Aadi Himani Chamunda Temple from Jadrangal Village Distt. Kangra (H.P.) on PPP mode (CEN Standards).

Sr. No.	Name of Work	Tentative Project Cost (Cr.)	EMD (INR) (In Rs.)	Tender Fee (In Rs.)
1	Eoi (Expression of Interest)-cum-Financial Bid for undertaking Consultancy for preparation of DPR for Ropeway to Aadi Himani Chamunda Temple from Jadrangal Village Distt. Kangra (H.P.) on PPP mode (CEN standards).	250 Cr.	5 Lakhs	(10,000 + 18% GST) 11,800/-

Availability of bid document and mode of submission: The Bid document shall be available on website <https://hptenders.gov.in> as per key dates schedule provided as under. The interested bidders may download the Tender document and other instruction from HP Tender website <https://hptenders.gov.in> & www.rtdc.hp.gov.in and submit their bids online.
Key Dates:-

1. Date of online Publication	13-06-2024 up to 06:00 PM
2. Downloading of tender start date & Time	13-06-2024 from 06:00 PM
3. Last date for submission of bid (original authenticated documents to be submitted physically within seven days of submission of bid).	03-07-2024 till 03:00 PM
4. Date & Time of opening of Technical Bids	03-07-2024 at 03:30 PM

Sd/- Deputy General Manager,
Ropeways & Rapid Transport System
Development Corporation, H.P. Ltd.
US, Club, Shimla-1

DPR/HP/48

PUBLIC NOTICE
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (BUILDINGS AND ROADS), HARYANA, CHANDIGARH

Sh. Sukhvinder Singh, peon of Public Works (B&R) Department remained wrongly absent from duty w.e.f. **11.11.2021** to till date. The Charge Sheet issued vide this office memo no. 72787, 72790/Cash dated 09.05.2022 was sent to his address provided by him in this office through registered post as well as emailed him which has been received back with remarks **"No such person in the address"**. Further also, a special messenger has sent to deliver the charge sheet at his permanent home address but there was locked at his home. Thereafter, special messenger had posted (made 'Chaspa') said documents at his house but no reply has been received so far.
In the above charge sheet U/R-7 of HCS (Punishment and Appeal) Rule-2016 vide memo no. 102/Cash dated 21.06.2022, Sh. Gazal Kumar, Executive Engineer in Head Office had been appointed as inquiry officer but he never attended a single hearing before inquiry officer and Inquiry Officer has proved the charges. After that, ex-party proceedings have been initiated against him.
Now, it is not possible to convey inquiry officer report dated **31.01.2023** to him in normal course. Moreover, he has been served a Show Cause Notice dated **28.06.2023** proposing punishment **"Dismissal from Service"** to defend his bid but same has been received back with remarks **"No such person in the address"** and **"Recipient has gone to foreign country"**. Therefore, a public notice had been published in three local Newspapers proposing punishment **"Dismissal from Service"** but Sh. Sukhvinder Singh, peon had not submitted any representation in his defence reply. Consequently, competent authority had dismissed Sh. Sukhvinder Singh, Peon from Govt. Service vide O/o No. 09/Cash dated **08.01.2024**.

Sd/- Joint Director (Admin.)
For Engineer-in-Chief, Haryana,
PW (B&R) Deptt., Chandigarh.

PRDH/1081/11/76/2025/26747/314

DISTRICT HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE SOCIETY, PANIPAT
ADVERTISEMENT NO. 7

District Health & Family Welfare Society, District Panipat invites applications on the prescribed format from the eligible candidate for filling up of the following vacant posts through prescribed selection criteria at the Civil Surgeon Office, Panipat, Haryana under National Health Mission, Haryana purely on contract basis initially up to **31.03.2025** with detail as mentioned below. (Candidate must go through the instructions uploaded on National Health Mission, Haryana website i.e. www.nhmharyana.gov.in before applying). The last date for submission of application form is **27.06.2024 till 4:00 PM** in the Office of Civil Surgeon, Panipat.

Sr. No.	Name, Number and Category of Post	Place of Posting	Eligibility	Remuneration	Date of Document verification
1.	Pharmacist-UPHCC Samalkha-1 (Scheduled Caste-Ex-servicemen)	UPHCC Samalkha	Essential: (i) 10+2 with Science (Physics & Chemistry), Diploma in Pharmacy from Recognized Institute. (ii) Registered as Pharmacist with Haryana Pharmacy Council under Section 31 (a) or 31 (c) or 32 (a) of the Pharmacy Act, 1948 as applicable to Haryana State. Desirable: (i) Computer proficiency with familiarity of Data Management and Commonly used packages like MS Word, Power Point and Excel etc. (ii) Knowledge of Hindi up to Matric Standard.	Rs. 12500/- Twelve Thousand Five Hundred only	04.07.2024 (10:00 AM to 3:00 PM at Office of Civil Surgeon, Panipat)

Sd/- Civil Surgeon
Panipat

Sd/- Dy. Civil Surgeon, NHM
Panipat

Sd/- DPM
Panipat

CLASSIFIEDS

SITUATION VACANT

Applications are invited for the posts of Assistant Professors on purely temporary basis for the Session 2024-25 to teach undergraduate classes in the subjects of English, Punjabi, Hindi, Economics, History, Botany, Zoology, Commerce, Mathematics, Physics, Music (Instrumental), Computer Science & Applications, Physical Education, Environment Science and Table Instructor. Qualification and other conditions as per Panjab University/ UGC/ Pb. Govt. norms. Application form is available at www.davcollegemalout.com. The complete application along with Rs. 250/- in cash/online payment in favour of Principal, DAV College, Malout must reach the office within 21 days of advertisement. Offg. Principal. (CL24023969)

R.R.M.K Arya Mahila Mahavidyalaya, Pathankot. Invites applications for the posts of Lecturers purely on temporary basis till the dispersal of classes for the session 2024-2025. Qualifications as per GNDU/ Pb. Govt. norms. Reservation exists as per rules. Full time English, Punjabi, Computer Science, Fashion Designing, Home Science, Maths, Cosmetology, Physical Education, Commerce, Political Science, Physics, Chemistry, Education, Librarian, Part time Economics, Political Science, Sociology, Philosophy, History, Hindi and Punjabi, also required Library Restorer, Clerk, Lab attendant, Table Player, Chowkidar, Sweeper and Peon. Apply within 15 days through registered post. Principal (CL24024048)

RRMK Arya Mahila Mahavidyalaya Pathankot invites online applications for the post of Assistant Professors in Zoology, Botany, Psychology, Geography, Hospital Management, Medical Lab Technology, Radio Jockeying English, Hindi & Lab Technician on contractual basis <http://www.rrmkaryacollege.org/News%20event%20Page.aspx?newsid=33>. Qualification and Grade as per UGC NCTE Panjab Govt. GNDU norms. Reservation Policy will be as per Panjab Govt. rules. Candidates must submit online application within 15 days from the date of publication of advertisement. Candidates must fill up the Score Card Proforma (as per annexure-II). (CL24024055)

TEACHERS
CBSE affiliated school wants PGT teachers of Physics, Chemistry, English and Commerce. Attractive salary 35k to 50k and free accommodation. Interested candidates can send their resume on kumarnk9296@gmail.com. (CL24023974)

PUBLIC NOTICES
I, Ravinder Jeet Kaur D/o Amar Singh Dhiloin and W/o J.S. Sandhu R/o # 1333, Sector 18-C, Chandigarh, have changed my name to Ravi Sandhu. (CL24023981)
I, Babita W/o Rajesh Rana resident of H.No. 15, Ravindra Nagar Extension Near Cheema Chowk Jalandhar 144003 have changed my name from Babita to Babita Rani. (CL24023999)
I, Manjit Kaur w/o Ravi Pal r/o Vill. Bhikha Nangal, PO Dialpur, Distt Jalandhar 144803, Punjab India, have changed my name Manjit Kaur to Kaur Manjit. (CL24024129)
I, Manjit Kaur w/o Ravi Pal r/o Vill. Bhikha Nangal, PO Dialpur, Distt Jalandhar 144803, Punjab India, have changed my minor son's name Arshdeep Singh to Singh Arshdeep. (CL24024130)
I, Manjit Kaur W/o Ravi Pal R/o Vill. Bhikha Nangal, PO Dialpur, Distt. Jalandhar 144803, Punjab, India, have changed my minor son's name Navdeep Singh to Singh Navdeep. (CL24024131)
I, Ram Chander Tharu s/o Sidh Prasad Tharu r/o # 1287, Phase 2, Ramdarbar, Chandigarh 160002 have changed my minor son's name from Aryan to Aryan Tharu. (CL24023853)
We, Pritpal Singh S/o Lakhbir Singh and Balwinder Kaur W/o Pritpal Singh R/o 4885, Gali No. 1, Mohan Nagar, Sultanwind Road Amritsar do hereby disown & disinherit our daughter-in-law Gunveen Kaur Kohli W/o our deceased son Navjinder Singh from all our movable and immovable properties. (CL24023893)

I, Gulzar Singh Virk S/o Davinder Singh Virk R/o H. No. 661, Sector 13, Extn. Urban Estate Kamal inform that in my passport number Z2881347 (expired on 14.4.24) name of my Mother is entered as Lakhbir Kaur whereas her correct name is Lakhbir Kaur Virk. Concerned note. (CL24023982)
I, Gulzar Singh Virk S/o Davinder Singh Virk R/o H. No. 661, Sector 13 Extn. Urban Estate Kamal inform that in my passport number Z2881347 (expired on 14.4.24) name of my wife is entered as Sarvjeet Kaur whereas her correct name is Sarvjeet Kaur Virk. Concerned note. (CL24023984)
I, 15214915N Hav. Vinod Kumar s/o Shri Raju s/o Sh. Makoda Ram 15 Field Regiment c/o 56 APO, village Kathari, PO Bohali, Tehsil and District Solan HP, declare that in my Army service records my Father's name entered as Raj Kumar and Date of birth 1.7.1961 but my father's correct name is Raju and date of birth 1.1.1960. All concerns note. (CL24024084)
I, Rajni Gumber w/o Sandeep Puniani resident 633/23, DLF Colony, Rohatk, have changed my name to Rajni. (CL24024137)
I, Nand Kishore s/o Sh. Sangat Ram and Hansi Devi r/o House No. 204-EB Block, Nangal Township, Tehsil Nangal, Distt. Rupnagar, Punjab, India have changed my name Nand Kishore to Nand Kishore Raturi. (CL24024138)
I, Usha Sibal W/o Late. Anil Sibal R/o House No. C-55, 2nd floor, Ram Prastha Chander Nagar, Gaziaabad (U.P.) declare that my son Ayush Sibal and his wife Deepika are out of my control. I therefore disown and debar them from all my moveable / immovable property. I will not be responsible and liable for any of their activities. (CL24024152)
I, Chaman Lal S/o Lachman Dass R/o House No. 31, The Highland Society, Baltana, Zirakpur, SAS Nagar, Mohali Punjab, have changed my name from Chaman Lal to Chaman Lal Shamma. (CL24024214)
I, Service No. 13743680L, Rank Ex-Hav/ Hony. Naib Sub. Krishan Singh son of Gaiinda Ram, village Bhadela, PO Har, Tehsil Jawali, District Kangra (HP) declare that my daughter's name and birth date in my army record have wrongly entered Sumna Devi and 12.11.1982 whereas her correct name/ birth date are Suman Kumari/ 15.11.1982. Concerned note. (CL24024217)

TENDER NOTICE
YPS Mohali desires to invite quotations for purchase of IT equipment and software. Interested vendors to send proposals to Director, Yadavinda Public School, Mohali in sealed envelopes within 04 days from the date of advertisement. Director reserves the right to reject any or all quotations without assigning any reason Director. (CL24024146)

COURT NOTICE
In the Court of Ms. Shampy Chaudhary, PCS, Addl. Civil Judge (Sr. Divin), Jaitu. Case No. - 187/27.10.2021 Pending:- 12.09.2024 Nature: Recovery
CNR No: PBFDAA00002302021
CIS No:- CS/187/2021
Prem Kumar
Versus
M/s DM and Sons
Prem Kumar aged about 75 years son of Muni Lal R/o Jain Mandir Street, W. No. 13, Jaitu, Tehsil Jaitu, District Faridkot. M. No. 94642-59776. ...Plaintiff
Versus
Defendant 1- M/s DM and Sons, Panchayati Gausahla Road, Near Lion Eye Care Centre, Jaitu, Teh. Jaitu, Distt. Faridkot through its Proprietor/ Authorized Signatory/ Incharge/ Responsible person Manju Mittal W/o Deepak Mittal S/o Subhsh Kumar
Defendant 2- Manju Mittal W/o Deepak Mittal S/o Subhsh Kumar Proprietor/ Authorized Signatory/ Incharge/ Responsible person of M/s DM and Sons, Panchayati Gausahla Road, Near Lion Eye Care Centre, Jaitu, Teh. Jaitu, Distt. Faridkot
Defendant 3- Manju Mittal W/o Deepak Mittal S/o Subhsh Kumar Proprietor/ Authorized Signatory/ Incharge/ Responsible person of M/s DM and Sons, Bishnandi Bazar, Jaitu, Teh. Jaitu, Distt. Faridkot ...Defendants
Whereas it has been proved to the satisfaction of the Court that the above noted Defendants cannot be served in the ordinary way of service. Hence this publication is hereby issued against him and he should appear personally or through his counsel on 12.09.2024 at 10:00 a.m. failing which exparte proceedings shall be taken against him.
Given under my hand and seal of the Court on 11.06.2024.
Sd/- Addl. Civil Judge (Sr. Divin), Jaitu.

COURT NOTICES
(U/O 5 Rule 20 CPC)
In the Court of Ms. Vineeta Luthra Additional Civil Judge (Senior Division), Dera Bassi Canam Bank (Regd. Office- 112, JC Road, Bangalore - 560002) Versus
M/s Vaibhav Lakmi Spun Pipes CNR No.: PBSAB0-001015-2022
CIS No. CS/811/2022
Date of Registration: 08.08.2022
Next Date: 01.07.2024
Suit for recovery (Under Order XXXVII of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908) of Rs. 15,56,794/- upto 30.06.2022 with future interest and costs.
Publication issued to:
1. M/s Vaibhav Lakmi Spun Pipes (Partnership Firm) through its Partners at 622, Ward No. 11, Gurunanak Pura, Derabassi - 140506, 2. Gurpreet Singh s/o Ramesh Kumar r/o H.No. 921, Ward No. 4, Derabassi - 140506, 3. Raman Deep s/o Balbir Dutt r/o H.No. 388, AKS-2 Colony, Zirakpur - 140603.
In above titled case, the defendant(s)/respondent(s) could not be served. It is ordered that defendant(s)/ respondent(s) should appear in person or through counsel on 01.07.2024 at 10.00 a.m.
For details login to https://highcourtchd.gov.in/?trs=distnict_notice&district=sasanagar
Dated, this day of 24.05.2024.
Sd/- Ms. Vineeta Luthra Additional Civil Judge (Senior Division), Derabassi. CL24024029

(U/O 5 Rule 20 CPC)
In the Court of Ekta Sahota Additional Civil Judge (Senior Division), Nakodar State Bank of India Versus
Resham Singh CNR No.: PBJLA0-000125-2022
Next Date: 10.07.2024
Purpose: Appearance
Publication issued to:
1. Ranjodh Singh s/o Late Resham Singh s/o Labh Singh s/o Surain Singh, 2. Paramjit Kaur d/o Late Resham Singh s/o Labh Singh s/o Surain Singh, 3. Jagroop Kaur d/o Late Resham Singh s/o Labh Singh s/o Surain Singh, all residents of Village Kang Kalan, P.O. Kang Khurd, Tehsil Lohian Khas, Distt. Jalandhar.
In above titled case, the defendant(s)/respondent(s) could not be served. It is ordered that defendant(s)/ respondent(s) should appear in person or through counsel on 10.07.2024 at 10.00 a.m.
For details login to https://highcourtchd.gov.in/?trs=distnict_notice&district=jalandhar
Dated, this day of 03.06.2024.
Sd/- Additional Civil Judge (Senior Division), Nakodar CL24024062

(U/O 5 Rule 20 CPC)
In the Court of Sh. Reetbrinder Singh Dhaliwal, Civil Judge (Junior Division)-13, Jalandhar
Surinder Singh Parmar Versus
Major Hamohinder Singh CNR No. PBJL02-002408-2024
Next Date: 31.07.2024
Suit for grant of decree of permanent Injunction as prayed for
Publication issued to:
Maninder Kaur: Sukhdev Singh R/o 78 Guru Teg Bahadur Nagar Jalandhar.
In above titled case, the defendant(s)/respondent(s) could not be served. It is ordered that defendant(s)/ respondent(s) should appear in person or through counsel on 31.07.2024 at 10:00 a.m.
For details login to https://highcourtchd.gov.in/?trs=distnict_notice&district=jalandhar
Dated, this day of 11.06.2024.
Sd/- Civil Judge (Junior Division)-13 CL24024065 Jalandhar.

(U/O 5 Rule 20 CPC)
In the Court of Sh. Varun Deep Chopra Civil Judge (Junior Division)-2, Jalandhar.
State Bank of India Vs.
Aditya Kumar
Suit for grant of decree for recovery of Rs. _ alongwith interest as prayed for.
CNR No. PBJL02-003607-2023
Next Date: 23.07.2024
Publication issued to:
Aditya Kumar :- Ashok Gupta Vill. Dhanjialapur, P.O. Gauriganj, Distt. Amethi, U.P.
In above titled case, the defendant(s)/respondent(s) could not be served. It is ordered that defendant(s)/ respondent(s) should appear in person or through counsel on 23.07.2024 at 10:00 a.m.
For details login to https://highcourtchd.gov.in/?trs=distnict_notice&district=jalandhar
Dated, this day of 05.06.2024
Sd/- Civil Judge (Junior Division)-2, CL24024068 Jalandhar.

COURT NOTICES
(U/O 5 Rule 20 CPC)
In the Court of Sh. Sarabjit Singh Dhaliwal District and Sessions Judge, Moga.
Improvement Trust Vs.
Amarjeet Singh CNR No.: PBMO01-000201-2024
Next Date: 12.07.2024
Publication issued to:
Amarjeet Singh S/o Sadhu Singh R/o Dutt Road, Moga, Tehsil and District Moga.
In above titled case, the defendant(s)/respondent(s) could not be served. It is ordered that defendant(s)/ respondent(s) should appear in person or through counsel on 12.07.2024 at 10:00 a.m.
For details login to: https://highcourtchd.gov.in/?mod=distnict_notice&district=mogacourt
Dated, this day of 04.06.2024.
Sd/- District and Sessions Judge, CL24024072 Moga.

(U/O 5 Rule 20 CPC)
In the Court of Gaurav Kumar Sharma Civil Judge (Jr. Division), Phillaur
Rachna d/o Husan Lal r/o Mohalla Falai Wala, Nurmahal, Tehsil Phillaur, District Jalandhar Vs.
Baljinder Singh s/o Darshan Singh r/o House No. 3057, Rani Wala Khooth, Agwar Ladhai, Jagraon, Ludhiana CS/273/2023 CNR No. PBJLB0-000418-2023
Next Date: 18.07.2024
Publication issued to:
General Public
In above titled case, the defendant(s)/respondent(s) could not be served. It is ordered that defendant(s)/ respondent(s) should appear in person or through counsel on 18.07.2024 at 10.00 a.m.
For details login to https://highcourtchd.gov.in/?trs=distnict_notice&district=jalandhar
Dated, this day of 06.06.2024.
Sd/- Civil Judge (Junior Division), Phillaur CL24024077

(U/O 5 Rule 20 CPC)
In the Court of Ms. Paramjit Kaur Principal Judge Family Court, F2, Ajnala CNR No. PBASF2-000232-2023
Next Date: 12.07.2024
Arshpreet Saini age 24 years w/o Rashpal Singh d/o Anil Kumar r/o Village Talwandi Nahar, Chak Sikander, Tehsil Ajnala and District Amritsar, Punjab, India, at present R/o 11, Pemvroke Road, Erith, London, England - DA8 1BN. Through special Power of Attorney Holder Daljeet Kaur w/o Anil Kumar, Village Talwandi Nahar, Chak Sikander, Tehsil Ajnala and District Amritsar Vs.
Rashpal Singh Petition Under Section 13 of Hindu Marriage Act for dissolution of Marriage by Decree of divorce.
Notice to:
Rashpal Singh s/o Satnam Singh r/o Village VPO Wadala Kalan, Tehsil Baba Bakala and District Amritsar.
In the above titled petition, the respondent could not be served. It is ordered that respondent should appear in person or through counsel on 12.07.2024 at 10.00 a.m.
For details login to https://highcourtchd.gov.in/?trs=distnict_notice&district=amritsar
Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 31.05.2024.
Sd/- (Paramjit Kaur) Principal Judge Family Court, CL24024081 F2, Ajnala.

(U/O 5 Rule 20 CPC)
In the Court of Sh. Gurdev Singh Civil Judge (Junior Division), Ludhiana
Punjab and Sind Bank Vs.
M/s Super Fuel Injection Spares CNR No. PBLD02-000388-2022
Next Date: 12.07.2024
Publication issued to:
1. M/s Fuel Injection Spares #2133, Durga Puri Haibowal Kalan Ludhiana through its Prop. Sh. Jagir Singh
3. Harbans Singh s/o Makhan Singh c/o M/s H.S Industries #1311, Azad Nagar, Ludhiana.
In above titled case, the defendant(s)/respondent(s) could not be served. It is ordered that defendant(s)/ respondent(s) should appear in person or through counsel on 12.07.2024 at 10:00 a.m.
For details login to https://highcourtchd.gov.in/?trs=distnict_notice&district=ludhiana
Dated, this day of 15.05.2024
Sd/- Civil Judge (Junior Division) CL24024085 Ludhiana.

(U/O 5 Rule 20 CPC)
In the Court of Sh. Yukt Goyal Additional Principal Judge Family Court, Ludhiana
Yatin Kalra Versus
Tatiana Gaviaia CNR No.: PBLD01-013106-2023
Next Date: 15.07.2024
Publication issued to:
Tatiana Gaviaia:- Jose Rivera r/o 318, Chestnut Avenue, Pleasant Ville N3 08232, United States America
In above titled case, the defendant(s)/respondent(s) could not be served. It is ordered that defendant(s)/ respondent(s) should appear in person or through counsel on 15.07.2024 at 10.00 a.m.
For details login to https://highcourtchd.gov.in/?trs=distnict_notice&district=ludhiana
Dated, this day of 22.05.2024.
Sd/- Additional Principal Judge Family Court, CL24024171 Ludhiana.

(U/O 5 Rule 20 CPC)
In the Court of Ms. Pavleen Singh Additional Civil Judge (Senior Division), Samrala Punjab and Sind Bank Vs.
Manjit Kaur CNR No. PBLDC0-000565-2022
Next Date:- 10.07.2024
Notice to:
1. Manvir Singh son of Sh. Jasvir Singh son of Sh. Charan Singh 3. Jasdeep Kaur daughter of Sh. Jasvir Singh son of Sh. Charan Singh both resident of village Sultanpur, Tehsil Samrala, District Ludhiana.
In above titled case, the defendant(s)/respondent(s) could not be served. It is ordered that defendant(s)/ respondent(s) should appear in person or through counsel on 10.07.2024 at 10:00 a.m.
For details login to https://highcourtchd.gov.in/?trs=distnict_notice&district=ludhiana
Dated, this day of 04.06.2024.
Sd/- Additional Civil Judge (Senior Division), CL24024098 Samrala

(U/O 5 Rule 20 CPC)
In the Court of Anil Kumar Civil Judge (Junior Division), Faridabad CNR No. HRFB02-003463-2018
Next Date: 12.07.2024
Manoj Chopra, Address- H.No. 884, Sec- 15, Faridabad, Advocate-Vishvender Atti
Respondent and Advocate
1) Interjeet Singh, Address- H.No. 34, Sec- 15, Faridabad, 2) Neeraj Properties, Presently working in the House No. 34, Sec-15, Faridabad. That the plaintiff has filed the present suit by impleading Neeraj Properties as Defendant No. 2 for passing a decree of permanent injunction be passed in favour of the plaintiff and against the defendants, restraining the defendants in collusion with each other not to construction the complete work over the suit property illegally and forcibly till settle the disputed amount regarding the construction done by the plaintiff.
Notice to: Neeraj Properties: Presently working in the House No. 34, Sec- 15, Faridabad.
In above titled case, the defendant(s)/respondent(s) could not be served. It is ordered that defendant(s)/ respondent(s) should appear in person or through counsel on 12.07.2024 at 10:00 a.m.
For details login to https://highcourtchd.gov.in/?trs=distnict_notice&district=faridabad
Dated, this day of 14.05.2024.
Sd/- Anil Kumar Civil Judge (Junior Division), CL24024143 Faridabad.

(U/O 5 Rule 20 CPC)
In the Court of Sh. Yukt Goyal Additional Principal Judge Family Court, Ludhiana
Yatin Kalra Versus
Tatiana Gaviaia CNR No.: PBLD01-013106-2023
Next Date: 15.07.2024
Publication issued to:
Tatiana Gaviaia:- Jose Rivera r/o 318, Chestnut Avenue, Pleasant Ville N3 08232, United States America
In above titled case, the defendant(s)/respondent(s) could not be served. It is ordered that defendant(s)/ respondent(s) should appear in person or through counsel on 15.07.2024 at 10.00 a.m.
For details login to https://highcourtchd.gov.in/?trs=distnict_notice&district=ludhiana
Dated, this day of 22.05.2024.
Sd/- Additional Principal Judge Family Court, CL24024171 Ludhiana.

(U/O 5 Rule 20 CPC)
In the Court of Sh. Vijay Kumar Principal Judge Family Court, Fatehgarh Sahib
Kamalpreet Singh son of Sh. Palwinder Singh r/o Village Rampur Landialli, Tehsil Bassi Pathana, Distt. Fatehgarh Sahib Versus
Neelkamal Kaur wife of Sh. Kamalpreet Singh and daughter of Sh. Rana Singh r/o Bramlea and Bovaird 41 Asterwind Crescent Brampton Ontario Canada
CC No. DMC/250/2023
D.O.I.: 11.08.2023
CNR No: PBF001-003265-2023
Next Date: 11.07.2024
Publication issued to:
Neelkamal Kaur:- Kamalpreet Singh daughter of Sh. Rana Singh resident of Bramlea and Bovaird 41 Asterwind Crescent Brampton Ontario Canada.
In above titled case, the defendant(s)/ respondent(s) could not be served. It is ordered that defendant(s)/ respondent(s) should appear in person or through counsel on 11.07.2024 at 10.00 a.m.
For details login to https://highcourtchd.gov.in/?trs=distnict_notice&district=fatehgarhsahib
Dated, this day of 24.04.2024.
Sd/- Principal Judge Family Court, CL24024091 Fatehgarh Sahib.

(U/O 5 Rule 20 CPC)
In the Court of Sh. Sarabjit Singh Dhaliwal District and Sessions Judge, Moga.
Improvement Trust Vs.
Amarjeet Singh CNR No.: PBMO01-000201-2024
Next Date: 12.07.2024
Publication issued to:
Amarjeet Singh S/o Sadhu Singh R/o Dutt Road, Moga, Tehsil and District Moga.
In above titled case, the defendant(s)/respondent(s) could not be served. It is ordered that defendant(s)/ respondent(s) should appear in person or through counsel on 12.07.2024 at 10:00 a.m.
For details login to: https://highcourtchd.gov.in/?mod=distnict_notice&district=mogacourt
Dated, this day of 04.06.2024.
Sd/- District and Sessions Judge, CL24024072 Moga.

(U/O 5 Rule 20 CPC)
In the Court of Gaurav Kumar Sharma Civil Judge (Jr. Division), Phillaur
Rachna d/o Husan Lal r/o Mohalla Falai Wala, Nurmahal, Tehsil Phillaur, District Jalandhar Vs.
Baljinder Singh s/o Darshan Singh r/o House No. 3057, Rani Wala Khooth, Agwar Ladhai, Jagraon, Ludhiana CS/273/2023 CNR No. PBJLB0-000418-2023
Next Date: 18.07.2024
Publication issued to:
General Public
In above titled case, the defendant(s)/respondent(s) could not be served. It is ordered that defendant(s)/ respondent(s) should appear in person or through counsel on 18.07.2024 at 10.00 a.m.
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Dated, this day of 06.06.2024.
Sd/- Civil Judge (Junior Division), Phillaur CL24024077

(U/O 5 Rule 20 CPC)
In the Court of Ms. Paramjit Kaur Principal Judge Family Court, F2, Ajnala CNR No. PBASF2-000232-2023
Next Date: 12.07.2024
Arshpreet Saini age 24 years w/o Rashpal Singh d/o Anil Kumar r/o Village Talwandi Nahar, Chak Sikander, Tehsil Ajnala and District Amritsar, Punjab, India, at present R/o 11, Pemvroke Road, Erith, London, England - DA8 1BN. Through special Power of Attorney Holder Daljeet Kaur w/o Anil Kumar, Village Talwandi Nahar, Chak Sikander, Tehsil Ajnala and District Amritsar Vs.
Rashpal Singh Petition Under Section 13 of Hindu Marriage Act for dissolution of Marriage by Decree of divorce.
Notice to:
Rashpal Singh s/o Satnam Singh r/o Village VPO Wadala Kalan, Tehsil Baba Bakala and District Amritsar.
In the above titled petition, the respondent could not be served. It is ordered that respondent should appear in person or through counsel on 12.07.2024 at 10.00 a.m.
For details login to https://highcourtchd.gov.in/?trs=distnict_notice&district=amritsar
Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 31.05.2024.
Sd/- (Paramjit Kaur) Principal Judge Family Court, CL24024081 F2, Ajnala.

(U/O 5 Rule 20 CPC)
In the Court of Sh. Gurdev Singh Civil Judge (Junior Division), Ludhiana
Punjab and Sind Bank Vs.
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In above titled case, the defendant(s)/respondent(s) could not be served. It is ordered that defendant(s)/ respondent(s) should appear in person or through counsel on 12.07.2024 at 10:00 a.m.
For details login to https://highcourtchd.gov.in/?trs=distnict_notice&district=ludhiana
Dated, this day of 15.05.2024
Sd/- Civil Judge (Junior Division) CL24024085 Ludhiana.

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In the Court of Sh. Sarabjit Singh Dhaliwal District and Sessions Judge, Moga.
Improvement Trust Vs.
Amarjeet Singh CNR No.: PBMO01-000201-2024
Next Date: 12.07.2024
Publication issued to:
Amarjeet Singh S/o Sadhu Singh R/o Dutt Road, Moga, Tehsil and District Moga.
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For details login to: https://highcourtchd.gov.in/?mod=distnict_notice&district=mogacourt
Dated, this day of 04.06.2024.
Sd/- District and Sessions Judge, CL24024072 Moga.

(U/O 5 Rule 20 CPC)
In the Court of Gaurav Kumar Sharma Civil Judge (Jr. Division), Phillaur
Rachna d/o Husan Lal r/o Mohalla Falai Wala, Nurmahal, Tehsil Phillaur, District Jalandhar Vs.
Baljinder Singh s/o Darshan Singh r/o House No. 3057, Rani Wala Khooth, Agwar Ladhai, Jagraon, Ludhiana CS/273/2023 CNR No. PBJLB0-000418-2023
Next Date: 18.07.2024
Publication issued to:
General Public
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Dated, this day of 06.06.2024.
Sd/- Civil Judge (Junior Division), Phillaur CL24024077

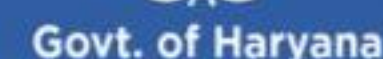
(U/O 5 Rule 20 CPC)
In the Court of Ms. Paramjit Kaur Principal Judge Family Court, F2, Ajnala CNR No. PBASF2-000232-2023
Next Date: 12.07.2024
Arshpreet Saini age 24 years w/o Rashpal Singh d/o Anil Kumar r/o Village Talwandi Nahar, Chak Sikander, Tehsil Ajnala and District Amritsar, Punjab, India, at present R/o 11, Pemvroke Road, Erith, London, England - DA8 1BN. Through special Power of Attorney Holder Daljeet Kaur w/o Anil Kumar, Village Talwandi Nahar, Chak Sikander, Tehsil Ajnala and District Amritsar Vs.
Rashpal Singh Petition Under Section 13 of Hindu Marriage Act for dissolution of Marriage by Decree of divorce.
Notice to:
Rashpal Singh s/o Satnam Singh r/o Village VPO Wadala Kalan, Tehsil Baba Bakala and District Amritsar.
In the above titled petition, the respondent could not be served. It is ordered that respondent should appear in person or through counsel on 12.07.2024 at 10.00 a.m.
For details login to https://highcourtchd.gov.in/?trs=distnict_notice&district=amritsar
Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 31.05.2024.
Sd/- (Paramjit Kaur) Principal Judge Family Court, CL24024081 F2, Ajnala.

(U/O 5 Rule 20 CPC)
In the Court of Sh. Gurdev Singh Civil Judge (Junior Division), Ludhiana
Punjab and Sind Bank Vs.
M/s Super Fuel Injection Spares CNR No. PBLD02-000388-2022
Next Date: 12.07.2024
Publication issued to:
1. M/s Fuel Injection Spares #2133, Durga Puri Haibowal Kalan Ludhiana through its Prop. Sh. Jagir Singh
3. Harbans Singh s/o Makhan Singh c/o M/s H.S Industries #1311, Azad Nagar, Ludhiana.
In above titled case, the defendant(s)/respondent(s) could not be served. It is ordered that defendant(s)/ respondent(s) should appear in person or through counsel on 12.07.2024 at 10:00 a.m.
For details login to https://highcourtchd.gov.in/?trs=distnict_notice&district=ludhiana
Dated, this day of 15.05.2024
Sd/- Civil Judge (Junior Division) CL24024085 Ludhiana.

(U/O 5 Rule 20 CPC)
In the Court of Sh. Yukt Goyal Additional Principal Judge Family Court, Ludhiana
Yatin Kalra Versus
Tatiana Gaviaia CNR No.: PBLD01-013106-2023
Next Date: 15.07.2024
Publication issued to:
Tatiana Gaviaia:- Jose Rivera r/o 318, Chestnut Avenue, Pleasant Ville N3 08232, United States America
In above titled case, the defendant(s)/respondent(s) could not be served. It is ordered that defendant(s)/ respondent(s) should appear in person or through counsel on 15.07.2024 at 10.00 a.m.
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Dated, this day of 22.05.2024.
Sd/- Additional Principal Judge Family Court, CL24024171 Ludhiana.

(U/O 5 Rule 20 CPC)
In the Court of Sh. Vijay Kumar Principal Judge Family Court, Fatehgarh Sahib
Kamalpreet Singh son of Sh. Palwinder Singh r/o Village Rampur Landialli, Tehsil Bassi Pathana, Distt. Fatehgarh Sahib Versus
Neelkamal Kaur wife of Sh. Kamalpreet Singh and daughter of Sh. Rana Singh r/o Bramlea and Bovaird 41 Asterwind Crescent Brampton Ontario Canada
CC No. DMC/250/2023
D.O.I.: 11.08.2023
CNR No: PBF001-003265-2023
Next Date: 11.07.2024
Publication issued to:
Neelkamal Kaur:- Kamalpreet Singh daughter of Sh. Rana Singh resident of Bramlea and Bovaird 41 Asterwind Crescent Brampton Ontario Canada.
In above titled case, the defendant(s)/ respondent(s) could not be served. It is ordered that defendant(s)/ respondent(s) should appear in person or through counsel on 11.07.2024 at 10.00 a.m.
For details login to https://highcourtchd.gov.in/?trs=distnict_notice&district=fatehgarhsahib
Dated, this day of 24.04.2024.
Sd/- Principal Judge Family Court, CL24024091 Fatehgarh Sahib.

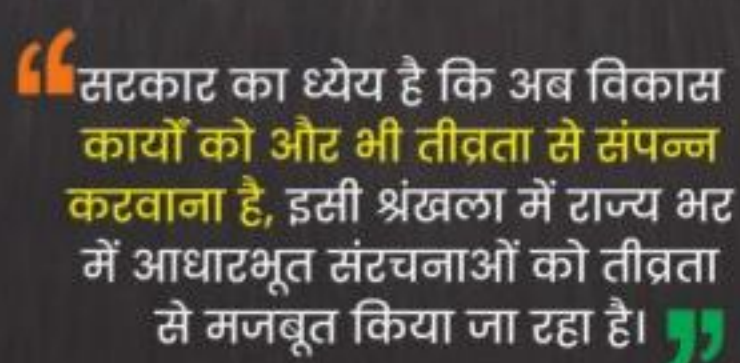
(U/O 5 Rule 20 CPC)
In the Court of Ms. Pavleen Singh Additional Civil Judge (Senior Division), Samrala Punjab and Sind Bank Vs.
Manjit Kaur CNR No. PBLDC0-000565-2022
Next Date:- 10.07.2024
Notice to:
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BJP's Khandu sworn in as Arunachal CM

ITANAGAR, JUNE 13
BJP leader Pema Khandu took oath as the Chief Minister of Arunachal Pradesh for the third consecutive term on Thursday. Khandu, who was re-elected unopposed from the Mukto constituency in the border district of Tawang, was sworn in by Governor KT Parnaik in the presence of Union Home Minister Amit Shah, BJP president JP Nadra, Assam CM Himanta Biswa Sarma and Sikkim Chief Minister Prem Singh Tamang, among others.

Eleven other MLAs were also sworn in as ministers at the function held at Dorjee Khandu State Convention Centre. Among them were Deputy CM Chowna Mein, former Assembly Speaker PD Sona, BJP state president



Says will focus on fulfilling pre-poll promises

3RD STRAIGHT TERM

- BJP leader Pema Khandu took oath as the Chief Minister of Arunachal Pradesh for the third consecutive term
- The saffron party returned to power in the state, winning 46 of 60 Assembly seats

<< Arunachal Pradesh CM Pema Khandu after the swearing-in ceremony in Itanagar. PTI

Biyuram Wahge, and Dasanglu Pul, widow of former CM Kalikho Pul.

While Dasanglu Pul is the lone woman minister, the new cabinet has eight fresh faces. The portfolios would be allocated later in the day, follow-

ing which the first Cabinet meeting of the new government would be held, officials said. The BJP returned to power in this northeastern state for the third time in a row, winning 46 seats including, ten unopposed, in the 60-

member Assembly. Soon after swearing-in, Khandu said his government's focus would be to fulfil the promises made in the BJP's election manifesto. The BJP returned to power in the state due to the development works

undertaken by the Centre in the Northeast. "We are committed to fulfilling all promises. We will run the government in the next five years based on the electoral promises for the welfare and development of the people," he said. The first cabinet meeting would chalk out a developmental roadmap for the first 100 days of the government, he added.

Maintaining that Arunachal Pradesh with 26 major tribes and more than 100 sub-tribes was unique in nature, Khandu said the new government would work for the welfare of all and make efforts to make it a developed state. He appealed to the people "to join hands" with the government as part of its team to speed up the development process. — PTI

KUWAIT FIRE TRAGEDY: INDIA COUNTS ITS LOSSES

Family worried about fate of Kerala engineer

KOLLAM/PATHANAMTHITTA (KERALA), JUNE 13

The family of Sajjan George, an MTech graduate and a chemical engineer working in Kuwait, was worried as he was not taking calls after the fire accident in a building in the Gulf nation.

Though official confirmation was pending from the authorities there, friends informed his father that Sajjan was likely to have been in the building at the time of the incident. "The family had spoken to him the day before... However, yesterday they did not get any call. Friends there said he was in the building," a relative told the media, sobbing. Sajjan, a Punalur resident and a teacher in Kerala, went to Kuwait only a month ago.

"As there was no confirmation, the family did not inform his mother. But this



Minister Veena George consoles the mother of victim Akash S Nair in Pathanamthitta, Kerala. REUTERS.

morning, she came to know after people started visiting the house," a relative said. His family members said

he had sent some money to his family from the first salary he received. Kerala Health Minister

Veena George on Thursday visited the house of Akash S Nair (32) in Pandalam. He is suspected to have been

killed in the fire that resulted in the death of 49 persons, among them 45 Indians. The minister announced all possible assistance would be extended to those affected due to the tragic accident in Kuwait. She was accompanied by Deputy Speaker Chittayam Gopakumar.

Akash, who is survived by his mother Shobha Kumari, was attempting to escape from the fire when he succumbed to the smoke, sources said. He had been employed in Kuwait for the past eight years and had returned to Kerala on leave only a year ago. He was working on a highway super-market project.

The incident happened in a building in the southern city of Mangaf which killed 49 foreign workers, including around 40 Indians, and injured 50 others. — PTI

Lukose, in Kuwait for 18 yrs, was to gift phone to daughter on next visit

KOLLAM (KERALA), JUNE 13

Lukose had bought a mobile phone for his elder daughter, who had scored well in Class 12 board examination, and was going to bring it next month when he planned to come home to arrange her admission in a nursing course in Bengaluru.

However, what reached his family on Wednesday was unconfirmed news reports that the building in which he resided in Kuwait was the one that had caught fire.

One of his relatives told a TV channel on Thursday that friends of Lukose called and informed them about what happened. "They told us that the fire accident occurred around 4 am and at that time, Lukose had called the pastor of a church there. He spoke to the pastor briefly before the call got disconnected. On calling his phone back, it was ringing, but no one picked up," he said. At that point, everyone thought he was alive, the relative said.

Later, friends and church members enquired at the



The building damaged following a fire in Mangaf, Kuwait. REUTERS

building where Lukose was living and at nearby hospitals and found that he was among those caught in the fire, he said. "But his death was not confirmed. Then in the evening, the friends and church members went to the police to enquire and that is when his death was confirmed," the relative said.

The relative further said that Lukose, who was in Kuwait for

the past 18 years, was survived by his 93-year-old father, 88-year-old mother, his wife and two daughters. "His elder daughter scored excellent marks in Class 12. So, he bought a phone for her. He was going to bring it when he planned to come next month. He was also going to take her to Bengaluru for admission in a nursing course," the relative added. — PTI

KASARAGOD (KERALA), JUNE 13
A split-second decision by Nalinakshan, who was among those in the residential building in Kuwait which caught fire, saved his life.

A resident of Thrikkaripur in northern Kerala, he found himself trapped on a third floor apartment in the building when the tragedy struck. In a daring bid to escape the flames, he made a split-second decision that saved his life—he jumped off the building onto an adjacent water tank.

Though the leap to safety left him with broken ribs and injuries, Nalinakshan managed to survive the tragedy. Relatives who lived nearby quickly found him and rushed him to a hospital in Kuwait for urgent medical care.

"We received the shocking news around 11 am on Wednesday. He had jumped onto the water tank, but couldn't move. Our relatives found him there and immediately took him to

hospital." Nalinakshan's uncle Balakrishnan told a news channel here. He said the family could not speak much to Nalinakshan on the phone as he was bleeding from his mouth.

"We haven't been able to speak much with Nalinakshan because of the injuries. His surgery will be performed, and we are slightly relieved because he is being treated at a good hospital there," Balakrishnan added. Nalinakshan had visited his family in March to participate in the annual Kaliyattam festival here.

According to the Department of Non-Resident Keralites Affairs of State of Kerala (NORKA Roots), the number of people from Kerala who died in the Kuwait fire tragedy has risen to 24. Kuwait authorities have reported that the devastating fire in the seven-story building in Mangaf in the Ahmadi Governorate of the country has claimed the lives of 49 foreign workers and injured 50 others. — PTI

NBW against Karnataka ex-CM in POCSCO case

TRIBUNE NEWS SERVICE

NEW DELHI, JUNE 13

The First Fast Track Court (POCSO court) on Friday issued a non-bailable warrant (NBW) of arrest against former CM of Karnataka BS Yediyurappa on June 12 after a writ petition was filed by the victim in the High Court of Karnataka, questioning why the accused was yet to be arrested. Yediyurappa who is in Delhi said he would appear before the CID for questioning on June 17.

Following this, the CID moved an application seeking an arrest warrant against Yediyurappa in the Fast Track Court 1 in Bengaluru.

Yediyurappa sexually assaulted her daughter.

With the arrest warrant issued, the CID, which is probing the case, will now move to arrest the former CM. The CID had issued summons to Yediyurappa on June 12 after a writ petition was filed by the victim in the High Court of Karnataka, questioning why the accused was yet to be arrested. Yediyurappa who is in Delhi said he would appear before the CID for questioning on June 17.

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PM SHRI SCHOOL JAWAHAR NAVODAYA VIDYALAYA MAHIANWALA KALAN, DISTT. FEROZEPUR (PB) — 142047 TENDER NOTICE

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Tender forms along with terms and conditions can be obtained from the Vidyalaya Office on cash payment of Rs. 500/- on any working day from 09:00 A.M. to 04:00 P.M. Forms can also be downloaded from the Vidyalaya Website <https://navodaya.gov.in/nvs/nvs-school/Ferozepur/en/Tender/Tender-Notice/> which must be accompanied with Demand Draft worth Rs. 500/- drawn in favour of Principal, JNV, Mahianwala Kalan, Distt. Ferozepur payable at Punjab National Bank, Zira Branch only. Duly filled and sealed tenders along with earnest money in shape of demand draft only should reach the office of undersigned by 06.07.2024 by 04:00 P.M. through registered post or personally in the tender box kept in the school office. Tenders will be opened on 09.07.2024 at 11:00 A.M. in the office of Principal, JNV, Mahianwala Kalan. Samples can be sent through post or by hand and name of firm must be written on the samples which should reach before opening of tenders. Interested parties will bring their samples personally at the time of opening of the tenders also. Purchase advisory committee reserves the right to accept or reject any or all tenders without assigning any reasons. The JNV reserve the right to procure items from GeM.

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TENDER NOTICE
1. Sealed proposal are invited from interested parties for registration of vendors for supply of various items and services for APS Jalandhar by 25 June 2024. Tender opening will be conducted on 26 June 2024 at 11:00hrs.
2. Details of items & services along with tender registration of vendors can be downloaded from school website www.apsjalandharcantt.com under "News & Event" Head.
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Applications are invited from desirous and eligible candidates for the recruitment of the following post purely on a Temporary/lecture basis.

- Name of the Post: Assistant Professor (Computer Applications)
- Eligibility: MCA/M.Tech (CSE)
- Last Date: 12.07.2024

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Sd/- Principal,
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GOVERNMENT OF HARYANA

TENDER NOTICE

SR. No.	NAME OF BOARD/ CORP./AUTH.	NAME OF WORK NOTICE TENDER	OPENING DATE CLOSING DATE (TIME)	AMOUNT/EMD (APPROX.) in Rupees
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DEN-III/FZR acting for and on behalf of The President of India invites open tenders (E-Tenders) against below titled tenders and available on www.ireps.gov.in with closing date 03.07.2024 up to 15:00 hrs. Bidders will be able to submit their original/revised bids up to closing date and time only. Manual offers are not allowed against this tenders, and any such manual offer received shall be ignored. Contractors are allowed to make payments against this tender towards tender document cost and earnest money only through online payment modes available on www.ireps.gov.in portal like net banking, debit card, credit card etc. Manual payments through Demand draft Banker cheque, Deposit receipts, FDR etc. are not allowed. For more information log on to www.ireps.gov.in.

Tender Type	Open	Tendering Section	Works	Bidding System	Single Bid System
Date of Uploading tenders	12.06.2024	Bid Starting Date	19.06.2024	Bid Closing Date/Time	03.07.2024 15:00 hrs.

Sr. No.	Tender No.	Details of Tender	Advertised Value	Earnest Money	Validity of offer	Period of Completion
1.	79-2024-25-ADEN-JUC	Annual Zone work for ordinary repair & maintenance in the section of SSE/W/NRO under ADEN/JUC. (2024-25)	₹79,99,399.06	₹1,60,000/-	60 Days	12 Months
Similar Nature of work: "Any civil work other than track work"						
2.	80-2024-25-ADEN-JUC	Annual Zone work for ordinary repair & maintenance in the section of SSE/W/JUC under ADEN/JUC. (2024-25)	₹1,49,98,734.71	₹2,25,000/-	60 Days	12 Months
Similar Nature of work: "Any civil work other than track work"						
3.	81-2024-25-ADEN-JUC	Annual Zone work for ordinary repair & maintenance of DMU Shed JUC in the section of SSE/W/JUC under ADEN/JUC. (2024-25)	₹59,99,594.15	₹1,20,000/-	60 Days	12 Months
Similar Nature of work: "Any civil work other than track work"						
4.	82-2024-25-ADEN-I-ASR	Annual Zone work for ordinary repair & maintenance in the section of SSE/W/MLASR under ADEN-I/ASR. (2024-25)	₹1,74,99,403.30	₹2,37,500/-	60 Days	12 Months
Similar Nature of work: "Any civil work other than track work"						
5.	83-2024-25-ADEN-I-ASR	Annual Zone work for ordinary repair & maintenance in the section of SSE/W/WS/ASR under ADEN-I/ASR. (2024-25)	₹1,74,99,594.00	₹2,37,500/-	60 Days	12 Months
Similar Nature of work: "Any civil work other than track work"						
6.	84-2024-25-ADEN-II-ASR	Annual Zone work for ordinary repair & maintenance in the section of SSE/W/BLASR under ADEN-II/ASR. (2024-25)	₹1,49,99,548.87	₹2,25,000/-	60 Days	12 Months
Similar Nature of work: "Any civil work other than track work"						
7.	85-2024-25-ADEN-II-ASR	Annual Zone work for ordinary repair & maintenance in the section of SSE/W/BEAS under ADEN-II/ASR. (2024-25)	₹99,99,336.85	₹2,00,000/-	60 Days	12 Months
Similar Nature of work: "Any civil work other than track work"						

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Tender Notice No.: 79, 80 & 81-2024-25-ADEN-JUC, 82, & 83-2024-25-ADEN-I-ASR & 84 & 85-2024-25-ADEN-II-ASR
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इस वर्ष 2024 में विश्व रक्तदाता दिवस के अवसर पर हरियाणा प्रदेश के प्रत्येक जिले से पांच-पांच महिला स्टार रक्तदाताओं तथा रक्तदान के क्षेत्र में कार्यरत पांच-पांच सेवा संस्थानों को सम्मानित किए जाने का कार्यक्रम रक्तदाताओं में एक नए उत्साह का संचार करेगा। वित्तीय वर्ष 2023-24 में हरियाणा रैडक्रास ने जिला इकाइयों के सहयोग से 5512 स्वीच्छक रक्तदान शिविरों के माध्यम से सर्वाधिक 3,46,128 रक्त इकाइयों एकत्रित करके एक नया कीर्तिमान एवं आयाम स्थापित किया है।
विश्व रक्तदाता दिवस की 20वीं वर्षगांठ पर दुनिया भर के रक्तदाताओं को अनेक वर्षों से जीवन बचाने वाले रक्तदान के लिए धन्यवाद। इस वर्ष विश्व स्वास्थ्य संगठन द्वारा विश्व रक्तदाता दिवस का थीम "Celebrating 20 years of giving: Thank you, Blood donors!" है। यह थीम रोगियों एवं रक्तदाताओं दोनों के जीवन में रक्तदान की महत्वा को उल्लिखित करता है। यह दिवस कार्य को प्रगति देने के लिए तथा प्रत्येक व्यक्ति को वैश्विक स्तर पर रक्तदान करने के लिए प्रेरित करता है।
आज मैं उन असंख्य स्वीच्छक रक्तदाताओं को धन्यवाद देता हूँ जो दुनियाभर के लाखों लोगों के स्वास्थ्य की कामना करते हुए स्वीच्छक रक्तदान करते हैं। आप सभी राष्ट्रीय रक्तदान कार्यक्रमों की उपलब्धियों का प्रदर्शन करें तथा युवा लोगों और आम जनता के बीच नियमित रक्तदान की संस्कृति को बढ़ावा दें।
मैं इस विशेष दिवस पर स्वीच्छक रक्तदान के लिए अधिक से अधिक लोगों को प्रेरित करने तथा रैडक्रास के साथ मिलकर इस सेवा कार्य को और अधिक प्रगति प्रदान करने का आह्वान करता हूँ।

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GLOBE TROT



Tourists visit Parthenon temple in the Acropolis before it closes due to a heatwave hitting Athens, Greece, on Thursday. REUTERS

Heat forces Greece to close ancient tourist sites

ATHENS: Greece shut more ancient tourist sites in Athens on Thursday and elderly people took refuge at designated air-conditioned spots as the first heatwave of the summer persisted for a third day. The famous Acropolis, set on a rocky hill overlooking the capital, and other nearby tourist attractions were closed on Thursday afternoon as winds from North Africa pushed temperatures towards 43 degrees Celsius. REUTERS

Elephants might call each other by name: Study

WASHINGTON: Over the years, researchers who study elephants have noticed an intriguing phenomenon. Sometimes when an elephant makes a vocalisation to a group of other elephants, all of them respond. But sometimes when that same elephant makes a similar call to the group, only a single individual responds. Could it be that elephants address each other by the equivalent of a name? A new study involving wild African savannah elephants in Kenya lends support to this idea. REUTERS

G7 leaders agree to lend Ukraine \$50 bn using frozen Russian assets as collateral

BORGIO EGNAZIA (ITALY), JUNE 13
A Group of Seven summit opened on Thursday with agreement reached on a US proposal to back a USD 50 billion loan to Ukraine using frozen Russian assets as collateral, giving Kyiv a strong show of support even as Europe's political chess-board shifts to the right.

Italian Premier Giorgia Meloni welcomed the heads of state of the G7 leading industrialised nations to a luxury resort in southern Italy, saying she wanted the message of the meeting to be one of dialogue with the global south and unity. She likened the G7 to the ancient olive trees that are a symbol of the



Italian Premier Giorgia Meloni (centre) with other leaders poses for a photo at Borgo Egnazia, Italy, on Thursday. AP

Puglia region, "with their solid roots, and branches projected toward the future".

Beyond discussions on Ukraine, the war in Gaza and China's industrial policy, Pope Francis will become the

first pope to address a G7 summit, adding a dash of celebrity and moral authority to the annual gathering. He'll be speaking on Friday about the promises and perils of artificial intelligence, but is

expected to also renew his appeal for a peaceful end to Russia's full-scale invasion of Ukraine and the Israel-Hamas war in Gaza.

The G7 includes Canada, France, Germany, Italy, Japan, the United Kingdom and the United States. Italy, which is hosting the summit, has invited several African leaders — Algerian President Abdelmadjid Tebboune, Kenyan President William Ruto and Tunisian President Kais Saied — to press Meloni's development and migration initiatives on the continent.

Other guests include Ukrainian President Volodymyr Zelenskyy, Brazilian President Luiz Inácio

Lula da Silva, Indian Prime Minister Narendra Modi, fresh off his own election, and Turkish President Recep Tayyip Erdogan.

With Biden, UK Prime Minister Rishi Sunak and now French President Emmanuel Macron facing elections in the coming months, pressure was on the G7 to get done what it can while the status quo lasts.

The US proposal involves engineering a USD 50 billion loan to help Ukraine in its fight against Russia that would use interest earned on profits from Russia's frozen central bank assets, most of them held in the European Union, as collateral. — AP

Nuclear-powered US submarine pulls into Guantanamo Bay

WASHINGTON, JUNE 13
A US Navy submarine has arrived in Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, in a show of force as a fleet of Russian warships gather for planned military exercises in the Caribbean.

US Southern Command said the USS Helena, a nuclear-powered fast attack submarine, pulled into the waters near the US base in Cuba on Thursday, just a day after a Russian frigate, a nuclear-powered submarine, an oil tanker and a rescue tug crossed into Havana Bay after drills in the Atlantic Ocean.

The stop is part of a "routine port visit" as the submarine travels through Southern Command's region, it said in a social media post. Other US ships also have been tracking the Russian drills. — AP

Israeli forces advance deeper into Rafah as diplomacy falters

CAIRO, JUNE 13
Israeli tanks advanced deeper into the western area of Rafah, amid one of the worst nights of bombardment from air, ground, and sea, forcing many families to flee their homes and tents under darkness, residents said on Thursday.

Residents said the Israeli forces thrust towards the Al-Mawasi area of Rafah near the beach, which is designated as a humanitarian area in all announcements and maps published by the Israeli army since it began its Rafah offensive in May.

Israel said its assault aimed to wipe out Hamas' last intact combat units in Rafah, a city which had sheltered more

HEZBOLLAH ATTACKS 9 MILITARY SITES

Beirut: Hezbollah said it had launched rockets and weaponised drones at nine Israeli military sites in a coordinated attack on Thursday, ramping up hostilities on Lebanon's southern border for the second consecutive day. REUTERS

than a million people before the latest advance began.

The Israeli military said in a statement it was continuing "intelligence-based, targeted operations" on Rafah, saying forces in the past day had located weapons and killed Palestinian gunmen in close-range combat. — Reuters



An oil refinery burns on the outskirts of Irbil in the semi-autonomous Kurdish region of northern Iraq on Thursday. AP

FIREFIGHTERS BATTLE MASSIVE FIRE AT IRAQ OIL REFINERY

- A team of 32 firefighters in northern Iraq was battling to put out a massive fire on Thursday, a day after it broke out at an oil refinery.
- 14 firefighters were injured — four with burns and the other due to smoke inhalation — while battling the blaze, which also destroyed four fire engines.
- Officials said the cause of the fire was not yet clear but the facility appeared to be lacking in safety measures, including alarms. AP

Chinese history buff finds military secrets in pile of papers he bought for \$1

TAIPEI, JUNE 13
Chinese state media said on Thursday that a military history buff found a collection of confidential documents related to the country's military in a pile of old papers he bought for under USD 1.

The collector reported the documents to security units after recognising their sensitive nature. The reports didn't say what the documents were or whether anyone had

been arrested, other than to say two people involved in the second-hand book and magazine business involved were being questioned.

The purchaser, identified only as Zhang, is an avid fan of military history. Chinese and foreign consultancies operating within the country have been placed under investigation by state security bodies for possessing information about the economy. — AP

BUSINESS

USD \$	EURO €	POUND £	JPY ¥	YUAN ¥	CAD C\$	AUD A\$	SGD S\$	HKD HK\$
₹83.54	₹89.72	₹106.57	₹0.53	₹11.52	₹60.78	₹55.42	₹61.86	₹10.70



BSE
204.33
76,810.90

NSE
75.95
23,398.90

GOLD
₹72,160
Mumbai (MCX)

SILVER
₹90,700
Mumbai (MCX)

Reliance's Jio clears hurdle to launch satellite internet in India

BENGALURU, JUNE 13
A joint venture between Reliance Industries' Jio Platforms and Luxembourg-based SES to provide gigabit fibre internet has won approval from the Indian space regulator to operate satellites there, a government executive said.

The three approvals issued to Orbit Connect India - which aims to provide satellite-based high-speed internet access - come as companies from Amazon.com to Elon Musk's Starlink have been vying for the go-ahead to launch satellite communication services in the world's most populous nation.

The authorisations have not been previously reported. They were granted in April and June from the Indian National Space Promotion



and Authorisation Centre, known as IN-SPACe. These allow Orbit Connect to operate satellites above India, but further approvals are needed by the country's department of telecoms to begin operations.

Reliance, which owns Jio, did not respond to an email seeking further details.

Inmarsat, another company hoping to provide high-

STARLINK AWAITS NOD

- Companies from Amazon.com to Elon Musk's Starlink have been vying for the go-ahead to launch satellite communication services in the world's most populous nation.
- India's satellite broadband service market is expected to grow 36% per year over the next five years and reach \$1.9 billion by 2030, according to consultancy firm Deloitte.

speed satellite-based internet, has also gotten approval to operate satellites over India, IN-SPACe chairman Pawan Goenka told Reuters. Two other companies, Elon Musk's Starlink and Amazon.com's Kuiper, have applied. Eutelsat's Bharti Enterprises-backed OneWeb was given all of its approvals late last year.

India's satellite broadband service market is expected to grow 36% per year over the next five years and reach \$1.9 billion by 2030, according to the consultancy Deloitte.

Globally, the race to connect rural areas of the world via space-based internet is accelerating. Amazon plans to invest \$10 billion in Kuiper, which was announced in 2019, the year SpaceX began deploying its first operational Starlink satellites.

"Comparatively low pricing of communication services in India will compel global players to drive innovation to reduce their pricing," said Goenka. "This is already being done in many industries like automotive, where multinational OEMs had to innovate to meet expectations of Indian consumers of high performance and low cost." — Reuters

Bicycle industry demands PLI boost from Modi 3.0 to push exports

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TRIBUNE NEWS SERVICE

CHANDIGARH, JUNE 13
As Prime Minister Narendra Modi embarked on his third term, the labour-intensive bicycle industry is eagerly waiting for extension of Production-Linked Incentive Scheme (PLI) to boost exports especially from Punjab as the state is frontrunner in bicycle manufacturing.

Ludhiana accounts for 75% of the country's total bicycle production and 92% of bicycle parts' manufacturing. The city manufactures more than 60,000 bicycles every day.

"The Production-Linked Incentive (PLI) scheme for bicycles, along with toys and leather, is under consideration by the Prime Minister's Office (PMO) and the Union Cabinet. We hope that the government will extend it to bicycle industry soon," said



Workers at a cycle manufacturing unit in Ludhiana. FILE

Jagdish Rai Singhal, founder of Ludhiana-based Eastman Group of Industries.

Bicycle exports witnessed decline in the last fiscal year. The total bicycle exports from the country was 436,720 units in 2023-24 compared to 557,523 units in 2022-23, according to All India Cycle

Manufacturers Association (ACMA) data.

"We have a disadvantage that quality and design of bicycles, which India can cater to export market especially Europe, requires components and accessories which needs to be developed in India but the development

cost is too high. Hence, the PLI scheme is essential," Singhal said while justifying the need of PLI.

The manufacturers said they have a disadvantage due to high inland freight from Ludhiana to Mundra Port in Gujarat that amounts in range of 10% to 15% cost per bicycle, and there was additional 10.5% import duty on bicycles imported from India to Europe.

"The freight and the import duty combined, makes India bicycle 25% expensive than the other Asian countries such as Sri Lanka, Bangladesh, The Philippines, Cambodia, where the factories are situated in range of 30 to 100 km from port and import duty to Europe is 0%. The government can develop a scheme, which helps 'Make in India' to be competitive," Singhal said.

GST Council to meet on June 22

NEW DELHI, JUNE 13
The first GST Council meeting under the new central government will be held here on June 22. The GST Council is chaired by the Union finance minister and consists of representatives from all states, usually the finance ministers, to decide on rate slabs for items under GST.

This will be the 53rd meeting of the GST Council.

The GST will take up some pending issues such as taxability for the online gaming sector, ESOPs and corporate guarantees. — TNS

Sensex, Nifty scale fresh highs as inflation cools off

MUMBAI, JUNE 13
Equity benchmark indices Sensex and Nifty hit their fresh record levels on Thursday after lower inflation numbers raised hopes of an interest rate cut by the RBI.

Besides, heavy buying in capital goods, consumer durable and industrial stocks also helped the indices, traders said.

Rising for the second day in a row, the 30-share BSE Sensex jumped 538.89 points or 0.70 to hit its lifetime peak

of 77,145.46. It ended at a fresh record high at 76,810.90, up 204.33 points or 0.27 per cent.

A total of 2,345 stocks advanced, 1,539 declined, and 100 remained unchanged on the BSE.

The NSE Nifty rallied 75.95 points or 0.33 per cent to settle at a new closing high of 23,398.90.

During the day, it climbed 158.1 points or 0.67 per cent to its record peak of 23,481.05. — PTI

Nokia, Ericsson to pick ₹2,458-cr stake in Vodafone in lieu of dues

NEW DELHI, JUNE 13
Debt-ridden telecom operator Vodafone Idea will allocate shares worth Rs 2,458 crore to vendors Nokia India and Ericsson India to clear their partial dues, a regulatory filing said on Thursday.

The board of Vodafone Idea Ltd (VIL) has cleared allotment of shares on preferential basis at about 35 per cent higher price compared to the follow-on offer price of the company, and comes with a

lock-in of 6 months.

"The Board of Directors of Vodafone Idea Limited today approved preferential allotment of about 166 crore equity shares of face value of Rs 10 each, at an issue price of Rs 14.80 per share, for an aggregate consideration of up to Rs 2,458 crore, to two of its key vendors, Nokia Solutions and Networks India Private Limited and Ericsson India Private Limited," the filing said.

Nokia and Ericsson will

participate for up to Rs 1,520 crore and Rs 938 crore respectively, subject to approval by VIL shareholders at the EGM to be held on July 10, 2024, the telco said in a release.

"Nokia and Ericsson both have a long-term partnership with VIL, as key suppliers of network equipment, and this preferential allotment will enable VIL to clear part of their outstanding dues," the filing said. — PTI

Punch, Nexon EVs get 5-star safety ratings

BHARAT-NCAP TEST

CHANDIGARH, JUNE 13
Tata Motors' Punch.ev and Nexon.ev have become the first recipients of the five-star Bharat New Car Assessment Programme (Bharat-NCAP) rating in the electric vehicles category.

While the Punch.ev set a major milestone by receiving the highest ever scores achieved by any vehicle till date - 31.46/32 and 45/49 points for adult occupant pro-

tection (AOP) and child occupant protection (COP), respectively, the Nexon.ev scored 29.86/32 points for AOP and 44.95/49 for COP.

With this, Tata Motors is now the only original equipment manufacturer with the safest range of SUV portfolio scoring 5 stars across Bharat-NCAP and Global-NCAP tests.

Union Road Transport Minister Nitin Gadkari said: "The certification aligns with the government's vision for safer vehicles." — TNS

BRIEFLY

GANDHINAGAR
India's Divya wins World Junior Girls Chess title
Divya Deshmukh of India outclassed Bulgaria's Beloslava Krasteva to clinch the title in the World Junior Girls' Chess Championship here today. With the win, Divya, an International Master, ended the tournament with 10 points out of a possible 11, half-a-point ahead of the second-placed Mariam Mkrtchyan of Armenia.

DALIAN (CHINA)
Paddlers move to quarters, set up meet with Pakistan
Indian men's team progressed to the quarterfinals of the Asian Team Squash championship following a 3-0 win over Mongolia today. Former champions India will meet Pakistan in the quarterfinals tomorrow. Meanwhile, the women's team beat Chinese Taipei 3-0 but lost to Malaysia.

LONATO (ITALY)
Bhowneesh finishes fourth in men's trap final
India's Bhowneesh Mendiratta could not emulate his excellent qualifying performance and settled for the fourth position in the final of the men's trap event at the ISSF World Cup for shotgun shooters today. He bowed out with 29 after the first 35 shots of the 50-shot six-man final.

DORTMUND
Terzic resigns as coach of Borussia Dortmund
Edin Terzic resigned as coach of Champions League runners-up Borussia Dortmund today. Terzic said he wanted Dortmund to start a "new era" with a new coach but there was no immediate word on a successor amid reports in German media that his assistant Nuri Sahin could take over. AGENCIES

TODAY ON TV

T20 WORLD CUP
AFGHANISTAN VS PNG 6AM
USA VS IRELAND 8PM
STAR SPORTS

EUROS
GERMANY VS SCOTLAND
SONY SPORTS 12:30AM (SAT)

GETTING A GRIP

His bowling polished, Arshdeep working hard on batting with Rathour

NEWYORK, JUNE 13
He is wreaking havoc with the ball these days but India pacer Arshdeep Singh is not quite satisfied and wants to become a reliable lower-order batter as well, for which he is putting in the hard yards with batting coach Vikram Rathour.

Arshdeep was lethal in India's seven-wicket win over the plucky USA team as he snared four wickets for a mere nine runs in the T20 World Cup group stage match on Wednesday. It was India's third successive victory which guided the side into the Super Eight stage.

"We are always learning, always trying to get better at all the skills, be it bowling, batting, or fielding, because you never know when the team needs those runs," Arshdeep, who was adjudged the Player of the Match, said in the post-game media interaction.

"It can be two runs, four runs, anything. So, you just have to give your best. And I am trying to work as hard as possible with Vikram Bhai regarding my batting as well," he added.

Arshdeep came in at No. 9 in the high-voltage game against Pakistan here on June 9, scoring nine off 13 balls before being run out. The left-arm pacer said he insisted on going ahead of Jasprit Bumrah in that match.

"...Jassi Bhai (Bumrah) was supposed to go before me, but I just went in after asking Rohit (Sharma). They were surprised with it, but I told them I will go up regardless of whatever you say," he revealed. "I will go at nine because I faced the quickest bowlers in the last game. So yeah, that's the plan now. I am very confident about my batting. And be it fielding or bowling, you just try to keep getting better," he said.

Dube's batting woes
Accustomed to batting on belters in India, big-hitting all-



Arshdeep Singh has been putting in the hard yards with the bat at nets. AP/PTI

I was struggling with my form and focusing on my process. Obviously I miss six-hitting at CSK and in India...it's difficult to bat here in these conditions and in the nets as well. It is definitely better to bowl here. I think that these conditions do not demand what I've done at CSK. These conditions require a different approach. Shivam Dube on his batting struggles >>



rounder Shivam Dube conceded that the two-paced tracks for the T20 World Cup matches here left him bamboozled to such an extent that it almost felt like playing a Ranji Trophy game.

Dube regained some form with a 35-ball 31 in the win over USA. "I was struggling with my form and focusing on my process," Dube said about his successive failures against Ireland and Pakistan at the Nassau County International Cricket Stadium here.

"All the support staff and coaches backed me and told me, 'It's difficult, but you have the ability to hit sixes,

so apply it.' I've never doubted myself for what I've done in the past. I just think that these conditions do not demand what I've done at CSK. These conditions require a different approach, so I was batting differently today," he added.

From being nine off 15 balls in the women's doubles. The seventh-seeded pair were shocked 5-21 9-21 by Malaysians Pei Jing Lai and Lim Chiew Sien. The mixed doubles pair of B Sumeeth Reddy and N Sikki Reddy defeated Australia's Kai Chen Teoh and Kai Qi Bernice Teoh 21-11 21-11. — PTI

QI Bernice Teoh 21-16 21-13 to progress to the quarterfinals. But Anupama Upadhyaya and Malvika Bansod lost in the women's singles second round.

It was also the end of the road for Panda sisters, Rutapama and Swetaparna, in the women's doubles. The seventh-seeded pair were shocked 5-21 9-21 by Malaysians Pei Jing Lai and Lim Chiew Sien. The mixed doubles pair of B Sumeeth Reddy and N Sikki Reddy defeated Australia's Kai Chen Teoh and Kai Qi Bernice Teoh 21-11 21-11. — PTI

six. And, I was waiting for that opportunity. It's not easy to come here and start hitting from ball one; you have to take your time," he admitted.

Dube still has a long way to go before truly justifying his selection ahead of another power-hitter Rinku Singh, who is in the reserves. After being named in India's main World Cup squad, Dube managed just 36 runs from five innings in the IPL. His woes continued in the World Cup, where he scored 14 (practice match against Bangladesh), 0 not out, and 3 in three outings before finally delivering a composed knock on Wednesday. — PTI

Rutherford comes alive at death as WI reach Super 8

TARUBA (TRINIDAD), JUNE 13
Sherfane Rutherford smashed a career-best unbeaten half-century before pacer Alzarri Joseph and left-arm spinner Gudakesh Motie ripped through the New Zealand line-up to steer West Indies into the Super 8 stage of the T20 World Cup with a 13-run win here.

Rutherford came up with the innings of his life, smashing half a dozen sixes and two fours for his 39-ball 68 to lift West Indies to 149/9 from 76/7 in 12.3 overs after New Zealand opted to bowl in a virtual knockout Group C fixture.

In reply, West Indies restricted the Kiwis to 136/9 with Motie returning with splendid figures of 3/25. Joseph turned up the heat on the late order to become the wrecker-in-chief with his 4/19.

With three wins in a row, the co-hosts qualified for the Super 8s, while New Zealand's hopes were all but dashed following back-to-back losses.

They had earlier lost to Afghanistan by 84 runs after being shot out for 75. The 2021 runners-up, among the most consistent sides in World Cups, have been found wanting this time.

It was half past midnight

T20 a game of cat and mouse: Williamson

TARUBA: Kane Williamson's ploy of using up the pacers upfront against the West Indies brought in disastrous results for his side, prompting the New Zealand captain to term the modern-day T20s a game of "cat and mouse." The overs of frontline pacers Trent Boult (4-1-16-3) and Lockie Ferguson (4-0-27-2) were exhausted by the 18th over, and Williamson had to rely on medium-pacer Daryl Mitchell and left-arm spinner Mitchell Santner in the 19th and 20th over. However, Windies' Sherfane Rutherford faced all those 12 balls and biffed 37 runs, including four sixes. "I think whatever overs that they (Mitchell and Santner) did bow were going to be targeted. So, that's the sort of the margins that you're always dealing with," Williamson said. "I think, in T20 cricket nowadays with teams that are batting a lot deeper...you're always trying to sort of play that game of cat and mouse, I suppose," he rued. PTI



in Trinidad but the locals erupted in joy to celebrate their team's qualification, erasing the disappointment of successive setbacks in the big event.

"It was fantastic. I was sitting there with Nicholas (Pooran) and it was such a beautiful night for someone to stand up and be counted," skipper Rovman Powell said. "That (Rutherford) innings gave us confidence and belief. We watched what they did well and tried to replicate it."

Williamson rung in three

changes to the line-up after following their loss to Afghanistan and the intent was clear when Trent Boult dismissed Johnson Charles (0) in the first over, forcing the opener to chop on to his stumps.

The Kiwi left-arm pacer ended up with splendid figures of 4-1-16-3.

Brief Scores: West Indies: 149/9 in 20 overs (Rutherford 68*; Boult 3/16, Southee 2/21, Ferguson 2/27); **New Zealand:** 136/9 in 20 overs (Phillips 40; Joseph 4/19, Motie 3/25). — PTI



Sherfane Rutherford plundered 37 runs off the last two overs. ICC

Prannoy breezes into last-8, Verma shocks Loh

AUSTRALIAN OPEN

SYDNEY, JUNE 13
Indian shuttlers HS Prannoy and Sameer Verma progressed to the men's singles quarterfinals of the Australian Open with contrasting victories over their respective opponents here today.

While fifth seed Prannoy took just 46 minutes to get the better of Misha Zilberman of Israel 21-17 21-15 in the Round of 16, Verma had to toil for one hour and two minutes to upset eighth seed Loh Kean Yew of Singapore 21-14 14-21 21-19.



Prannoy eased past Misha Zilberman of Israel 21-17 21-15. FILE

However, it was curtains for Kiran George as he lost 20-22 6-21 against seventh seed

Kenta Nishimoto of Japan. Eighth seed Aakarshi Kashyap beat Australia's Kai

Rider Shruti 1st Indian to win 3-star GP event

NEW DELHI, JUNE 13
Veteran Shruti Vora has become the first Indian rider to win a three-star Grand Prix event, the Equestrian Federation of India (EFI) announced today.

Shruti scored 67.761 points in the CDI-3 event held in Lipica, Slovenia, from June 7 to 9. The Indian finished ahead of Moldova's Tatiana Antonenco (Aachen), who scored 66.522. Austria's Julianne Jerich (Quarter Girl) completed the top-3 with a score of 66.087. — PTI

Mandaviya takes stock of Olympics preparedness

TRIBUNE NEWS SERVICE

NEW DELHI, JUNE 13
The new Sports Minister Mansukh Mandaviya has quickly settled down in his new role as he took stock of India's Olympics preparedness as he sat down for a meeting with the Indian Olympic Association president PT Usha.

In the hour-long meeting, Mandaviya, flanked by Minister of State (Sports) Raksha Khadse was briefed about the

Indian athletes' readiness and their needs in the lead-up to the Paris Games that begins from July 26.

Other than the two ministers, sports secretary Sujata Chaturvedi, joint secretary Kunal and Sports Authority of India (SAI) director general Sandip Pradhan were also present during the meeting.

"Today I visited the IOA officials for the first time where I was briefed about India's preparation for the Paris Olympics. The govern-

ment is committed to extend all possible support," Mandaviya said.

IOA president Usha said the meeting went well adding that the IOA will stay in touch with the ministry.

"The Sports Minister visited us along with the Minister of State. I am very happy they wanted to know about IOA and about Paris preparations. We have an athlete first policy and have done everything to help them. I have briefed him," she said.

Koepka, Woods off to fine starts

US OPEN

PINEHURST, JUNE 13
LIV Golf's Brooks Koepka held a share of the early first-round US Open lead today at Pinehurst Resort in North Carolina where Tiger Woods was three shots back and tournament favourite Scottie Scheffler had yet to tee off.

Five-time Major winner Koepka, one of 12 LIV Golf players in the 156-player field this week, covered the front nine on a firm and fast Pinehurst No. 2 in two-under par 33 that left him in a share of the lead with Frenchman Matthieu Pavon.

Major champion Sergio Garcia (through nine holes) and 2024 Masters runner-up Ludvig Aberg (eight holes) were among a pack of 14 golfers sitting one shot off the early lead.

Koepka, who failed to crack the top-25 at the year's first two Majors, went bogey-free



Tiger Woods plays his shot from the second tee box. USA TODAY SPORTS/REUTERS

across his first nine holes during which he hit eight of nine greens, carded a two-putt birdie at the par-five fifth and a short birdie at the seventh.

The injury-ravaged Woods, in only his fourth event of the year and first since missing the cut at the PGA Championship last month, started his day early at the par-five 10th and reached the turn at one-over-par 36. — Reuters

Rafa to miss Wimbledon

LONDON, JUNE 13
Rafael Nadal is going to skip Wimbledon, as expected, and instead prepare for the Paris Olympics by entering a claycourt tournament in Bastad, Sweden, he hasn't been to in 19 years.

The 22-time Grand Slam champion, who turned 38 on June 3, said today he wants to just remain on clay, rather than switching over to grass for the All England Club, then needing to go back to clay for the Summer Games.

"We believe that the best for my body is not to change surface," Nadal said in a statement.

After his early exit against Alexander Zverev in Paris, Nadal was asked about participating at Wimbledon, which runs from July 1-14.

"Looks difficult, honestly. For me, now, I can't confirm what's going on, but it looks difficult to make a transition to grass, having the Olympics again on clay," he said. — AP

2024 Euros: It's exciting, star-studded & unpredictable

LONDON, JUNE 13

A returning Cristiano Ronaldo, a rampant Kylian Mbappe and a resurgent Germany. Throw in a Harry Kane-powered England and defending champions Italy, and the Euro 2024 is wide open. That's without mentioning three-time winners Spain.

The unpredictability of the European Championship, which begins in Munich tomorrow, makes it such a compelling viewing. Even in its expanded format of 24 teams, there is always the potential for a surprise.

This is the tournament, after all, that was won by rank outsiders Greece in 2004. In 1992, it was won by Denmark, a team that hadn't even qualified for the final but was granted entry at the 11th hour when war-torn Yugoslavia was banned.

Host nation Germany hopes to create a welcoming and festive atmosphere for millions of fans who will watch the games in stadiums or fan zones across the country — like it did



Germany will look to come good on home soil. AP

GROUP A: Germany, Scotland, Hungary, Switzerland
GROUP B: Spain, Croatia, Italy, Albania
GROUP C: Slovenia, Denmark, Serbia, England
GROUP D: Poland, Netherlands, Austria, France
GROUP E: Belgium, Slovakia, Romania, Ukraine
GROUP F: Turkey, Georgia, Portugal, Czech Republic

GROUP STAGE: JUNE 14-26; **KNOCKOUTS:** JUNE 29-JULY 6; **SEMIFINALS:** JULY 9-10; **FINAL:** JULY 14

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Germany are taking part in their 14th Euros, more than any other team. They have won the trophy three times, the joint-most alongside Spain



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Portugal's Cristiano Ronaldo ended the last Euros in 2020 as the top scorer, netting five goals. He has scored 14 goals in the competition — the most in Euros history

place during the previous Euros in 2021.

England and France are among the favourites. Three years ago, England were just a

penalty shootout away from winning their first trophy since the 1966 World Cup but lost the final to Italy.

Since then, manager Gareth Southgate has seen the emergence of Jude Bellingham as one of the top talents in world football, while Phil Foden has shone brightly for Manchester City.

France also suffered the heartbreak of a shootout defeat when they lost the World Cup final in Qatar to Argentina. Mbappe remains their star attraction, but he is surrounded by top-class talent throughout the French squad in the form of Antoine Griezmann,

Eduardo Camavinga, Aurelien Tchouameni, Ousmane Dembele and Kingsley Coman.

Ronaldo will be back competing in Europe after heading to Saudi Arabia to play his club football. Even at 39, the former Real Madrid and Manchester United striker is still a goal machine — scoring 10 during Portugal's perfect qualifying campaign. — AP

MODI'S FIRST FOREIGN TRIP IN 3RD TENURE

PM leaves for G7; suspense over participation in Swiss peace talks

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TRIBUNE NEWS SERVICE

NEW DELHI, JUNE 13 Prime Minister Narendra Modi on Thursday left for Italy on his first foreign visit after assuming the PM's office for the third time. PM Modi will attend the outreach session of the G7 summit on Friday but there is suspense over whether he will also travel to Switzerland to attend a back-to-back West-sponsored meeting on Ukraine to which Russia has not been invited.

In his pre-departure statement, the Prime Minister noted that the focus on issues like artificial intelligence, energy, Africa, and the Mediterranean at the outreach summit that he will attend, along with other

RUSSIA NOT INVITED TO MEETING ON UKRAINE

- A West-sponsored meeting on Ukraine will be held in Switzerland. Russia has not been invited for the crucial meeting
- Since China, South Africa, Brazil and several other nations won't attend the meeting, all eyes are on India's participation
- Foreign Secretary Vinay Mohan Kwatra hasn't said anything about the possibility of PM Narendra Modi's participation in the meeting

invitees, will enable bring greater synergy between the outcomes of the G20 summit held under India's presidency and the G7 summit.

On the bilateral side, he felt his visit to Italy for the G20 summit in 2021 and Italian PM Georgi Meloni's two visits to India last year were instrumental in infusing momentum and depth in the relationship. "We remain committed to consolidating the India-Italy strategic

partnership, and bolster cooperation in the Indo-Pacific and the Mediterranean regions," he observed.

Besides Modi, other leaders attending the G7's outreach session on Friday are Turkey's Recep Tayyip Erdogan, Saudi Arabia's Mohammed bin Salman, Mohamed bin Zayed Al Nahyan from the UAE, Brazilian President Luiz Inacio Lula da Silva, President of Argentina Javier Milei and

South African President Cyril Ramaphosa. The summit, which began with the arrival of G7 leaders, began on Thursday and ended on Saturday.

Also crucial for the South Block is the issue of attending the Switzerland summit on Ukraine which is not being attended by PM Modi's peers in the developing world, including from China, South Africa and Brazil. Foreign Secretary Vinay Mohan Kwatra, when asked about the possibility of PM Modi travelling to Switzerland after the summit, said an appropriate representation would be sent. The MEA has also not disclosed the PM's travel plan after the G7 summit where he will reach late on May 13 and stay till May 14.



Modi to meet Pope Francis

NEW DELHI, JUNE 13 PM Narendra Modi will meet with Pope Francis on the margins of the G7 summit in Italy, announced the media in the Vatican. Francis, the first Pope to attend a G7 summit, will meet world leaders in two badges after he arrives at the Summit venue in a helicopter from the Vatican on Thursday morning, according to the Holy See Press Office. PM Modi will be in the second batch to meet the Pope. —TNS

Third term shows spymaster Doval indispensable for Modi

AJAY BANERJEE
TRIBUNE NEWS SERVICE

NEW DELHI, JUNE 13 National Security Adviser (NSA) Ajit Doval will continue at his job for the third term in the Narendra Modi-led NDA government. Doval, a 1968-batch Kerala cadre IPS officer and a former Intelligence Bureau chief, has been the NSA for 10 consecutive years.

The trust Doval enjoys with Modi means that he is tasked with suggesting policy on security matters pertaining to China, Pakistan and West Asia, and heads the critical technology vertical with the US. Sources said he was not keen to continue as NSA, and was persuaded to be on board.

A notification of the government today reads: "The Appointments Committee of the Cabinet has approved the appointment of Ajit Doval, IPS (Retd) as National Security Adviser with effect from 10.06.2024. His appointment will be co-terminus with the term of the Prime Minister or until further orders, whichever is earlier."

During the term of his office, Doval will be assigned the rank of a Cabinet Minister. The Tribune, in its edition dated June 8, had first reported that Doval would continue in his job. This was amid speculation that several names were being considered as Doval's term had ended. As per terms of his appointment in Modi 2.0, Doval's tenure



GO-TO-MAN ON CHINA, PAKISTAN & WEST ASIA

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ended on June 5, when Modi and his Cabinet demitted office, a day after the LS poll results. Doval is also the special representative for the 'boundary talks' with China that are on for the past two decades.

He along with his US counterpart Jake Sullivan heads the initiative on critical and emerging technology (iCET) between India and the US that took shape in January 2023. In this span of time, the two sides have signed a Indo-US Quantum Coordination Mechanism, an MoU on semi-conductors was signed, the telecom industry is working on 5G and 6G technologies. There is

progress on biotech, artificial intelligence, defence and space technologies.

Doval during his stint in the Intelligence Bureau was inside the Golden Temple During Operation Black Thunder-II. The National Security Guards (NSG) then managed to free the Golden Temple from pro-Khalistan elements.

The NSA plays the role of the chief adviser to the Prime Minister on national security policy and international affairs. The NSA's oversees strategic and sensitive issues and receives intelligence inputs from all agencies, processes them and presents his reading of the events before the Prime Minister.



Namaste India restaurant in Bari, Italy, which will serve food for PM Narendra Modi's delegation during the G7 summit. PTI

Punjabi flavours for Indian officials

BARU (ITALY), JUNE 13

An Indian restaurant in Apulia's capital city of Bari is basking in the warmth of the G7 summit in Italy as the staff work at speed to meet a rush of orders from the delegation accompanying Prime Minister Narendra Modi, who will be attending an outreach session on Friday.

Namaste India, owned by Rupinder Singh, who is from Phagwara, Punjab, has been

Rush of orders at restaurant owned by Phagwara's Rupinder

abuzz with activity in the days leading up to the start of the summit on Thursday. Its Hoshiarpur-born manager, Harsh Dhandha, expressed excitement at the prospect of creating food for officials accompanying the Prime Min-

ister and enjoying the flavours of India far from home.

"It is so exciting that we have a chance to make sure that they can get a taste of some authentic Indian flavours away from home," Harsh Dhandha, the Bari-based manager, said in Hindi. "Our restaurant only uses fresh, quality ingredients to ensure that every dish on offer is of the highest standard," he said. — PTI

6 dead, 1,500 tourists stranded as rain wreaks havoc in Sikkim

GANGTOK, JUNE 13

At least six people were killed and 1,500-odd tourists stranded as massive landslides triggered by incessant rainfall caused devastation in northern Sikkim's Mangan district, officials said on Thursday.

A newly constructed Bailey bridge at Sangkalang collapsed snapping the link between Mangan with Dzongu and Chungthang. Landslides blocked stretches of roads and several houses were inundated or damaged, while electricity poles were swept away, they said.

Towns such as Dzongu, Chungthang, Lachen, and Lachung in Mangan district known for popular tourist spots like Gurudongmar Lake and Yunthang Valley have now been cut off from the rest of the country. "Three persons each died in Pakshep and Ambhithang villages," Mangan District Magistrate Hem Kumar Chettri said.

A number of houses were



Vehicles stuck in mud following landslides triggered by rain in Sikkim. PTI

damaged in Geythang and Nampathang. A relief camp has been set up at Pakshep for the displaced people, Chettri said. Mobile network services were affected in North Sikkim even as a request was made by the district administration to send an SDRF team with ration to Mangan, the officials said.

The collapsed Bailey bridge at Sangkalang was constructed after the massive social

flood in the Teesta river in October last year. The authorities have asked the stranded tourists to stay where they are right now till alternative road connectivity could be set up for movement of vehicles, officials said.

Sikkim Chief Minister Prem Singh Tamang asked the administration, police and officials of various departments to ensure a swift response to the devastation. — PTI

IN BRIEF

JP Nadda likely to be Leader of House in RS

NEW DELHI: Newly appointed Union Health Minister JP Nadda is the frontrunner for the position of Leader of House in the Rajya Sabha. The position has fallen vacant with the election of Piyush Goyal to the Lok Sabha. Goyal is now a Lok Sabha member. Nadda's term as BJP chief is ending in mid June. The formal appointment will happen once Rajya Sabha meets on June 27. TNS

Consensus must for UCC, says JD(U)

NEW DELHI: While the Janata Dal (United) is not against the Uniform Civil Code (UCC), it should come through a consensus, party leader KC Tyagi said. Tyagi's statement comes after Law Minister Arjun Ram Meghwal said implementing the UCC was part of the Central Government's agenda. Even the TDP, another BJP ally, wants discussion on UCC. TNS

SC stays Annu Kapoor's film 'Hamare Baarah'

NEW DELHI, JUNE 13

Taking note of allegations that it's derogatory to the Islamic faith and married Muslim women, the Supreme Court on Thursday stayed the June 14 release of Annu Kapoor's movie 'Hamare Baarah'.

"We have seen the movie trailer in the morning and all the offensive dialogues continue in the trailer... If the teaser is so offensive then what about the whole movie... Prima facie, it seems you have failed since you yourself deleted the scenes from the teaser," a Vacation Bench of Justice Vikram Nath and Justice Sandeep Mehta said, saying the release of the film.

The order came after advocate Raazia Shakil submitted

If trailer is so offensive, what about the whole film, says top court

on behalf of petitioner Azhar Basha Tamboli that the Bombay High Court vacated the stay on the release of the film by an "unreasoned order".

"The HC could not have directed the CBFC to constitute a committee because the CBFC was a party interested in the litigation," Shakil submitted. The filmmakers' counsel said they would have to incur losses due to the stay order.

The top court stayed the screening of the film asking the Bombay High Court to expeditiously decide the plea. — TNS

Rajnath for home delivery of medicines for veterans, more women in zila boards

AJAY BANERJEE
TRIBUNE NEWS SERVICE

NEW DELHI, JUNE 13

After formally taking over as Defence Minister, Rajnath Singh today ordered a review of the schemes meant for retired soldiers and suggested doorstep delivery of medicines to veterans and having more women in the Zila Sainik Boards.

The Department of Ex-servicemen Welfare under the Ministry of Defence has been asked to conduct more programmes to ensure post-retirement jobs for retired soldiers. There are around 30 lakh retired soldiers.

The minister was briefed by the Secretary, Department of Ex-Servicemen Welfare, on the need for medicine delivery at veterans' homes. Several retired soldiers live in villages and the nearest dispensary tasked to dispense medicines could be far away, even a couple of hours away by bus. Some of the retirees live all by themselves and getting medicines can be an effort.

The minister was informed about the Zila Sainik Boards under the Kendriya Sainik Board. He was keen that more retired women officers should be brought into these boards that are tasked to coordinate the welfare schemes with the state governments. The other issue was jobs for



Defence Minister Rajnath Singh meets the chiefs of the armed forces in New Delhi. MANAS RANJAN BHUI

retiring soldiers. Jawans in the Army retire in the age of 35-42 years and thousands retire annually. Finding post-retirement jobs becomes tough for many. The minister said more outreach programmes were needed to secure jobs for this trained manpower in private industry, infrastructure projects, etc. Meanwhile, the MoD said Rajnath Singh assumed charge for his second term and chaired a review meeting on the first 100

days' action plan of the ministry. The meeting was on the welfare of veterans. Rajnath will conduct regular review meetings to fast-track the progress of these schemes. An MoD statement said he outlined the vision for the next five years with a focus on attaining self-reliance in defence, further modernising the armed forces, innovation in cutting-edge technology, strengthening border infrastructure and

ensuring ex-servicemen's welfare, among others. "Our aim will be to further strengthen the security apparatus of the country, with focus on achieving self-reliance in defence manufacturing, modernisation of the armed forces and the welfare of the soldiers, both serving and retired," the MoD statement quoted him. On defence exports, he said the target was to export over Rs 50,000 crore worth of defence equipment by 2028-29.

ED raids 19 places in Maha over illegal betting by Fairplay

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NEW DELHI, JUNE 13

The Enforcement Directorate has conducted searches at 19 locations in Mumbai and Pune as part of its ongoing probe related to Fairplay, which was involved in illegal broadcasting of cricket and IPL matches and various online betting activities, including on the 2024 Lok Sabha elections results.

During the search operations on Wednesday, movable assets like cash, bank funds, demat account holdings and luxury watches to the tune of Rs 8 crore and various incriminating documents and digital devices were seized.

The ED had initiated investigation on the basis of an FIR registered by nodal cyber police, Mumbai, on the complaint of Viacom18 Media Pvt Ltd under various sections of the IPC, Information Technology Act, 2000, and Copyright Act, 1957 against Fairplay Sport LLC and others for causing loss of revenue of more than Rs 100 crore.

The investigation revealed Fairplay made agreements through foreign-based entities in Dubai and Curacao with Indian agencies representing celebrities. It was found no due diligence was performed by Indian agencies regarding Fairplay before executing the agreements for its promotion.

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