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## Kejriwal to remain in jail, HC stays bail order till decision on ED plea

Trial court's order perverse: Probe agency | Being treated like terrorist, says wife

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**NEW DELHI, JUNE 21**  
A day after Delhi Chief Minister Arvind Kejriwal was granted bail by Delhi's Rouse Avenue Court, the High Court on Friday temporarily stayed the bail in a money laundering case linked to the liquor policy.

A Vacation Bench of Justice Sudhir Kumar Jain and Justice Ravinder Dubeja reserved the order on the stay application filed by the Enforcement Directorate (ED). The HC stayed the operation of the bail order until



**SETBACK:** The trial court had granted bail to CM Kejriwal on Thursday. FILE

### NO MONEY TRAIL, SAYS LOWER COURT

SV Raju, ASG, said ED wasn't given full opportunity to present case & trial judge dismissed reply as "bulky" sans proper consideration

The trial court, while giving bail to Kejriwal, had said no money trail was established against him & he had no role in any activity related to the "proceeds of the crime"

the final decision is made. Additional Solicitor General (ASG) SV Raju argued that the bail order was "perverse" and

claimed that the ED was not given full opportunity to present its case. He emphasised that the trial judge dismissed

their reply as "bulky" without proper consideration, arguing that Kejriwal was involved in demanding a bribe of Rs 100

crore and that the trial court failed to acknowledge this evidence properly.

The ASG said while giving liberty to Kejriwal to file a bail application before the trial court, the Supreme Court had not stated that the trial court should consider it ignoring the findings of the High Court.

The bail order had stated that the ED had failed to provide direct evidence against Kejriwal. "This is a wrong statement... You can decide against me but don't say wrong things about me in the order. This reply was on

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## Russia repatriates 10 Indians fighting in Ukraine warzone

After 4 deaths, MEA seeks 'verified stop' to recruitment

**NEW DELHI, JUNE 21**

As many as 10 Indians recruited by the Russian army for its conflict with Ukraine have been released and repatriated to India, the Ministry of External Affairs (MEA) revealed on Friday.

Four Indian nationals who had been similarly recruited in the Russian army were killed. New Delhi had then strongly taken up the matter with the Russian Ambassador here and with the authorities in Moscow for early release and return of all Indian nationals engaged in

### SEVERAL STILL STUCK

About 20-25 persons who want to be released so far.. 10 Indians have been released.

**Randhir Jaiswal,**  
MEA SPOKESMAN

the Ukraine war. "We have also sought a verified stop to the recruitment. About 20-25 persons who want to be released have contacted us so far. As a result of our efforts,

10 Indian nationals have been released and repatriated," said MEA spokesperson Randhir Jaiswal at a media briefing here.

On the four Indians who were killed in the ongoing conflict, Jaiswal said the MEA was arranging for the return of the mortal remains of the two Indians who were killed recently. The remains of two Indians who were killed were sent back earlier. "We are constantly engaged with the Russian Defence and Foreign Ministry so that

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## Yoga now tool for global good: PM

OUR CORRESPONDENT

**SRINAGAR, JUNE 21**  
The world is looking at yoga as a powerful agent of global good, Prime Minister Narendra Modi said while choosing the picturesque banks of the Dal Lake in Srinagar to lead the nation in celebrating the 10th International Yoga Day. Addressing a gathering at the

### AGENT OF CHANGE

"Yoga helps us live in the present moment without the baggage of the past," he said. **Narendra Modi, PRIME MINISTER**

event, the Prime Minister said yoga had helped people realise their welfare was linked to the welfare of the world around

them. "The world is looking at yoga as a powerful agent of global good. Yoga helps us live in the present moment without the baggage of the past," he said.

He said yoga and tourism could become major sources of employment in Jammu & Kashmir and could transform its economy by attracting

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PM Modi takes a selfie after the yoga session in Srinagar. PH

Today's issue is of 26 pages, including four-page Delhi Tribune.

## Mann won't lead AAP campaign in Jalandhar bypoll

**CHANDIGARH, JUNE 21**

Punjab CM Bhagwant Mann will not lead AAP campaign for the Jalandhar bypoll.

The ruling party has decided that the campaign will be run under the overall supervision of AAP general secretary (organisation) and Rajya Sabha MP Sandeep Pathak. The Chief Minister will canvass only during the last leg of the campaign. **INSIDE**

## SC yet again refuses to defer NEET counselling

**NEW DELHI, JUNE 21**

The Supreme Court on Friday refused to defer the counselling for the controversy-ridden NEET-UG examination scheduled to kick off on July 6, saying it is not an "open and shut" process.

The apex court issued notices to the National Testing Agency (NTA), the Union Government and others on a petition seeking cancellation

**BIHAR COPS TO QUIZ RJD LEADER TEJASHWI'S AIDE**

**TESTING AGENCY NOW DEFERS CSIR-UGC-NET**

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of the May 5 exam over alleged irregularities.

A Vacation Bench of Justices Vikram Nath and SVN Bhatti posted the matter for

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# Four-member ministerial panel set up for administrative revamp

**PRADEEP SHARMA**  
TRIBUNE NEWS SERVICE

**CHANDIGARH, JUNE 21**  
The Haryana Government has again set the process to redrawing the administrative boundaries in motion with the setting up of a four-member ministerial committee.

The high-level committee comprising Agriculture Minister Kanwar Pal Gujjar, Finance Minister Jai Prakash Dalal, Development and Panchayat Minister Mahipal Dhanda, and Urban Local Bodies Minister Subhash Sudha, has been given the mandate "for going into the issue of reorganisation of districts, sub-divisions, tehsils, sub-tehsils, blocks, panchayats and panchayat samitis."

A notification issued by Chief Secretary TVSN Prasad, who also holds the charge of Financial Commissioner, Revenue, and Additional Chief Secretary, Revenue and Disaster Management, said the

**WILL EXAMINE ALL ISSUES**

“The committee will examine the issues relating to reorganisation of administrative units such as districts, sub-divisions, tehsils, sub-tehsils, blocks, panchayat and panchayat samitis with the objective of providing better access to citizen services and to bring about administrative efficiency, synergy across different level of governance and better delivery of services.” TVSN Prasad, CHIEF SECRETARY

**WILL IT SUBMIT REPORT BEFORE POLL?**

With the state Assembly polls slated for October 2024, questions are being raised whether the committee will submit its report before the elections. The model code of conduct is slated to be enforced in the second fortnight of September. Since the committee has been given three months to submit its report, the question arises whether its report will be submitted before the model code of conduct coming into force.

committee will submit its report within three months. "The committee will examine the issues relating to reorganisation of administrative units such as districts, sub-divisions,

cy, synergy across different level of governance and better delivery of services."

The committee will also make recommendations on the broad principles and factors for determining the reorganisation of these administrative units, keeping in mind various demographic, administrative, economic, geographical and other relevant factors.

The committee has been authorised to associate certain MLAs in the discharge of its functions. It may be noted that the chorus for upgrade of Gohana in Sonapat district and Hansi in Hisar district is getting louder. In fact, the decision for the administrative restructuring of the boundaries, including the upgrade of Gohana and Hansi, has been hanging fire for a variety of reasons. Now with the setting up of the new committee, hopes of administrative revamp has brighten up, an official added.

# CM disburses ₹135-cr relief to 54K farmers

**BHIWANI, JUNE 21**  
Chief Minister Nayab Singh Saini today disbursed a compensation of Rs 135 crore for damaged rabi crops directly into the accounts of over 54,000 farmers across the state through the e-Fasal Kshatipurti Portal during a function here.

Besides, the CM also released a financial assistance of Rs 131.24 crore into the accounts of 3,527 eligible beneficiaries under the Deendayal Upadhyaya Antyodaya Parivar Suraksha Yojana.

Saini said the state government was working to strengthen the poor through various schemes. "Over the past 10 years, Pradhan Mantri Fasal Bima Yojana has ensured the security of the farmers from crop damage and empowering the farmers," he said.

The CM said in the last nine and a half years, the double-engine government has provided Rs 12,500 crore as compensation to farmers. "The central and state government is continuously working to empower the poor, farmers, labourers, women and youth," he said. He



Chief Minister Nayab Singh Saini presents a cheque to a farmer in Bhiwani on Friday. TRIBUNE PHOTO

claimed that there was a significant difference between the previous government's tenure and the BJP's tenure in terms of providing compensation to the farmers for crop loss. "The Congress government during its 10-year tenure from 2005 to 2014 gave only Rs 1,100 crore as crop damage compensation to Haryana's farmers while the BJP's double-engine government has given Rs 12,500 crore in the last nine and a half years," he said.

Saini said the Opposition has been spreading misinformation about the state government that the government would abolish the MSP. "Just two days ago, the Central government increased the MSP of crops to benefit farmers. In Haryana, the double-engine government also buys 14 crops at MSP," he said.

The Chief Minister said under the Pradhan Mantri Kisan Samman Nidhi Yojana benefits worth Rs 20,000 crore have been given to the farmers.

Attending her first public meeting after joining the BJP, Tosham MLA Kiran Choudhry said the BJP has introduced the Deendayal Upadhyaya Antyodaya Parivar Suraksha Yojana for the poor and needy.

She said the government is continuously working for the welfare of farmers, women, and youth, providing jobs without bribes. All these efforts will rapidly advance Haryana. In the upcoming times, Bhiwani, Dadri, and Mahendragarh will strengthen the BJP's hand, and we will continue public welfare works, said Choudhry.—TNS

## 4 food inspectors suspended

**PANIPAT, JUNE 21**  
The Director, Food, Civil Supplies and Consumer Affairs Department has suspended four food inspectors for their alleged involvement in the embezzlement of ration stock in connivance with ration depot holders. As per information, Ankit Mittal of Gandhi Colony had filed a complaint against a food inspector, accusing him of embezzling huge ration stocks using his official ID on the Point of Sale (POS) machines of eight depot holders, in connivance with ration depot owners Umesh, Lalita and Anil. TNS

## Saini announces setting up of 100 more yoga centres

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**HISAR, JUNE 21**  
Chief Minister Nayab Singh Saini today announced the setting up of 100 additional yoga vyayamshalas in the state over the next 60 days.

The CM was addressing yoga practitioners at a state-level event here to celebrate the 10th International Yoga Day. The programme was conducted by the Haryana Yoga Aayog and AYUSH Department.

He said regular yoga sessions were already taking place at 714 such facilities. To encourage people to opt for yoga and improve their health, the government had appointed 877 Ayush Yoga Sahayaks.

During the Covid pandemic, when there were no medicines or vaccines available, many people turned to yoga to combat the disease and experienced significant

relief. "Today, yoga is celebrated as a festival. In modern times, everyone's life has become hectic, leading to mental stress. Yoga not only alleviates stress, but also energises the body. A healthy body accelerates personal and societal development," he said.

Saini also released a booklet, "Yoga Protocol", of the Haryana Yoga Aayog and inaugurated two vyayamshalas in Hisar district.

He announced a reward of Rs 2 lakh for school students who performed yoga during the event and honoured several social institutions associated with yoga.

Health Minister Kamal Gupta said states like Goa, Madhya Pradesh and Rajasthan had evinced interest in learning about the process of opening yoga centres and vyayamshalas.



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# Agri Dept sets target of 3.02 lakh acre under DSR

NITISH SHARMA  
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**AMBALA, JUNE 21**  
The Agriculture and Farmers Welfare Department has set a target of 3.02 lakh acre under the Direct Seeded Rice (DSR) technique in 12 paddy-growing districts of the state for the kharif season-2024.

The department has increased the target this year, as in 2023, the department had set the target of 2.25 lakh acre, post water condave, under the scheme.

Like previous year, the department will give an incentive of Rs 4,000 per acre to farmers opting for the DSR technique for which the department has allocated a budget of Rs 120.80 crore.

The interested farmers have to register themselves on the Meri Fasal Mera Byora Portal of the department and the last date of registration is July 10.

As per the information, the Sirsa district has been given the maximum target of 85,000 acre, followed by Karnal (30,000 acre), Fatehabad and Hisar (25,000 acre each) and Kurukshetra (22,000 acre).

Similarly, Jind and Sonapat have been given targets of 20,000 acre each, Kaithal 18,000 acre, while



Farmers transplant paddy in a field on Friday. TRIBUNE PHOTO

**TECHNIQUE GETTING POPULAR**

“The DSR technique is getting popular gradually as a number of farmers have been approaching the department about the scheme and incentive. Efforts are being made to shift the farmers from traditional methods to DSR technique. They are also provided with guidance to manage the weeds through weed management.” Jitender Mehta, SDO, AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT, KURUKSHETRA

Panipat, Rohtak and Yamunanagar 15,000 acre each. The Ambala district has been given a target of 12,000 acre under the scheme.

Through this scheme, the Agriculture Department has been aiming to shift paddy

farmers to DSR technique from the traditional transplantation methods. In view of the depleting water table, the DSR method is considered to be a better technique. However, the targets have been delayed this year, as

generally the targets are given in the month of April.

Now, the farmers have already started paddy transplantation from June 15. Excessive weeds and lower yield in the DSR method have been some concerns for

the farmers and the Agriculture Department due to which the farmers show reluctance in adopting the DSR technique. The Sub-divisional Officer, Agriculture and Farmers' Welfare Department Kurukshetra, Jitender Mehta, said, "The DSR technique is getting popular gradually as a number of farmers have been approaching the department about the scheme and incentive. Efforts are being made to shift the farmers from traditional methods to DSR technique and they are also provided with guidance to manage the weeds through weed management."

Deputy Director Agriculture (DDA) Ambala Dr Jasvinder Saini, said, "The targets for the kharif season has been received. The regular farmers, who have adopted this technique over the years, have already started sowing through DSR. In Ambala, we have a target of 12,000 acre, and we have obtained reports from four blocks (Ambala-I, Ambala-II, Saha and Barara) where over 6,000 acre have already been covered by the farmers. Soon, the department will start holding camps to motivate farmers to adopt the DSR technique."

# Jagadhri residents to benefit most under Shehri Awas Yojana

Families with income up to ₹1.8L eligible, draw of lots on June 24

**RAVINDER SAINI**  
TRIBUNE NEWS SERVICE

**ROHTAK, JUNE 21**  
Residents of Jagadhri town in Yamunanagar district would be benefitted the most under the Mukhya Mantri Shehri Awas Yojana (MMSAY) — a policy formulated to provide housing facilities to needy families in urban areas having an annual family income of up to Rs 1.80 lakh as per the Pariwar Pehchan Patra (PPP).

A total of 3,139 plots will be allotted to people belonging to the category of Ghumantu Jati, Widows, Scheduled Castes (SCs) and others in Jagadhri. It will be followed by Rohtak with 3,070 plots, Rewari (2,229) and Palwal (1,677).

Similarly, 853 such plots will be allotted in Sirsa, followed by Jhajjar (851), Charkhi Dadri (708), Gohana (637), Pinjore (543), Karnal (521), Mahendragarh (438), Safidon (255), Fatehabad (195) and Julana (134). An online draw will be conducted on June 24.

"An online survey was conducted to assess the housing demand of EWS families from September 13 to October 19 last year. After that, booking of plots was opened from February 1 to February 22 at 14 locations under the MMSAY. The

TOWN	PLOTS TO BE ALLOTTED
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Gohana	637
Pinjore	543
Karnal	521
Mahendragarh	438

**CATEGORY-WISE ALLOCATION**  
Ghumantu Jati: 702 | Widows: 2,329 | Scheduled Castes: 6,445 | Others: 5,774

government has decided to allot the plots through a draw of lots," said an official.

He said all 9,982 applicants (belonging to Ghumantu jati, Widows, Scheduled castes, and other applicants) who had booked their plots in 11 locations — Charkhi Dadri, Fatehabad, Jhajjar, Julana, Pinjore, Mahendragarh, Safidon, Sirsa, Gohana, Jagadhri and Rewari — would be eligible to participate in the draw of lots.

However, 4,747 applicants (belonging only to Ghumantu jati, Widows, and Scheduled Castes) who had booked their plots in Palwal and Rohtak

Safidon	255
Fatehabad	195
Julana	134
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>15,250</b>

## BJP playing with future of youth: Hooda

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**PANIPAT, JUNE 21**

Leader of Opposition Bhupinder Singh Hooda today claimed that the BJP government was playing with the future of youth through paper leak and recruitment scams. "Be it NEET or UGC-NET at the national level, or a series of recruitment scams in Haryana, BJP's misdeeds are being exposed at the national and state level," he Hooda, while addressing the Dhanyawadi Karyakarta Sammelan in Sonapat and Panipat.

Congress state president Uday Bhan, newly elected MP from Sonapat Satpal Brahmachari, former speaker Kuldeep Sharma, former state president Dharampal Malik, Congress MLAs and several senior leaders, besides a large number of workers were present. Hooda said the Congress was protesting against NEET and NET scams across the country. "In Haryana, the party has been raising the issue from the streets to the Assembly. Therefore, the public taught the BJP a lesson in the Lok Sabha elections," he said.

The BJP had made the state number one in unemployment, crime, corruption and drug addiction, he claimed.

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# Dahiya sent peon on scooty to fetch ₹1L bribe, says ACB

Two-wheeler registered in the name of HCS officer

**BHARTESH SINGH THAKUR**  
TRIBUNE NEWS SERVICE

**CHANDIGARH, JUNE 21**  
The state Anti-Corruption Bureau (ACB) has revealed that Meenakshi Dahiya, a 2013 batch Haryana Civil Service (HCS) officer, allegedly sent her peon-cum-watchman on a scooty to collect a bribe of Rs 1 lakh from a District Fisheries Officer.

It claimed that the scooty was in the officer's name. Peon Satinder Singh was caught on May 29 while accepting the bribe. In custody, the peon disclosed that though he was an employee of the Urban Local Bodies Department, he used to work at Dahiya's home, who was posted in HSPV in 2020.

He claimed that she had sent him to collect money from District Fisheries Offi-

**BAIL PLEA DISMISSED**  
A Panchkula court on Friday dismissed HCS officer Meenakshi Dahiya's anticipatory bail application in connection with the case. She has reportedly been absconding since May 29

cer Rajan Khora for some official work. Stenographer Joginder Singh, attached to her, has also been arrested for acting as a middleman.

Meanwhile, a Panchkula court today dismissed her anticipatory bail plea. She has reportedly been absconding since May 29.

Khora, the complainant in the case, alleged that he was chargesheeted by his department as part of a conspiracy in 2022 so that his junior could be promoted. However, this year, the Fisheries Minister ordered the chargesheet against him to be dropped after an inquiry found him innocent.

Following this, Dahiya, currently posted as Joint Secretary in the department, summoned Khora to her office in Chandigarh in April through her stenographer and demanded Rs 1 lakh to issue orders to drop the chargesheet.

The same day, Joginder shared her number with Khora and told him to contact her. Khora made a WhatsApp call to Dahiya, who assured him that the orders would be issued that day. After the chargesheet was withdrawn, he visited her office on April 19 to express his gratitude and recorded their conversation. In the transcript submitted to the court, she dis-

cussed the Rs 1 lakh amount settled by Khora with Joginder, saying that he could arrange it at his convenience as she was in no hurry.

On May 22, at the parking of a hotel in Panchkula, during a party organised on the superannuation of an IAS officer, she gave Khora a slip with the name and mobile number of Satinder Singh. She said she would accept money through Satinder due to a complaint lodged against her with the Vigilance.

Khora had also recorded his conversation with Satinder. After the arrest of her peon and stenographer, the ACB issued notices to her, requesting her to join the investigation, but she did not respond. The police visited her residence repeatedly, but she was not present.

# Ambala residents air concern over persistent flooding ahead of rains

**NTITISH SHARMA**  
TRIBUNE NEWS SERVICE

**AMBALA, JUNE 21**

As the monsoon is approaching, the people and politicians have started voicing their concern about the persistent flooding and waterlogging problems of Ambala, recalling the losses caused by the water last year.

The residents are not satisfied with ongoing cleaning of drains and have apprehension that the water may again cause heavy losses and disrupt lives if the smooth flow of water was not ensured.

MS Dhillon, a resident of Sector 10 Ambala City, said, "In the absence of cleaning of drains last year, the residents had suffered heavy losses as water entered the houses and the streets remained flooded for days. The senior officials failed to check the ground reality and rely on the reports being given



Former Home Minister Anil Vij inspects a drain in Ambala Cantonment.

by the staff. They should check the condition of drains and take appropriate action."

Ravi Kumar, a resident of Ambala Cantonment, said, "The residents living along the Tangri have suffered heavy losses and the structures of the houses also suffered damages. The government should find some permanent solution."

Congress leader advocate Rohit Jain said, "Due to poor cleaning of drains, people of Ambala suffered floods last year and still not much attention is being given this year. The ongoing cleaning work is not satisfactory as there is still sludge in the drains. We demand that the drains should be cleaned properly and all guidelines of the Sol-

id Waste Management Rules, 2016, should be implemented so that the city could be saved from floods. In case of any loss of life, legal action should be taken."

INLD spokesman Onkar Singh said, "The pending storm water project is a concern and it appears the residents may again face the situation of severe waterlogging this year. Last year, the residents had suffered heavy losses but it seems the administration and the government hasn't learned any lesson."

Former Home Minister and Ambala Cantonment MLA Anil Vij on Thursday inspected the drains and the Tangri with Deputy Commissioner Dr Shaleen, officials of the Irrigation Department, Municipal Council Ambala Sadar, NHAI, Railways, Public Health and Engineering Department and the PWD.

# Breather for residents as mercury dips

**PARVEEN ARORA**  
TRIBUNE NEWS SERVICE

**KARNAL, JUNE 21**

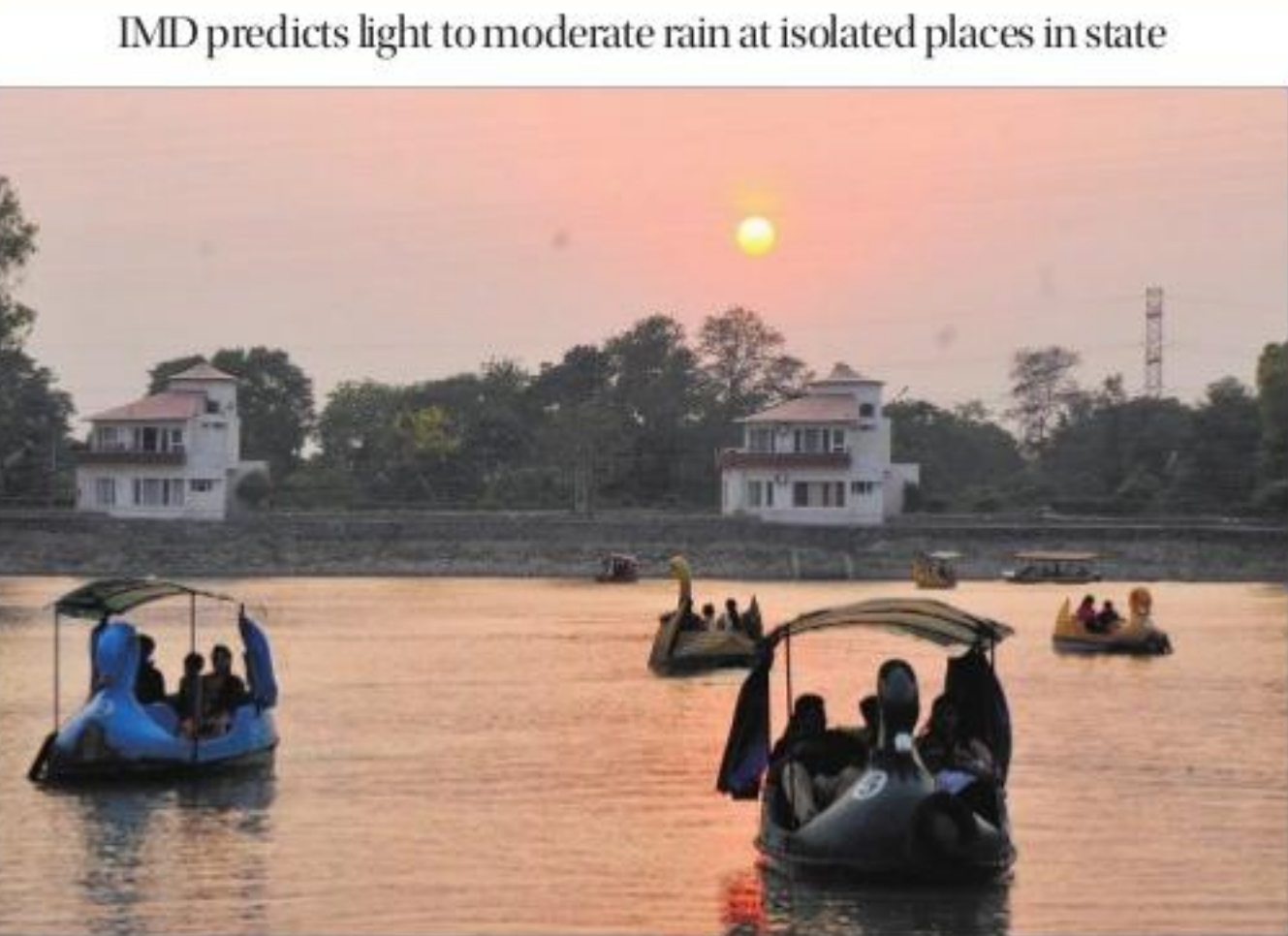
The impact of the rainfall that lashed the region on Wednesday night through Thursday continued today, contributing to a dip in temperature, and giving people across the state respite from the sweltering heat.

The average maximum temperature dropped by 2°C today compared to Thursday. The highest recorded maximum temperature in the state was 41.5°C.

The IMD predicts light to moderate rain and thunderstorms at isolated places in the state, which may further aid in the cooling process. The drop in temperature has brought a sigh of relief to residents grappling with high temperatures over the past weeks.

Ambala recorded 38°C, Hisar 33°C, Karnal 34.2°C, Rohtak 37.8°C, Sirsa 34.4°C, Gurugram 38°C, Charkhi Dadri 38.8°C, Hisar 33.9°C, Jind 36.7°C, Mahendragarh 38.1°C, Panipat 34.6°C, Rewari 38.4°C, Sonapat 37.6°C, and Yamunanagar 38.7°C.

The temperature in these



People enjoy boating on a pleasant evening at Karna Lake in Karnal. TRIBUNE PHOTO

districts was significantly lower than the highs observed earlier, positively impacting daily life, with residents experiencing more comfortable conditions. Farmers, in particular, are optimistic about the beneficial effects of the rain on crops.

They said it was the first rainfall during the paddy transplantation season and they can transplant paddy easily. "The rain was much-needed and will help us in expediting the transplantation of paddy. We were earlier worried about transplantation due to

the heat wave that dried fields and made irrigation difficult," said Anil Kumar, a farmer. Aman Mehla, another farmer, said the dip in temperature due to rainfall had come as a blessing for them and would help them keep their fields irrigated.

# Redress complaints on priority: ADC to officials

**TRIBUNE NEWS SERVICE**

**ROHTAK, JUNE 21**

Rohtak Additional Deputy Commissioner (ADC) Vaishali Singh has directed the officials concerned to dispose of the complaints made by residents on priority instead of forcing them to make rounds of government offices.

The ADC was hearing the grievances of the residents at a samadhan shivir organised in Rohtak on Friday. She told the officials of different government departments to ensure that the grievances are redressed as soon as possible.

As many as 144 complaints

## Camps to rectify errors in family IDs

were received at the shivir today. Zila Parishad CEO Mahesh Kumar, City Magistrate Ankit Kumar, District Development and Panchayat Officer Rajpal Chahal and District Revenue Officer Kanab Lakra were also present.

Meanwhile, ADC Vaishali Singh said special camps were being held at ward and village level to rectify the mistakes in family IDs of the residents, adding that the camps would continue till June 22.

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# Gang involved in sex determination racket busted

**SIRSA, JUNE 21**

A joint team of the Health Departments of Fatehabad and Sirsa conducted a raid at Makhu in Ferozepur district of Punjab and busted a gang allegedly involved in sex determination tests. Though the team apprehended an intermediary with Rs 20,000, the main suspect fled with the testing machine.

The action was part of interstate raids. Dr Mahendra Singh Bhadu, Civil Surgeon of Sirsa, received a complaint about a gang conducting sex determination tests in Punjab.

A pregnant woman, posing as a decoy, struck a deal with a woman from Muktsar, Punjab, for Rs 45,000 to conduct a sex determination test. She was taken near the Government Hospital at Makhu and the woman contacted a doctor named Ramandeep on phone. Later, an employee of a private hospital arrived on a motorcycle and the woman gave Rs 20,000 to the decoy and kept the rest of the money.

As the youth was leaving with the decoy, the medical team followed them, but lost them in the crowded streets. Shortly after the ultrasound, she informed the decoy via phone that the foetus was a girl. When the youth was about to leave after dropping her off, the team apprehended him and recovered the cash. The team then raided the house where the ultrasound was conducted. —OC

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## Manhurt in shooting outside jail

**FEROZEPUR, JUNE 21**  
One person, identified as Lalit Kumar, alias Lalli, sustained bullet injuries following the shooting by three motorcycle-borne persons outside Central Jail. The incident took place around 7.40 pm when Lalli

along with his two associates was awaiting outside the Central Jail to receive his friend, who was getting released on bail. Suddenly, three motorcycle-borne persons arrived there and fired three rounds towards them in which Lalli got injured. — OC

**R. O. :-** HDFC Bank House, Senapati Bapat Marg, Lower Panel, West Mumbai.  
**Legal office: Bank House, Plot No. 115, Sector -101, Mohali**

### POSSESSION NOTICE APPENDIX IV (RULE 8(1))

Whereas the undersigned being the Authorized officer of the (HDFC Bank Ltd. under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 and in exercise of Powers conferred under section 13(2) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued a Demand Notice dated 03.04.2024 calling upon the borrower (1). Manjeet Singh S/o Rattan Singh H.No. 1989, Sector -18 Huda Panipat, 132103...Applicant/ Borrower. (2). Joginder Singh S/o Rattan Singh H.No. 1989, Sector-18 Huda Panipat, 132103...Applicant/ Borrower. (3). Ashok Kumar S/o Karan Singh R/o 622/16 Netaji Colony Panipat, 132103...Guarantor to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs 2,45,34,012.79** (Rs. Two Crore Forty Five Lakhs Thirty Four Thousand Twelve rupees and Seventy Nine Paise Only) and interest thereon within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The Borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the Borrower/Guarantor and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described here in below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said rules on this **18.06.2024**

The Borrower/Guarantor in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the HDFC Bank Ltd. for an amount of Rs 2,45,34,012.79 (Rs. Two Crore Forty Five Lakhs Thirty Four Thousand Twelve rupees and Seventy Nine Paise Only) and interest thereon.

**DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY:** Cloud-9 Foods Shop No.57 Total Land 27 Square Yards, Scheme, No.03, Improvement Trust Situated At Tau Devi Lal Complex Near Mahavir Colony, Tehsil And District Panipat 132103. Within Limits Of Municipal Corporation, Panipat Came In Ownership Manjeet Singh S/o Rattan Singh R/o 1879 Sector -18 Panipat 132103 Vide Sale Deed Vaska No. 1270 Dated 19.05.2022 Of Sub Registrar Panipat. Which is Bounded As Under:- North :- Parking And Road South :- DS Shop No. 64. East :- DS Shop No. 56. West :- DS Shop No. 58.

**Date:- 18.06.2024 Place: Panipat, Haryana**

**TATA CAPITAL HOUSING FINANCE LIMITED**  
Regd. Office: 11th Floor, Tower A, Peninsula Business Park, Ganpatrao Kadam Marg, Lower Panel, Mumbai-400013 CIN No.: U67190MH2008PLC187552

### DEMAND NOTICE

Under Section 13 (2) of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 ("Act") read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 ("Rules")

Whereas the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of Tata Capital Housing Finance Limited (TCHFL) under the Act and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 (2) read with Rule 3 of the Rules already issued detailed Demand Notice dated below under Section 13(2) of the Act, calling upon the Borrower(s)/Co-Borrower(s)/Guarantor(s) (all singularly or together referred to "Obligors")/Legal Heir(s)/Legal Representative(s) listed hereunder, to pay the amount mentioned in the respective Demand Notice, within 60 days from the date of the respective Notice, as per details given below. Copies of the said Notices are served by Registered Post A.D. and are available with the undersigned, and the said Obligor(s)/Legal Heir(s)/Legal Representative(s), may, if they so desire, collect the respective copy from the undersigned on any working day during normal office hours.

In connection with the above, Notice is hereby given, once again, to the said Obligor(s) /Legal Heir(s)/Legal Representative(s) to pay to TCHFL, within 60 days from the date of the respective Notice(s), the amount indicated herein below against their respective names, together with further interest as detailed below from the respective dates mentioned below in column (d) till the date of payment and / or realisation, read with the loan agreement and other documents/writings, if any, executed by the said Obligor(s). As security for due repayment of the loan, the following Secured Asset(s) have been mortgaged to TCHFL by the said Obligor(s) respectively.

Loan Account No.	Name of Obligor(s)/Legal Heir(s)/Legal Representative(s)	Total Outstanding Due Rs. as on below Dates	Date of Demand Notice & NPA Date
TCHH07 04000100 107662	Mr. Jaipal Rathee Alias Jaipal Alias Jaipal Singh (Borrower) & Mrs. Rakesh Rathee Alias Rakesh Devi & Deep Hotel & Restaurant Through its Proprietor (Co-Borrower)	As on 12/06/2024, an amount of Rs. 1,23,29,281/- (Rupees One Crore Twenty Three Lakh Twenty Nine Thousand Two Hundred Eighty One Only)	13-06-2024 & 03-06-2024

**Description of the Secured Assets / Immovable Properties / Mortgaged Properties:-** All piece and parcel of: 1. Immovable Property being Plot, Admeasuring 120 Sq. Yds. Comprised in Kharsa No. 694, Situated at Rakha Bahadurgarh, Locality known as Vasant Vihar, Inside Municipal Limits Bahadurgarh, District Jhajjar (Haryana), with all common amenities mentioned in Sale Deed dated 17.12.2012 in favour of Mrs. Rakesh Devi. Boundaries: East - Road 12' Wide (Side 18'), West- Plot of Others (Side 18'), North - House of Krishna (Side 60'), South - Open Road (Side 60'). 2. Immovable Property being Plot, Admeasuring 80 Sq. Yds. Comprised in Kharsa No. 2354/2, Situated at Rakha Bahadurgarh, Locality known as Mahabir Park, Inside Municipal Limits, Bahadurgarh, District Jhajjar (Haryana), with all common amenities mentioned in Sale Deed dated 20.09.2005 in favour of Mrs. Rakesh Devi. Boundaries: East- House of Randhir Singh (Side 20'), West- Plot of Vard Prakash (Side 20'), North- Open Road (Side 27'), South- House of Ratan Singh (Side 27').

TCHH07330 00100192379, TCHH07330 0100193831	Mr. Harshvardhan (Borrower) & Mrs. Kiran Bala (Co-Borrower)	As on 15/06/2024, an amount of Rs. 11,86,618/- (Rupees Eleven Lakh Eighty Six Thousand Six Hundred Eighteen Only) is Due and payable by you under the loan account TCHH0733000 100192379 and an amount of Rs. 63,111/- (Rupees Sixty Three Thousand One Hundred Eleven Only) is due and payable under the loan account no TCHH0733 000100193831 by you i.e. totalling Rs. 12,49,729 (Rupees Twelve Lakh Forty Nine Thousand Seven Hundred Twenty Nine Only)	15-06-2024 & 03-06-2024
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**Description of the Secured Assets / Immovable Properties / Mortgaged Properties:-** All that Piece & Parcels of Residential Property bearing New M.C. ID No. 8CTAUK14 and Old M.C. ID No. HSHCMW030080, Admeasuring 02 Marlas i.e. 63.33 Sq. Yds. Being 2/183 Share Out of Total Land 09 Khasra - 03 Marla, Comprised in Kharsa No. 1029, Khatoni No. 1083, Aayat No. 08, Kharsa No. 16/1 (B-2), 25/1/1 (1-1), Kille 2, Situated at Patti Jhambada, Inside Biji Colony, Shahbad, Tehsil Shahabad Markanda, District Kurukshetra - 136135 (Uttar Pradesh), along with all common amenities mentioned in Sale Deed. Boundaries: East - Plot No. 05, West - Plot No. 03, North - Property of Jaswant Kaur W/o Surjeet Singh, South - Road 22.5 Ft. Wide.

"with further interest, additional interest at the rate as more particularly stated in respective Demand Notice dated mentioned above, incidental expenses, costs, charges etc incurred till the date of payment and/or realization. If the said Obligor(s) shall fail to make payment to TCHFL as aforesaid, then TCHFL shall proceed against the above Secured Asset(s)/Immovable Property(ies) under Section 13(4) of the said Act and the applicable Rules entirely at the risk of the said Obligor(s)/Legal Heir(s)/ Legal Representative(s) as to the costs and consequences.

The said Obligor(s)/Legal Heir(s)/Legal Representative(s) are prohibited under the said Act to transfer the aforesaid Secured Asset(s)/Immovable Property(ies), whether by way of sale, lease or otherwise without the prior written consent of TCHFL. Any person who contravenes or abets contravention of the provisions of the Act or Rules made thereunder shall be liable for imprisonment and/or penalty as provided under the Act.

**DATE :- 22-06-2024, PLACE :- HARYANA**

**Sd/- Authorised Officer For TATA CAPITAL HOUSING FINANCE LIMITED**

**Registered Office: HDFC Bank House, Senapati Bapat Marg, Lower Panel, West Mumbai. Legal Cell: Harmony Tower Branch, G.T. Road Panipat, Haryana**

### DEMAND NOTICE

**DEMAND NOTICE UNDER SEC 13(2) OF THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002.**

The following borrowers & co-borrowers availed the below mentioned secured loans from HDFC Bank Ltd. the loans of below mentioned borrowers & co-borrowers have been secured by the mortgage of their respective properties. As they have failed to adhere to the terms & conditions of the respective loan agreements and had become irregular, their loans were classified as NPA's as per the RBI guidelines. Amounts due by them to HDFC Bank Ltd are mentioned in the following table and further interest on the said amounts shall also be payable as applicable and the same will be charged with effect from their respective dates.

Name of Borrowers and Guarantor	Details of Secured as At
1. Arun Metal Industries (borrower) through its Partners (i) Nitesh Goel S/o Parveen Kumar Goel 699, Jesico Colony, Jagadhari, Yamunanagar, Haryana - 135003 (ii) Ashish Goel S/o Parveen Kumar Goel 699, Jesico Colony, Jagadhari, Yamunanagar, Haryana - 135003 (iii) Ritu Goel W/o Parveen Kumar Goel 699, Jesico Colony, Jagadhari, Yamunanagar, Haryana - 135003 (2). Nitesh Goel S/o Parveen Kumar Goel (co-borrower & Guarantor) C-4, 1839, Civil Line, Jagadhari, Haryana - 135003 Also At: Nitesh Goel S/o Parveen Kumar Goel C-4, 1839, Sector 2, Civil Line, Jagadhari, Haryana - 135003 Also At: Nitesh Goel S/o Parveen Kumar Goel 699, Jesico Colony, Jagadhari, Yamunanagar, Haryana - 135003 (3). Ritu Goel W/o Parveen Kumar Goel (co-borrower/guarantor & Mortgagor) C-4, 1839, Civil Line, Jagadhari, Haryana - 135003 Also At: Ritu Goel W/o Parveen Kumar Goel C-4, 1839, Sector 2, Civil Line, Jagadhari, Haryana - 135003 Also At: Ritu Goel W/o Parveen Kumar Goel 699, Jesico Colony, Jagadhari, Yamunanagar, Haryana - 135003 (4). Ashish Goel S/o Parveen Kumar Goel (co-borrower & Guarantor) C-4, 1839, Civil Line, Jagadhari, Haryana - 135003 Also At: Ashish Goel S/o Parveen Kumar Goel 699, Jesico Colony, Jagadhari, Yamunanagar, Haryana - 135003 (3). Ritu Goel W/o Parveen Kumar Goel (co-borrower/Guarantor & Mortgagor) C-4, 1839, Civil Line, Jagadhari, Haryana - 135003 Also At: Ritu Goel W/o Parveen Kumar Goel C-4, 1839, Sector-2, Civil Line, Jagadhari, Haryana - 135003 Also At: Ritu Goel W/o Parveen Kumar Goel C-1/899, Jesico Colony, Jagadhari, District Yamunanagar, Haryana - 135003 (4). Ashish Goel S/o Parveen Kumar Goel (co-borrower & Guarantor) C-4, 1839, Civil Line, Jagadhari, Haryana - 135003 Also At: Ashish Goel S/o Parveen Kumar Goel 699, Jesico Colony, Jagadhari, Yamunanagar, Haryana - 135003	Land Measuring 1344 Sq. Yards Along With Superstructure Existing Thereon Situated At Jesico Colony, Property No. C/1699, Tehsil Jagadhari, District Yamunanagar Within Municipal Limits Of Municipal Corporation, Yamuna Nagar, Purchased Vide Release Deed No. 4584 Dated 27-08-2014. The Property is Bounded As Under:- North: Road South: Road East: Mis Gura Kirpa Strips West: Ganpati Dhatu Udyog. Owner Name: Ritu Goel W/o Parveen Kumar Goel R/o H No. C-4/1839, Civil Lines, Jagadhari, Yamunanagar, Haryana. Property Type: Industrial/Commercial

Since the notices sent to you in the address in which you originally reside / carry on business / personally works for gain has returned undelivered to us, we are constrained to cause this notice published. You are hereby called upon u/s 13(2) of the above Act to discharge the above mentioned liability with contracted rate of interest thereupon from their respective dates and other costs, charges etc. within 60 days of this notice failing which the Bank will be exercising all or any of the rights u/s 13(4) of the above Act. You are also put to notice that as per terms of Sec 13(13) of the above Act, you shall not transfer by sale, lease or otherwise the aforesaid secured assets.

**Date: 22.06.2024 Place: Panipat, Haryana**

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**PATIALA, JUNE 21**

A few months back, the management of a dera in a border district was caught stealing power worth Rs 1 lakh per month. Punjab State Power Corporation Limited (PSPCL) officials were surprised that when their team went to check the "illegal connection", it was threatened.

At a village in Tarn Taran, a ruling party supporter was found using a kundli connection. When a PSPCL team visited the village, some local leaders and farm union members stopped the team from taking action.

In many villages of Bathinda, Faridkot, Patti and Jalandhar, where there are the maximum beneficiaries of the free power scheme, underground wires are laid only to steal power.

There are thousands of such cases in Punjab where ghost consumers steal power; despite using 300 units of free power every month, causing a loss to the government exchequer. In most cases, political parties do not allow action against their "core members". In 2015-16, the loss due to power theft amounted to Rs 1,200 crore, but the data shows that the figure has now touched Rs 1,830 cr.

Despite availing free power benefits at the behest of successive governments, the



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greed for "more free power" continues to burden the state government and honest tax payers. The data collected from the PSPCL shows that Rs 1,800 crore of power is stolen every year by consumers, in which villages have the lion's share of over Rs 1500 crore.

Tarn Taran's Patti division is running into Rs 133 cr loss per annum, followed closely

by Ferozepur's Zira division Rs 131 crore, Bhikhiwind Rs 129 crore, Amritsar west Rs 94 cr and Jalandhar accounts for Rs 87 crore.

"Our officers who are out in the field to check power theft are heckled, locked for hours and even threatened to be transferred or implicated in false cases. In many cases, villagers are found stealing power openly and

## 23 GOVT DEPTS ON DEFAULTER LIST, OWE ₹3,607CR

**₹3,600 CR UNPAID BILLS**

Not only residents, but the government is also at the wrong side of the law. Information reveals that 23 departments have failed to pay ₹3,607 crore to the PSPCL despite many reminders.

Not even disconnect their connections as many departments are providing emergency services. Disconnecting connections will only trouble residents", said a govt functionary.

### CHALLENGES

- Kundli connections/bypassing of meters lead to theft of 2,620 million units amounting to ₹1,800 crore
- Resistance to installation of smart meters
- Resistance to shifting of meters outside premises
- Resistance to replacement of 2.35 lakh electromechanical meters
- Nexus of politicians, farm unions and unscrupulous PSPCL staff

### ANTI-THEFT TEAMS HECKLED

Our officers, who are out in the field to check power theft, are heckled, locked for hours and even threatened to be transferred or implicated in false cases. In many cases, villagers are found stealing power openly and when our teams enter the village, they are stopped and manhandled.

Ajay Pal Singh Atwal, general secretary, PSEB ENGINEERS ASSOCIATION

### BILL PENDING AGAINST DEPTS TILL APRIL 2024

Local Bodies Department	Rural Development Department	Health and Family Welfare Department	Home Affairs and Justice Department	School Education Department
<b>₹1,468 CR</b>	<b>₹1,925 CR</b>	<b>₹136 CR</b>	<b>₹26 CR</b>	<b>₹15 CR</b>

when our teams enter the village, they are stopped and, by that time, the defaulters take off kundis", said Ajay Pal Singh Atwal, general secretary, PSEB Engineers Association. A former chief engineer with the PSPCL said: "The shifting of meters, from inside houses to poles, is not being allowed. Even the move to change electro-mechanical

meters with electronic ones is resisted", he said.

"In certain pockets, some associations collect monthly Rs 500 to allow power theft and any check by PSPCL teams is opposed by residents, including women", he added.

"Thousands of consumers resort to power theft to keep their bi-monthly reading below 600 units. Besides, pow-

er theft is a way of life in the border zone," said a top PSPCL official.

"Many villages are getting supply from feeders where the transmission loss is 90 per cent. A majority of consumers is involved in stealing power despite 300 units of free power from the government", he said. Power theft during summers is at its peak.

## Jalandhar bypoll: AAP, SAD, Cong nominees file papers

**JALANDHAR, JUNE 21**

AAP candidate Mahinder Bhagat filed his nomination papers for the Jalandhar West Assembly byelection today. Congress candidate Surinder Kaur and Akali's Surjit Kaur also filed their nominations.

Bhagat was accompanied by Cabinet Minister Harpal Singh Cheema, Minister Aman Arora, AAP MP from Hoshiarpur Dr Rajkumar Chhabwale and AAP leader Pawan Tinu. AAP leader Rajwinder Kaur Thiara also joined him.

With the nomination coinciding with Kabir Jyanti,



Surinder Kaur of the Congress before filing nomination papers.

which was celebrated with fervour here, the AAP candidate also paid obeisance at the Kabir temple located in Bhargo Camp. Bhagat also participated in the shobha

yatra. Before filing the nomination, he also took blessings of his father, former state minister Chhuni Lal Bhagat.

Bhagat had quit the BJP to join AAP in 2023. — TNS

### PUBLIC NOTICE

It is hereby notified to the general public that an application has been received in this office of Market Committee Barara, Distt. Ambala by Smt. Krishna Rani W/o Sh. Lekh Raj R/o Barara, Distt. Ambala, with the request to transfer the Booth No. 186, size 15'x37' situated in New Gran Market Barara, in her name, after the death of Sh. Lekh Raj dated: 21.12.2020. This booth is recorded with the Name of Sh. Lekh Raj C/o M/s Chhabra Karyana Store, Barara in Market Committee Barara record. As per application submitted by Smt. Krishna Rani, she stated that after the death of her husband Sh. Lekh Raj, she and Sh. Naresh Kumar & Sh. Naveen Chhabra (Sons) & Smt. Sunita Rani & Daya Rani urf Priyanka Malik (Daughters) are the only legal heirs regarding Sh. Lekh Raj property. In addition she also submitted the duly attested affidavits of Smt. Krishna Rani (Wife), Sh. Naresh Kumar & Sh. Naveen Chhabra (Sons) & Smt. Sunita Rani & Daya Rani urf Priyanka Malik (Daughters), regarding transfer of Booth No. 186, in the favour of Smt. Krishna Rani W/o Sh. Lekh Raj, Barara, Distt. Ambala. Now, if any one have any objection in this regards then he/she/they may submit their objections in writing with documentary proof in this office within 30 (Thirty) days of publication of this notice. After lapse the said period of 30 days, the said property i.e. Booth No. 186 will be transfer in the name of above applicant Smt. Krishna Rani and no objection will be entertained thereafter.

**Sd/- Secretary-cum-E.O. Market Committee Barara.**

**DI-4980**

## 254 held as anti-drug operation continues

**CHANDIGARH, JUNE 21**

Senior officers from the Punjab Police Headquarters (PPHQ) joined CPs/SSPs to conduct a massive state-level cordon and search operation carried out under the name of Eagle-IV at the drug hotspots, leading to the arrest of 254 persons.

The operation was conducted on the directions of DGP Gaurav Yadav in all 23 police districts and Special DGP/ADGP/IGP/DIG rank officers from PPHQ were deputed in each police district to supervise the operation.

Special DGP, Law and Order, Arpit Shukla, who joined SSP Guneet Singh Khurana in Rupnagar, said the CPs/SSPs were told to plan this operation in a meticulous manner and conduct raids at such areas, which

have become safe haven for peddlers amid massive deployment of the police force.

The Special DGP said there were 906 drone sightings reported in all border districts since September 2019, of which 187 drones were seized.

Shukla said the police teams had registered 221 FIRs after arresting 254 persons. Police teams have also checked 4,575 suspicious persons and verified their credentials.

He said the properties of big drug smugglers — caught with 2kg or above heroin — are also being forfeited. "The police have forfeited 459 properties worth Rs 200 crore of big smugglers since the AAP government came into power while 559 more proposals to freeze properties worth Rs 246 crore are pending," said Shukla. — TNS

## Mann not to lead AAP campaign in Jalandhar

Will be run under RS MP Pathak's supervision

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**CHANDIGARH, JUNE 21**

Chief Minister Bhagwant Mann will not lead the Aam Aadmi Party election campaign in Jalandhar.

Though he will be the face of the campaign for candidate Mahinder Bhagat, 23 senior leaders, including two MPs, four ministers and MLAs, are the part of the campaign.

The ruling party has decided that the campaign will be run under the overall supervision of general secretary, organisation, and Rajya Sabha MP Sandeep Pathak. Mann will canvass only during the last leg of the campaign.

This decision may be strategic, considering that the result of the byelection will be considered a referendum on the performance of the government, within just a month of the ruling party losing on 10 of the 13 Lok Sabha seats. The electoral performance in this bypoll is bound to have an impact on the political fortunes of the one leading the campaign. Thus, it may be strategically wise to keep the CM away as the leader of the campaign.

Defending its Jalandhar



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### MINISTERS, MLAs PART OF TEAM

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- The ministers chosen to lead the campaign are Kuldeep Dhaliwal, Laljit Singh Bhullar, Dr Baljit Kaur and Lal Chand Kataruchak
- Newly elected MPs Gurmeet Singh Meht Hayer and Malvinder Kang will also campaign

West seat is becoming a matter of prestige for the ruling Aam Aadmi Party, during the bypoll scheduled for July 10. The election has been necessitated by the resignation of former AAP MLA Sheetal Angural, who resigned from the party and joined the BJP. The party will be putting all its might to win back the seat. The 23 leaders, including MPs, ministers and MLAs, have been made in-charge of 23 wards that fall in Jalandhar West. The ministers chosen to

lead the campaign are Kuldeep Dhaliwal, Laljit Singh Bhullar, Dr Baljit Kaur and Lal Chand Kataruchak, while newly elected MPs Gurmeet Singh Meht Hayer and Malvinder Kang have also been chosen.

Sources say that each chairman of the board or corporation has been assigned the task of campaigning in each of the 181 booths. All these people have been asked to camp in Jalandhar from June 22 till the last day of the campaign on July 8.

## Nihangs clash with police during protest outside liquor vend, 5 held

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**JALANDHAR, JUNE 21**

A group of Nihangs, who were sitting on a dhama demanding the forcible closure of a liquor vend in Chhoti Baradari locality here this evening, allegedly clashed with the cops, who had reached the site to remove the protesters.

During the clash, a Nihang had reportedly taken out a sword and aimed at Inspector Sahil Chaudhary of Model Town Police Station and ACP Harjinder Singh but could not attack them. The police have arrested five Nihangs and booked them under Sections 307, 353, 186, 160, 148 and 149 of the IPC.

The Nihangs had pitched tents and been sitting on a



A Nihang during a clash with the police at Chhoti Baradari in Jalandhar on Friday.

dharna for the past few days demanding that the liquor vend should be closed. They had also put up banners with threatening message to the

buyers against purchasing liquor from the same vend. One of the banners even read: "Anyone found consuming liquor here could face death".

As the SHO and the ACP reached the site and tried to evict the agitators, the nihangs resisted and one Amanjot Singh wielded his sword. The police personnel caught hold of him from the back in the nick of time, bundled him in a vehicle and took him and his four supporters away. Their tents and banners were removed soon after.

As the BJP leaders and various sports and social groups in Jalandhar had been organising International Yoga Day this morning, the nihangs had been holding a counter event of 'Gatka Divas' on Nakodar Road.



23 pharma drugs  
manufactured  
in state declared  
substandard

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SOLAN, JUNE 21

Twenty three drug samples, including five injection samples, manufactured in Himachal Pradesh, were among 52 drugs declared sub-standard nationally by various state and central drugs regulator in the monthly alert issued today by the Central Drugs Standard Control Organisation (CDSCO).

The drugs regulator specially targetted the injections which do not confirm to the schedule V of the Drugs and Cosmetics Act, 1940. State Drugs Controller, Manish Kapoor, said batches of all drugs samples figuring in the alert would be recalled immediately from the market and the field staff would be directed to enquire into the quality failure issues.

Among the drug samples which failed quality parameters include Metoprolol Succinate tablet, Cefixime Axetil tablets, Prednisolone tablets, Telmisartan tablets, Cefoperazone and Sulbactam injection, Pantaprazole tablet, Ambroxol syrup, Dexamethasone Sodium Phosphate injection, Dofenac sodium, paracetamol tablet, among others. These drugs are used for ailments like allergy, blood pressure, diabetes, allergy, pain, bacterial infection, respiratory disease, etc.

CM's wife Kamlesh, Hoshiyar Singh  
file papers from Dehra Assembly seat

₹1,500 per month to be transferred to accounts of 10,000 women on June 25, says CM



BJP candidate Hoshiyar Singh with his supporters and (right) Congress candidate Kamlesh Thakur files nomination at Dehra on Friday. KAMALJEET



LALIT MOHAN  
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DHARAMSALA, JUNE 21

Two main candidates for Dehra Assembly bypoll, CM's wife Kamlesh Thakur and BJP candidate Hoshiyar Singh, filed their nomination papers before the returning officer in Dehra today.

While addressing a rally after the filing of nomination papers by his wife, Chief Minister Sukhvinder Sukhu said the people of Dehra, who had elected Hoshiyar Singh twice as an Independent candidate, should ask him why he defied their mandate and

CANDIDATES' ASSETS

HOSHIYAR SINGH	KAMLESH THAKUR
Age: 57 years	Age: 53 years
Moveable assets: ₹4.30 cr	Moveable assets: ₹54.65 L
Immovable assets: ₹1.62 cr	Immovable assets: ₹2.91 cr
Educational qualifications: B.Com second year	Educational qualifications: Master of Arts

who pressurised him to resign. He also alleged that instead of bringing the people's problems to his notice, Hoshiyar Singh used to come to him to get his personal work done.

Establishing an instant rapport with the people of the area, the Chief Minister said Dehra was his paternal home

and also the place of his in-laws. "Before my wife stood as a Congress candidate, I had already sanctioned Rs 400 crore zoological park for the area. The project would provide employment to 2,000 youths from the area," he said. He also said that the government would transfer Rs 1,500 per month to the accounts of

10,000 women on June 25.

The Congress managed to bring all disgruntled factions of the party on one platform to help CM's wife in Dehra byelections.

Meanwhile, BJP candidate Hoshiyar Singh also filed his nomination papers for Dehra byelections with a large number of supporters by his side. He was accompanied by former CM Jai Ram Thakur and former Union Minister for Information and Broadcasting and BJP MP from Hamirpur Anurag Thakur.

While talking to mediaper-

sons, Jai Ram Thakur said Chief Minister Sukhu was responsible for the present situation due to which the state had to undergo byelections in nine Assembly constituencies. Six Congress and three Independent MLAs resigned and joined the BJP due to the dictatorial attitude of the CM, he said.

He said the treasurer of HPCC Rajesh Sharma had levelled serious allegations against the Chief Minister. "He should come forward and answer the allegations levelled by Sharma," the former Chief Minister said.

Rebel pacified, Dehra  
to see direct contest

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DHARAMSALA, JUNE 21

With Congress managing to pacify its rebel leader Rajesh Sharma, Dehra Assembly constituency is headed for a direct contest.

Rajesh Sharma, who had threatened to contest as an independent candidate, accompanied Chief Minister Sukhvinder Sukhu and his wife Kamlesh Thakur to the office of SDM Dehra and returning officer for byelections for filing her nomination papers today. While talking to newsmen, Rajesh said that he was a disciplined soldier of the Congress and would work for victory of CM's wife Kamlesh Thakur.

Dehra will now witness a direct contest between BJP candidate Hoshiyar Singh and Congress candidate

Kamlesh Thakur. In 2017 and 2022 elections Dehra had witnessed a triangular contest featuring independent candidate Hoshiyar Singh and Congress and BJP candidates. Hoshiyar Singh had won both times.

However, this time Hoshiyar Singh is contesting as a BJP candidate after resigning as an independent MLA and facing a formidable opponent in the form of the Chief Minister's wife with the Congress government firmly in power. Hoshiyar Singh also faces the challenge of taking along the BJP cadres with him. He had been at loggerheads with many BJP leaders from Dehra. Sources here said many BJP workers were planning to join Congress in the coming days in protest against naming of Hoshiyar Singh as party candidate from Dehra.

19 in poll fray for 3  
Assembly bypolls



Congress candidate Pushpinder Verma files nomination for Hamirpur Assembly seat on Friday. TRIBUNE PHOTO

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SHIMLA, JUNE 21

A total of 13 nominations were filed on the last day of filing of papers for the Dehra, Hamirpur and Nalagarh Assembly bypolls today. According to the Election Department, a total 19 candidates have filed their nomination papers for bye-elections to be held on July 10.

There are a total of seven candidates in Dehra, four in Hamirpur and eight candidates in Nalagarh. scrutiny of nomination papers will be

done on June 24. Five candidates filed their nominations for the Dehra bypoll. These are BJP candidate Hoshiyar Singh (57), Bir Singh (60) as a covering candidate of the BJP, Congress candidate Kamlesh Thakur (53), wife of Sukhvinder Singh Sukhu and Hari Om (66) and Sanjay Sharma (56), who filed their nomination as independent candidate. In Hamirpur three candidates filed their nominations. In Nalagarh, five candidates filed their nomination papers.

Attack in court  
reprehensible,  
will take strict  
action, says CM

BILASPUR, JUNE 21

Terming the attack on a man inside court premises here as "reprehensible", Chief Minister Sukhvinder Singh Sukhu said on Friday that the Himachal Pradesh government will take strict action in the matter.

A man allegedly involved in an attack on a former MLA was shot at in a court's premises in Bilaspur on Thursday. Sukhu said the state government would not allow such incidents in the state, and added that the Bilaspur DGP and SP have been directed to take strict action. Action will be taken as per law against those involved in the incident, he added.

Two people on a motorbike had opened fire at Saurabh Patyal, one of the 13 who are now facing a trial over the alleged attack on Congress leader Bamber Thakur. The ex-MLA from the Bilaspur Assembly seat was allegedly attacked on February 23 this year. One of the two assailants, Sunny Gill (34), who hails from Ludhiana in Punjab, was caught by the police on Thursday. — PTI

Govt to crack whip on  
unregistered homestays

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SHIMLA, JUNE 21

The Himachal Government has decided to crack the whip on unregistered and illegal homestays, especially those being run by influential persons in residential units and built on land purchased for self use by non-Himachalis in relaxation of norms.

The seriousness of the government in checking illegal homestays in the state is evident from the fact that a Cabinet sub-committee has been constituted to look into all aspects of the issue. The illegal homestays, which could be over 3,000 in number, are not only depriving the government of revenue but are also harming the hotel industry.

There are 4,289 homestays having 17,222 rooms and 26,727 beds registered with the state Tourism Department. The highest number of

1,040 homestays are in Kullu district, followed by 805 in Shimla district and 718 in Lahaul and Spiti. Besides, there are 4,735 hotels and guesthouses in Himachal having 59,793 rooms and 1,31,014 bed capacity.


The hoteliers associations in Shimla, Kullu, Manali, Dharamsala and other popular hill places have repeatedly urged the government to rein in the errant and unregistered homestays.

The state government encourages people to start homestays with four rooms in their own residential houses but people invariably violate the guidelines and have even up to 20 rooms in their units. "Many influential persons, who are not bona fide Himachalis and were granted permission to purchase land for personal residential use in relaxation of Section 118 of the Tenancy and Land

Reform Act, are violating the norms," said an official.

He said, "In most cases, the owners of these properties being run as homestays are not staying there. The state government has framed the Himachal Pradesh Homestay Scheme to take the economic benefits of tourism to interior and rural areas while exempting all such units from Sales and Luxury Taxes, besides charging domestic rates of power and water from them.

The Vidhan Sabha had in December 2023 passed the Himachal Pradesh Tourism Development and Registration (Amendment) Bill 2023. The main objective of the Bill was to ensure that every homestay, functioning either under the state or Central government schemes, was registered and had obtained a licence from the Tourism Department.



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# PM leads yoga celebrations from Srinagar

OUR CORRESPONDENT

**SRINAGAR, JUNE 21**  
With Prime Minister Narendra Modi leading yoga celebration in Srinagar, the summer capital of Jammu and Kashmir, the event was considered a major boost for the tourism economy of the region, adding a new yoga economy to the tourism sector of Kashmir.

"Yoga celebrations across the world were led by Prime Minister Narendra Modi from Srinagar. The world is talking about India's centuries-old cultural heritage, and, simultaneously, the world is also talking about Jammu and Kashmir. Following last year's G-20 event in Kashmir, this is the second biggest event in the state," said Lieutenant Governor Manoj Sinha while inaugurating the J&K Trade Show-2024 at the Kashmir Heritage Government Arts Emporium on Friday afternoon. Sinha said the PM's leadership in programmes like the International Day of Yoga and 'Empowering Youth, Transforming J&K' had given new momentum to Jammu and Kashmir's growth journey.

The event had successfully brought global attention to the state. "Last year, 8 million tourists visited Kashmir from January to May. This year, 8.6 million tourists have visited Jammu and Kashmir," he added. Earlier, on Friday morning, while leading International Yoga Day programmes, the Prime Minister touched upon the changing notions about yoga due to its expansion in the last 10 years.

While discussing the emerging yoga economy, he said the increasing interest in



PM Modi leads the International Yoga Day celebrations; and (below) participants at Sheri-Kashmir International Conference Centre (SKICC) in Srinagar on Friday. ANI



yoga tourism and people's desire to visit India for authentic yoga experiences had opened new avenues for growth. He also talked about yoga retreats, resorts, dedicated facilities for yoga at air-

ports and hotels, yoga apparel and equipment, personal yoga trainers and companies carrying out yoga, mindfulness and wellness initiatives.

All these were creating new avenues of employment for

the youth, he added. The PM lauded the enthusiasm of the people of Jammu and Kashmir, especially Srinagar, towards yoga and said this provided a platform to boost the tourism of the UT.

## ...Interacts with young J&K entrepreneurs

SRINAGAR, JUNE 21

At the Sher-i-Kashmir International Conference Centre (SKICC) on Thursday, entrepreneurs, including a number of women entrepreneurs, from Jammu and Kashmir told Prime Minister Narendra Modi that they would also give a guarantee like "Modi ki guarantee" for their products, as the youth doing "pioneering work" in start-ups interacted with him during his two-day visit to Jammu and Kashmir, which concluded here on Friday.

Prime Minister Modi posted the video of the interaction on his X handle. "Yesterday in Srinagar, I had the opportunity to meet talented youngsters of Jammu and Kashmir who are doing pioneering work in start-ups. Here are the highlights from the interaction," he said in the post.

A woman entrepreneur whose start-up produces feed and feed supplements for livestock told the PM that her year-old start-up had produced 500 tonnes of feed so far, earning Rs 1 crore.

Another woman entrepreneur, Sheela Imran Bandh, a microbiologist from Kachkoot village in south Kashmir's Pulwama, told Prime Minister Modi that she used the skills of 20 women from her village to create handicraft products for her business.

Upon being asked about the marketing of her products by the PM, Bandh said she had an e-commerce website.

Another entrepreneur said he started online operations



An entrepreneur displays products from his start-up

### 'MODI KI GUARANTEE'

"We too give a guarantee like 'Modi ki guarantee' for our products. We offer a money-back guarantee."

Entrepreneur from Valley

by drawing inspiration from Modi's dream of Digital India. Making products like jams and honey, the owner of start-up 'Just Order' told Modi that he sourced ingredients locally. "We also give a guarantee like 'Modi ki guarantee' for our products. We offer a money-back guarantee," the entrepreneur told the Prime Minister, who was all smiles. — PTI

# Modi must keep word on holding poll: NC leaders

SRINAGAR, JUNE 21

Jammu and Kashmir National Conference leaders and Members of Parliament Mian Altaf Ahmad and Aga Syed Ruhullah Mehdi on Friday urged PM Modi to back his word on holding Assembly elections, restoring statehood and bridging development gaps in Jammu and Kashmir with concrete action.

"The people of Jammu and Kashmir are tired of empty promises and meaningless rhetoric. It's time for some real progress. Let's see some action instead of just words. The people of Jammu and Kashmir deserve more than just lip service. It is time for the Prime Minister to deliver on his promises and bring about real change in the region. The future of Jammu and Kashmir hangs in the balance, and it is up to PM Modi to make a difference. The time for action is now," the NC leaders recently elected from Srinagar and South Kashmir constituencies of Anantnag-Rajouri said in a statement here.

They were reacting to the Prime Minister's address on Thursday, in which he praised people for participating in elections in large numbers and assured of an elected government and statehood in J&K.

"The people of Jammu and Kashmir have been dealt a raw deal for the past



Mian Altaf Ahmad Larvi

10 years. They are demanding action, not just empty words. Our people lament the lack of progress despite all the talk of humanity, democracy and bridging 'Dil Ki Doori'. It seems like all we've gotten are vague promises and no real answers about where funds are going," the statement further read.

"People were expecting big announcements about infrastructure projects such as Gurez, Simthan, Mughal Road, and Karna tunnels, as well as a substantial employment package for the youth. But all they got was a big disappointment. With over 14 lakh educated individuals twiddling their thumbs due to unemployment, what good does it do to issue a measly 2 thousand orders? It's time for action, not just more empty promises. Let's see some real change happens in Jammu and Kashmir," the MPs said. — OC

## Punjab peddler among 3 nabbed

OUR CORRESPONDENT

JAMMU, JUNE 21

The police arrested Punjab-based drug smuggler with 500gm heroin at Kotli Mian Fateh in Miran Sahib area of the district.

The suspect has been identified as Lal Hussain resident of Jalandhar in Punjab.

During the search, 500 gms of heroin was recovered from his possession. In this regard case under Sections 8, 21 and 22 of the NDPS Act was registered at Miran Sahib. "Further investigation of the case is going on including forward and backward linkages in the case Jammu Police is working intensively to uproot the chains of drug supply in the region and thorough questioning of the accused is going on to know the origin of the drugs supply chain" an official said.



The drug smuggler from Jalandhar who was arrested in Jammu.

In a separate case, the Kathua police recovered 10.35 gram of heroin from possession of two smugglers.

As per police, information was received at police station Kathua that two persons identified as Navdeep Singh and Sahil Khajuria both resident of Ward Number 1 Kathua were doing illegal

trade of selling drugs and kept considerable quantity of narcotics substance in their possession which they were trying to sell.

A police team under the supervision of a DSP and SHO laid down a check-point at Bernian Pattan area and intercepted one motorcycle and apprehended the accused.

## Ahead of Amarnath Yatra, alert sounded in Jammu

ARJUN SHARMA

JAMMU, JUNE 21

In light of the recent terror attacks in the Jammu division, an alert has been sounded and rounds of meetings for coordination among security and intelligence agencies is underway in the Union Territory ahead of the Amarnath Yatra, which is set to commence on June 29.

From the Line of Control (LoC) in the hilly terrains to the International Border (IB) in the plains of Jammu division, security agencies including the Army, police, CRPF and the BSF are keeping a close eye on anti-national elements, having received inputs that ultras may try to disrupt the pilgrimage.

On June 9, terrorists had targeted a bus of pilgrims near Reasi's Shiv Khori shrine, indicating that they would not shy away from



Army personnel clear snow for Amarnath Yatra pilgrims. FILE

attacking innocent people.

Security forces are preparing to ensure the safety of pilgrims soon after they enter Jammu and Kashmir's Kathua through Punjab's Pathankot. The BSF is holding anti-cross border tunnel drills to ensure that there are no safe passages for terrorists coming from Pakistan. Such underground tunnels have been

discovered many times in the past.

Special Director General (Western Command), BSF YB Khurania arrived at the Jammu Frontier on Thursday for a two-day visit to review security preparations at the IB. Khurania visited the Samba border area, where he was briefed by the Sector Commander and the Battalion Commandant about the operational pre-

paredness of the BSF along the border. Joint security review meetings were held at Chanderkote (Ramban) and Udhampur to improve coordination during the upcoming Amarnath Yatra.

The review meetings were attended by senior Army, police and CRPF officials of Ramban and Udhampur districts, besides intelligence agencies. The police are also leaving no stone unturned, passing instructions to field personnel to remain vigilant of the terror threat, especially along roads in forested areas.

Additional Director General of Police Anand Jain conducted a briefing session for the police officers designated for the pilgrimage. "Strategies were laid out to fortify the security apparatus along the yatra route, with a special emphasis on vulnerable points. The ADGP highlighted the importance of vigi-

lance and coordination among the forces to pre-empt and counter any potential threats," an official said.

Traffic regulation plans were discussed to manage the flow of vehicles during the pilgrimage, ensuring minimal disruption and maximum safety. Officers were instructed to coordinate with the traffic department to maintain seamless transit routes.

Techniques for managing large crowds at base camps and along the route were reviewed. Officers were briefed on rapid response protocols and the importance of timely coordination with disaster management teams.

Meanwhile, the Army and the police are continuing search operations in forested areas of Rajouri, Poonch, Udhampur, Reasi, Doda and Kathua, which have witnessed terror activities in the recent past.

## Kejriwal to remain in jail, HC stays bail order..

record. The judge says bulky, I'll not go through it. Then says the ED failed to point out. What kind of order is this? I am shocked," Raju said.

"We have shown all this to point out that he had a role in the demand of Rs 100 crore. Yet the judge says no direct evidence. Direct evidence is in the form of a statement. There is corroboration also."

Senior advocate Abhishek Manu Singhvi, representing Kejriwal, said the accused could not be indefinitely detained while the investigation continued. He argued that the Supreme Court had allowed Kejriwal to seek bail from the trial court. He said the trial court's decision was dis-

cretionary, made after considering all relevant aspects.

He said Kejriwal had surrendered voluntarily after his interim bail expired, arguing there was no flight risk.

Yesterday, the court, while granting bail to Kejriwal, had observed that no money trail had been established against him and he had no involvement in any activity related to the "proceeds of the crime".

Vacation judge Niyay Bindu had also rejected the Enforcement Directorate's plea to stay the order. However, the probe agency moved to the High Court. Meanwhile, Kejriwal's wife Sunita alleged on Friday that the ED was treating Arvind Kejriwal as the "most

wanted terrorist in India". "It is as if Arvind Kejriwal is the most-wanted terrorist in India. Dictatorship in the country is crossing such limits that the ED violates someone's personal liberty and even immediately goes to the high court to get a stay against the bail of an elected CM. We hope the high court will do justice," she said.

RS MP Sanjay Singh accused PM Modi of making a mockery of the justice system after the HC stayed the order of trial court granting bail to Kejriwal. He alleged the trial court's bail to the Delhi CM "exposed" the conspiracy of the BJP and the party should apologise to the AAP and Kejriwal.

## Yoga now tool for global good: PM

more tourists. "The atmosphere, energy and experience from yoga can be felt in Jammu and Kashmir today," Modi said, conveying his best wishes on International Day of Yoga to all citizens and those practising yoga in different parts of the world.

Emphasising that the number of people practising yoga was growing worldwide, the PM said India's proposal to celebrate International Yoga Day at the United Nations received the backing of 177 countries. He also expressed happiness that more than 100 institutes in India and 10 major foreign institutes had been recognised by the Yoga Certification Board formed by the Ministry of Ayush.

This year's theme "yoga for self and society" highlights its dual role in fostering individual and societal well-being. The events across the country were aimed at encouraging grassroots par-

ticipation and the spread of yoga in rural areas.

Since 2015, the Prime Minister has led the International Day of Yoga celebrations at various iconic locations, including Kartavya Path in Delhi, Chandigarh, Dehradun, Ranchi, Lucknow, Mysuru and even the United Nations Headquarters in New York.

The Prime Minister said the benefits of yoga could be reaped when it was associated with daily life. "Meditation, which is part of yoga, can intimidate common people due to its spiritual overtones, however, it can be understood easily as concentration." He said concentration and focus could be cultivated with practice and techniques, and eventually led to self-improvement.

The Prime Minister lauded the commitment of the people of Jammu and Kashmir, who attended the event in large numbers despite harsh weather conditions.

## SC yet again refuses to defer NEET counselling

hearing on July 8 along with other pending pleas alleging irregularities in conduct of the examination. The counsel appearing for the petitioners urged the bench that the counselling process may be paused for two days as the apex court is scheduled to hear all these pleas on July 8.

"I am not seeking any stay of counselling. I am only praying that the counselling which is scheduled to be held on July 6 may be paused for two days only. The reason being that the main matter is listed on July 8," the lawyer argued.

The Bench observed, "We have been hearing the same statement. Don't think otherwise for interrupting you. Counselling does not mean open and shut. It is a process. That process commences on July 6." When the Bench asked about the duration of the first round of counselling, one of the lawyers appearing in the matter said it will last

around a week.

The Bench, which refused to defer the counselling process, said that counsel appearing for the NTA, the Centre and other respondents may file their response to the plea within two weeks. The Bench also dealt with a separate application seeking certain directions to the NTA.

The counsel appearing for the applicant raised the issue of re-test, which is to be conducted on June 23, and alleged that the NTA has withheld some material information. The Bench then asked the NTAs counsel to file a response to the application and posted it for hearing on July 8. On June 13, the Centre had told the apex court that the decision to give grace marks to 1,563 NEET-UG 2024 candidates for admission to MBBS, BDS and others courses has been cancelled and they will be given an option to take a re-test on June 23. — PTI

## 3 held for helping terrorists in Doda

JAMMU, JUNE 21

Two days after the Reasi police arrested a guide who helped terrorists in an attack on a pilgrim bus, Doda police have arrested three persons who worked as terror associates and were involved in helping ultras behind the June 12 attack in the district.

Doda SSP Javid Iqbal said three persons, identified as Sadar Wani, Mubashir and Sajjad, residents of Tanta village, had been arrested.

Doda witnessed twin attacks on June 11 in Chattargala and June 12 in Kota Top, in which seven security forces personnel were injured. The SSP said two groups of terrorists with a total of four members were operating in the district and were behind the twin attack.

The three suspects had helped terrorists with food and water, and had not informed the police about the same. The J&K police are finding linkages and have detained over 60 people in four different attacks since June 9 in Reasi, Kathua and Doda districts. — OC

## Russia sends back 10 Indians recruited...

their mortal remains can be brought back to India," the MEA spokesperson said.

Earlier, India had also demanded that there be a verified stop to any further recruitment of its nationals by the Russian army. "We

continue to be in touch with the Russian side, both in New Delhi and Moscow on this issue. This remains a matter of utmost concern to us and we expect action," said Jaiswal.

The MEA had stated on

June 11 that such activities "would not be in consonance with our partnership". "We also urge Indian nationals to exercise caution while seeking employment opportunities in Russia," the Foreign Ministry said. — TNS



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ਹਰ ਆਮ ਅਤੇ ਖਾਸ ਨੂੰ ਸੂਚਿਤ ਕੀਤਾ ਜਾਂਦਾ ਹੈ ਕਿ ਪੰਚਾਇਤ ਸਮੇਤੀ, ਤਲਵਾਰਾ ਦੇ ਚੰਨ ਸਟੇਡ ਦੀ ਮਿਤੀ 01.07.2024 ਤੋਂ 31.03.2025 ਤੱਕ 9 ਮਹੀਨਿਆਂ ਲਈ ਲੀਜ਼ 'ਤੇ ਦੇਣ ਲਈ ਮਿਤੀ 28.06.24 ਨੂੰ ਸਵੇਰੇ 11.00 ਵਜੇ ਕਾਰਜਸਾਧਕ ਅਫ਼ਸਰ, ਪੰਚਾਇਤ ਸਮੇਤੀ, ਤਲਵਾਰਾ ਜੀ ਦੇ ਦਫ਼ਤਰ ਵਿਖੇ ਸ਼ਰਕਾਰ ਵੱਲੋਂ ਸ਼ਰਾਪਿਤ ਕੀਤੀ ਹੋਈ ਆਕਸ਼ਨ ਕਮੇਟੀ ਦੁਆਰਾ ਖੁੱਲ੍ਹੀ ਛੇਲੀ ਕੀਤੀ ਜਾਂਦੀ ਹੈ। ਛੇਲੀ ਦੇਣ ਵਾਲੇ ਵਿਅਕਤੀ ਨੂੰ ਪੰਚਾਇਤ ਸਮੇਤੀ ਦੇ ਚੰਨ ਸਟੇਡ ਲਈ ਮੁਲਕਤ 5.00 ਲੱਖ ਰੁਪਏ ਦੀ ਰਕਮ ਬਤੌਰ ਸਕਿਓਰਿਟੀ ਜਮ੍ਹਾਂ ਕਰਵਾਉਣੀ ਹੋਵੇਗੀ। ਬੇਕੀ ਰੱਦ-ਪ੍ਰਵਾਨ ਕਰਨ ਦਾ ਅਭਿਯੰਕਰ ਆਕਸ਼ਨ ਕਮੇਟੀ ਕੋਲ ਰਾਖਵਾਂ ਹੋਵੇਗਾ। ਛੇਲੀ ਦੱਖਮੇਂ ਬਰਤਾ ਮੌਕੇ 'ਤੇ ਦੱਖਮੇਂ ਜਾਣਗੇ।

ਸਕੀ/- ਕਾਰਜਸਾਧਕ ਅਫ਼ਸਰ, ਪੰਚਾਇਤ ਸਮੇਤੀ, ਤਲਵਾਰਾ

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PUNJAB STATE POWER CORPORATION LIMITED

(Regd. Office: PSEB Head Office, The Mall, Patiala)

CIN: U40109PB2010SGC033813 Website: www.pspcl.in

(CONTACT NUMBER 96461-19170)

Tender Enquiry No. 12/CCML/DH/2024-25 Dated: 21.06.2024

Sr Xen Civil Const & Mtc. Division, Ferozpur Road Ludhiana

invites Open Tender through E-Tendering Mode for Extension of Switch House Building at 66KV Sub-Station at Focal Point, Phase-VII Focal Point, Ludhiana (Dhandari Kalan-II) under P&M Circle, PSPCL, Ludhiana.

For detailed NIT and tender Specifications please refer to <https://eproc.punjab.gov.in> from 21.06.2024 03.00 P.M. onwards.

Note:- Corrigendum and addendum, if any, will be published online at <https://eproc.punjab.gov.in>.

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GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB  
DISTRICT HEALTH SOCIETY, FAZILKA  
EMPANELMENT NOTICE

Applications are invited from the interested Medical Officers for empanelment at Aam Aadmi Clinics in District Fazilka. The details of empanelment is as tabulated below:-

Sr. No.	Post Name	Empanelment fee	Date, Time & Place of Walk-in interview
1	Medical Officer (MBBS)	Rs. 50/- per patient attended with minimum assured guarantee of 50 patents per day	25.06.2024, Time 10:00 am onward at Civil Surgeon Fazilka

❖ For Educational Qualification terms & conditions of empanelment, please contact to the office of Civil Surgeon Fazilka on any working day up to 24.06.2024 (05:00 pm).

Sd/-  
Civil Surgeon  
Fazilka

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MARKET COMMITTEE GHARAUNDA  
TENDER NOTICE

It is informed to the general public that online tender are invited for cleaning of New Grain Market and Vegetable Market Gharaunda, Office Campus, water coolers, lifting of dead animals and cleaning and maintenance of toilets etc. from 01.07.2024 to 30.06.2025. The open cleaning area of the Mandi is 152606 96 sq. metres and the area of the office is 20234.30 sq. metres and the payment for working per month will not exceed Rs.112000/-. Online tender will be available at <http://etenders.hry.nic.in>. The cost of tender form Rs. 2000/- and E-Service Charges is Rs.1180/- which will be non-refundable. The last date of online tender is 27.06.2024 till 05:00 pm and technical bid tender will be opened on 28.06.2024 at 11:00 am. No document will be accepted on the spot. The committee constituted for the tender will be free to cancel any tender without assigning any reason. For other conditions information can be obtained from Market Committee Gharaunda on any working day.

Secretary-cum-Executive Officer Administrator  
Market Committee Gharaunda Market Committee Gharaunda  
PRDH/1284/11/550/2025/27029/C/3/14

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

No. 13/246/2012-LR-2(9)/... 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 Kisaan Welfare Society Vs. Union of India and Ors.' and on the recommendations 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 25.2.2016, Sh. Darbani 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 18.3.2015 and order dated 20.5.2015 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 Saroop, Additional District & Sessions Judge, Ludhiana and Sh. Kawaljit Singh, Additional District & Sessions Judge, Sri Muktsar Sahib have held position as presiding officers of Special Tribunal, Tam Taran.

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 23.4.2024 that Ms. Pooja Andotra, Additional District and Sessions Judge has been appointed as presiding officer, Special Tribunal, Tam Taran in place of Sh. Kanwaljit Singh, Additional District & Sessions Judge (since transferred).

Therefore, in partial modification of notification No. 13/246/2012-LR-2(9)/5360-84 dated 27.5.2021, Ms. Pooja Andotra, Additional District and Sessions Judge is appointed as Presiding Officer of Special Tribunal, Tam Taran w.e.f. the date the Hon'ble Judge has assumed the 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.

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NOTICE INVITING TENDER  
HP.PWD KANGRA

Sealed percentage rate tenders on form 6 & 8 are invited by the Executive Engineer, Division, HP. PWD, Kangra on behalf of the Governor of Himachal Pradesh from the approved and eligible contractors/firms enlisted in HPPWD in the appropriate class for the work mentioned below on 29.06.2024 up to 11.00 A.M. and will be opened on the same day at 11.30 A.M. in the presence of intending contractors or their authorized representatives. The tender forms can be obtained from his office on cash payment (non refundable) on any working day from 27.06.2024 to 28.06.2024. The applications for issue of tender forms accompanied with enlistment letter or renewal letter and the earnest money in the shape of FDR duly pledged in favour of Executive Engineer, Kangra Division, HPPWD, Kangra.

The conditional tenders and the tenders received without earnest money will summarily be rejected. The offer of the tender shall be kept open for 20 days.

Work No.1:- AMP to Kahlian to Tiara Dhugiyari road km. 16/00 to 19/00) (SH:-Providing and applying 2.5mm thick road marking strips in km. 16/00 to 19/00) Estimated cost: Rs. 434700/- Earnest Money: Rs. 8700/- Time Limit: One Month, Cost of tender: 350/-.

Work No. 2:- C/o Protection wall to the House of Smt. Sunita Sharma in GP Lalehar Ward No. 3 Block Kangra (SH:-C/o PCC R/Wall) (Deposit work) Estimated cost: Rs. 333578/- Earnest Money, Rs. 7000/- Time Limit: Two Months, Cost of tender: 350/-.

TERMS & CONDITIONS:-

- The contractors/firms should be registered as or dealer under GST Act 2017.
- The intending contractors/firms shall have to produce the copy of latest enlistment and renewal enlisted in HPPWD
- If any of the date mentioned above happened to be Gazetted Holiday the same shall be processed on next working day.
- The contractor should quoted the rates of all the items in the tender both in figures and in words failing which tender is likely to be rejected.
- The Contractor/firms can obtain the tenders form without application, if they submit the copy of enlistment and earnest money in shape of FDR at the time sale of tender forms.
- The Executive Engineer reserves the right to accept/reject any tender/application or all tenders without assigning any reason.

DPR/HP/312 HIM SUCHNA AVAM JAN SAMPARK

ਪੰਜਾਬ ਸਰਕਾਰ

ਬਿੱਭ ਨ. ਈ-ਟੈਂਡਰ-ਐਨ.ਪੀ. ਘੜੀਆ/2024-2025/446 ਮਿਤੀ: 20.06.2024

ਨਗਰ ਪੰਚਾਇਤ, ਘੜੀਆ ਵੱਲੋਂ 445.03 ਲੱਖ ਰੁਪਏ ਦੇ 27 ਕੰਮ ਲਈ ਆਨਲਾਈਨ ਟੈਂਡਰਾਂ ਦੀ ਮੰਗ ਕੀਤੀ ਜਾਂਦੀ ਹੈ।

ਟੈਂਡਰ ਆਨਲਾਈਨ ਪੇਸ਼ ਕਰਨ ਦੀ ਆਖ਼ਰੀ ਮਿਤੀ: 15.07.2024 (ਸ਼ਾਮ 06.00 ਵਜੇ ਤੱਕ)

ਵਿਸਥਾਰਤ ਨਿਯਮ ਅਤੇ ਫ਼ਰਤਾਂ ਲਈ ਵੈੱਬਸਾਈਟ: <https://eproc.punjab.gov.in> ਦਾ ਹਵਾਲਾ ਲਵੋ।

ਟਿੱਪਣੀ ਕਰੀਜ਼ੰਡਮ ਜੋਕ ਕਰੋ ਹੇਠਾਂ ਹੇਠਾਂ ਉਹ ਵੈੱਬਸਾਈਟ 'ਤੇ ਹੀ ਲਗਾਇਆ ਜਾਵੇਗਾ।

ਸਕੀ/- ਕਾਰਜਸਾਧਕ ਅਫ਼ਸਰ, ਨਗਰ ਪੰਚਾਇਤ, ਘੜੀਆ।

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GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB  
MUNICIPAL CORPORATION, LUDHIANA

Tender Notice No. 1202/XEN/B Dated: 19.06.2024

The Department of Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana invites online bids for the following date and time:

Last date of online sale/submission of bidding documents	Opening of technical bid documents
04.07.2024 till 04.00 p.m.	05.07.2024 till 10:00 a.m.

For details login to: [eproc.punjab.gov.in](https://eproc.punjab.gov.in)

Note:- Any corrigendum(s) to the tender notice shall be published on the above website only.

Sd/- (Er. Ranbir Singh), Executive Engineer-Workshop, Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana. M. 97800-39477 E-mail id: xenzoneb@gmail.com

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BHAKRA BEAS MANAGEMENT BOARD  
(POWER WING)

NOTICE INVITING E-TENDER

ENIT No. 01/2024-25/PDD-41 Dated: 21.06.2024

Name of Authorities Inviting Tender: Sr Executive Engineer, O&M Division BBMB Jagadhri, -135003(Haryana)

Name of Work: Work for Providing spur protection for Tower No. 69 GC of 220 KV/S/C Ganguvali - Jagadhri Line.

Last date of issue of Tender Documents	01.07.2024 upto 13.00 Hrs
Due date and time for submission of Tenders	01.07.2024 upto 15:00 Hrs
Date/Time of opening of Tenders	03.07.2024 at 11-00 Hrs
Total cost of the work	Rs.16.80 Lacs
Earnest Money to be Deposited	Rs.17000/-

For detailed NIT including Pre-Qualifying conditions and EMD, please visit BBMB Website: [www.bbmb.gov.in](http://www.bbmb.gov.in) or [www.etenders.gov.in](http://www.etenders.gov.in).

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RAIL LAND DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY  
(A Statutory Authority under Ministry of Railways Government of India)

Unit No. 702-B, 7th Floor, Connetctus Tower-II, DMRC Building, Agmen Gate, New Delhi-110002

REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL THROUGH E-TENDER  
(RFP Notice No. RLDA/RFP/CT-12 OF 2024 Dated 05.06.2024)

Request for Proposal (RFP) for RLDA/Request for Proposal for Providing Project Management Consultancy Services (PMS) for All Works Pertaining to Redevelopment Project of New Delhi Railway Station and Construction of Associated Infrastructure through EPC Contracts

Name of Work  
Appointment of Agency for Providing 'Project Management Consultancy Services (PMS)' for all works pertaining to 'Redevelopment Project of New Delhi Railway Station and Construction of associated infrastructure through EPC Contracts'  
Pre-Bid Meeting: 28.06.2024 at 11:30 Hrs  
(Pre-bid meeting details to be obtained from Jt. General Manager/Project/New Delhi)  
Last Date of Submission of E-bid Notice: 22.07.2024 UPTO 15:00 Hrs.  
Opening of E-bids Technical: 25.07.2024 at 15:30 Hrs.  
For further details of the project, please visit our website [www.rlda.indianrailways.gov.in](http://www.rlda.indianrailways.gov.in) or on e-procurement portal [www.etenders.gov.in](http://www.etenders.gov.in) or RLDA under the heading 'e-tender'.  
For any clarifications, may please contact :-  
Chief Project Manager/ Jt. General Manager/ Jt. General Manager/ For e-bid Assistance-  
New Delhi- Project/New Delhi Expert/Tender Mr.Suraj Singh  
Sh. Dinesh kumar singh Sh. Prayog singh Mr. Neeraj Kumar Gupta Mr. 9599653865  
M: 920814653 M: 7011051338 M: 9071136901 suraj@etendersindia.com

Note:- Email-ID for any correspondences [nldesec@railnet.gov.in](mailto:nldesec@railnet.gov.in) Corrigendum or Addendum shall be published only on RLDA's Website e-procurement portal. (M) 9711369031

GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB

Reference No. 502(ii)AD/PESCO-57

Sealed bids are invited for sale of the under mentioned:-

- One Vespa Scooter:-
  - Registration No CH01-AV-8648
  - Model 2013
  - KM Run 85412 Kms
  - Reserve guiding price Rs. 5,000/-
- Three Generator Set (Vintage 1999) with Control Panel each of 15 KW, Electra Company with reserve Guiding price Rs. 12,000/- each. Details are as under :-
  - Regd No 973022 - Approx 564.42 hrs Run
  - Regd No 20093 - Approx 445.32 hrs Run
  - Regd No 200222 - Approx 201.37 hrs Run

Items can be inspected on any working day at PESCO Institute, C-115, Industrial Area, Phase -7, Mohali. Interested parties may apply on plain paper mentioning offers amount and drop their bids in PESCO, SCO 89-90, Sector 34-A, Chandigarh by 20 Jun 2024.

Punjab Ex-Servicemen Corporation  
(A Punjab Government undertaking)  
SCO 89-90, Sector 34-A, Chandigarh  
Contact: 0172-5093162

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HIMACHAL PRADESH  
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT  
E-PROCUREMENT NOTICE  
INVITATION FOR BIDS (IFB)

The Executive Engineer, HPPWD, Division, Sarkaghat, H.P. on behalf of Governor of H.P. invites the item rate bids, in electronic tendering system, for construction of each of the following works from the eligible Class of contractors registered with HP.PWD for the works as detailed below.

Sr. No.	Name of Work	Esti-mated Cost	EMD	Cost of Tender	Time Limit	Eligible Class of Contractor
1.	Periodic maintenance on Batali Haryali Tanda Road KM 0/00 to 4/600 (SH. P/L 25 mm thick mix seal surfacing in KM 0/0 to 1/00)	1239766/-	25000/-	500/-	One Month	Class-D

- Date of release of invitation for Bids through e-procurement: 28.06.2024.
- Starting and End Date/Time for receipt of bids through e-tendering w.e.f. 28.06.2024 at 10:00 A.M. to 05.07.2024 up to 10.00 A.M. Technical bid opened 06.07.2024 at 11:30 A.M. and financial bid opened on 08.07.2024 at 11:30 A.M.
- The bidder are advised to note other details of tenders from the department website [www.hptender.gov.in](http://www.hptender.gov.in)
- The tender shall be awarded to the lowest bidder without any negotiation if his tendered amount is within limit of (+) 5% to (-) 30% of the amount put to tender otherwise the tender will be cancelled and recalled.
- The Executive Engineer reserves the right to accept/reject any tender/ application or all tender without assigning any reason.

For behalf of Governor of Himachal Pradesh  
Sd/- Executive Engineer,  
Sarkaghat Division, H.P.PWD., Sarkaghat.

DPR/HP/296

GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB  
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE  
EMPANELMENT NOTICE

Applications are invited for walk-in interview for the following post in the Department of Civil Surgeon Office, Sangrur.

Sl. No.	Name of the Post	Number of Vacancies	Remuneration in Rs.
1	Medical Officer (MBBS)	CDPO Bhawanigarh, Satoj, Maniana, Haryao, Karauda, UPHC Sangrur, Bhasaar, Bhalwan, Bhullan, Ramgarh, Gujran, UPHC Sunam, Gharachon	Rs. 50/- per patient attended with minimum assured guarantee of 50 patients per day. Age limit up to 64 years. Age Limit: As mentioned above on 1st Dec 2023.

Date & Time of Walk-in Interview: 24.06.2024, 9 AM to 5 PM.  
Venue for Interview: Office of Civil Surgeon, Sangrur, 3rd Floor, Block B, Room No. 401.

- Candidates must ensure to bring their original testimonials related to Qualification, Experience, Registration Punjab Medical Council/NMC, Punjabi up to Matriculation, Age proof etc. and one self-attested photocopy of all such documents for submission.
- Candidates must bring 1 latest passport size photographs at the time of interview.
- Candidates should have passed subject of Punjabi up to Matric Standard/Additional Passed.
- 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.
- Candidates will not be paid any TA/DA for attending the above said interview.
- The number of posts may increase or decrease at any stage of recruitment process.
- 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.

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Sd/- Civil Surgeon, Sangrur.

ਬੋਲੀ ਸਬੰਧੀ ਇਸ਼ਤਿਹਾਰ

ਭਾਰਤੀਆ ਰੌਡ ਕਰਾਸ ਸੁਸਾਇਟੀ, ਮਾਨਸਾ

ਜੰਚਾ-ਬੰਚਾ ਰਸਾਧਰ, ਮਾਨਸਾ ਦੇ ਸਾਹਮਣੇ ਰੌਡ ਕਰਾਸ ਦੀ ਦੁਕਾਨ ਨੂੰ ਛਿਰਾਣ 'ਤੇ ਦਿੱਤਾ ਜਾਂਦਾ ਹੈ, ਜਿਸ ਦੀ ਖੁੱਲ੍ਹੀ ਬੋਲੀ ਮਿਤੀ 02.07.2024 ਨੂੰ ਸਵੇਰੇ 11.00 ਵਜੇ ਰੌਡ ਕਰਾਸ ਦਫ਼ਤਰ ਬਾਲ ਭਵਨ, ਮਾਨਸਾ ਵਿਖੇ ਹੋਵੇਗੀ। ਇਸ ਸਬੰਧੀ ਫ਼ਰਤਾਂ ਅੰਕਰਾਜ ਵਾਲੇ ਦਿਨ ਦਫ਼ਤਰ ਵਿਚ ਆ ਕੇ ਦੱਖਮੇਂ ਆ ਜਾਕੇ ਕੀਤੀਆਂ ਹਨ ਅਤੇ ਮੌਕੇ 'ਤੇ ਕੀ ਪੜ੍ਹ ਕੇ ਸੁਣਾਈਆਂ ਜਾਣਗੀਆਂ।

ਸਕੀ/- ਡਿਪਟੀ ਕਮਿਸ਼ਨਰ-ਕਮ-ਪ੍ਰਧਾਨ, ਜ਼ਿਲ੍ਹਾ ਰੌਡ ਕਰਾਸ ਸੁਸਾਇਟੀ, ਮਾਨਸਾ  
ਫੋਨ ਨੰ. 01652-232892

DPR/Pb/34856

जवाहर नवोदय विद्यालय फतेहपुर राजपूतों,  
जिला पटियाला  
नीलामी सूचना

सर्वसाधारण को सूचित किया जाता है कि जवाहर नवोदय विद्यालय फतेहपुर राजपूतों, जिला पटियाला में प्रमुखी वस्तुएँ, जो कि प्रयोग हेतु नहीं हैं (जहाँ है और जैसी स्थिति में है), के लिए नीलामी हेतु उपलब्ध हैं। नीलामी दिनांक 29.06.2024 को पूर्वाह्न 10.00 बजे विद्यालय परिसर में जिन कमेटी को उपस्थिति में की जाएगी। अन्य नियम व शर्तें इस विद्यालय की वेबसाइट <https://navodaya.gov.in/nvs/nvs-school/Patiala/en/home/पर> उपलब्ध हैं।

प्राचाय,  
Phone No-98149-14985  
Phone No-98554-55816

DI-5089

DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY,  
HP, SHIMLA-5

Notice Inviting Tender (NIT)

Online bids on item rate basis are invited by the Director, Animal Husbandry, H.P, Shimla-5 on behalf of Government of H.P. in the electronic tendering system for procurement of Veterinary Vaccines (HSBG/Enterotoxaemia/Sheep Pox/Goat Pox/ARV/Poultry/Theriosis vaccines etc.) from the manufacturers of Veterinary Vaccines fulfilling terms and conditions of tender documents.

The bid document is available online and bid should be submitted in online mode on website <https://hptenders.gov.in>. Tenderer would be required to register on the website which is free of cost. For submission of bids, the bidders are required to have Digital Signature Certificate (DSC- Class 2 or Class 3) from one of the authorized Certifying authorities (CAs). All subsequent addendum/corrigendum/modifications/clarification/cancellation etc. in respect of this tender will be published only on <https://hptenders.gov.in>. The bidders are advised to visit the aforesaid website regularly.

Schedule of tendering:

1 Date of Online Publication	21st June 2024
2 Document Download Start Date	21st June 2024
3 Closing of tender	11th July 2024 (5:00 PM)
4 Physical submission of EMD /Cost of Tender & Submission of Vaccines Samples/ along with Test reports.	11th July 2024 (5:00 PM)
5 Date of opening of Technical Bid	12th July 2024 (11:00 AM)
6 Date of Opening of Financial Bid	Will be updated after finalization of technical scrutiny and intimated in due course of time on the online portal.

The tender forms and other detailed conditions can be obtained from the website <https://hptenders.gov.in>

Sd/- (Dr. Pradeep Kumar Sharma)  
Director, Animal Husbandry,  
Himachal Pradesh Shimla-5  
Phone: 0177-2830089

DPR/HP/306

GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB  
Tender Notice Reference No. 01 dt. 20.06.2024

On behalf of the Chief Executive Officer, Punjab Water Supply & Sew. Board, Chandigarh, Executive Engineer, Punjab Water Supply and sewerage Division, Sangrur invites bids from the eligible bidders, contractors for the project work(s) detailed in the following table. The bidders may submit bids for any or all of the following Project/Work(s):-

Sr. No.	Name of Project/Work(s)	Quantity	Closing Date & Time of Tender	Opening Date & Time of Tender
1.	Installation of Water Supply System Construction of OHSR at Dirba Under AMRUT 2.0 Part-1, Phase-1	1	15.07.2024 05:00 P.M.	16.07.2024 11:00 A.M.
2.	Providing Tap Connections to consumers Extension and Augmentation of Water Supply System at Dhuri District Sangrur, for Distribution Network Installation of Tubewell under Amrut 2.0	1	15.07.2024 05:00 P.M.	16.07.2024 11:00 A.M.
3	--do-- at Sangrur, Distt. Sangrur for distribution network under AMRUT 2.0	1	15.07.2024 05:00 P.M.	16.07.2024 11:00 A.M.
4	--do-- at Moonak, District Sangrur for Distribution Network under AMRUT 2.0	1	15.07.2024 05:00 P.M.	16.07.2024 11:00 A.M.
5.	Providing House Connections and Augmentation of Water Supply System at Khannaui Under AMRUT 2.0	1	15.07.2024 05:00 P.M.	16.07.2024 11:00 A.M.
6	Providing, Installing, Testing and Commissioning of One No. T/well at Shivam Colony and Machinery in Uppli Road at Sangrur, Distt. Sangrur	1	01.07.2024 05:00 P.M.	02.07.2024 11:00 A.M.

The pre-bid meeting for the tender will be held on 01.07.2024 at 11:00 A.M. in the office of undersigned.

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Sd/- Executive Engineer,  
Pb. WS & Sew. Divn., Sangrur.  
ees.pwssb@punjab.gov.in

DPR/Pb/34825

GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB  
TENDER NOTICE

SR. NO.	NAME OF DEPARTMENT	NAME OF WORK/NOTICE/TENDER	OPENING DATE CLOSING DATE	AMOUNT/ EMD (APPROX.) IN LACS	NODAL OFFICER/ CONTACT DETAILS E-MAIL
1.	Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj P.W (C&M) Division, Amritsar	Construction of 2 Nos Solid Waste Management Project at Block Ajnala	20.06.2024/ 01.07.2024	0.23 LACS	9914 124 342 xenpanchayitirajamritsar@yahoo.in
2.	Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj, (C&M) Division, Patiala	Construction of Play Ground at Village Gajju Majra Block Patiala Distt Patiala. (Convergence with MGNREGA).	20.06.2024/ 28.06.2024	25.00 THOUSAND	9815466866 xenprdpatiala@yahoo.in
3.	Executive Engineer, Provincial Division, PWD (B&R) Branch, Sangrur	Construction of Residential Block & Guest house in Tehsil Complex Dirba.	26.06.2024/ 25.07.2024	11.00 LACS	9888079005 xenprovincialsangrur@yahoo.com
4.	Controller of Stores, Punjab, Chandigarh	Disposal of Road Roller and other unserviceable stores.	22.06.2024/ 12.07.2024	10.00 Percent	9216532324 cospunjab@yahoo.in
5.	Executive Engineer, Construction Division No.1, PWD (B&R) Branch, Ludhiana	Renovation/Upgradation of Shaheed-E-Azam Sukhdev Thapar G.S.S.S. Bharat Nagar Ludhiana & Repair of Link Road Internal Roads Kiran Vihar Daad (Length 4.32 Km.)	15.07.2024/ 15.07.2024	37.12 LACS	9988719007 eedc1dnppwd@gmail.com
6.	Executive Engineer, Electrical Division, PWD (B&R) Branch, Punjab, Chandigarh	Annual Maintenance Contract at Judicial Court Complex, Sector-76, S.A.S Nagar (Maintenance of lifts) (Period 01-07-2024 to 31-03-2025). Amount Rs.5,92,500/-	20.06.2024/ 28.06.2024	11.90 THOUSAND	9592933757 eeedchdpwdpb@gmail.com
7.	Executive Engineer, Construction Division No.1, PWD (B&R) Branch, Tarn Taran at Amritsar	Cutting of Trees in Civil Hospital at Tarn Taran	20.06.2024/ 26.06.2024	1.80 LACS	8283828197 xenc1amritsar@yahoo.com
8.	Executive Engineer, Water Supply & Sanitation Division No.1, Pathankot	PROVIDING INSTALLING TUBEWELL 200MM ID UPTO 180 MTR DEPTH WITH PERCUSSION RIG AT CHAKKI BLOCK DHAR KALAN, DISTT PATHANKOT (UNDER HEAD 4215)	21.06.2024/ 08.07.2024	0.78 LACS	9815273013 xen_ptk@yahoo.co.in
9.	Executive Engineer, Building & Stores Division, Punjab Chandigarh	Disposal of Unserviceable/Condemned 5 Nos. machines of SAS Nagar Drainage cum Mining and Geology Division, Mohali	22.06.2024/ 15.07.2024	3.31 LACS	9855772448 eeworkshop38@gmail.com
10.	Deputy Commissioner, Barnala	Tender for Photostat Machine in DC Office, Barnala for only 9 months (01-07- 2024 to 31/03/2025) and rate of photo copy 0.38 paisa per page.	19.06.2024/ 28.06.2024	0.00 LACS	9876423057 dndcbnl@gmail.com
11.	Executive Engineer, Construction Division No.1, PWD (B&R) Branch, Kapurthala	Construction of Basket Ball Ground in Sainik School Kapurthala.	21.06.2024/ 05.07.2024	74.50 THOUSAND	9988668668 eedc1ktpwdpb@gmail.com
12.	Executive Engineer/ Tarn Taran, Drainage-cum- Mining & Geology Division, WRD, Tarn Taran	Clearance of jungle, weed, jala, booti and slush etc.from the inner section of Baba Bakala drain in between RD 0-23000, Vadala drain in between RD 0-27000 and Desilting of Vadala drain from RD 27000-35000 under Patn Nailah system in Distt.Amritsar	20.06.2024/ 04.07.2024	0.44 LACS	8427587930 xenbaridoab@gmail.com
13.	Executive Engineer, Horticulture Division, PWD B&R Branch, Ludhiana	Landscapeing work in S.Bahadur Ami Chand Soni Armed Forces Preparatory Institute Hoshiarpur.	24.06.2024/ 09.07.2024	63.20 THOUSAND	9878600634 xenhorti.jh@gmail.com
14.	Executive Engineer, Provincial Division, PWD (B&R) Branch, Punjab, Chandigarh	A/R TO PB. GOVT. HOUSES (90 NOS.) CAT.-III, (BLOCK-I) (HOUSE NO. 3051 TO 3056 & 3125 TO 3148) and (BLOCK-II) (84 NOS. HOUSE NO. 3057 TO 3062 & 3075 TO 3096) SECTOR-39 D, CHANDIGARH.	22.06.2024/ 02.07.2024	37.83 THOUSAND	9646900868 eeprovincialdivisionpwd@gmail.com
15.	Director, Governance Reforms & Public Grievances, SAS Nagar.	Tender for selection of Third Party Auditor (TPA) for Punjab's State Data Center	21.06.2024/ 19.07.2024	4.00 LACS	9888078208 manuj_syal@punjab.gov.in



GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB

Tender Reference No. XEN(O&M)/11      Dated: 21.6.2024

The Department : Municipal Corporation, Amritsar

Closing Date and Time : Closing Date for NIT No. XEN(O&M)/12 is 8.7.2024 Time up to 5.00 p.m.

For details logon to : www.eproc.punjab.gov.in

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Sd/- Executive Engineer (O&M)  
Municipal Corporation, Amritsar.

DPR/Pb/34857

GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB

TENDER REFERENCE NO. 27 OF 2024

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

Sr. No.	Name of work
1	Prov. & Lay. W/S Pipe Line, Road Cutting & Restoration, Const. of Brick Masonry, S.V./F.H. Haudies & all other work contingent thereto at Mukerian (As per approved DNIT).

Important dates are as under:-

Closing Date & Time  
15.07.2024 up to 4.30 PM  
For details logon to

Opening Date & Time  
16.07.2024 at 11:00 AM  
: https://eproc.punjab.gov.in.

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Sd/- Executive Engineer,  
Pb. W/S & Sew. Divn., Hoshiarpur.

DPR/Pb/34862

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ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE  
& DATA SCIENCE

Course Duration 5 Days  
Course Time: 3.30 pm to 5 pm  
Email ID: training@idemi.org      Website: www.idemi.org

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Call for details between 10am to 6pm  
Contact- 8275181503,9270076724,9403566219,9869087617

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

The Executive Engineer, NH Division, HPPWD, Solan Distt. Solan HP on behalf of Governor of HP invites the percentage rate bids, in electronic tendering system, from the eligible class of contractors registered with HPPWD for the work detailed in the table.

Sr. No.	Name of works	Estimated cost	Earnest money	Time
1	C/o approach road to Village Dolag in km.117/200 on NH-05 (SH: C/o Protection work, P/L Metalling and Tarring, C/o Hume Pipe culvert with channelization, C/o V-Shape drain, Pierecting W-metal beam crash barrier & road furniture etc. at RDs 117/200).	28568646	571500	Nine months
2	C/o Approach road to Village Wakra in km. 124+650 on NH-05 (SH: C/o Protection work, P/L Metalling and Tarring, C/o Hume Pipe culvert with channelization, C/o V-shape drain, Pierecting W-metal beam crash barrier and road furniture etc. at RDs 124+650).	19813183	398500	Nine months
3	C/o approach road to Chail at Kandaghat on NH-05 (SH: P/L Metalling and Tarring, C/o V-shape drain, P/F W-metal beam crash barrier & road furniture etc. at R.D.117/298 on MDR-08).	1933520	39000	Six months

Starting Date for downloading bid : 01.07.2024 at 4:00 PM (for each)  
Deadline for submission of bid : 08.07.2024 at 11:00 AM (for each)

The bidders are advised to note other detail of tenders from the department website i.e. www.hptenders.gov.in

(On behalf of Governor of Himachal Pradesh)  
Sd/- Executive Engineer,  
Solan NH Division,  
HP.PWD, Solan.

DPR/HP/317

HIMACHAL PRADESH  
JAL SHAKTI VIBHAG  
“NOTICE INVITING TENDER”

Executive Engineer, Jal Shakti Division, Matiana (HP)  
Telephone No. 01783225341 e-mail:- iphdvisionmatiana@gmail.com

Online bids on item rate basis are invited by the Executive Engineer, Jal Shakti Division, Matiana on behalf of Governor of Himachal Pradesh, in electronic tendering system in two covers for the undermentioned work from the contractor/firms of appropriate class enlisted with HP Jal Shakti Department.

Sr. No.	Name of work of	Estimated cost	Eamest Money	Time	Cost of form
1	Providing LWSS Pharal Khad to Kumarsain in Tehsil Kumarsain Distt Shimla HP. (SH:- Providing FHTC to 125 nos balance house hold connection under Jal Shakti Sub Division Kumarsain Section Kumarsain in Distt. Shimla HP.)	Rs. 11,38,004/-	Rs. 22,760/-	3 Months	400/-
2	Providing LWSS Pharal Khad to Kumarsain in Tehsil Kumarsain Distt Shimla HP. (SH:- Providing FHTC to 120 nos balance house hold connection under Jal Shakti Sub Division Kumarsain Section Kumarsain in Distt. Shimla HP.)	Rs. 10,92,484/-	Rs. 21,850/-	3 Months	400/-
3	Providing LWSS Pharal Khad to Kumarsain in Tehsil Kumarsain Distt Shimla HP. (SH:- Providing FHTC to 110 nos balance house hold connection under Jal Shakti Sub Division Kumarsain Section Kumarsain in Distt. Shimla HP.)	Rs. 11,53,750/-	Rs. 23,080/-	3 Months	400/-
4	Providing LWSS Pharal Khad to Kumarsain in Tehsil Kumarsain Distt Shimla HP. (SH:- Providing FHTC to 95 nos balance house hold connection under Jal Shakti Sub Division Kumarsain Section Kumarsain in Distt. Shimla HP.)	Rs. 11,27,958/-	Rs. 22,560/-	3 Months	400/-

1 Tender documents and other instruction can be downloaded or viewed online from the portal <http://hptenders.gov.in> by the firms/individual registered on the website which is free of cost.

2 As the bids are to be submitted online are required to be encrypted and digitally signed, the bidders are advised to obtain Digital Signature Certificate (DSC) from suitable vendors or from any authorized agency at the earliest.

Key Dates:-

1	Date of online publication	21.06.2024
2	Downloading of e-tender Documents	From 21.06.2024 up to 01.07.2024 at 11:00 AM
3	Date of submission of e-tendering.	From 21.06.2024 up to 01.07.2024 at 11:00 AM
4	Physical Submission of earnest money deposit and cost of tender documents if not submit online Mode:-	From 21.06.2024 up to 01.07.2024 at 11:00 AM

1. FDR- Fixed deposit./NSC  
2. DD-Demand Draft.  
3. Exempt certificate allowed

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● Date of opening bid ● 01.07.2024 at 11.30 AM  
● Date of opening of Financial Bid ● Shall be intimated separately

AVAILABILITY OF FORMS:-

1) Tenders are to be submitted only on PWD forms/BoQ as prescribed and can be downloaded from <https://hptenders.gov.in> As the bids are to be submitted online are required to be encrypted and DSC (Digital Signature Certificate). The bidders are advice to obtained DSC from suitable vendor and for any authorized agency at the earliest.

2) Tender documents consisting of the detailed plans, specifications, schedule of quantities of various items of work, and the set of conditions of to be complied with can be download or viewed online from the portal <https://hptenders.gov.in> on the date(s) & time given above by the firms/individual registered on the website which is free of cost.

For any clarification please contact the O/o Executive Engineer, Jal Shakti Division Matiana Shimla – 171212.

Sd/- Executive Engineer,  
Jal Shakti Division Matiana  
Telephone No. 01783225341  
E-mail:- iphdvisionmatiana@gmail.com

GOVERNMENT of Himachal Pradesh  
Jal Shakti Department  
“CORRIGENDUM”

The Notice Inviting e-Tender called vide this office No. J5V/FPDG/CB/EA-I/Nle-Tender File/2024-25-899-938 dated 10.06.2024 (Tender ID 2024\_HPIPH\_88898\_1) due for opening on 21.06.2024 at 12:30 PM is hereby cancelled on the technical grounds.

Sd/- Executive Engineer,  
Flood Protection Division,  
Gagret, Distt. Una (HP)  
HIM SUCHNA AVAM JAN SAMPARK  
DPR/HP/294

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ਸਹੀ/-  
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GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB  
Tender Notice Reference No. 24 of 2024

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

Sr. No.	Name of Work
1	O&M of 86 MLD MPS & 30 MLD STP at Hoshiarpur (w.e.f. 01.04.2024 to 31.03.2027)

Important dates are as under:-

Closing Date & Time  
16.07.2024 up to 4.30 p.m.  
For details logon to: <https://eproc.punjab.gov.in>

Opening Date & Time  
17.07.2024 at 11.00 a.m.  
: https://eproc.punjab.gov.in

Note: Other terms and conditions refer to website <https://eproc.punjab.gov.in> Corrigendum, if any will be issued on website only.

Sd/- Executive Engineer,  
Pb. W/S & Sew. Divn.,  
Hoshiarpur.

DPR/Pb/34830

PUNJAB STATE POWER CORPORATION LIMITED  
(Regd. Office: PSEB Head Office, The Mall, Patiala – 147001)  
CIN: U40109PB2010SGC033813 Website: www.pspcl.in  
(CONTACT NUMBER 96461-21953)

Tender Enquiry No. 17/CWL/2023-24      Dated: 20.06.2024

Addl. SE Civil Works Division Power Colony No.1 PSPCL Ludhiana invites E-tenders against above Tender Enquiry Nos. 17/CWL/2023-24 for “Construction of Transformer Plinth, Providing earthing electrodes and allied civil works at 66 KV S/S Kandhala Talan”.

For detailed NIT & tender specification please refer to <https://eproc.punjab.gov.in> from 21.06.2024 5:00 p.m. onwards.

Note:- Corrigendum and addendum, if any, will be published online at <https://eproc.punjab.gov.in>.

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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
1	HARYANA POLICE HOUSING CORPORATION PANCHKULA	CONSTRUCTION OF BALANCE WORK AT HIPA IN SECTOR-45, GURUGRAM. + 13 WORKS	19.06.2024 26.06.2024	18.85 CRORES

WEBSITE OF THE BOARD/CORP/AUTH.: [www.hphc.org.in](http://www.hphc.org.in)

NODAL OFFICER/CONTACT DETAILS/E-MAIL: 94663200487  
dtpanchkula@yahoo.com

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION KINDLY VISIT:  
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PRDH/13/2025/40/270261/31/4

GOVERNMENT OF HARYANA CORRIGENDUM

SR. NO.	NAME OF BOARD/CORP/ AUTH.	OLD REFERENCE/ NIT NO.	NATURE OF CORRIGENDUM
1	HPGCL	2024_HBC_371920_1 NIT NO 13/TRANSPORT-642/RGTTP/2024-25 DATED 17.05.2024	DUE DATE OF BID SUBMISSION 29.06.2024 OPENING DATE 01.07.2024 ANNUAL RATE CONTRACT FOR OUTSOURCING THE HIRING AND OPERATION OF VEHICLES REQUIRED AT RGTPP, HPGCL, KHEDAR, HISAR FOR 3 YEARS

WEBSITE OF THE BOARD/CORP/AUTH.: <https://etenders.hry.nic.in>

NODAL OFFICER/CONTACT DETAILS/E-MAIL: 8222023757  
xenmp.rgtpp@hpgcl.org.in

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PRDH/13/2025/40/270493/31/4

GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB  
MUNICIPAL COUNCIL ZIRAKPUR, BRANCH  
NOTICE INVITING TENDER

Tender Reference No. ....

The Department of Local Government of Punjab invite online bids.

Closing Date and Time : Technical Bid 11.07.2024, 05:00 p.m.  
Financial Bid 11.07.2024, 05:00 p.m.

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Sd/- Executive Officer,  
Municipal Council, Zirakpur.

DPR/Pb/34843

HIMACHAL PRADESH  
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT  
Online  
INVITATION FOR BIDS (IFB)

The Executive Engineer, Solani Division, HPPWD Solanki – 176320 H.P. on behalf of Governor of Himachal Pradesh, invites the percentage rate bids, in electronic tendering system from the eligible class of contractors registered with HPPWD for the works as detailed in the table.

Sr. No.	Description of works	Estimated Cost (Rs.)	Starting date of down-load- ing bid	Earnest Money (Rs.)	Deadline for sub- mission of bid	Time Limit	Class
1.	Restoration of rain damages on Bathni Sundia Langeria J & K Boundary road K.M. 13/130 to 28/0 (SH: Construction of PCC retaining wall at R.D. 26/090 to 26/105)	4,51,140/-	25.06.2024	9,100/-	01.07.2024 up to 11.00 A.M.	90 Days	D & C
2.	Restoration of rain damages on Kandl to Aithred road K.M. 00 to 11/500 (SH: Construction of PCC retaining wall at R.D. 4/710 to 4/725)	5,67,450/-	25.06.2024	11,400/-	01.07.2024 up to 11.00 A.M.	90 Days	D & C
3.	Construction of Jeepable link road from Bivari to village Trideran K.M. 00 to 1400 (SH: Formation cutting 2.755.00 metre wide from K.M. 00 to 0795 and construction of wire crate for dumping site)	14,62,933/-	25.06.2024	29,300/-	01.07.2024 up to 11.00 A.M.	90 Days	D & C
4.	Restoration of rain damages on Kandl to Aithred road K.M. 00 to 11/500 (SH: Construction of PCC retaining wall at R.D. 6/770 to 6/785)	4,53,234/-	25.06.2024	9,000/-	01.07.2024 up to 11.00 A.M.	90 Days	D & C
5.	Restoration of rain damages on Chakoli to Lader road K.M. 00 to 200 (SH: Construction of crate work retaining wall at R.D. 4/300 to 4/315)	5,54,140/-	25.06.2024	11,100/-	01.07.2024 up to 11.00 A.M.	90 Days	D & C
6.	Repair and maintenance on link road to village Bhayrand K.M. 00 to 1/315 (SH: Construction of PCC retaining wall at R.D. 1/180 to 1/187)	3,99,952/-	25.06.2024	8,000/-	01.07.2024 up to 11.00 A.M.	90 Days	D & C
7.	Restoration of rain damages on Chakoli to Lader road K.M. 00 to 200 (SH: Construction of crate work retaining wall at R.D. 2045 to 2055)	2,71,562/-	25.06.2024	5,500/-	01.07.2024 up to 11.00 A.M.	90 Days	D & C

The bidders are advised to note other details of tenders from the department website [www.hptenders.gov.in](http://www.hptenders.gov.in). The date of Technical Bid opening: 01.07.2024 at 11.30 A.M.

ਪਬਲਿਕ ਨੋਟਿਸ

ਇਸ ਕੋਂਟੈਸਟ ਰਾਹੀਂ ਹਰ ਆਮ ਅਤੇ ਖਾਸ ਨੂੰ ਸੂਚਿਤ ਕੀਤਾ ਜਾਂਦਾ ਹੈ ਕਿ ਨਗਰ ਕੌਂਸਲ, ਸ੍ਰੀ ਚਮਕੌਰ ਸਾਹਿਬ ਵਿਖੇ ਬਣੀ ਹੋਈ ਜਿਨੀ ਸੈਟਰ ਦੀ ਬਿਲਡਿੰਗ ਨੂੰ ਖੁੱਲ੍ਹੀ ਬੋਲੀ ਰਾਹੀਂ ਕਿਰਾਏ 'ਤੇ ਦਿੱਤਾ ਜਾਣਾ ਹੈ। ਇਸ ਬਣੀ ਹੋਈ ਬਿਲਡਿੰਗ ਸਬੰਧੀ ਲੋ-ਆਊਟ ਪਲਾਨ ਅਤੇ ਨਕਸ਼ਾ ਕਿਸੇ ਵੀ ਦਫਤਰੀ ਕੰਮਕਾਸ ਵਾਲੇ ਦਿਨ ਦਫਤਰ ਨਗਰ ਕੌਂਸਲ, ਸ੍ਰੀ ਚਮਕੌਰ ਸਾਹਿਬ ਵਿਖੇ ਆ ਕੇ ਦੇਖਿਆ ਜਾ ਸਕਦਾ ਹੈ। ਇਹ ਖੁੱਲ੍ਹੀ ਬੋਲੀ ਮਿਤੀ 10.07.2024 ਨੂੰ ਸਮਾਂ ਸਵੇਰੇ 11.00 ਵਜੇ ਦਫਤਰ ਨਗਰ ਕੌਂਸਲ, ਸ੍ਰੀ ਚਮਕੌਰ ਸਾਹਿਬ ਵਿਖੇ ਰੱਖੀ ਗਈ ਹੈ। ਹਰ ਇਕ ਬੋਲੀਕਾਰ ਨੂੰ ਬੋਲੀ ਦੇਣ ਤੋਂ ਪਹਿਲਾਂ 8000/- ਰੁਪਏ ਸਕਿਊਰਿਟੀ ਰਕਮ ਜਮ੍ਹਾਂ ਕਰਵਾਉਣੀ ਪਵੇਗੀ। ਬੋਲੀਕਾਰ ਪਾਸ ਆਧਾਰ ਕਾਰਡ ਹੋਣਾ ਲਾਜ਼ਮੀ ਹੈ। ਬੋਲੀ ਸਬੰਧੀ ਸ਼ਰਤਾਂ ਮੌਕੇ 'ਤੇ ਸੁਣਾਈਆਂ ਜਾਣਗੀਆਂ। ਬੋਲੀ ਰੱਦ ਕਰਨ ਦਾ ਅਧਿਕਾਰ ਪ੍ਰਧਾਨ/ਕਾਰਜਸਾਧਕ ਅਫ਼ਸਰ, ਸ੍ਰੀ ਚਮਕੌਰ ਸਾਹਿਬ ਪਾਸ ਰਖਵਾਂ ਹੋਵੇਗਾ।

DPR/Pb/34822      ਸਹੀ/- ਕਾਰਜਸਾਧਕ ਅਫ਼ਸਰ, ਨਗਰ ਕੌਂਸਲ, ਸ੍ਰੀ ਚਮਕੌਰ ਸਾਹਿਬ।

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 TOURISM CORPORATION LIMITED	HIRING OF AGENCY FOR ORGANIZING SUMMER ADVENTURE CAMP AT MANALI (HIMACHAL PRADESH)	20.06.2024 24.06.2024	EMD 0.50 LAKH

WEBSITE OF THE BOARD/CORP/AUTH.: [haryanatourism.gov.in](http://haryanatourism.gov.in)

NODAL OFFICER/CONTACT DETAILS/E-MAIL: 9216400446  
haryanatourismpublicity@gmail.com

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION KINDLY VISIT:  
[www.haryanaeprocurement.gov.in](http://www.haryanaeprocurement.gov.in) or [www.etenders.hry.nic.in](http://www.etenders.hry.nic.in)

PRDH/13/2025/40/270451/31/4

GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB  
Tender Reference No. : EE PWSSD No. 2/Amritsar/24/2024  
Date: 18.06.2024

The Department of : Punjab Water Supply and Sewerage Division No. 2 Amritsar invites Bid for Civil Work.

Closing Date & Time : Closing Date: 12.07.2024 Time up to 1.00 PM

Pre-Bid Meeting Venue : Date 28.06.2024 Time up to 11.00 AM

At O/o Superintending Engineer, Pb. W/S & Sew. Circle, Amritsar, Near Sunrise Multispecialty Hospital, Hide Market, Amritsar, Mob. 83609-07229.  
Email :- [eeppwssdsr2@gmail.com](mailto:eeppwssdsr2@gmail.com)

For Detail logon to : (<https://eproc.punjab.gov.in>)

Note: -Any corrigendum(s)/addendum, to the Tender notice shall be published on the above website only

Sd/- Executive Engineer,  
Punjab W/S & Sew. Division No. 2,  
Amritsar.

DPR/Pb/34817

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	MUNICIPAL COUNCIL NARNAUL	CONSTRUCTION OF PARK IN CHIVAN VATIKA OF NARNAUL CITY.	20.06.2024 11.07.2024	79.31 LACS

WEBSITE OF THE BOARD/CORP/AUTH: <https://etenders.hry.nic.in>

NODAL OFFICER/CONTACT DETAILS/E-MAIL: 9466427222  
eemcnarnaul@gmail.com

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION KINDLY VISIT:  
[www.haryanaeprocurement.gov.in](http://www.haryanaeprocurement.gov.in) or [www.etenders.hry.nic.in](http://www.etenders.hry.nic.in)

PRDH/13/2025/40/270411/31/4

PUNJAB STATE COUNCIL FOR  
SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY  
Website: [www.pscst.punjab.gov.in](http://www.pscst.punjab.gov.in)

PUNJAB GOVERNMENT INITIATIVE UNDER  
GHAR GHAR ROZGAR  
Recruitment Notice

Last date for receipt of applications: 15.07.2024

Applications are invited for the following post in the Punjab State Council for Science & Technology:-

S.I. No.	Name of the Post	No. of vacancies	Remuneration per month (in Rs.)
1.	Project Scientist-II	1	67,000 + HRA (including all statutory liabilities)

Last date & time: 15.07.2024 till 17.00 Hrs. IST.

For details logon to : [www.pscst.punjab.gov.in](http://www.pscst.punjab.gov.in).

Note:- Any corrigendum(s) to the recruitment notice shall be published on the above website.      DPR/Pb/34808      Incharge (Admn)

HIMACHAL PRADESH  
JAL SHAKTI VIBHAG  
NOTICE INVITING E-TENDER

The Executive Engineer, Jal Shakti Division, Katrain invites tenders on behalf of Governor of Himachal Pradesh from approved eligible contractors for the following work(s) through e-tendering process:-

Sr. No.	Name of Work	Estimated Cost	Earnest Money	Time Limit	Cost of Tender Form
1	A/R & M/O Sewerage Scheme under Sub-Division Manali (SH: Operation, repair & maintenance of Manal Town includes 3.00 MLD STP at Manali & 0.2 MLD STP with MBBR Technology at Manli with sewerage network in Tehsil Manali and Distt. Kullu, H.P.	Rs. 3,00,31,851/-	Rs. 3,32,820/-	40 Months	2500/-

Last date of filing/uploading the tender through e-tendering 29.06.2024 up to 11.00 A.M. The tender forms and other detailed conditions can be obtained from the website <https://hptenders.gov.in>

Sd/- Executive Engineer, Jal Shakti Division, Katrain,  
HIM SUCHNA AVAM JAN SAMPARK

DPR/HP/316

NORTHERN RAILWAY

CRS INSPECTION OF NEW LINE  
FROM SANGALDAN-SAWALKOTE-DUGGA-  
BAKKAL- REASI SECTIONS OF FIROZPUR DIVISION

Newly constructed line in Reasi-Bakkal-Dugga-Sawalkote-Sangaldan (46 Kms) sections of Firozpur Division will be opened with electric train operation shortly. High speed trial of the section by special train will be conducted by Commissioner of Railway Safety on 28.06.2024 after trolley inspection on 26.06.2024 & 27.06.2024. Thereafter, new line train working will start between Sangaldan to Reasi Stations of USBRL Project.

General public is informed to stay away from Railway lines in above section. Crossing the track at any location is trespassing and is a punishable offence and liable for prosecution under Railway Act.

No: 101-W/81-W-II/USBRL/CRS/ Reasi-Dugga-Sang.  
Dated: 20.06.2024

Northern Railway Construction Organization,  
USBRL project

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DEPARTMENT OF FORESTS & WILDLIFE  
CHANDIGARH ADMINISTRATION

Off. Paryavaran Bhawan Building (2nd Floor,  
Sector 19B, Madhya Marg, Chandigarh – 160019  
Email Address: [forestchandigarh@gmail.com](mailto:forestchandigarh@gmail.com),  
Tel.: 0172-2700284

PUBLIC NOTICE

Applications are invited from the interested persons to represent Non- Governmental Organisation having work experience in the field of Wildlife related matters for nomination in the State Board for Wildlife, UT Chandigarh as per Section 6(1) (d) of Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972 for three years.

Further, applications are also invited from interested persons having work experience in the field of conservationists, ecologists, and environmentalists for nomination in the State Board for Wildlife, UT Chandigarh as per Section 6(1) (e) of Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972 for three years.

Members of the Wildlife Board shall be entitled to receive such allowances in respect of expenses incurred in the performance of the duties as may be decided by the Chandigarh Administration from time to time.

The application/resume may be submitted in prescribed format which is available on website of Forest Department i.e. <https://chandigarhforest.gov.in> through email at [forestchandigarh@gmail.com](mailto:forestchandigarh@gmail.com) by 05.07.2024 up to 5.30 PM.

Sd/- Chief Conservator of Forests

The Tribune

JALANDHAR | SATURDAY | 22 JUNE 2024

Organized by IDEMI Mumbai, Ministry of MSME, Govt. of India

Practical Workshop on  
Gem Registration & E tendering

Course duration : 4 days  
Course Timing : 1.30 pm to 5 pm

Course Date-  
29,30 June  
6,7 July 2024

Product upload, E-tendering, Supply Payment Process  
Email: [training@idemi.org](mailto:training@idemi.org)      Website: [www.idemi.org](http://www.idemi.org)  
Course Fees-4000/-+18% GST in the name of IDEMI, Mumbai

For whom: Small Scale Industries, Traders, Dealers, Startup & Interested Persons

Technical Details-7588551926  
QR Code for Registration and Payment:-  
Call for details between 10 am to 6pm

Contact- 8007765693,9403566219,9270076724,9869087617

GOVT. OF PUNJAB  
Ludhiana Urban Water & Wastewater  
Management Ltd., Zone-B  
(A Municipal Corporation Ludhiana Undertaking)

Tender Notice No: 21/XEN/B      Dated: 18.06.2024

The Department of Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana invites online bids for the following date and time:

Last Date of online sale/ submission of bidding documents	Opening of technical bid documents
28.06.2024 till 02:00 P.M.	28.06.2024 till 3:30 P.M.

For details logon to: [eproc.punjab.gov.in](http://eproc.punjab.gov.in).

Note:- Any corrigendum(s) to the Tender Notice shall be published on the above website only.

Sd/- Executive Engineer,  
Ludhiana Urban Water &  
Wastewater Management Ltd.  
e-mail: [xenzoneb@gmail.com](mailto:xenzoneb@gmail.com)

DPR/Pb/34846

GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB  
TENDER REFERENCE NO. 25 OF 2024

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

Sr. No.	Name of works
1	Prov. & installing a new Tiwell against abandoned Tiwell (Moh. Langerpura) at Moh. Kainthan near Little Flower School at Dasuya (D/Work).
2	Prov. & Installing New Tiwell against abandoned Tiwell including Const. of P.C., Machinery, CI Di Specials & all other works contingent thereto in Satbi Mandi Chowk, Talwara (D/V).

Note: Important dates are as under:-

Closing Date & Time  
27.06.2024 upto 4.30 PM  
For details logon to

Opening Date & Time  
28.06.2024 at 11:00 AM  
: <https://eproc.punjab.gov.in>.

Note: Other Terms and Conditions refer to website <https://eproc.punjab.gov.in> Corrigendum, if any will be issued on website only.

Sd/- Executive Engineer,  
Pb. W/S & Sew. Divn.,  
Hoshiarpur.

DPR/Pb/34831

PUNJAB STATE POWER CORPORATION LIMITED  
Regd. Office: PSEB Head Office, The Mall, Patiala – 147001  
CIN: U40109PB2010SGC033813, Website: [www.pspcl.in](http://www.pspcl.in)  
Office of Addl. Superintending Engineer, Civil Mtc. Township Division, GGSSTP, Post Office Ghanauli, Roopnagar – 140113  
Mobile No. 96461-10846, E-Mail: [asepcmggsstp@gmail.com](mailto:asepcmggsstp@gmail.com)

AUCTION NOTICE

Office of : Addl. SE/CMT (O&M), GGSSTP, Roopnagar

Auction Notice for : Auction of Shop No. 4, 9 to 12, 13, 16, 17 & 18 at Power Colony Shopping Complex, GGSSTP, on monthly lease rent basis for 11 months.

Quantity : 9 No. Shop at Shopping Complex Power Colony, GGSSTP, Rupnagar.

Last Date & Time for:-

i) Sale of Auction documents      On 15.07.2024 up to 10:00 a.m.

ii) Auction      On 15.07.2024 at 12:00 Noon

Note: It is informed that in case Auction process is not completed due to any reason, no corrigendum will be published in newspapers. Details regarding corrigendum may be seen on official, PSPCL, website [www.pspcl.in](http://www.pspcl.in)

Detailed Auction Notice may be downloaded from POWERCOM Website ([www.pspcl.in](http://www.pspcl.in)).

RTP-51/24      DPR/Pb/34873

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL, NAWANSHAHR  
Distt. Shaheed Bhagat Singh Nagar  
LOCAL GOVT. DEPTT. PUNJAB  
Notice Inviting E-Tenders  
<http://eproc.punjab.gov.in>  
E-Tender No:- E-tender-ME/MC/NSR/2024

Municipal Council, Nawanshahr, Distt. Shaheed Bhagat Singh Nagar invites percentage rate e-tenders on double bid system for the following works from enlisted contractors with M.C. Nawanshahr. and Co Op Societies.





**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA**  
**MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT**  
**Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities (Divyangjan)**  
**Pt. Deendayal Antoyadaya Bhawan, CGO Complex, Lodhi Raod, New Delhi**



**INVITING APPLICATIONS THROUGH 'ONLINE' FOR NATIONAL AWARDS FOR EMPOWERMENT OF PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES FOR THE YEAR 2024**

Applications/nominations are invited for National Awards for Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities for the year 2024, through online mode only on the password protected centralized portal designed by Ministry of Home Affairs ([www.awards.gov.in](http://www.awards.gov.in)) which is open w.e.f. **15th June, 2024**. **The last date for submission of applications/nominations is 31st July, 2024**.

The nomination should contain all relevant details specified in the format available on the above portal including in narrative form clearly bringing out the notable and inspiring achievements.

Eligibility criteria and other details are available in the simplified and rationalized Guidelines for National Awards for Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities available on the website of the Department ([www.depwd.gov.in](http://www.depwd.gov.in)) as also on the Award Portal ([www.awards.gov.in](http://www.awards.gov.in))

**Nomination/application for these awards in physical form will not be accepted.**

The National Awards and eligibility for each category of award is as under:

I. National Awards for Individual Excellence. ( व्यक्तिगत उत्कृष्टता के लिए राष्ट्रीय पुरस्कार ):		
Sr. No.	Category of Award and Eligibility	No. of Awards
1.	(i) <b>Sarvshresth Divyangjan</b> ( सर्वश्रेष्ठ दिव्यांगजन ) (Belonging to any field or activity i.e. Education/Health/Employment/Art & Culture/Sports/Creative work/Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities/Social service etc.- <b>A Role Model</b> ) - Open to all persons with disabilities having any of the 21 specified disabilities under the RPwD Act.	06 (03 for Male and 03 for Female) Cash component of Award: Rs. 2.00 lakh each
2.	(ii) <b>Shresth Divyangjan</b> ( श्रेष्ठ दिव्यांगजन ) a. Locomotor Disability - (Locomotor, Muscular Dystrophy, Dwarfism, Acid Attack Victims, Leprosy Cured, Cerebral Palsy). b. Visual Impairment - (Blindness, Low Vision). c. Hearing Impairment - (Deaf, Hard of Hearing, Speech & Language disability). d. Intellectual Disability - (Mental Retardation, Mental Behavior, Specific Learning Disability, Autism Spectrum Disorder). e. Any specified disability except the disabilities mentioned from Sr. No. (a) to (d) above. (Developmental Disorder, Disability caused due to Blood Disorder, Hemophilia, Thalassemia, Sickle Cell Diseases, Chronic Neurological Conditions, Multiple Sclerosis, Parkinson's Disease, Multiple Disability) However, if suitable person(s) in any one or more of these sub-categories are not found, the awards may be given to additional person(s) in other sub-categories. (In the fields of employment/self-employment, health/sports, art, culture, drawing, painting, music, or any other type of creative work, empowerment of persons with disabilities etc.) (iii) <b>Shresth Divyang Bal/Balika</b> ( श्रेष्ठ दिव्यांग बाल/बालिका ) In any of category of specified disabilities under the RPwD Act) - (In the field of art & culture, drawing, painting, music, or any other type of creative work etc. (Children with disabilities up to the age of 18 years).	10 (1 for male and 1 for Female in each of the five categories (a) to (e). Cash component of Award: Rs. 1.00 lakh
3.	<b>Divyangjano Ke Liye Karyarat Sarvshrestha Vyakti</b> ( दिव्यांगजनों के लिए कार्यरत सर्वश्रेष्ठ व्यक्ति )	1 Award Cash component of Award: Rs. 1.00 lakh each.
4.	<b>Divyangata Ke Kshetra Mein Sarvshrestha Punarvas Peshevar.</b> ( दिव्यांगता के क्षेत्र में सर्वश्रेष्ठ पुनर्वास पेशेवर )	1 Award Cash component of Award: Rs. 1.00 lakh each.
5.	<b>Divyangata Ke Kshetra Mein Sarvshrestha Anusandhan/Navpravartan/Utpad Vikas</b> ( दिव्यांगता के क्षेत्र में सर्वश्रेष्ठ अनुसन्धान/नवप्रवर्तन/उत्पाद विकास )	1 Award Cash component of Award: Rs. 1.00 lakh each.

II. National Awards for Institutions engaged in empowering persons with disabilities ( दिव्यांगजनों के सशक्तीकरण के लिए कार्यरत संस्थानों हेतु राष्ट्रीय पुरस्कार )		
Sr. No.	Category of Award and Eligibility	Number of Awards (A certificate and a shield to each awardee)
1.	<b>Divyangjan Sashaktikaran Hetu Sarvshrestha Sansthan</b> ( दिव्यांगजन सशक्तीकरण हेतु सर्वश्रेष्ठ संस्थान ) (Private organization, NGO)	1 Award for providing comprehensive Rehabilitation services and 1 Award for Inclusive Education (institutions providing or promoting inclusive education)
2.	<b>Divyangjano Ke Liye Sarvshrestha Niyokta</b> ( दिव्यांगजनों के लिए सर्वश्रेष्ठ नियोक्ता ) (Govt. Organisation/Public Sector Enterprises/Autonomous bodies/Pvt. Sector)	1 Award
3.	<b>Divyangjano Ke Liye Sarvshresth Placement Agency</b> ( दिव्यांगजनों के लिए सर्वश्रेष्ठ प्लेसमेंट एजेंसी ) - excluding Govt./State Govt./Local Bodies	1 Award
4.	<b>Sugama Bharat Abhiyan Kay Karyanvayan/Badhamukta Vatavaran Kay Srijan Mein Sarvshrestha Rajya/UT/Zila</b> ( सुगम्य भारत अभियान के कार्यान्वयन/बाधमुक्त वातावरण के सृजन में सर्वश्रेष्ठ राज्य/संघ राज्य क्षेत्र/जिला )	1 Award
5.	<b>Sarvshrestha Sugama Yatayat kay Sadahan/Soochana Avam Sanchar Prodyogiki</b> ( सर्वश्रेष्ठ सुगम्य यातायात के साधन/सूचना एवं संचार प्रौद्योगिकी ) Govt./Private organisation	1 Award
6.	<b>Divyangjano Kay Adhikar Adhiniyam/UDID Avam Divyang Sashktikaran Ki Anay Yojanaon Kay Karyanvayan Mein Sarvshrestha Rajya/UT/Zila</b> ( दिव्यांगजनों के अधिकार अधिनियम/पहचान पत्र एवं दिव्यांग सशक्तीकरण की अन्य योजनाओं के कार्यान्वयन में सर्वश्रेष्ठ राज्य/संघ राज्य क्षेत्र/जिला )	1 Award for State/UT and 1 Award for District
7.	<b>Apne Rajya/UT Mein Divyangjano Kay Adhikar Adhiniyam Kay Karyanvayan Mein Sarvshrestha Pradarshan Karane Wale Rajya Divyangjan Aayukta</b> ( अपने राज्य संघ राज्य क्षेत्र में दिव्यांगजनों के अधिकार अधिनियम के कार्यान्वयन में सर्वश्रेष्ठ प्रदर्शन करने वाले राज्य दिव्यांगजन आयुक्त )	1 Award
8.	<b>Punarvas Sevawon Ke Liye Peshevar Taiyar Karne Wali Sarvshresth Sansthan</b> ( पुनर्वास सेवाओं हेतु पेशेवर तैयार करने वाली सर्वश्रेष्ठ संस्थान )	1 Award

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**हरियाणा सरकार**

# समर्थ वृद्ध सेवा आश्रम योजना

## के तहत वृद्धाश्रम संचालन हेतु

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## रुचि की अभिव्यक्ति आमंत्रित

### वृद्ध आश्रम हरियाणा सरकार के स्वामित्व वाले निम्नलिखित भवनों में होंगे संचालित

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- जिला रेड क्रॉस सोसाइटी द्वारा संचालित वृद्धाश्रम, सेक्टर-4, एच.एस.वी.पी., गुरुग्राम।
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Kashmir outreach

PM Modi ticks the right boxes

PRIME Minister Narendra Modi ticked all the right boxes during his visit to the Kashmir valley — he not only chose the Sher-i-Kashmir International Convention Centre on the banks of the Dal Lake to lead the nation's International Yoga Day celebrations, but also reassured the people of Jammu and Kashmir that Assembly elections would be held soon and plans were afoot to restore J&K's statehood. In his first trip to the Valley after assuming office as the PM for the third time, Modi termed the recent terror attacks 'last-ditch efforts of the enemies of Kashmir's progress' and asserted that India would teach them a befitting lesson.

The PM's decision to tour Kashmir and showcase India's soft power through yoga — days after the attacks in Reasi and Kathua districts — was also aimed at boosting the morale of the security forces, which are fighting a pitched battle with terrorists in the Jammu region. It will be a big challenge for the Union Government to conduct the polls by September 30, the deadline set by the Supreme Court, if the security situation does not improve over the next couple of months.

The PM has praised the voters of Kashmir, and rightly so, for turning out in large numbers in the recent Lok Sabha elections. The Centre must build on the renewed faith of the Kashmiri people in democracy to fast-track the process of holding the Assembly elections. At the same time, counter-terror operations need to be stepped up so that peace and progress are not disrupted in J&K and people can become part of the democratic exercise in an environment devoid of fear, chaos and uncertainty. The Modi 2.0 government repeatedly described the 2019 abrogation of Article 370 as its major achievement. However, the job will remain half-done until sincere and sustained efforts are made by the Modi 3.0 dispensation to fulfil the aspirations of the people of J&K.

Child labour

Madhya Pradesh case a wake-up call

THE harrowing case of child labour that has come to light in Raisen district of Madhya Pradesh is a wake-up call. As many as 58 minors, including 19 girls, were found working in appalling conditions at a liquor factory by a team of the National Commission for Protection of Child Rights (NCPCR) last week. Many had sustained terrible chemical burns. Now, 39 of those rescued have gone missing. The NCPCR chairperson says the case involves not just child labour, but also human trafficking. Questions are being raised about gross negligence and the collusion of corrupt officials. The regulatory bodies are under the scanner. Stringent action against the factory owners is a must. Any laxity will reinforce the perception that tackling child labour is low on the state's priority list, and that the rule of law can easily be subverted.

According to the International Labour Organisation, more than 16 crore children are working as child labourers globally, and the number is only going up. Cases of human trafficking have seen a rise since the Covid-19 pandemic. Vulnerable families were further pushed into poverty and a large number of children dropped out of school, exacerbating the risk. The data also points to an increasing number of children being subjected to abuse and violence. Child labour and trafficking are organised crime. The Raisen case is a reminder that efforts must be redoubled to rein in the perpetrators. Rehabilitation of the children remains an underserved aspect.

Eradicating child labour should be a shared moral responsibility of civil society, businesses and governments alike. In India, 11 per cent of the workforce is said to be underage. Child labour laws have proven to be ineffective. Whatever the justification that is offered, the moral quotient is entirely absent from the social sanction to child labour in the country.

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Lala Lajpat Rai's way out

THE remarkable article which Lala Lajpat Rai contributed in the *New Leader*, and which we reproduced in these columns yesterday, is a masterpiece of sober presentation of facts of almost judicial impartiality in handling them, and of close reasoning as regards the conclusion that is drawn from the premises. It is in a way a continuation of the important speech which Rai made some weeks ago in reply to an address of welcome presented to him by Indian students in London. In that speech, Rai described the situation in India at great length and stated his own position and that of those with whom he was most in agreement in regard to it. In this article, he sums up in the fewest possible words a most important aspect of India's political situation, which he justly describes as official lawlessness, traces this lawlessness to its true cause, and suggests the only possible remedy for it. In describing the story of official lawlessness, Rai rightly confines himself to noticing measures, both legislative and executive, as to which there is complete unanimity among all reasonable and fair-minded persons in India. The three legislative measures he chooses for his attack are Regulation III of 1818, the Seditious Meetings Act and the Criminal Law Amendment Act, all of which involve an unwarranted and utterly unjustifiable interference with the primary, lawful rights of the people and are in consequences universally regarded in India as lawless laws, and all of which have again and again been used by overzealous officials for the deliberate purpose of suppressing the natural aspiration of the people by punishing their legitimate expression.

Why Delhi is shaken and stirred

In the high-stakes global game, India is a quarter of a step down today



PRIME Minister Narendra Modi's stranglehold on politics and the BJP's Hindutva citadel have been both shaken and stirred by the recent election results, and the coming monsoon session of the 18th Lok Sabha will surely be a teaser of things to come.

But in the great game that is being played out in the rest of the world, in which the US, Russia and China remain key poles, it will be interesting to see how these countries respond to India's assertion that it is a stabilising power in a chaotic region.

First things first. Earlier this week, National Security Adviser (NSA) Ajit Doval — the powerful 79-year-old former intelligence chief, now in his third term as NSA — and his US counterpart, Jake Sullivan, met in New Delhi to underline the importance of the transfer of critical technologies from the US to India.

The important thing about this meeting, however, is the one that happened before the delegation-level talks — when Doval and Sullivan met without aides, without note-takers or anyone else in the room, for at least 30-40 minutes. For sure, there would have been recording devices embedded in the lamp-base or behind expensive art work — we all know this from the James Bond movies we are addicted to — and both would have later related the key points of their conversation to their respective offices.

But make no mistake. No conversation on critical technologies, known as ICET, or the call on PM Modi or the half-hour 'chai pe charcha' between Sullivan



ALLIES: NSA Ajit Doval (right) with his US counterpart Jake Sullivan during a meeting in New Delhi this week. It is important to ask what kind of a relationship India wants from the US — and vice-versa. 71

van and External Affairs Minister S Jaishankar would have been as important as this one (note that Kurt Campbell, the US Deputy Secretary of State and America's top diplomat on China, was also in town).

And that is because when all the bells and whistles recede into the background — including the fine dining at Delhi's beautifully appointed Hyderabad House, the venue for all diplomatic engagements at the highest level — it is the exercise of hard power that courteously asserts itself.

Some of that conversation definitely revolved around India's alleged attempt to kill Gurpatwant Singh Pannun, a pro-Khalistan activist in New York. According to the US indictment, Indian national Nikhil Gupta — whom the Czechs gave up to the Americans even as Doval and Sullivan talked in Delhi — was allegedly hired by a co-conspirator called 'CC-1', whom *The Washington Post* recently revealed to be an official of India's external intelligence agency, R&AW, by the name of Vikram Yadav.

We know all this by now. We also know that the Indians, in an attempt to mollify the Ameri-

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cans — when the smelly garbage was hitting the fan — repatriated Yadav to his parent cadre, the CRPF. He is now believed to be back in Chhattisgarh, allegedly swatting both flies and would-be Maoists.

The alleged hit job was supposed to have been undertaken exactly a year ago, on June 22 — of course, it was foiled by the Americans, which is how Pannun is still alive, probably chomping on bagels-and-cheese or even *aloo ka paratha* back home in New York. In the recent Lok Sabha elections, he was

reduced to sending Punjabi voice notes urging people to support Sikh radicals like Amritpal Singh; sure, he won from Khadoor Sahib, but that had far more to do with Punjab's forever angst against Delhi, rather than any persuaded emotions of separatism. The point is, dead or alive, Pannun is irrelevant.

Sullivan and Doval would have gone all over this, in their own way. Doval is not the type to apologise — no self-respecting intelligence officer ever does, and why should he, pray — but all sides know that in this high-stakes game in which all nations measure one another up for brains, brawn and potential, India is a quarter of a step down today.

But the Indians also have a long memory. There is the matter of Rabinder Singh, the R&AW agent who was exfiltrated by the Americans in 2004. No one in Delhi has quite forgotten how he was smuggled out, via Nepal, even though both countries had, by then, sworn to be 'natural allies'. Those of you who are spy movie addicts should watch Vishal Bhardwaj's *Khufiya* today, if you haven't already — and know

that the real story is dirtier, sadder and far less glamorous.

The more important question today, as Modi has taken charge for the third time, is what kind of a relationship does India want from the US — and vice-versa. And then there is the small matter of New Delhi asserting its relationship with Russia, both because it continues to get cheap oil from there — which it not so quietly re-exports to the refineries of Europe, which are desperate for cheap Russian oil they have been prohibited from buying since the Russian war against Ukraine began two years ago — and its continued dependence on Russian weapons. It's also why, as Delhi has made clear, it is walking the middle path on Ukraine.

Thus, it seems more than likely that Modi will travel in October to Kazan in the heart of Russia — a city that symbolises the 1552 victory of the Russian Orthodox Tsar, Ivan the Terrible, over the Mongols and the massive expansion of Islam, like no other — for the BRICS summit, the acronym for the Brazil-Russia-India-China-South Africa organisation, that has now been expanded to incorporate players like the UAE and Saudi Arabia. Remember that Ivan's victory took place only 26 years after Babur becomes the Emperor of Hindustan in 1526.

Modi, sort of, owes it to Vladimir Putin — the PM hasn't visited Moscow since Putin came to Delhi in December 2021 — and especially since Modi isn't going to the China-led Shanghai Cooperation Organisation's summit in Astana, Kazakhstan, in July. Putin will be in Astana, of course — Kazakhstan is part of Russia's near-abroad — as will Xi Jinping. But with Chinese troops still sitting on the LAC with India, Modi probably believes it's better to avoid the avoidable pleasantries.

Guess who will be watching closely when Modi goes to Kazan? From Washington DC to Delhi, via Moscow and Beijing, the great game is certainly alive and well.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

The thing I learned as a diplomat is that human relations ultimately make a huge difference. — Madeleine Albright

Give your mind a chance to zone out

NARAYANI GANESH

As a young girl, I knew the words 'tired' and 'stressed', but had never heard them used in my family or circle of friends. The first time I heard my sister's father-in-law ask her when she returned home from work, 'Are you tired?', I wondered if she were ill. Why should she feel tired? I asked her, and she just shushed me with a shy smile. I then realised that this was her new family's way of expressing concern and affection for their daughter-in-law.

I knew if I had said to my mother that I was tired, she would have glared at me and ordered me to finish my homework. No affectionate cluck-clucking here, so one had no option but to do as told. When did we, as a species, begin articulating words that expressed fatigue, exhaustion, tiredness, stress and boredom? I suspect the trend came much later to India, when it was already very current in the Western world.

Nowadays, mental health has exploded into a major issue across age groups and demographics. Again, the wave that began in the West has now begun to engulf South Asian and East Asian countries, where traditionally, a whack on the bottom would resolve any show of mental disequilibrium. I don't intend to trivialise serious mental health challenges that are sometimes clinical and at other times psychological, and even weather-related, and these do need to be treated by experts. The question is: are we getting carried away by the mental health bandwagon by lumping any minor challenge as a mental health issue, finding that to be a convenient excuse to justify almost any omission and/or commission?

The stigma attached to the act of going to a psychiatrist or therapist is on the wane, which is a very good thing, as it encourages us to come out with our worries and problems, airing them out, instead of suppressing them and suffering alone. Yet, one cannot help wondering if some of these issues could untangle themselves just by talking to friends and family, or even by taking a break from one's mundane routine and from working long hours. Sometimes, what one needs is a breath of fresh air, a wider angle that puts things in perspective.

Just as the body tends to feel tired after a lot of strain, the mind also gets overwhelmed with too much mental activity and therefore needs to be given space, some 'me time' — basically, to zone out and get rejuvenated. Listening to soothing music, doing something different, practising meditation and regular deep breathing exercises could all contribute to centring both mind and body. If day-to-day mental challenges can be resolved with simple home remedies and exercises, that would free up space for the truly serious mental health patients to get properly treated and cared for. The danger lies in taking too far the wonderful thought: It's OK to not be OK. Part of the answer lies not in suffering in silence but in sharing your thoughts and fears with people you are close to. And if you think you need to consult a professional, do go for it.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Row over Kejriwal's bail

With reference to the news report 'Kejriwal gets bail'; the (now stayed) bail for the Delhi CM in the money laundering case linked to the alleged excise policy scam had come as a huge relief for not just Kejriwal but his whole party. AAP had rightly hailed it as a victory of the truth. The case against him is alleged to be politically motivated. Pertinently, under Section 45 of the PMLA, the accused has to prove in court that he is prima facie innocent to get bail. Besides, he must also convince the judge that he would not commit any offence while on bail. So, the grant of bail to the AAP national convener was a massive blow to the credibility of the ED.

ROSHAN LAL GOEL, LADWA

Reconsider move to cancel exam

Refer to the editorial '*Pariksha pe charcha*'; the cancellation of the UGC-NET exam has come as a rude shock to the over nine lakh candidates. The rationale behind the Centre's decision is unclear, especially when there were no complaints about the conduct of the exam from any quarter. Irregularities in the NEET-2024 exam do not necessarily mean that there was foul play in the UGC-NET exam as well. The cancellation of the test without valid reasons can severely affect the morale of the aspirants. The government must reconsider its decision and declare the results of the UGC-NET exam conducted on June 18.

CHANCHAL S MANN, UNA

Change in mindset need of hour

Refer to the editorial 'Honour killing'; such incidents are a blot on Indian society. It is unfortunate that even though it has been over seven decades since Independence, girls are still being killed by members of their own kin in the name of family honour. Introducing more stringent laws to curb the menace is not enough. The need of the hour is a change in the mindset of people living in rural areas. The elderly and youth alike must be educated. The mainstream media can also play a vital role in bringing about an attitudinal shift.

GAURAV BADHWAR, ROHTAK

Nothing honourable about it

With reference to the editorial 'Honour killing', the two cases are a grim reminder that casteism is still prevalent in Haryana. It would be wrong to refer to the slaying of innocent girls over who they choose to marry as 'honour killings', as there is nothing honourable about it. Such crimes smack of a sick and twisted patriarchal mindset. It is not just the perpetrators of the crime who are guilty of such killings; all those who justify them are also complicit. There is an urgent need for more stringent legislation to rein in such heinous offences.

ANTHONY HENRIQUES, MUMBAI

Scourge of rail mishaps

Despite a rise in rail mishaps in recent years, no lessons have been learnt. Every time a tragedy strikes, a minister visits the site, apparently to take stock of the situation. But nothing is done to prevent more rail accidents. Politicians offer nothing but tall promises and rhetoric. Massive funds have been spent to introduce fancy and ultra-fast trains on Indian tracks. The money should instead go towards upgrading rail safety measures and improving the quality of services on passenger trains. The focus of the authorities must be on ensuring the safety of travellers.

BAKSHI GURPRIT SINGH, JALANDHAR

Resurgence of the Gandhis

The resurgence of the Gandhis — Rahul potentially as the Leader of Opposition and Priyanka as an MP from Wayanad — is welcome. After Rahul's twin wins from Raebareilly and Wayanad, the party has made a wide decision by letting Priyanka contest from the seat in Kerala. The Congress must now focus on converting the rising momentum into growth in its voter base. The party will do well to follow a similar strategy in Bihar, UP and Maharashtra. The Gandhi family can contribute immensely to boosting the Congress party's electoral prospects. A bit of restructuring in the party is the need of the hour.

MONA SINGH, BY MAIL



# Judiciary-military discord worsening in Pakistan



**RANA BANERJI**  
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CABINET SECRETARIAT

DESPITE the tabling of a forward-looking, even tough budget designed to satisfy the International Monetary Fund and conclude a staff-level agreement for Pakistan's next aid tranche by July, the Shehbaz Sharif government is looking increasingly insecure and lacklustre in its day-to-day functioning.

After the Supreme Court advised incarcerated former Prime Minister Imran Khan to seek avenues for political negotiations, he has resorted to the devious stratagem of pushing in Pashtunkhwa Milli Awami Party veteran Mahmood Khan Achakzai to be his frontman for any possible contact with either President Asif Ali Zardari or the Sharif brothers. These negotiations are going nowhere as Imran has told the sizeable contingent of Pakistan Tehreek-e-Insaf (PTI) legislators to continue agitating for the restoration of the February 8 electoral

mandate. They are threatening street protests, with possible roping in of disgruntled Jamiat Ulema-e-Islam (JuI-F) cadres of Maulana Fazl-ur-Rehman.

The Pakistan People's Party (PPP), while supporting the Pakistan Muslim League (Nawaz) from the outside, has expressed unhappiness at not being consulted in the budget formulation. It has been demanding space in the provincial government in Punjab, but Chief Minister Maryam Nawaz seems to be in no mood to oblige.

Meanwhile, ever since six judges of the Islamabad High Court wrote a letter to the Supreme Judicial Council (SJC) in March this year, alleging interference and intimidation by Pakistan's omnipotent Inter-Services Intelligence (ISI), the judiciary has been up in arms to rid itself of the age-old taint of being a handmaiden of the military establishment. Partly, this bravado stems from support among the younger judges for deposed PTI leader Imran's populist narrative.

The Army leadership has been disapproving of these moves. Addressing a passing-out parade at Pakistan Air Force's Risalpur Academy on May 2, Army Chief Gen Syed Asim Munir observed that the army was "well aware of its constitutional limits" and "expected others to prioritise the Con-



**EVENTFUL:** Pakistan's Chief Justice Qazi Faez Isa (right) administered the oath of office to President Asif Ali Zardari in Islamabad in March. Isa's tenure as CJ has been marked by travails. *AP/PTI*

stitution as well". On May 7, as the anniversary of last year's 'Black Day' violence (May 9) approached, the Inter-Services Public Relations (ISPR) clarified that any dialogue with the PTI could happen only if it "earnestly apologises publicly in front of the nation", promises to adopt "constructive politics" and forgoes "politics of anarchy".

After the May 29 Formation Commanders' Conference, the ISPR reiterated that without bringing the planners, perpetrators, abettors and facilitators of the May 9, 2023, violence to justice, there would be no stability in the country. It noted with

The Pakistan People's Party has been demanding space in the provincial govt in Punjab, but CM Maryam Nawaz Sharif seems to be in no mood to oblige.

concern that politically motivated and vested digital terrorism unleashed by 'conspirators' (read Imran's troll bands) was inducing despondency and discord among national institutions, especially the armed forces, which would not be tolerated.

Despite these warnings, the courts have been ruling in favour of Imran, holding the procedures and haste employed to imprison him before the February 8 elections violative of natural justice. His indictment in the cipher leaks case was struck down. All these cases have been appealed against. A seven-member larger Bench

of the Supreme Court led by CJ Qazi Faez Isa is hearing a suo motu case regarding agency interference in judicial functions. No hearings have been scheduled in the past couple of months. Another CJ Isa-led Division Bench is set to hear the Election Commission of Pakistan's (ECP) petition challenging the Lahore High Court's decision to appoint six more tribunals to settle election disputes in Punjab.

Sargodha Anti-Terrorism Court judge Muhammad Abbas has complained to the Lahore High Court Chief Justice, Malik Shahzad Ahmed Khan, about the alleged role of the ISI in damaging water and electricity meters outside his house. CJ Ahmed Khan, whose elevation to the Supreme Court was announced only recently, has issued showcause notices to police officials concerned. He did not hesitate to profess at a public gathering in Islamabad recently that the days of 'agency intimidation of judges' would soon be a thing of the past. He was summoned before the Supreme Court Chief Justice a few days later for a possible admonition.

The Election Commission's decision not to assign reserved seats of the National Assembly to the Sunni Ittehad Council, to which elected PTI legislators now adhere, was upheld by the

Peshawar High Court, but it has been challenged by the PTI in the Supreme Court. Deliberations by a full court Bench there have remained inconclusive. If the SC upholds the ECP's decision, reserved seats in Parliament and provincial legislatures will be allocated to the ruling parties and the JUI-F enabling the government to pursue constitutional amendments. Reports are rife about the government planning to extend the tenure of the Supreme Court CJ and other judges by two years.

Isa's term of office as CJ lasts up to October 25. Ascending to this post has not been without travails for him as he had to face references against his integrity before the SJC, brought at the behest of Imran, prodded perhaps by military leaders of the day (Gen Qamar Javed Bajwa and then Director General, ISI, Lt Gen Faiz Hameed). His January 13 ruling, depriving the PTI of its election symbol (cricket bat), has also been under adverse public scrutiny. He has been responding in a restrained manner to all this venting of ire against the agencies by judges from lower courts. After the Eid vacation, all eyes will be on how the Supreme Court deals with these cases, which could have significant implications for Pakistan politics.

# The govt must commit itself to undoing injustice



**NEERA CHANDHOKE**  
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THE first International Congress of Writers for the Defence of Culture was held in Paris from June 21 to 25, 1935. Writers aligned with the Left, surrealists, the avant-garde, liberals and pacifists denounced the rising tide of fascism in Europe before an audience of thousands. The speakers were 'engaged writers' — those who believe that art and politics go hand in hand and that one cannot exist without the other. Held at the Palais de Mutualite, a traditional meeting site for the Left Bank and progressive intellectuals, the conference was swamped by Parisians. This was the same city that had witnessed anti-Semitism during the Dreyfus affair in the late 19th century.

By the 1930s, political solidarity among intellectuals could no longer be confined to cafes of radical neighbourhoods. Anxiety over fascism in Europe produced international solidarity. André Gide, a famous French writer and winner of the Nobel Prize for litera-

ture in 1947, memorably said that each one of them had a "right to inspect his neighbour's territory".

In 1948, the Universal Declaration of Human Rights delivered the same message. When regimes violate the basic rights of a section of their citizens, other states and international agencies have the "right to inspect their territory". In effect, the declaration legitimised concern for the rights of all people, even if they live in faraway lands. Rights are universal. Intellectuals, wherever they may be, must speak up against fascism and the harm it causes to vulnerable groups.

Over the past decade, a number of international organisations have reported that the authorities in India have violated the rights of minorities, jailed civil liberty activists and journalists and suppressed civil society. In September last year, the United Nations Special Rapporteur on Minority Issues described the deteriorating rights situation in India as 'massive, systematic and dangerous'. At a meeting of the US Commission on International Religious Freedom, the rapporteur, Fernand de Varennes, stated that India risked becoming one of the world's main generators of instability, atrocities and violence. He described the massive scale of violations and



**DISCRIMINATORY:** The Citizenship Amendment Act rules were notified earlier this year. *ANI*

abuses that targeted Muslims, Sikhs and Christians as symptomatic of religious nationalism. He especially referred to major violations of basic rights in Manipur, particularly the degrading treatment meted out to two women from the Christian Kuki community.

Numerous human rights organisations have expressed concern about hate speech against Muslims, the destruction of their properties and the fundamentally discriminatory Citizenship Amendment Act. The Human Rights Watch, in its World Report 2024, stated that India had undermined its

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aspirations for world leadership as a rights-respecting democracy with persistent policies that discriminated against and stigmatised religious minorities. We find more of the same in other reports that assert a legitimate right to "inspect their neighbour's territory" to identify injustice.

The leadership and the cadres of the ruling party should learn a lesson from its diminished mandate in the recent General Election. Hopefully, the government will launch a project of reparative justice to right the wrongs committed in the past 10 years in

the name of Hindu nationalism. Reparative or corrective justice is different from the principle of redistributive justice. Redistributive justice is a norm that governs the fair allocation of resources in a society. Reparative justice concentrates on the harm done to citizens — violation of physical integrity through lynching and murder and affronts to human dignity caused through slurs and hate speech — and tries to rectify the wrongs. This avatar of justice identifies the offender as well as the person or group that has been harmed. The offender in this case is the government, which inflicted harm through the indiscriminate imprisonment of dissenters and condoned violence unleashed on citizens.

The concept establishes a relationship between power elites who harm or tolerate harm and those who have been harmed. It focuses on the restoration of justice in a society that is composed of many social groups, many of whom are extremely vulnerable to majoritarianism. The logic of reparative justice is to repair the harm done to the minds and bodies of citizens. Reparative justice is, thus, the conceptual companion of redistributive justice. In the case of the former, the government accepts responsibility for past wrongs done for moral-

ly arbitrary reasons.

Throughout history, many regimes have apologised for the harm done. But an apology is not enough. An erring government has to commit that these harms will not be repeated and that the dignity and physical integrity of all citizens will be respected. Reparative justice demands that the balance between social groups, fragile at best, be re-established, relationships repaired and fraternity rebuilt.

This is important because, as BR Ambedkar told the Constituent Assembly on November 25, 1949, liberty, equality and fraternity "form a union of trinity in the sense that to divorce one from the other is to defeat the very purpose of democracy... Without fraternity, liberty and equality would not become a natural course of things. It would require a constable to enforce them." Indian society, he said, lacks fraternity: "What does fraternity mean? Fraternity means a sense of common brotherhood of all Indians — of Indians being one people. It is the principle which gives unity and solidarity to social life." The results of the General Election have resoundingly established that the people of India do not want this trinity to be disturbed. The NDA government has to understand the popular mood and launch the project of reparative justice.

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1 Confirm formally (6)

4 Contemptuous (8)

9 Pen for livestock (6)

10 Taught to a select few (8)

12 Chief part in play (4)

13 Spiteful (5)

14 Lacking cordiality (4)

17 A boost (4,2,3,3)

20 Spotlessly clean (5-3-4)

23 Sympathetic sorrow (4)

24 Sealant for window-glass (5)

25 Rebuff (4)

28 Machination (8)

29 To inconvenience (3,3)

30 Delicate filmy material (8)

31 Of mixed origin (6)

DOWN

1 Foolhardy (8)

2 Pungent culinary herb (8)

3 Unweave at the edges (4)

5 Be very expensive (4,3,5)

6 Rebuke angrily (4)

7 Deep wrinkle (6)

8 Site (6)

11 High fashion (5,7)

15 Chilly (5)

16 Unrefined (5)

18 Unrestricted admission (4,4)

19 Without loss of force (8)

21 Espionage (6)

22 Relative importance (6)

26 Capital of Peru (4)

27 Small and weak (4)

Yesterday's solution

Across: 1 Spool, 4 Scratch, 8 Rut, 9 Barefaced, 10 Taffeta, 11 Ethos, 13 Meadow, 15 Strain, 18 Padre, 19 Opossum, 21 Underfoot, 23 Abe, 24 Potency, 25 Notes.

Down: 1 Stratum, 2 Out of hand, 3 Fibre, 4 Serial, 5 Reflect, 6 Tic, 7 Hades, 12 Head start, 14 Overrun, 16 Numbers, 17 Colony, 18 Plump, 20 Often, 22 Dot.

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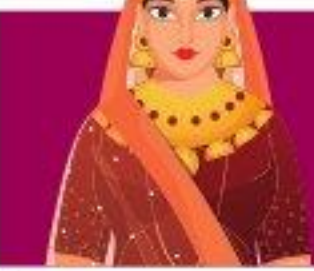
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## Brides Wanted

### KHATRI/ARORA

**Punjabi Arora handsome teetotaler** boy, B.Tech., 5'-11", 17 Feb. 1996, Ambala, Own Industry Saha (Ambala), Require Sanatani match above 5'-3". Send biodata 99964-52484. Bureau excuse. (CL24025671)

**Senior Market Research Analyst** at Hyderabad, B.Tech., MBA (Finance), 5.21.1994 at 11 a.m. @Chandigarh, 5 Feet 8 inch, Punjabi Khatri boy vegetarian, Contact: 89684-09722. (CL24026125)

**High status b'ful Non-Medico/ PG** Medico match for a handsome never married Arora non-Manglik boy, DNB (Consultant Radiologist with pklg of 50 lac pa. Doctor family, 5'-8", March 25, 1982, 2.20 a.m., Ludhiana, looks around 30, wants to settle in Tricity/ NCR, early marriage. Contact/ WhatsApp: 98120-25440. (CL24026738)

**Extremely & exceptionally beautiful Homely Girl for Single billionaire very handsome industrial Land lord 14.08.1984, 5'-7". Will be kept like a Queen. Middle class family can also apply. Caste no bar - WhatsApp No-7814554993. (CL24027162)**

**Suitable match for Canadian PR,** Arora Khatri handsome boy, fair, 5'-11", 17.08.92, 2.03 pm, Chandigarh, working with Canadian IT Company in Toronto, High Income Group, belongs to Chandigarh based reputed and affluent business family. Seeking professional, pretty, tall, educated girl from reputed family. Caste no bar. WhatsApp: 91-94170-07788, mahesh.k.budhiraja@gmail.com (CL24025860)

**Required well educated girl for 1989** born Bhatia boy MBA Currently working as Assistant Quality Manager at Monte Carlo Fashions Ltd Ludhiana. M: 62800-35800. (CL24025890)

**Hindu Arora/ Khatri Manglik** vegetarian boy, 29.12.1994, 11.30 pm, 5'-7", B.Sc. LL.B. permanent Punjab Govt. job (G-C) at Chandigarh, seeks Govt. job/ well-educated match. Bureau excuse. 94177-61185. (CL24026212)

**Age between 24 to 28 very smart no demand match 5'-11", 1985, status boy,** 97797-67919 (CL24027238)

**Arora Boy Nov 1990, 5'-6", B.Tech,** Working MNC, Very handsome Package, Working Girl Preferred. 62393-70748. (CL24026820)

**Canada PR Hindu Arora handsome,** fair veg boy, 12.09.90, 8:37 pm, born Kaithal, 6'-2", B.Tech., MBA, doing job in Real Estate Co Mississauga Toronto. Upper caste no bar. 97298-70890. (CL24026873)

**Match for widower issueless Khatri** boy, 30, 5'-9", Govt. employe required educated girl, 94638-71702, 94638-71703. (CL24026983)

**Khurana boy 24 Dec. 1991, 5'-9",** BBA, own business, Living at Delhi. No demand. 85890-39714. (CL24027057)

**Suitable match for Khatri boy** Canada PR 26 years, 5'-7", BBA Honours. Contact No.: 72380-26008. (CL24027156)

**Suitable match for Punjabi Arora** Khatri boy 30.10.95, B.Tech. CSE, MBA, 5'-7", Working in MNC Bangalore. Pkg 22+. Contact 98965-10978. Marriage bureau excuse. (CL24027170)

**Match for Arora/Khatri Manglik,** MBA, Company Secretary, born in Chandigarh, 20.09.1985, time 06:55 am, 5'-11", working as an Advocate District Court Kurukshetra, handsome income. M. 98024-61171, 94679-91005 (WhatsApp). Marriage bureau excuse. (CL24024243)

**Suitable match for smart Arora boy** 1992, 6', BA, Own Well settled Business. 98728-6856. (CL24025721)

**Upper caste match for very handsome Arora boy** 07.08.86, 12:15 a.m., Kamal, 186 cms, B.Tech., MBA (England), own coaching centre IELTS PTE English, Immigration Consultant. Marriage bureau excuse. 97294-46666. (CL24025894)

**Seeking PQ match for Khatri** boy 5'-6", 04.12.1994, 03:15 am, Ambala, BA, LL.B. (Hons.), LL.M., Advocate Punjab & Haryana High Court, Chandigarh. 94162-46501. (CL24025809)

**Khatri, 36, 5'-8", never married,** Non-manglik, working Central Govt. Delhi, non-smoker, teetotaler, 11 lakhs PA. Parents Class-I Govt. retired. 9417131101. (CL24025946)

**Arora boy June 1994/5'-8", Class 2** Officer Punjab Government. Preferred qualified working girl. 94639-96250. (CL24026040)

**IT professional match for** Yamanagar based Khatri boy 20.02.1997/ 5'-10", B.Tech., Gurguram, 28 LPA. 94666-36159. (CL24026079)

**Handsome Arora Graduate boy,** 5'-5", 1995 born, established Restaurant business, well connected Jalandhar family. 987218590. (CL24026281)

**Suitable match for Arora boy** Height 5'-9", Time 3:30 pm, Dated 28.03.1991, Chandigarh born, job & residence in Mohali. Contact: 70099-47842 (WhatsApp). (CL24026089)

**Handsome Khatri Divorcee boy** Oet 90, Ambala, 5'-10", MCA, Team leader, Package 12 lakh. Preferred non working girl, Beauco excuse. 94666-34648. (CL24026257)

**Match for Manglik Khatri** fair, handsome Jalandhar boy, 26.7.1993, 8.50 am, Nakodar born, 5'-9", MBA Finance, working MNC Gurgaon, 17.50 LPA. Preferred B.Tech, MBA or MNC working girl. 7508036454. (CL24026274)

**PQM for Hindu Punjabi handsome** boy, 07 November 1991, 8:53 am, Chandigarh, 6', B.Com. Hons, MBA, working French MNC. Posted Chandigarh as Regional Marketing Manager, package 25.5 LPA. Contact/ WhatsApp: 73409-67990, 98788-72160. (CL24026278)

**Educated girl for smart Hindu** Arora B.Tech., 91 born, 5'-8", 32 lakhs, Multinational Company. Decent family. 78319-90220. (CL24026557)

**Suitable match for Hindu Khatri** boy, 18.10.96, (5:05 am, Ludhiana), 5'-6", MBA. Whole sale cycle business. Preferred educated girl. 98761-32537. (CL24026697)

**Suitable match for handsome non-**Manglik Khatri boy 5'-9", 20 Nov. 1992, B.Tech., MBA, working with Bajaj Capital as Wealth Manager Gurgaon, own property Karnal and Gurugram. Upper caste no bar. Well settled and reputed family. Contact: 98964-07310. (CL24027087)

**Suitable match for preferably** B.Tech./ M.Tech/ MBA for smart, handsome, convent educated B.Tech. Software Engineer, 6'-2", Oct. 1995, working in MNC Bangalore, 60 LPA, family belongs to Jalandhar. 98159-82962. (CL24027173)

### KHATRI

**Dashing, handsome Khatri boy, 38/** 183 cms, self-employed, Hotel Management Graduate from top most University in Switzerland/ Master in Strategic Hospitality Management from United Kingdom. Father is a Businessman, small affluent family with good net worth. Stays in South Delhi, own house. Looking for a smart, educated, beautiful match from an affluent family, India or overseas. Caste no bar. Contact: 82996-15656 & Email: bsut.globalholdings@gmail.com (CL24023816)

**Suitable match for Khatri Vaishnu** boy, 10.1.1995, 4:45 pm, BA, 5'-6", own business. 98553-53196. (CL24027058)

**SM for 94 born Aus PR 6 ft boy,** qualified Manglik Punjabi girl required. Contact 94168-15015. (CL24025781)

**Manglik/ non-Manglik match** for Chandigarh based vegetarian boy, 7.7.1992, 9:16 p.m., Patiala, 5'-7", working in Infosys Chandigarh, package 15 lakh, Tricity preferred. Contact: 98554-42258. (CL24025934)

**Match for Panchkula Punjabi** Khatri Boy 1988, 6'-0", B.Tech, Job Chennai. Caste no bar. 95010-96126. (CL24025831)

**Match for Bhatia Non-Manglik boy** 21.11.1991, 02:33 am, Yamanagar, BCA, 5'-11", own business, upper middle class family. 90343-45558. (CL24025884)

**Wanted well educated girl for 1987** born Bhatia Khatri boy PhD, Currently working as Senior Demonstrator at PGI Chandigarh. M: 62800-35800. (CL24025887)

**Suitable match for +2 Narula boy** of Hoshiarpur, DoB, 17.12.82, time 1:15 pm. Height 5'-5". Own cosmetic business, handsome income. Mb. 98159-35600. (CL24025948)

**Match for Hindu Khatri 1990, 5'-5",** (short term legally divorce) BA, private job, settled Ludhiana. 98987-00799, 62390-56293. (CL24025968)

**Ludhiana based handsome** Sood boy born Feb 1997, 5'-11", working as a Manager with a MNC, Bangalore, Package 16 lacs. Father retired Senior Bank Manager, Mother retired banker, Sister married and settled in USA. Email: businessood1@gmail.com (CL24025991)

**Match for 06-04/1995, 05:00 AM** Ludhiana, 5'-8", divorcee boy, good income, own business. Contact: 94647-49132. (CL24025999)

**Employed match for Khatri Anshik** Manglik boy, 5'-8", M.Tech, 1995, employed MNC Pune, 15 LPA, own House Panchkula, WA 94639-63155. (CL24026038)

**Khatri (Bhasin) boy 15.9.1993, 6:20** pm, Amritsar, 5'-7", B.Tech, Engineer Infosys (UK). Required Manglik, qualified, beautiful girl. 88721-97339, 98550-55728. (CL24026115)

**Hindu Khatri boy 04.11.1992, 9:12** am, Amritsar, 5'-6", B.Tech, working MNC Gurgaon, package 29 Lac. Preferred Punjab. 99155-41737. (CL24026119)

**Hindu Khatri boy April 1994** 5'-10", Government service, own residence Jalandhar, requires non-Manglik working girl with good professional qualifications. 84279-51121. (CL24026164)

**Suitable match for Hindu Khatri** boy 15.2.93, 9:02 am, B.Tech, 8 years experience with MNCs. Building an IT startup Mohali. Contact: 98727-66960. (CL24026190)

**Match for Khatri Boy 31, B.Com,** 6' Own well settled business, 15 LPA. Caste no bar. 91385-46621. (CL24026288)

**SM4 khatri sikh nondrinker** well settled boy in Amritsar 36/ 5'-11". Contact 70096-61255. (CL24026337)

**Manglik Khatri 23 Sep. 1992, 01:28** pm, Ludhiana, 5'-5", B.Com, CA Inter, Credit Manager Pvt. Bank 7.50 Lac. Desired working girl. WhatsApp only 88724-95172. (CL24027279)

**Hindu Khatri Vaishno boy,** 20.04.1989, 12.30 am. Sangur (Punjab), 5'-7", B.C.A., LL.B (Income Taxation Work & Gst), good income, own Office- Zirakpur, own House- Zirakpur, Chandigarh. 78140-73811, 73073-40876. (CL24027174)

**Match for Medical Equipment** Service Engineer, 22 March 1996, 8:33 am, Chandigarh, 5'-8", 80000 per month. WhatsApp: 98881-74704. (CL24026362)

**Match for 24.10.1994, 5:54 am,** Chandigarh, 6', B.Com, own business. Well settled, reputed family. Educated/working girl preferred. Contact 95011-01868. (CL24026469)

**Khanna Khatri boy 7.4.1989,** 5'-7", 6:37 pm, Chandigarh, own spare parts business. 99152-05573. (CL24026502)

**Match for Walla boy 01.10.89, time** 12 pm, Chandigarh, Software Engineer, parents retired. Contact 90412-45151, 99882-45151. (CL24026677)

**Suitable match for Shani boy,** 32/5'-11", +2. Own business Chandigarh. No demand. Contact 82649-48687. (CL24026754)

**Employed match for Khatri** 30.12.1995, 5'-8", Lead developer, package 35 Lakhs, owns house Chandigarh. 86999-51995. (CL24026877)

**Ludhiana based Manglik Khatri** high status Garments Industrialist smart only son, March 1998, 5'-8", B.Com (Hon's), seeks status businessmen family girl. 62808-70604. (CL24026892)

**Suitable match for Kapoor boy** 34/5'-6", BSE, working Delhi based company, salary five lakhs. Contact Ludhiana, Punjab. 62392-71993. (CL24027052)

**Match for Khatri boy 27.04.1990,** 5'-6", B.Com, Own wholesale business Dist Yamanagar. 98971-71611. (CL24027094)

**Beautiful homely non-working girl** for Sikh Khatri cutesikh boy, 5'-11", 1995. Very well settled business family based in Chandigarh. Contact 98149-23292. (CL24027305)

**Working match for Hindu Khatri** boy B.Tech., 19.7.94, Patiala, 3:43 pm, 5'-8", working MNC 32 Lacs. 98149-07528. (CL24027307)

**Punjabi Khatri boy, divorced, short-** term, 05.08.1987, 12.30 pm, 5'-11", well settled, Rajpura. 86990-64826, 85270-00630. (CL24027350)

**Suitable match for handsome Khatri** boy 5'-6", 4:30 pm, 10 Oct. 1996, B.E., Project Manager in MNC, 79739-67041. (CL24024942)

**Match for Gulati B.Tech. qualified** working boy 5'-8", 22.01.1993, 02:45 pm, Yamanagar, Contact: 98135-64088. (CL24025665)

**Match for Hindu Khatri handsome** boy, 6.6.95, (8:05 am, Shahkot Jalandhar), 5'-8", B.Com, LL.B. Contact: 9780435453. (CL24025903)

**Jalandhar based Industrialist,** B.Tech., 5'-5", 28, reputed family, high income. Wanted girl from educated Khatri family. 99870-20018. (CL24025886)

**Manglik/non-Manglik match** for vegetarian handsome Canada PR Hindu Khatri boy, 5'-11", 15.07.1997, 1:25 pm Kapurthala. Contact after matching kundli. WhatsApp 78891-26292. (CL24026001)

**Homely match for Chawla boy, 32,** 5'-5", working in SCL. Own house-Chandigarh. 7973635441. (CL24026029)

**Match for Ludhiana based Hindu** Khatri B.Tech. boy, 25.3.1997, height 5'-8", Manager in Punjab Gramin Bank. Required Govt/ Private teacher. 98886-10650. (CL24026126)

**Khatri BDS Doctor boy 29 age, 6',** low manglik, pnce vegetarian, required BDS/ BMS girl. Contact: 79737-77542. (CL24026269)

**Punjabi Hindu Khatri boy, 20 July** 1995, 5 pm, 5'-5", M.Com. Mob.No. 98851-30201. (CL24026271)

**Match for Newzealand PR Khatri** boy 1994/ 5'-11", Mechanical Engineer, well settled, looking girl from Punjab/ Newzealand, Marriage bureau excuse. 97804-67098. (CL24026289)

**Match for fair, slim Khatri boy,** 5'-8", 33, MBA, own well settled business, Sister married in Canada. 94653-70001. (CL24026313)

**Khatri boy 1996, 5'-8", BA, Cab** driver, own Cab. Income Rs. 40,000-60,000 per month. Own house Mohali. No demand, simple marriage. 94656-65933. (CL24026380)

**Match for Khatri smart boy 5'-8",** Aanshik Manglik (birth 27.02.1998, 09:05 am, Khanna), B.Com, MBA, well settled respectable, affluent family, 2 medical shops, marriage place, sister Surgeon, kundli must. 94170-28097, 98556-06300. (CL24026450)

**Hindu Khatri Boy July 1988, Govt.** Science Master permanent regular, 5'-7", M.Sc Chemistry, B.Ed., MA English, Distt. Gurdaspur. Preferred Govt. Teacher. Upper caste welcome. 62806-94519. (CL24026460)

**Well settled business Karnal Khatri** educated vegetarian boy August 1996, 5'-7", Looking educated/ working girl. 70159-73932. (CL24026472)

**SMF MBA, B.Tech., Sikh Khatri,** non-turbaned, 1996 born boy, 5'-8", working in Mohali, 15- 20 LPA. 98769-68909. (CL24026492)

**Suitable match for smart Hindu** Khatri boy, 1993/ 5'-11", Senior Software Engineer Hyderabad. Very attractive package. Contact: 98148-30820. (CL24026593)

**Hindu Khatri Non Manglik** citizen Canada 92 Software Engineer needs 2's professional slim girl. +9188723-00498, +1-7059171007. (CL24026613)

**Professionally qualified match** for May 1992 Chandigarh born boy, 6' M.Tech., Software Engineer in Gurgaon. Handsome package. Employed girl in NCR/ Tricity non-manglik preferred. 93164-67206. (CL24026712)

**Punjabi Khatri (Chadha) boy,** 32/5'-4", MBA, marketing working with MNC, 24+ LPA, born/settled in Chandigarh, seeking a suitable homely girl, no demand. 99887-41202. (CL24026355)

**Canadian citizen Punjabi Hindu** Khatri boy 31/5'-6", working as GST/HST Auditor in Canada, seek girl, one sister married. Excuse marriage bureau. 98722-95295. (CL24026739)

**Professionally qualified match** for Manglik Khatri boy 91 born, 5'-11", M.S. MBA, presently working in Dubai. Upper caste no bar. WhatsApp Call 82380-20117, M. 99967-91100. (CL24026758)

**Match for Hindu Khatri handsome** boy, 94 born, 5'-8", Hoshiarpur. Own wholesale Medicine business. Reputed family. 70090-03477. (CL24026622)

**Beautiful educated match** for handsome Punjabi Hindu Khatri boy, March 1996, 6', Sr. Engineer in Software Company, Ottawa, Canada PR. WhatsApp call/ message only 98148-57865. (CL24026807)

**Match for 1990 born, Hindu Khatri,** Postgraduate, 5'-9", private Bank Officer, own house, handsome package. 99889-03107. (CL24026818)

**Preferably working match** for Khatri smart boy working in Pvt. Bank as Deputy Manager, 28.8.1993, 5:40 p.m., 5'-7", Jalandhar, no caste bar. 98887-77173, 98767-48519. (CL24026828)

**Match for Khatri handsome boy,** 5'-11", 03.10.1984, Patiala, Looks like 31. Working for a US-based IT company (Working from home) & building own IT startup as well. Seeks a qualified girl. Preferred Govt employee or Software Engineer. Contact: 62392-10583. (CL24026855)

**Suitable match for handsome** Khatri Punjabi boy 28, 5'-11", B.Com, Nawanshar, own business very well settled family, required educated and beautiful girl. 99159-45595. (CL24026803)

**Suitable match for Hindu Khatri** veg. smart boy 90 born no siblings, convent edu. BCA, MCA Manager in reputed IT comp in Mohali, kundli match is must please send details on WhatsApp. No.: 97815-40015. (CL24026913)

**Manglik/Non-manglik minimum** 5'-3" match for Hindu Khatri Abrol manglik handsome boy 31 years, 5'-10". Merchant navy officer. 7814486100. (CL24027042)

**Match for Hindu Khatri B.Tech** Computer Science, 24.8.1990, 1:10 am, Birth Place Phagwara, 5'-10", working Punjab Govt. department. WhatsApp/call after matching Kundli. 7347434769. (CL24027253)

**Qualified match for 37 year old,** B.Tech., Khatri boy. Working Sr. Executive Officer MNC, package 13 Lakh per annual. Early marriage. 82194-63482. (CL24027347)

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**KAMBOJ**  
Beautiful and well educated match for handsome Kamboj Sikh boy, 5'-11", 29 years old, Post Graduate, well-settled, well established business, Urban Residence, Urban and Rural Property, Income 4-5 Lakh per month. Contact: 98130-96516. (CL24026004)

**Kamboj Sikh V. V. Smart, Jan 94** born, 5'-11" MD. Homeopathic Doctor, Chandigarh. Earning 1 Cr plus annually. Properties in tricity, affluent family. Dr. Thind 98140-11872, 98761-11872. (CL24026046)

**Well educated beautiful match** for Sikh handsome boy, 28 years, Chandigarh born. 5'-10", B.Tech., MBA. Presently working in Delhi, 21 Acre Agriculture land at Jalandhar Distt. Kothi at Panchkula. Reputed family. Parents Retd. Professor. Sister married. Contact: 98884-09241. (CL24026678)

**SM for Kamboj Sikh handsome** Graduate 1999/6'-1" boy, business family well settled in Mohali. Contact: 98151-31919. (CL24026131)

**Looking for professionally suitable** match for handsome, fair, Oct 1993, 6 ft., unmarried Kamboj Sikh boy, PR & RN in Canada, employed in health sector in Edmonton, Canada. Both parents ret'd. from Pb Govt Service & PR in Canada. Owns rural & urban properties. Looking for beautiful, slim, tall (5'-6" plus), well educated, never married girl. Preference will be given to girl already in Canada (any status) and willing to settle in Edmonton. WhatsApp: +9170877-24353, 1-825-925-0023 (Contact Edmonton time) (CL24026290)

**Kamboj Sikh Government Bank** Officer 1992, 5'-11", annual salary 14 Lacs, urban property. Caste no bar. 98884-90188. (CL24026675)

**Kamboj Sikh (Judge) boy 26, 6'-1",** Canada PR, working as IT Developer, 7 ure urban land. Seeking well educated girl. 98729-32700, 85284-48700. (CL24026907)

**Kamboj Sikh boy, 1995/ 5'-8",** Punjab Govt. Officer. Required working girl. Caste no bar. 9780575635. (CL24027291)

**TONK-KASHATRIYA**  
PQM 95/ 6ft MNC Gurguram 12.5 LPA, B.Tech. Parents Haryana Govt. Class 2 Officer. 94163-37069. (CL24025900)

**Match for Sikh Tonk-Kashatriya** non-turban boy, 5'-6", May 1992, M.Tech., MBA, working in MNC at Gurgaon, package 23 LPA. Upper caste no bar. 97797-42397. (CL24025940)

**Hindu Tonk Kashtriya vegetarian** boy, 27/ 5'-9", Software Developer good salary, caste no bars. 98554-52460. (CL24026897)

**Sikh turbaned Tonk-kashtriya,** Jalandhar settled boy, 1992, 6', Lawyer, family business. Seeks Sikh well educated, working girl. 9814079077, 9814604999. (CL24026294)

**Cleanshave Sikh Tantr Khatri** boy 1996, 6'-1", B.Com., Citizenship Canada, Postgraduation Business Management. Presently Australia with sister Jija, both citizen Australia, boy spoused settled in Australia. Required suitable Medical line girl. Must in Australia, whether on study visa TR or PR. Marriage bureau excuse. 81464-00937. (CL24026659)







## JAT SIKH

**Suitable match for well settled US citizen.** Jat Sikh boy, 1982 born, 5'-9", working Software Engineer. Looking for educated Jat Sikh girl. No dowry etc. Strict no to middleman or marriage bureau. Contact: 78146-82339 Email: idealmach13@gmail.com (CL24021226)

**Well settled Jat Sikh family seeking a match for their tall, handsome, Australian Citizen Son,** age 29, Mechanical Eng. Looking for Jat Sikh vegetarian well educated NRI girl (Australian PR/Citizen girl preferred). Please WhatsApp bio with recent pictures to +61431827160. (CL24023562)

**Respectable highly educated Jat Sikh family** seeking qualified girl for our son (only child) born Nov. 1991, 5'-10", handsome, Lead Engineer Cyber Security, well-settled in USA with handsome package. We are family of senior officers, own 42 acre Agriculture farms/urban properties. Girl in Canada/ USA preferred. Contact at 90107-44470, sandeepsinghsandhu962@gmail.com (CL240252705)

**Seek professionally qualified girl for US based Engineer.** Ph.D. in Mechanical Engineering. 5'-9" tall. 86 born. Send biodata and latest pictures of the girl to mehr33186@gmail.com (CL24026043)

**Seeking a decent, Pretty, God fearing MBBS, JAT SIKH girl, 26 years or younger for our 26 years old son. He is an Australian citizen, 5'-10" he is a software engineer and is working for the Australian Government for over 5 years. We also own a home in Australia and have ancestral residence and property in India.**

WhatsApp/Contact +61477123456 Email: bhullar\_act@yahoo.com

**CL24025868**  
**Respectful well-established Canadian** Jat Sikh family from Delhi/ Muktar seeking match for our son, resident Doctor in USA, born 09/89, clean shaved, 5'-11", simple, No drink, Girl should be Doctor from USA/ Canada, simple, pleasant, family oriented, preference from Malwa area. Please Contact: hp8389@hotmail.com (CL24026486)

**Suitable tall match for 1990 born** Jat Sikh handsome Boy, Height 6 feet, BA LLB, American Citizen, doing Business having Agriculture Land/ Commercial/ Urban Properties in Punjab and Chandigarh. WhatsApp only: 93396-00003. (CL24025915)

**Well educated and well settled Jat Sikh family looking for a suitable match for their 31, 5'-8", smart and good looking Doctor (MS) son. Please reply with complete biodata at 98159-24768 or Email at 2309rainsingh@gmail.com at the earliest. No marriage bureaus please.** (CL24026974)

**Jatt Sikh Sandhu Australian PR boy** from Mohali, 1994, 6'-0", Father: Army (retd), Elder Brother, Sister, Australian citizen. Seeking educated, beautiful girl. Preferred Nursing. WhatsApp: 98145-77425. (CL24027311)

**Suitable working match for clean** shaven Jat Sikh, Gill boy of 32 years, height 6 feet, MBA, working with MNC at Gurgaon, package 11 lac per year. Contact 98511-20919. (CL24025732)

**Suitable match for 1989 born,** height 5'-10", Post Graduate, never married, Govt job, Agriculture, urban property. Seeking educated girl only. Contact 62849-74719. Marriage bureau excuse. (CL24025753)

**Alliance invited for beautiful slim** boy 23/5'-8" Ahluwalia boy in Canada looking smart B.Sc Nursing girl with well established family. Contact Mob 62398-97667. (CL24025784)

**Settled smart Punjabi Jat Sikh,** clean shaven 6'-3", 48 Y divorcee, 2 children with shared custody from goods family. Looking for a life partner. WhatsApp +17786364806. (CL24025795)

**Jatt Sikh Australian PR 31/ 6'-2",** Truck driver, looking for educated homely girl, Jandiala guru, Amritsar. Majha, Malwa, Doaba preferred. Marriage bureau excuse. 95921-99499, 62800-40342. (CL24025995)

**Jatt Sikh 87 born, 5'-9", B.Sc. IT, businessman.** Contact 98883-67049. (CL24026003)

**Canada PR Jat Sikh boy 1990/ 5'-6",** urban rural property. Seeking B.Sc. Nursing girl. Preferred Amritsar, Tarn Taran. 98148-98698. (CL24026120)

**Jat Sikh boy July 1989/ 5'-6",** B.Tech Computer Science, working as Software Engineer at Amsterdam Holland, having own residence required B.Tech Computer Science/ Information Technology/ B.Com/ M.Com, MBA, fair complexion, good nature girl. Marriage bureau excuse. 97800-79724. (CL24026325)

**We are looking for bride, the boy is** business man well settled in UK and India. 6'. Looking for bride from Jat Sikh family only. If interested please call on this number: +44 78590-56930 any time. (CL24026351)

**Wanted beautiful Degree Holder** preference in Medical Profession girl for handsome Jat Sikh boy 26 yrs. 5'-9". Canada Citizen, working as permanent job RN in Alberta Health Services Canada. Mobile 81469-55700. (CL24026389)

**Jatt Sikh Sandhu boy, Dec. 1996,** Master in Pharmacy, working in MNC, (work from home), teetotaler, 6' height, fair complexion, urban-rural property. Seeking suitable, compatible, educated match. Bureau excuse. Patiala. 81466-40930. (CL24026523)

**Australian citizen handsome 5'-8" Jat Sikh/ 32, working as** finance professional with good earnings. Seeking beautiful well educated girl that has good family value. Phone: +61488220620, Email: psandhu2024@gmail.com (CL24026852)

**Match for Jat Sikh turbaned boy** Dec. 1995/ height 5'-7", B.Tech. self employed and residence at Nalagar Himachal. Contact 86270-17889, marriage bureau excuse. (CL24026885)

**Suitable match for Jatt Sikh** businessman boy 1997/6'-1", M.Com, two brother 50 acre land. Seeks equal family educated girl. 89683-80921. (CL24026991)

**Suitable match for Gursikh, Jatt** Sikh boy 5'-9", 15.12.1997, land 7 acre, Fatehgarh Sahib, Canada study visa. Preferred only Gursikh, Jat Sikh girl, Canada PR, 5'-5" and above height. Contact: 78375-41335. (CL24027006)

**Highly qualified well settled** 1990/5'-10", Australian Citizen divorced Jat Sikh/Khatrri boy looking for slim, sober, educated, tall Jat Sikh girl. 99158-39595. (CL24027040)

**Jat Sikh turbaned /93/ 5'-11",** PSPCL JE, Teetotaler, parents Govt. employees, rural and urban property, Govt. teacher or educated girl from reputed family Malwa preferred. 95017-02669. (CL24027195)

**Affluent, high status, smart, sober** and respectable Business cum agriculturists Jatsikh family having huge rural urban property seeking slim, fair, beautiful well educated girl who understands family values for their USA Green card son, 89 born, 5'-8", tall, fitness enthusiasts, smart and active. Working as senior software engineer on very handsome annual package, owns well established business in USA too. Girl and family main consideration, no dowry, upper caste no bar, marriage bureau excuse. plz WhatsApp details on 81683-42480 or Email: jatsikh94@gmail.com (CL24026904)

**New Zealand PR Jat Sikh Gill boy,** 28, 6', well-settled. Seeks suitable girl 5'-5", New Zealand, Australian PR preferred. 7888593145. (CL24019707)

**Match for Jat Sikh, 5'-4", November** 91, teetotaler, BE working in MNC, educated nuclear family, 98185-63393 (Mohali). (CL24024117)

**PQM for Jat Sikh 1997 born US** citizen Software Engineer (B.E from US, MBA pursuing) having India and US property. Contact WhatsApp: 93160-42150. (CL24024254)

**27 years old girl, height 5'-7",** currently on open work permit Canada, originally from Amritsar, working as a professional registered nurse looking for a suitable Jat Sikh boy, with well to do, decent background with good education qualification, working professional settled in Canada or US, please contact --15597705038. (CL24025652)

**Suitable match for US based Jat** Sikh 45, 5'-10". Issueless divorcee. Senior Finance Professional in California. MBA/CFA, +1-415-780-9742 (US, WhatsApp). (CL24025653)

**Jatt Sikh Sandhu family, 1993/ 5'-8",** Punjab Government employee, 6 acre land. Looking for beautiful, Government employee Jat Sikh girl. Marriage bureau excuse. 81461-56500, 97804-08640. (CL24026181)

**Mohali based status Jat Sikh family** seeking match for their handsome Australian citizen Jat Sikh son, 1994 born, 6'-1" tall, MBA, working as Data Engineer; seeks beautiful Doctor or Engineer girl. Marriage bureau excuse. Contact WhatsApp only: 8437358448. (CL24025682)

**Looking for a good looking and tall** Jat Sikh girl for Canada PR handsome Jat Sikh Dhillon boy, 1994 Born, 5'-11", MA from Punjab University- Patiala and Diploma in Human Resources, Canada. Family based at Pehowa (Agricultural background). Have good rural and urban property. Preferred area is Patiala, Fatehgarh Sahib and Khanna. Interested parents please share biodata and photos on whatsapp no: +1-306-715-7565 and we'll revert back. (CL24025685)

**Educated Jatt Sikh girl wanted for** smart Jatt Sikh boy 6 feet, 29, B.Com, doing modern farming, belongs to reputed family, on road property. Sisters settled in USA. 82951-82467. (CL24025713)

**Canadian Jat Sikh parents invite** matrimonial alliance for well settled Canadian Citizen son working in Canadian Police B.Tech. (Agri Engineering), ME from Canadian University, handsome, smart, purely vegetarian, 95, 6'-1". Looking for a professionally beautiful girl (preferably Veterinarian), send biodata with recent photos @ +12042947035 (WhatsApp). (CL24025733)

**Jat Sikh 1986 born, handsome,** convent edu, 5'-11" boy, MBA (UBS, PU, Chd.) Currently working as Dy. General Manager Marketing in top MNC (Pb) nicely divorcee. Father Mother retd. Gazetted from higher edu. depts. Sister Doctor married. Family based in city near Chd. 99882-20514. (CL24025851)

**Suitable match for Jat Sikh boy,** born 1984, 5'-9", well qualified, divorcee; seeking educated homely girl. Own house at Mohali. Income above 9 Lacs PA. 5 Acre agriculture land near Mohali. Contact: 98725-28797. (CL24025886)

**Handsome Jat Sikh boy Doctor** MBBS, 20.10.1995, 5'-11", Applying for US residency. done with USMLE Steps with good score. Seeking Doctor / good professionally qualified girl U.S.A. / doing residency currently New York. Marriage bureau excuse. Phone +918440920001, 98886 12880. (CL24025933)

**Clean shaven handsome Jat Sikh** Chahal boy 28, 5'-11", MBA, working Bombay in top MNC. Chandigarh based family. Requires educated working beautiful girl. 98791-01673. (CL24025962)

**Well-settled Jat Sikh family seeking** PQM for their 1987 born, 6', working as Manager in Bangalore. Please WhatsApp bio-data with recent pictures to 91484-21132. (CL24026036)

**Suitable non NRI working match** for non-turbaned Malhi B.Tech, MBA, 95 born, 5'-11", boy working in MNC at Noida Urban/ rural property contact 97892-46290. (CL24026039)

**Jat Sikh Randhawa 1996/5'-11",** PR New Zealand. Wanted well educated and smart girl. 8427075400. (CL24026129)

**Suitable qualified, tall, beautiful** match for Jat Sikh Australia settled, (PR applied), handsome boy, 1993 born, 6'-, Masters of IT. Job in IT sector. Well settled status family. Contact: 9872154793. (CL24026132)

**Wanted tall and educated bride** for a Jat Sikh Army Captain. Nov. 1996, 6'-4". Contact 8109343494. (CL24026156)

**Jat Sikh 1996, 5'-10", M.Tech** Ottawa University, OC Railway Controller and Real Estate Business PR Canada with own house. Urban property and agriculture land. Father businessman mother PES-I Officer Punjab Government. Canadian PR girl preferred. WhatsApp: 94780-98061. (CL24026195)

**Match for Jatt Sikh 5'-11", 1990,** Government job, rural urban property Patiala. Contact: 94647-72480. (CL24026263)

**Australia PR Jatt Sikh boy, 1993/ 5'-10", M.Tech., (Data Science)** seeking a qualified girl, Bureau excuse. 94684-31118, +61468837458. (CL24026286)

**Match for well settled Jattsikh 95** born, 6' tall boy. Marriage bureau/ NRI excuse. Contact: 75289-08448. (CL24026461)

**UK British born Australian PR,** 4house in UK, 1 house in AU, 50 Acre Amritsar. NRI Sikh Jatt, smart, family oriented, March 1996, 5'-11", B.Sc Computer Science, Masters IT, Software Developer job. Seeking tall, educated Jat Sikh girl. Nice family. No matrimony +447961185663. (CL24026540)

**Suitable Jat Sikh tall beautiful** educated girl for Chahal 1995/ 6', handsome single child Canadian Law/ PR/ Masters in French/ Indian Law, Advocate of High Court, owner of urban property, school and business. Bureau excuse. 70097-17971. (CL24026545)

**Jatt 6'-11", B.Com, MBA, Accountant** 89, 5'-11", B.Com, MBA, Accountant +919815252911, +6729655511. (CL24026594)

**Beautiful and non working match** for Mohali based turbaned boy Dec. 87 born, 5'-10", B.Tech., businessman, early & simple marriage. WhatsApp: 94649-52208. (CL24026548)

**Looking for well educated English** spoken, general category girl. Well settled Jat Sikh Mohali born 1987, 5'-8", B.Pharma, working US Pharma Co. (Ireland PR) boy, also having UK, USA & Canada Visa. 95015-74533, 97809-66340. (CL24026556)

**Match for handsome clean shaven** boy, 33/6'-1", Canadian Citizen, working for Federal Govt. as Excise Taxation Auditor. B.Tech (Mech). Jat Sikh Defence Officer's family. Contact: 99880-46879. (CL24026594)

**Suitable homely match for NRI Jat** Sikh boy 30/ 5'-8", Diploma in Law, Employed in Law firm. Malwa preferred. 78891-65241. (CL24026602)

**Jat Sikh boy 1998 born, 5'-7",** PSPCL JE Govt job, 7 acre land. Father farmer, mother Lecturer. On son sister married. Near Muker. 83608-14649. (CL24026608)

**Well educated match for Jat Sikh** turbaned M.Tech. boy 27, 5'-11", working in Canada. Preferred Mazha. 94632-42612. (CL24026634)

**Jatt Sikh boy, 1997, 5'-6", Pb. Govt.** Teacher, land 6 acre, wants Govt. employed girl. Contact: 94656-17051 (Bamala). (CL24026722)

**American Jat Sikh Sekhon boy** April 1992, 5'-7", Software Engineer in Apple Company. Wanted Canadian/American girl. 98140-25002. (CL24026741)

**Suitable match for Jat Gursikh boy** 89, 5'-7", M.Tech. Canada PR MNC job. Boy is on short visit in India. WhatsApp 98558-75577. (CL24026757)

**Seeking compatible match for Jat** Sikh (Sanghera) boy 5'-9", 1983, M.Tech. University Assistant Professor short marriage annuled. 70093-28783. (CL24026800)

**Bride wanted for a handsome clean-** shaven, 5'-10", 32 year old Jat Sikh boy, living in Singapore and working as a Chemical Engineer. We are looking for an educated, smart Sikh girl who is willing to live in Singapore. Call: +6581805654. (CL24026923)

**SM for Jatt Sikh boy, 33 yrs, 6'-2", divorcee, 7 Figure/month** income from own business. Mob: 89686 10923. (CL24027337)

**Looking for a professionally** qualified vegetarian Jat Sikh match from USA/Canada/Aus/India for Canadian PR boy 1993 born, 5'-9", M.Tech. from Canada, currently working as a Senior Software Engineer. Kindly contact WhatsApp at 89686-44895. (CL24027081)

**M.Tech. Software Engineer, Jatt** Sikh boy, Dec. 1995, 5'-8", working Canada. Preferred professionally working girl. WhatsApp: 98185-20839. (CL24027192)

**Jatt Sikh boy 1998/5'-11", Post** Graduate from PU Chd., doing Govt. job in Pspcl, owns 25 acre land and urban property. Want beautiful educated girl from respectable family. Phone: 94171-22422. (CL24027194)

**Professionally qualified tall fair** match for Jatt Sikh Veterinary Doctor, land near Mohali. Contact: 98725-28797. (CL24025886)

**Suitable match for Canada PR Jatt** Gursikh (innocent divorcee) 1988, 5'-8", Software Engineer, well settled boy, Malwa/ Intorio area. 94632-86422, 98726-02646 (Ludhiana). (CL24027236)

**Jat Sikh Gill boy 29.04.1992, 8 acres** land, Trula driver in Dubai, salary 8 lac per annum, required beautiful educated girl, no demand, 98157-44419, 82645-01214, 91151-57333. (CL24027270)

**Suitable match for Saini Sikh boy** 1980/5'-10", M.Sc. Chemistry, MBA, B.Ed. Working as Lecturer Chemistry Punjab Education Department, salary 15 lakh annual, R/u property. 95929-89610. (CL24027271)

**Professional match for Jat Sikh boy** 34, 6', B.Tech, PSU Bank manager. Veg. 70781-36446. (CL24027290)

**Wanted Jatt Sikh Post Graduate** Doctor girl for Jat Sikh turbaned boy 5'-11" tall, handsome, 1993 born, doing MS Orthopedics. Contact: 99887-06667. (CL24027314)

## SIKH LOBANA

**Working as Junior Engineer in** PWD, born 1994, height 6'-1". Living and posted at Patiala. 79733-69081. (CL24027043)

**SM for Sikh Lubana handsome** boy 32/5'-6", convent educated Software Engineer Mohali B.Tech., 14 Lacs Urban/ Rural property, Sikh upper caste no bar, Jalandhar 98726-63863. (CL24025717)

**Homely educated girl for Lubana** Sikh 35 years boy. Own travel business at Jalandhar. Suitable girl from relevant. Caste can be considered on merit. Contact 62834-75211. (CL24026763)

**Lobana Gursikh Canadian citizen** boy 1996, 5'-10", Reputed Railway job. Seeking well educated girl. 9357224151. (CL24026629)

## SIKH

**6'-1"/ 1993, Sikh boy, Kashyap** Rajput family based in Faridabad, Haryana. Boy PR in Canada. Caste no bar. Phone No: 81988-54999. (CL24019107)

**SQM for Kamboj Sikh boy, 27 years** 5'-11", Software Engineer, 32 LPA, purely vegetarian, teetotaler having rural property 27 acre and urban property. Parents Gazetted Officers. 70567-96681. (CL24025065)

**SM for Majhihi Sikh boy Aug 89/ 6'-2"** Advocate in Chandigarh. Preferably required working girl from an educated family. Marriage bureau excuse. 94642-86626. (CL24025966)

**Saini Sikh boy 18.01.1994, 5'-11",** Mohali, Business family, studied in Canada. Upper caste welcome. 95014-30024. (CL24026266)

**Seeks suitable alliance for Sikh boy,** Turban wear, 5'-11" height, MBA, M.Sc. Tech working in Public Sector, Dubai - UAE, divorcee, only child, pure vegetarian, earning excellent package, Chandigarh based family, contact- 00971506753409/ 00971501568817. (CL24016907)

**Sikh Punjabi clean shaven Saini non** drinker, non smoker veg only child 1992 / 5'-9", Architect Master from London working settled Gurgaon. R/U properties. Seeking educated working non working girl. caste no bar. 98105-14627. (CL24025935)

**Well educated, beautiful girl upto 35** years required for USA H-1B visa Software engineer Ramsadia Sikh (cleanshaven) 84/ 5'-8", short term divorcee boy. Marriage bureau excuse. Contact 9873344525. (CL24026069)

**Match for B.Tech, MBA, June 1991,** 5'-11", MNC Chandigarh. Contact: 82195-92561. (CL24026356)

**PQM for Dubai based Turbaned** Sikh boy 1988 born, 5'-11", B.Tech., Sr. Software Consultant. Delhi based family, elder brother in Europe handsome package. 98104-12464. (CL24026509)

**Well qualified match for handsome,** smart, fair, innocent divorcee, Sikh Khatri Doctor in UK, 34, 5'-11", UK citizen, +9195015-54489. (CL24026665)

**Julaha Sikh boy 1988/5'-10",** Finance/Bank employee. Parents US settled, sister US citizen, family case in process. 97800-02341. (CL24026701)

**Lobana Sikh boy, 6'-1", August** 1992, Dental Doctor in Canada. Requires suitable match. 99140-06432. (CL24026919)

**Suitable match for handsome Saini** Sikh boy, 5'-7", July 1993, Diploma in Mechanical Engineering, owns business. 94173-43253. (CL24027242)

**SIKH KHATRI**  
**Suitable match for Sikh Khatri boy,** 1994 born, 5'-7", job in Mohali and also WFH for Australian company. Contact: 99150-12207. (CL24027113)

**PQM for a 31 year old Sikh Khatri** boy, CSE (PEC, Chandigarh) MBA (FMS, Delhi). Worked with an MNC abroad. Moving to US for higher studies. Parents Mohali based educators. Marriage bureau excuse. 91155-25738. (CL24024580)

**Suitable match Khatri Sikh boy** 28/6'-2", Non Trimer-drinker MBA Bank Manager, Mohali. 9001090538. (CL24026785)

**Gursikh B.Tech. boy 5'-9"/ Dec 93,** working in Mohali. 99967-98055. (CL24026876)

**Amritdhari handsome 1996, 5'-9",** fair, Athlete body, Medicine business good income Tricity boy, 98154-83948. (CL24027124)

**Suitable professionally qualified** match for handsome Sikh Khatri CA boy, May 1991, 6'-2", working MNC Gurugram, +55 LPA. Mohali settled status family. 98728-47555. (CL24025864)

**Canadian citizen Khatri Sikh (non** turban) boy Manglik, 5'-10", 1993 born. Need Nursing, BDS, MBBS girl. Contact: 9841125525. (CL24026136)

**PQM for Sikh Khatri B.Tech. ME,** 31, working as Scale I Officer in Canara Bank, package 11 lakh plus rental income. Qualified suitable match required. 98131-02811, 98122-87127. (CL24026298)

**Khatri Sikh cleanshaven divorcee** boy 30.7.1991, 5'-8", Graduate doing job, seeks educated girl. Contact: 84272-72323. (CL24027230)

## SIKH ARORA

**Sikh Arora boy 27 /5'-11", B.Tech.** Software Architect, 45 Lacs, affluent Chandigarh family. Bureau excuse. 97799-44242. (CL24026219)

**Seeking Professionally qualified** Sikh girl, UK Resident/ work-permit willing to settle in UK for Sikh boy, 1995/ 5'-8", MBBS, PLAB (UK), GP Registrar (MRCGP), working with NHS, UK. Marriage bureau excuse. Contact: 79735-95409. (CL24026689)

**Suitable match for Canadian PR** Sikh boy, 1991, 5'-9", working Canada PR. 0014321051424. (CL24026695)

**Compatible Employed/ NRI match** for Cleanshaven Arora Sikh, July 1984, Bathinda, 5'-9", B.Tech., MBA (London). 94178-31797. (CL24027142)

**Arora Sikh teetotaler boy, 1994,** 5'-9", B.Tech, PG Public Policy, 12 lakh. Well settled Mohali family. Parents govt. job. 8146552252. (CL24025917)

**Required Govt Teacher, Lecturer,** Medical Officer MBBS for Arora Sikh boy 04.02.1997, 5'-8", MBBS Medical Officer. WhatsApp 92167 11326. (CL24026202)

**Suitable match for Sikh Arora** handsome boy, November 2000/ 6', Graduate. Own business, Amritsar. 94173-24252. (CL24027114)

**Suitable match for Sikh Arora** handsome boy, December 1993, 5'-9", BCA. Own business, Amritsar. 77194-39306. (CL24027116)

## SIKH KHATRI/ARORA

**Seeking beautiful, slim, well-** qualified bride for handsome, lean and fit, Sikh boy, 1992 born, 5'-7". Convent educated, B-Arch from CCA, Chandigarh; PG from IIT Guwahati, currently working from home, also studying Exec. MBA from IIM Ahmedabad simultaneously. Affluent family from Chandigarh. Contact 98155-40044. (CL24026564)

**Match for Arora Gursikh NT / ND,** unmarried handsome boy, Age 34/ 6'. Well settled Business in Mohali. Contact: 98888-41004. (CL24026894)



**Handsome Garg Manglik boy** 01.07.1995, 3 am, Hoshiarpur, 5'-8", business, seeking for beautiful, homely girl. No demand. 8559-86603, 98146-70514. (CL24026993)

**Suitable match for Bansal boy** 5'-10", DoB 18.03.1997, Time 10:10 pm, Place Doraha (Ludhiana), B.Com., own business (LED Manufacturer), sister in Canada, required well educated girl. 99155-53100. (CL24027050)

**Match for Bansal boy 12.4.1997**, Moga, 1.15 am, 6 ft., graduate, own Saw Mill, two sisters married, Radha Swami family. Contact: 98149-69281. Marriage bureau stay away. (CL24027054)

**Anshik Manglik Bansal boy 1995** 5'-9", Govt. J.E. PUDA, Parents Govt. employee, only son. Preferred Govt. job. Contact: 9417-55277. (CL24027060)

**Suitable match for Aggarwal boy** 2.5.1994, 10:30 am, 5'-10", born Jagraon, settled in Canada. Girl who want to migrate Canada may contact: 81463-08079. (CL24027070)

**Match for Agarwal handsome Good boy**, 01.11.1991, Ludhiana, 5'-10", MBA, International Sales Executive. 98761-08533. (CL24027125)

**Suitable match for Goyal boy, 1994**, 5'-7", B.Tech., M.Tech., Structure Engineering, own construction company. 94172-05167, 90417-03900. (CL24027201)

**Match for Bansal B.Tech. boy**, 29.10.1997, 5'-9", 9:28 am, Mandi Gobindgarh, Job in Samsung Bangluru. Kundli must. 93168-69852. (CL24027209)

**Aggarwal Jain 1991, B.Tech. settled** business want educated girl. (Short time divorcee and upper caste no bar). 99915-93234. (CL24027243)

**Match for Mittal Manglik boy**, 07.05.1994/ 5'-7", 04:57 a.m., M.Com, 80000/-, Semi Govt. job Patiala. Contact 75278-08032. (CL24027255)

**Suitable match for very fair Singla boy** 16.09.95 born, 5'-10", MBA, high status family, diamond & gold showroom Nabha, well educated girl preferred. 99140-10781, 98148-89911. (CL24027256)

**Match with well settled businessman** Bansal boy 1996, 5'-8", Commission agent, Oil Mill, rural and urban property. Preferred homely girl, Bathinda based. 88377-22668, 94172-74008. (CL24027267)

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**I, Sukhdeep Sahota (New Name)** wife of Rajinder Sahota resident of Sahota Niwas, P.O. Sanjauli, Shimla, H.P. declare that I have changed my name from Sukhdeep Kaur Sahota (Previous Name) to Sukhdeep Sahota (New Name). All concerned please may note. (CL24026322)

**I, Uma w/o Late Sh. Krishan Gopal** r/o 897, Street No. 13, Ward No. 12, Main Road, Dogar Basti, Faridkot (Punjab), declare that my daughter-in-law Shashi Kanta w/o Late Sh. Sanjeev Kumar and my grandson Manish Kumar s/o Late Sh. Sanjeev Kumar are out of my control. I disown them from all my moveable/immovable property. Anybody dealing with them shall do so at their own risk. (CL24027079)

**I, Smt. Meenu Rana w/o No.** 2501781A Rana LNK name Sumit Katoch of Village Thara, PO Thara, Tehsil Bajnath, Distt. Kangra (HP) Pincode 176125 have changed my name from Meenu Katoch to Meenu Rana vide affidavit number 10248 and dated 20.06.24 before Notary Public Ambala Cantt. (CL24027110)

**I, Vivek Kaushal s/o Bal Krishan** VPO Nangal Bihalan, Tehsil Mukerian, District Hoshiarpur have changed my minor daughter name Kashi to Kashi Kaushal. Please note. (CL24027258)

**I, Aruna W/o Jagdish Raj R/o Flat** K-402, 4th Floor, Jalandhar Height-1, Urban Estate, Phase-11, 66 feet Road, Pholirwala, PO Garha, Distt. Jalandhar, Punjab have changed my name from Aruna Bharoli to Aruna. (CL24027277)

**I, Jaswinder Kaur w/o Lakha Singh** Village Kalwa, Distt. Kurukshetra, have changed my name Jaswinder Kaur to Jasvinder Kaur. (CL24027306)

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**Shanti Tara Girls College,** Ahmedgarh wanted Assistant Professors in the subjects of Commerce, Management, Mathematics, Computer Application, English, History, Political Science, Punjabi, Economics, Hindi, Physical Education, and Librarian on adhoc basis. Apply to the undersigned with full particulars alongwith demand draft of Rs 200/- favouring Principal, Shanti Tara Girls College, Ahmedgarh within 15 days from this publication. Prof. Arvind Malhotra General Secretary. (CL24026250)

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**Ocean Organics Pvt. Ltd. Amritsar** based Pharmaceutical Company required approved Manufacturing Chemist in Tablet, Capsules, Syrup Section offer handsome salary package. Contact, WhatsApp resume at 88474-13097, 99889-82828 aiyar79666@gmail.com. (CL24026338)

**Wanted Part time Retired** Principals/ Retired Senior Teachers from Private Schools in Punjab, Haryana, Himachal for aggressive marketing. To meet School Principals/ Management from 1st July to 31st Aug to Introduce IBM Certification short term courses on emerging technologies. Your target based incentive upto 6,00,000 in 2 months. (conditions apply). Contact Dr. Jasbir Singh, Chandigarh, Retired Professional, 96464-77166, 96467-77766. (CL24026507)

**Female Counselor for ICSE Co-ed** Residential Boarding School in Punjab. Campus Residence Mandatory. Send bio-data to headoffice@iitindia.com plot No 59, Industrial Area, Phase I, Panchkula Haryana. (CL24026520)

**PGT Political Science, Physical** Education, TGT English & Librarian required for CBSE School. High salary. Transport facility available from Jalandhar. Send your resume at [spssahkot@hotmail.com](mailto:spssahkot@hotmail.com) Ph. No. 92160-25422. (CL24027028)

**Job Opening: Need Fluent English-** Speaking, Quick- Learning Resource for Evening Shift for Medical Billing Co. Customer Service, Data Entry Research Skills preferred. Location Morinda at Ludhiana Chandigarh main Highway resumes to [billing@kcmecid.com](mailto:billing@kcmecid.com) (CL24027071)

**Requires Principal- Male/ Female.** Outstanding Administrative and Educational Management skills, excellent ability at managing students, staff and Parents. Must have minimum 10 years of experience as a Principal at a renowned HBSE/ CBSE recognized School. Qualification as per HBSE norms. Apply to [sdsshillroad@gmail.com](mailto:sdsshillroad@gmail.com) within fifteen days. (CL24027108)

**Sanskar Valley Smart School,** Bhawanigarh (Affiliated to ICSE) Requires: Kindergarten Teachers, TGT (Social Studies). Handsome Salary. Bus Facility from Patiala and Nabha. Forward resumes to: [info@sanskarsmart.school.com](mailto:info@sanskarsmart.school.com). Contact 86751 00033 (CL24025288)

**Walk in Interview at Mata Gujri** Senior Secondary School, Devigarh, Patiala (CBSE Affiliated) on June 26, 2024, timings 9:00 am for the posts of PGT (Political Science, Maths, Biology, Chemistry) TGT (Maths, Social Studies, Hindi) PRT (English, S.St.) Salary has no bar for deserving candidates. Free transport facility for staff from Patiala. Email: [mgssdevigarh@gmail.com](mailto:mgssdevigarh@gmail.com) ; 99888-59933, 83602-33524. (CL24025817)

**S.D. College for Women, Sultapur** Lodhi invites applications (with photograph) by regd. post within 15 days for qualified lady Asst. Prof. in Sanskrit, Economics, Political Sci., History, English, Music (I), Punjabi, Phy. Edu., & Librarian (one each) alongwith, Office Superd, against grant in aid/regular posts. Also required 03 Asst. Prof. in Commerce & 03 Asst. Prof. in Computer Application, Music (V) against vacant uncovered posts. Scale and qualification as per UGC/GNDU/DPICPb. (President 98140-02609). (CL24025881)

**Large Stainless Steel Water Storage** Tanks Mfg Co. Require Sales Executives for Chandigarh Tri-city. Interested candidates having own motorbike may send their resume on WhatsApp # 77355-00005. (CL24026375)

**King Edward Public School,** Chandigarh Road, Hoshiarpur Affiliated to CBSE requires experienced: PGT- English, Mathematics, Chemistry, Physics, Biology, Salary (15000-30000) TGT- Mathematics, English, Computer, Hindi (15000-20000) PRT, NTT (8000-12000) Athletics, Basketball Coach part time (7000-10000). Fluency in English must. Free lodging boarding. Post your resume or send an Email: [kepresume@gmail.com](mailto:kepresume@gmail.com) . must mention post applied for. Contact No. 98141-26954. Principal (CL24025932)

**Required General Manager** having experience staff team for 30 rooms Hotel in Mohali. Contact 98777-17726. (CL24026653)

**Dance Teacher Female Kuchipudi/** Folk & ANM Nurse, Hostel Warden & Matron for ICSE Co-ed Boarding School in Punjab. Campus Residence Mandatory send bio-data: headoffice@iitindia.com Plot No 59, Industrial Area, Phase I, Panchkula Haryana. (CL24026522)

**Campus Supervisor for** well-developed 75 acres plus Residential Boarding School Campus in Punjab send bio-data with photo to headoffice@iitindia.com (CL24026403)

**Guru Nanak Prem Karamsar** College, Nadala (Kapurthala), Contact No: 01822-510727/9872213100. Invite applications for one post of Assistant Professor for English, History, Functional Punjabi, Mathematics, Political Science, two for Commerce and three Computer Science purely on adhoc basis for the session 2024-25 or upto the dispersal of classes, whichever is earlier, preferably NET qualified. Qualification as per UGC/DPI (C) Ph/GNDU norms. Apply within 15 days with ademand draft of Rs 200/- in favor of Principal or cash receipt at college office alongwith testimonials to the undersigned. President. (CL24025949)

**Director for Dasmesh Super** Specialty Hospital, Mukerian, Distt. Hoshiarpur. Capacity 200 beds Hospital. Requirement qualified Director more than 20 years of services, higher experience will be preferred. Salary negotiable. Send C.V./Resume within a week at E-mail: [sdgs.recruit@gmail.com](mailto:sdgs.recruit@gmail.com) (Chairman). (CL24026301)

**Required experienced Civil &** Electrical young Engineers/ Supervisors/ Petty contractors for building work's repair jobs to do work in field effectively at scattered sites. May be based at Chandigarh, Kurukshetra/ Jagadhari, Hoshiarpur/ Gurdaspur etc. Salary negotiable. rattan.builders\_pvt\_ltd@yahoo.com, Mobile: 98555-26032. (CL24026423)

**We are looking for Sales** Executive for cycle tyres tubes in domestic market. 98722-01088. (CL24026802)

**Required PGT (English, Chemistry,** Physics, Biology, Accountancy, Economics and History), PT I, Lab Attendant, Art & Craft, Transport & hostel facility. Eligibility: Graduation/ PG Freshers may also apply. Walk-in interview & test at Akal Academy Bharyana, Ferozpur- Zira Rd, Bharyana, Punjab. 98759-87227, 98759-87231 at 10 am to 2 pm on 24 June 2024. Principal. (CL24026817)

### REQUIREMENT

**SHIWALIK PUBLIC SCHOOL** RUPNAGAR

Requires applications for the following posts along with photocopies of Educational Qualifications and experience certificates on fixed Salary of Rs. 15000/- per month.

**PRT (Punjabi-1, S.St-1, Math-2), N.T.T-1 (Pre Nursery)**

Apply to the Principal by 30th June 2024

Principal, Shiwali Public School, Rupnagar, Phone: 01881-501469, 01881-220036 E-mail: [spsrupnagar@gmail.com](mailto:spsrupnagar@gmail.com)

CL24027168

**Shri Vishnu SD College, Bhatoli, PO** Ajwli, District Una (HP)- 174301 invites applications on behalf of college Management for post of Assistant Professor for B.Ed. course in (i) Perspective in Education-02 (ii) Pedagogy subjects i.e. Teaching of Mathematics, Physical Sciences, Life Sciences, Commerce, English, Hindi, Sanskrit-01 each. Application with testimonials should be submitted within 21 days on prescribed form, obtainable from college website: [www.svsdbhatoli.in](http://www.svsdbhatoli.in) and DD of Rs. 500/- in favour of Principal, SVSD College, Bhatoli. Qualifications: As per NCTE/ HPU/ HP government norms. Copy of application must be submitted to Dean, College Development Council, HPU, Shimla. (CL24027181)

**Parowal Educational Welfare** Society looking for Vice-Principal & Coordinator, Teachers (BA, MA, B.Sc., M.Sc., B.Ed., M.Ed.), Physics, Chemistry, Biology, English, SST, Maths, Commerce, Hindi, Punjabi, Computer, Music and DPed, BPed (Sports) for Dasmesh Sen Jc International School, Parowal (CBSE) Shri Guru Harkrishan School Wadala Granthian. Send CV Email id: [parowaleducationalociety@gmail.com](mailto:parowaleducationalociety@gmail.com) m 95691-00002, 97800-07914. Free school van facility from Batala. Interview on 25 June 11.30 am, Parowal International Smadh Road, La Pino'z Pizza, Batala. (CL24027363)

### TEACHERS

**Teachers required PGT- All subjects** TGT- All subjects PRT/ Mother Teacher, Senior & Junior Coordinators Salary CBSE Norms, GCM Convent School interview 30 June 2024 at Flyover Hotel, Patiala. [gcmjob1@gmail.com](mailto:gcmjob1@gmail.com), 73556-30927, 62808-44044. (CL24026784)

### COURT NOTICE

(U/O 5 Rule 20 CPC)

In the Court of Sh. Ankit Atri Civil Judge (Jr. Division), Chandigarh Paramjeet Singh Sachdeva Vs. General Public

CNR No. CHCH02-000255-2024

Next Date: 18.09.2024

Publication issued to: General Public

4 Munshi Ram s/o Sh Buta Ram Gulati

5 Iqbal Rai s/o Haveli Ram Gulati both H.No. 1279, Sector 18C, Chd.

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 18.09.2024 at 10.00 a.m.

For details logon to <https://highcourtchd.gov.in/> trs=distric\_notice&distric=chandigarh

Dated, this day of 27.05.2024.

Sd/- Civil Judge (Junior Division), CL24026673 Chandigarh

## GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB

**Tender/RFP Reference No. 12 of 2024 dated 20.06.2024**  
The Department of PUNJAB WATER SUPPLY & SEWERAGE BOARD re-invites online bids:-

Sr. No.	Name of Work	Amount
1	O&M of 8 MLD STP at Hadiabad, Phagwara (South), Distt. Kapurthala for the year 2024-27 i.e. from 01.04.2024 to 31.03.2027 (for 3 years) Lump Sum	Rs.

Closing Date & Time : 08.07.2024 up to 3.00 PM.  
For details 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. Div. No. 2,  
Jalandhar.

DPR/Pb/34860

## Government of India Ministry of Communications Department of Telecommunications, Sanchar Bhawan, 20 Ashoka Road, New Delhi NOTICE

To Sh. M. Srinivasa Rao (Staff No. 20702)  
This is to inform to aforesaid officer of Indian Telecommunication Services, Group 'A' officer that he has been remained absent from duty without intimation/permission for more than 05 years. The above officer has absconded from duties and no information of any kind of leave has been received from them. He has failed to perform his duties and failed to maintain absolute integrity, devotion to duty and acted in a manner of unbecoming of a government servant. The aforesaid officer is hereby given an opportunity to make representation within 15 days from the date of publication of this notice for unauthorized absence from duty.

Sd/- (Bijender Singh)  
Under Secretary to the Government of India  
Department of Telecommunications  
Room No. 419, Sanchar Bhawan,  
20, Ashoka Road, New Delhi - 110001  
Tele. 011-2303 6282.

CBC-06201/11/0002/2425

## BHAKRA BEAS MANAGEMENT BOARD (Irrigation Wing)

### NOTICE INVITING e-TENDER

**NIT No. 7/BR/2024-25**  
**Name of Office:** Sr. Executive Engineer, BR SC & Plant Design Division, BBMB Sudernagar, Distt. Mandi (H.P.)-175019

**Name of Work:** Protection work for repair and damages of Suketi Diversion Channel during rainy season from RD 0 to 5200 (In Phase-I)

Last date and time for on-line bid submission : 09.07.2024 up to 12:30 P.M.  
Date and time of on-line opening of Tender : 10.07.2024 at 3:30 P.M.

Cost of Tender form : Rs. 3000+540  
(18% GST = Rs. 3540/- Rs. Three Thousand Five Hundred & Forty only.)  
Approx. Cost : Rs. 281.42 Lac.

The detailed NIT may be seen on BBMB Website [www.bbmb.gov.in](http://www.bbmb.gov.in) and e-tender.gov.in

**1387-PR-BSL-3 FOR YOUR BETTER TOMORROW SAVE ENERGY TODAY**

## Government of Punjab

### Tender Notice Ref :

PICTC/Admin/Bolero Taxi/2024/01

Punjab Infotech invites sealed quotations for hiring of one Bolero taxi for two months with driver and fuel

Start date & Time : 22.06.2024 (11:00 a.m onwards)  
Close date & Time : 08-07-2024 (till 3:00 p.m.)

For details log onto [www.punjabinfotech.in](http://www.punjabinfotech.in) (Tender Section)

Note : Any corrigendum (s) to the tender /RFP notice shall be published on the above mentioned website only

Punjab Information & Communication Technology Corporation Ltd (Punjab Infotech)  
5-6th Floor UdyogBhawan Sector 17 Chandigarh 160017  
Tel : 0172-5256400 | email : [contact@punjabinfotech.in](mailto:contact@punjabinfotech.in)



## HIMACHAL PRADESH GOVERNMENT AWARD FOR LITERATURE

Applications are invited from native writers of Himachal Pradesh for the five State Awards under the Scheme "Himachal Pradesh Government Awards for Literature" to honour and encourage Himachali writers writing in Hindi, Sanskrit, Urdu, Pahari and on Himachali Culture and tradition. Each of these State Award carries an honorarium of ₹ One Lakh. For each award, a writer is required to submit four copies of each book (maximum three books) published between 2021 to 2023 along with detailed biodata duly mentioning their overall contribution in the field of literature. Entries for the award must reach the Director, Language and Culture Department, Shimla-9 HP positively by 31.08.2024. The entries received by this deadline will be judged by a selection committee for the abovementioned awards. Detailed information regarding the State Awards along with necessary terms and conditions are available on the departmental website <http://lac.gov.in>.

DPR/HP/85

## Tender Notice for vnrious works

### GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB

Tender Notice Reference No. 02 dt. 20.06.2024

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

Sr. No.	Item	Quantity	Closing Date & Time	Opening Date & time of Technical Bid
1	Rejoining of Water Supply Lines dismantled by WRD during Construction of Sheron Distributary at Dhuri Distt. Sangrur	1	01.07.2024 05:00 PM	02.07.2024 11:00 AM
2	O&M of STP 3 MLD Capacity on SBR Technology at Moonak Distt. Sangrur for the period of 9 Months (01.07.2024 to 31.03.2025)	1	08.07.2024 05:00 PM	09.07.2024 11:00 AM
3	-lo- STP 4 MLD at Lehragaga Distt. Sangrur for the period of 9 Months (01.07.2024 to 31.03.2025)	1	08.07.2024 05:00 PM	09.07.2024 11:00 AM
4	-lo- STP 3 MLD Capacity at Khanauri Distt. Sangrur for the period of 9 Months (01.07.2024 to 31.03.2025)	1	08.07.2024 05:00 PM	09.07.2024 11:00 AM

For details logon to: [www.eproc.punjab.gov.in](http://www.eproc.punjab.gov.in)

Sd/- Executive Engineer,  
Pb. W/S & Sew. Divn.,  
Sangrur.

DPR/Pb/34866

## HIMACHAL PRADESH

### PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT INVITATION FOR BIDS (IFB)

Online

The Executive Engineer HP PWD Division Dalhousie HP on behalf of Governor of HP invites the % rate bids, in electronic tendering system from the eligible class of contractors registered with HP PWD for the works as detailed in the table.

Sr. No.	Name of works	Estimated Cost (Rs.)	Earnest Money	Cost of Tender form (Rs.)	Time Limit	Eligible Class
1	Construction of Fire Post Building at Bankhet District Chamba (SH- Parking at basement, laboratory at ground floor and conference hall at first floor) (SH- Building portion including water supply & sanitary installation, rain water harvesting system, boundary wall and site development)	2,91,21,149/-	5,82,500/-	5000/-	Eighteen Months	A&B
2	Construction of Addition and Alteration of Superintending Engineer 7th Circle office Dalhousie (SH- Clo Parking at Basement, laboratory at Ground Floor and Conference hall at First Floor (Sub Head -> Building Portion including water Supply & Installation, and Rain water harvesting System)	99,74,973/-	1,99,500/-	2000/-	Eighteen Months	C&B
3	Construction of road from J. K Clark hotel Dalhousie to Link road to village Ruliyani Km 0/0 to 0/30 (SH- Providing and laying of 80 mm thick interlocking Paver Block and C.C Pavement, Clo R- Wall at RD 0/135 to 0/145 and P/L- Gate work wall RD 0/300 to 0/325)	39,11,481/-	78,500/-	1500/-	Six Months	D&C

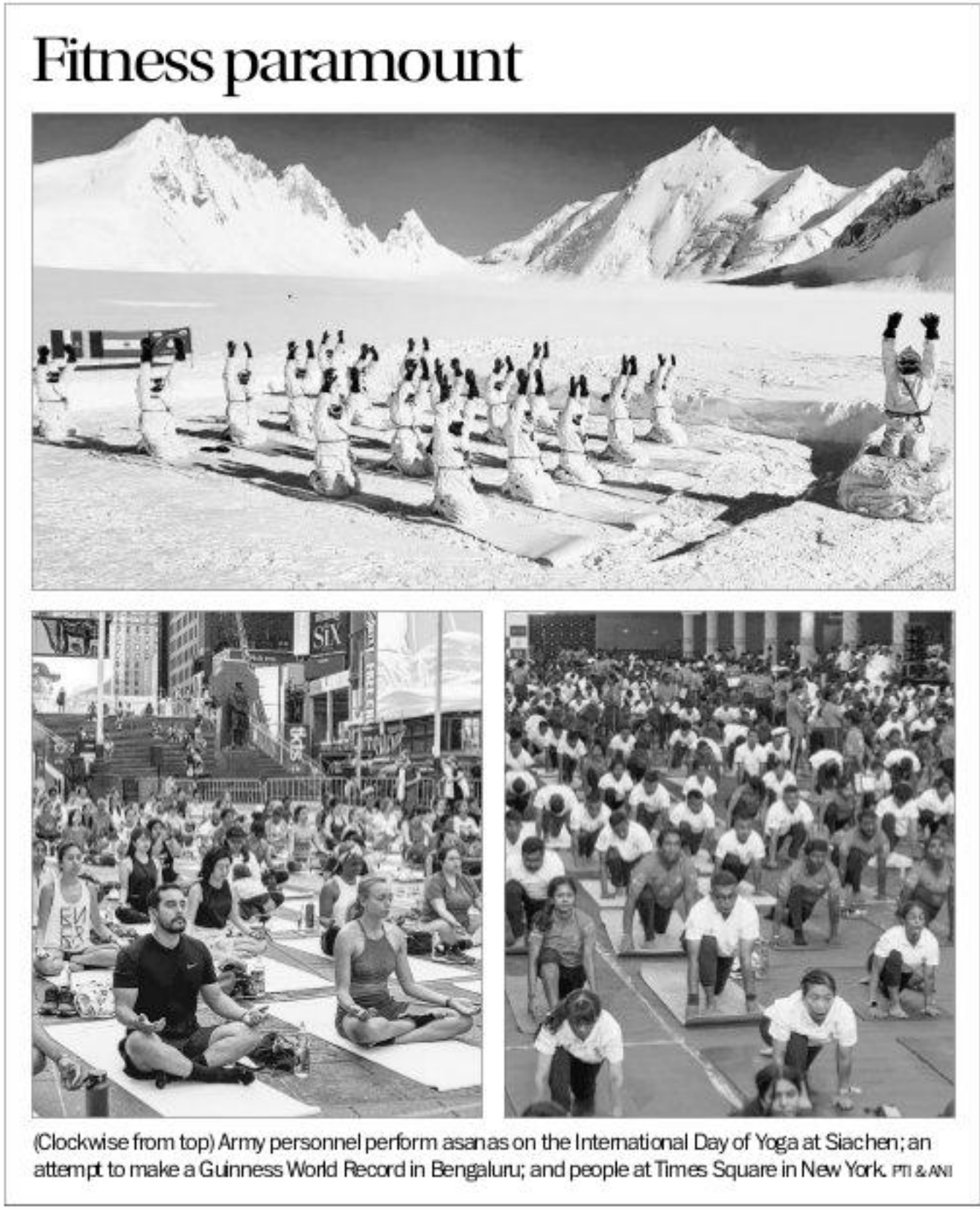
### 2. KEY DATES

1. Starting date for downloading bid : 25.06.2024 at 5:00 PM  
2. Deadline for submission of Bid : 05.07.2024 at 11:00 AM  
3. Date of Technical Bid Opening : 05.07.2024 at 11:30 AM

The undersigned has right to extend or cancel the bids without declaring any reasons thereof.

The bidders are advised to note other details of





Fitness paramount

(Clockwise from top) Army personnel perform asanas on the International Day of Yoga at Siachen; an attempt to make a Guinness World Record in Bengaluru; and people at Times Square in New York. PTI & ANI

# Chouhan vows to buy 100% pulses at MSP

TRIBUNE NEWS SERVICE

NEW DELHI, JUNE 21 Union Minister of Agriculture & Farmers' Welfare and Rural Development Shivraj Singh Chouhan today assured the states that the government was committed to procure 100 per cent of tur, urad and masoor at the minimum support prices (MSP) to ensure crop diversification. Chairing a virtual meeting with agriculture ministers of various states, Chouhan highlighted the launch of the e-Samridhi portal through

TELLS STATES TO FOCUS ON DIVERSIFICATION

- Agri Minister Shivraj Chouhan urges states to collaborate with Centre to make India self-sufficient in foodgrain production
- Tells them to focus on diversification towards cash crops and soil fertility restoration and strengthen their seed delivery systems & corporations

cooperatives NAFED and NCCF for farmer registration. He urged the state governments to encourage farmers to register on the portal to benefit from facility of assured procurement. Urging the state governments to collaborate with the Centre to make India self-suf-

ficient in foodgrain production, he introduced a new Model Pulses Village Scheme, rolling out from the current kharif season. Chouhan encouraged the use of fallow land for pulses after harvest- ing paddy and also promoted inter-cropping of tur. The minister emphasised

the need for diversification towards cash crops and soil fertility restoration. He urged the states to strengthen their seed delivery systems and seed corporations. Announcing the establish- ment of 150 pulse seed hubs in low productivity districts, Chouhan called for develop- ing climate-resilient varieties to counter climate change effects. Highlighting the cur- rent lack of self-sufficiency in tur, urad and masoor pro- duction, the minister set a target to achieve self-suffi- ciency by 2027.

PUBLIC NOTICE

GOVERNMENT OF HARYANA

EXCISE & TAXATION DEPARTMENT

NOTICE FOR INVITING e-TENDERS FROM GENERAL PUBLIC FOR ALLOTMENT OF REMAINING RETAIL LIQUOR ZONES IN TWENTY-ONE (21) DISTRICTS IN THE STATE OF HARYANA FOR THE EXCISE POLICY YEAR 2024-25.

1. It is notified for the information of general public that e-tenders for allotment of 306 retail liquor zones of country liquor and Indian Made Foreign Liquor vends (L-2/L-14A) in 21 Districts in the State of Haryana are hereby invited for the excise policy year 2024-25. The district wise detail of zones available for e-bidding is as under:-

Sr. No.	Name of District	Zone Code
1.	Ambala	ZAMB01
		ZAMB04
		ZAMB07
		ZAMB08
		ZAMB09
		ZAMB10
		ZAMB11
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Excise and Taxation Commissioner, Haryana.

18. Rewari

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21. Sonapat

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2. The schedule for submission of e-bids for these zones and evaluation thereof shall be as under:-

Starting Date and Time for placing e-tenders	From 24th June, 2024 (9.00 AM)
Closing Date and Time for placing e-tenders	Till 24th June, 2024 (04.00 PM)
Evaluation of e-tenders	24th June, 2024 (5.00 PM)

3. The reserve price and quota of these 306 zones for the purpose of e-tendering has been decided as per the provisions of clause 2.16 and other relevant provisions of the Haryana Excise Policy 2024-25. The zone-wise detail of reserve price and quota of these 306 zones shall be displayed in the excise arrangement.

4. The e-tenders for these zones can be submitted online through the official website of the department i.e. [www.haryanatax.gov.in](http://www.haryanatax.gov.in). The remaining terms and conditions of e-tenders and allotment of zones shall be same, as informed vide the Public Notice, published in leading newspapers on 18th May, 2024, for inviting e-tenders for allotment of retail liquor zones of all districts in the State of Haryana. The copy of Public Notice dated 18th May, 2024 is also available on the official website of department i.e. [www.haryanatax.gov.in](http://www.haryanatax.gov.in). The detailed procedure of registration for participation in the allotment process and submission of e-tenders is also available on the official website.

5. The excise arrangements of these zones containing number of vends, liquor quota, location of vends, command area as applicable and reserve price thereof, as well as the venue for evaluation of e-tenders shall be conspicuously displayed in the office of DETCs (Excise) and DETCs (ST) of the districts concerned. These details shall also be available on the official website i.e. [www.haryanatax.gov.in](http://www.haryanatax.gov.in).

6. All allotment(s) and grant of licence(s) shall be subject to the provisions of the Haryana Excise Act, 1914, the rules framed thereunder, orders/instructions issued by the competent authority and the Excise Policy for the year 2024-25. Any clarification regarding the procedure may be obtained from the office of DETCs (Excise) in any of the districts. The copy of Haryana Excise Policy for the year 2024-25 is available on official website of the department.

7. All allotments of licenses are subject to the approval of the Excise and Taxation Commissioner (Financial Commissioner). The ETC (FC) may reject, without assigning any reason, any allotment in public interest as the case may be, within 10 days of the date of allotment. In case no decision of Excise and Taxation Commissioner (FC) is conveyed within the stipulated period of ten days, the allotment shall be deemed to have been approved by the ETC(FC).

Excise and Taxation Commissioner, Haryana.

## NTA now postpones CSIR-UGC-NET

### Paper leak: Bihar cops to quiz Tejashwi's aide

AKSHEEV THAKUR

TRIBUNE NEWS SERVICE

NEW DELHI, JUNE 21 Amid the ongoing investigation over the alleged irregularities in the NEET-UG examination, the Economic Offences Unit (EOU) of the Bihar Police is likely to question Pritam Kumar who was a personal secretary to Bihar's former Deputy CM Tejashwi Yadav, said official sources. Kumar would be questioned in connection with the booking at a Bihar Government-run guest house in Patna, where a candidate, Anurag Yadav, was accommodated by his uncle Sikander Prasad Yadavendu, the prime accused in the case, said the sources.

The police are trying to establish a link between Kumar and Yadavendu. The latter has already been arrested. The development came after Bihar Deputy CM Vijay Kumar Sinha claimed Yadavendu was linked to officials associated with Tejashwi.



CONG PROTEST Police personnel detain Congress workers protesting over 'irregularities' in NEET-UG in New Delhi. Demanding an SC-monitored probe, the party held protests across the country. PTI

Sinha said Kumar called Bihar Road Construction Department employee Pradeep Kumar on May 1 to book a room in a guest house for Yadavendu. Responding to the allegations, Tejashwi said, "The INDIA bloc is united on the issue. We want the NEET exam to be cancelled. The BJP has (con-

trol of) all probe agencies, they can call the PS, PA or anyone for the probe. They want to divert the issue." Meanwhile, officers of the EOU of the Bihar Police on Friday met officials of the NTA and Union Ministry of Education and shared evidence in its ongoing probe.

ADGP, EOU, Nayyar Hasnain Khan met Education Minister Dharmendra Pradhan and apprised him about the probe. The EOU has gathered evidence like a burnt question paper, post-dated cheques, admit cards, laptops and confession of the arrested suspects.

## SKM to take call on stir strategy at July 10 meet

NEERAJ MOHAN

TRIBUNE NEWS SERVICE

NEW DELHI, JUNE 21 The Samyukta Kisan Morcha (SKM) will hold a meeting here on July 10 to formulate a strategy for the next phase of the farmers' protest. The announcement follows the Centre's "minimal hike" in the MSP, which the SKM has vehemently criticised. SKM leaders Avik Saha, Hannan Mollah, Balbir Singh Rajewal, Purushottam Sharma, Ravinder Singh Patiayala and P Krishnaprasad made this announcement at a joint press conference here. The SKM, an umbrella organisation representing 40 farmer unions, accused the Union Government of failing to fulfil the promises made to farmers

### Flays Centre over 'insufficient' MSP hike

in 2021. "We have called the meeting to decide our future strategy for the agitation as the government is not taking farmers' pending demands seriously. All SKM leaders from across the country will come to New Delhi to attend the meeting," said Rajewal. The SKM leaders criticised the Centre for the recent MSP hike, which they termed insufficient. They pointed out that the hike for 14 crops was only 5 to 7 per cent over last year's rates and fell short of the promise of granting MSP based on the C2+50 per cent formula.

## Cong questions Mahtab as Pro tem Speaker; feel ashamed: Rijiju

TRIBUNE NEWS SERVICE

NEW DELHI, JUNE 21 Ahead of the first session of the 18th Lok Sabha from June 24, the Congress and the government clashed again, this time on the appointment of seven-term MP Bhartruhari Mahtab as Pro tem Speaker. The Pro tem Speaker presides over the oath-taking ceremony of newly elected Lok Sabha MPs.

After Congress general secretary (Organisation) KC Venugopal questioned the decision to name Mahtab the Pro tem Speaker instead of Congress' eight-term MP K Suresh, Union Parliamentary Affairs Minister Kiren Rijiju said he was ashamed that the grand old party was talking like that. The Congress was expecting K Suresh, a Scheduled Caste leader from Kerala, to be named the Pro tem Speaker on grounds that he was the seniormost Lok Sabha MP. The government, however, said the selection of a Pro tem Speaker is based on the 'Father of the House' concept of the British Parliament in which the longest continuously serving MP is given the title who, in this case, is Mahtab. "The government should explain why it chose to overlook K Suresh for the position. What was the factor that

### FOLLOWED TRADITION

They (Cong) took the name of K Suresh. His total terms are eight. But there was a break in 2004 and 1998... any violation will be felt only by those who have not read the rules. We have followed the tradition.

Kiren Rijiju, UNION MINISTER

disqualified him? Are there deeper issues beyond seniority?" asked Venugopal. Hitting back at the Congress, Rijiju said, "I have to say it with great regret that I feel ashamed that the Congress talks like this. First of all, they created an issue about the Pro tem Speaker. This post is very temporary, they play their role till the election of the new Speaker." Rijiju added that the Congress objected to the name of Mahtab who has been a member of the Lok Sabha for seven consecutive terms without a break and at this time he is the longest continuously serving LS member. "They took the name of K Suresh. His total terms are eight. But this break happened in 2004 and 1998... Here, any violation of the system will be felt only by those who have not read the system and its rules," he said.

NORTHERN RAILWAY

1st Corrigendum to Tender Notice No.

6/W/C-II/CDG/Pathankot-Joginder Nagar/Gauge Conversion/2024 dated 19.06.2024

The modification in the Date and Time for submission of Bid and Detailed Tender Notice & Tender Document of Notice No. 6/W/C-II/CDG/Pathankot-Joginder Nagar/Gauge Conversion/2024 dated 19.06.2024 is as under:-

5	Date & Time for submission of Bid	The Complete Bid document can be viewed/downloaded from official portal of the Railway website <a href="https://ireps.gov.in">https://ireps.gov.in</a> from 21.06.2024 to 12.07.2024 (upto 11.30 hrs. IST). Bidder must submit its Financial Bid and Technical Bid at <a href="https://ireps.gov.in">https://ireps.gov.in</a> from 28.06.2024 to 12.07.2024 upto 11.30 hours IST. Bids received online shall be opened on 12.07.2024 at 11:30 hours IST in the office of Deputy Chief Engineer Construction-II, Northern Railway, and Chandigarh-160002.
6	Detailed Tender Notice & Tender Document	The detailed e-tender notice is available on Northern Railway web site i.e. <a href="http://www.nr.indianrailways.gov.in">www.nr.indianrailways.gov.in</a> and tender documents are available on web site i.e. <a href="http://www.ireps.gov.in">www.ireps.gov.in</a> tender documents can be uploaded by the tenderer on IREPS web site i.e.



# Soldier sacked for molesting colleague's wife

TRIBUNE NEWS SERVICE

CHANDIGARH, JUNE 21

A General Court Martial (GCM) has held an Army non-commissioned officer (NCO) guilty of molesting the wife of a fellow soldier and sentenced him to one-year rigorous imprisonment, besides dismissal from service.

The NCO was tried on one charge under Section 354 of the IPC for using criminal force to any woman with the intent of outraging her modesty, read with Section 69 of the Army Act that deals with civil offences punishable under law.

The GCM, presided over by Col Sunil Kumar Sharma, had commenced at Ambala on May 27 and concluded today, sources said. The findings of the court and verdict are subject to confirmation by the higher authorities.

According to sources, the incident had taken place at the Delhi Cantonment in October 2022 where the accused NCO had entered a neighbouring house at night and misbehaved with the woman. She raised the alarm and lodged a complaint the same night.

## GCM ORDER SUBJECT TO AUTHORITIES' NOD

■ The GCM, presided over by Col Sunil Kumar Sharma, had commenced at Ambala on May 27 and concluded on Friday, sources said

■ The findings of the court and verdict are subject to confirmation by the higher authorities

A court of inquiry (CoI) was ordered into the incident, which held the NCO blameworthy and thereafter disciplinary action was initiated against him. Based upon the findings and recommendations of the CoI and summary of evidence, the General Officer Commanding, 40 Artillery Division, ordered that the NCO be tried by a GCM.

On his part, the NCO had pleaded not guilty to the charge and averred certain infirmities in the proceedings against him. The GCM, on taking into account the examination of the complainant and associated evidence brought on record, convicted the NCO.

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**e-Procurement Notice**  
**INVITATION FOR BIDS (IFB)**



The Executive Engineer, Karchham Division, HP.PWD., Bhaba Nagar, District Kinnaur (HP) on behalf of Governor of H.P. invites the online bids on percentage rate, in electronic tendering system, in 2 cover system for the undermentioned works from the eligible class of approved Contractor/Firms registered with HPPWD., for the works as detailed in the table:-

Sr. No.	Name of Works	Estimated Cost	E.M.D.	Cost of tender	Eligible Class of Contractor	Time Period
1	C/o balance work of Govt. High School Building at Bari, Distt. Kinnaur (HP). (SH- C/o Building portion including site development and providing W.S. & S.I.). (Deposit Work)	91,76,084/-	1,90,000/-	2,000/-	Class-C	Twelve Months
2	Improving disaster resiliency and retrofitting of CHC Building Bhabanagar in Distt. Kinnaur (HP). (SH- Dismantling and demolishing work, retrofitting work and finishing work thereof).	35,19,692/-	70,500/-	1500/-	Class-D	Eighteen Months
3	Improving disaster resiliency and retrofitting of Govt. Sen. Sch. Building Chagaon in Distt. Kinnaur (HP). (SH- Dismantling and demolishing work, retrofitting work and finishing work thereof).	46,06,090/-	92,200/-	2000/-	Class-D	Eighteen Months
4	Improving disaster resiliency and retrofitting of Govt. Sen. Sec. Sch. Building Chagaon in Distt. Kinnaur (HP). (SH- Dismantling and demolishing work, retrofitting work and finishing work thereof).	56,96,838/-	1,14,000/-	2000/-	Class-C	Eighteen Months
5	Improving disaster resiliency and retrofitting of CHC Building Sangla in Distt. Kinnaur (HP). (SH- Dismantling and demolishing work, retrofitting work and finishing work thereof).	39,48,388/-	79,000/-	1500/-	Class-D	Eighteen Months
6	Improving disaster resiliency and retrofitting of CHC Building Nichar in Distt. Kinnaur (HP). (SH- Dismantling and demolishing work, retrofitting work and finishing work thereof).	22,11,955	44,300/-	500/-	Class-D	Twelve Months
7	Improving disaster resiliency and retrofitting of Govt. Sen. Sec. Sch. Building Katgaon in Distt. Kinnaur (HP). (SH- Dismantling and demolishing work, retrofitting work and finishing work thereof).	60,01,961/-	1,20,000/-	2000/-	Class-C	Eighteen Months
8	C/o alternate route from HPPWD., Store Solding to Chaura via Bara Kamba Km. 0/00 to 3/600 (SH- F/C 5/7 mtr. wide road at R.D. 0/435 to 0/690).	32,52,027/-	65,000/-	1500/-	Class-D	Three Months
9	Strengthening and widening of Karchham Sangla Chhikul Road Km. 0/00 to 18/00 (Sub Head: Improvement Widening of road, metalling and tarring (BM & BC), construction of V-shape drain, providing and fixing road side furniture and edge line, construction of R/Wat, B/wall, construction of Hume pipe culvert and providing and fixing "W" metal beam crash barrier under CRIP).	14,61,62,288/-	29,23,500/-	12,000/-	Class-A	Eighteen Months

**Start Date of downloading Bid:** 21.06.2024, 10:00 A.M. for each  
**End Date of submission of Bid:** 28.06.2024, 8:00 P.M. for each

The bidders are advised to note other details of tenders from the Departmental website [www.hptenders.gov.in](http://www.hptenders.gov.in). The bids shall be opened on **02.07.2024 at 11:00 Hrs.** in the office of the Executive Engineer, Karchham Division, HPPWD., Bhaba Nagar by the authorized officer.

DPR/HP/299 Sd/- Executive Engineer, Karchham Division, HPPWD., Bhaba Nagar.

**NORTHERN RAILWAY**  
**TENDER NOTICE**



**Invitation for Tenders through E-procurement system**

Deputy Chief Materials Manager, N.R. Jagadhari Workshop-135002, for and on behalf of the President of India invites through e-procurement system for the supply of the following items:-

S. No.	Tender No.	Brief Description	Quantity	Closing Date
01	61245865	Friction Wedge	1788 Nos.	15 July 2024

**NOTE-** 1. Vendors may visit the IREPS website i.e. [www.ireps.gov.in](http://www.ireps.gov.in) for details 2. No manual offer will be entertained. **Tender Notice No. 61245865**

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**CORRIGENDUM**

Sr. No.	NAME OF BOARD/ CORP./AUTH	OLD REFERENCE/ NIT NO.	NATURE OF CORRIGENDUM
1	HARYANA STATE HORTICULTURE DEVELOPMENT AGENCY PANCHKULA	HSHDA/601	PRE-BID DISCUSSION SHALL BE ON 25.06.2024 IN DIRECTORATE OF HORTICULTURE SECTOR-21 PANCHKULA

**WEBSITE OF THE BOARD/CORP./AUTH:** <https://etenders.hry.nic.in>  
**NODAL OFFICER/CONTACT DETAILS/E-MAIL:** 01722587570 [mdmdharyana@gmail.com](mailto:mdmdharyana@gmail.com)

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION KINDLY VISIT:**  
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PRDH/13/2025/40/270554/314


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**TENDER NOTICE**

Sr. No.	NAME OF BOARD/ CORP./ AUTH	NAME OF WORK NOTICE TENDER	OPENING DATE CLOSING DATE	AMOUNT/ EMD (APPROX) IN RUPEES	WEBSITE OF THE BOARD/ CORP./ AUTH	NODAL OFFICER/ CONTACT DETAILS/ E-MAIL
1	HVPRL	PROVIDING ADDITIONAL 2025 MVA 132/33 KV TIE ALONG WITH 33KV BAY FOR FEEDING 2ND CKT OF 33KV AT 132 KV SUB STN. SHARNAUDA (KARNALI)	20.06.2024 26.06.2024	15.06 LACS	<a href="http://www.hvpn.org.in">www.hvpn.org.in</a>	0172-2583789 <a href="mailto:PROG@HVPN.ORG.IN">PROG@HVPN.ORG.IN</a>
2	HVPRL	AUG OF 220KV SUBSTATION MBHAWAN (2X100 MVA) 220/132KV PLUS (0X100 MVA) 220/33 KV TRANSFORMERS TO 2X100 MVA 220/132 KV PLUS 2X100 MVA 220/33 KV TRANSFORMERS - WORK FOR INTEGRATION (SRSA)	19.06.2024 28.06.2024	9.61 LACS	<a href="http://www.hvpn.org.in">www.hvpn.org.in</a>	0172-2583789 <a href="mailto:PROG@HVPN.ORG.IN">PROG@HVPN.ORG.IN</a>

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION KINDLY VISIT:** [www.haryanaeprocurement.gov.in](http://www.haryanaeprocurement.gov.in) or [www.etenders.hry.nic.in](http://www.etenders.hry.nic.in)  
PRDH/13/2025/40/270554/314

**Regarding recruitment of supervisors and coaches through outsourcing by Sports Department, Punjab through PESCO**



**Advertisement**

As per the advertisement issued by Sports Department Punjab dated 10.02.2024, upload the list of candidates (eligible/ineligible) applying for the posts of Sports Supervisor and Sports Coaches is uploaded on the website of the department: [www.pbsports.punjab.gov.in](http://www.pbsports.punjab.gov.in). If any candidate has any objection to these lists, they can submit their objection to the Head Office, Chandigarh from 9.00 a.m. to 5.00 p.m. up to 27.06.2024. Any objection received after the prescribed date of 27.06.2024 will not be entertained.

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On behalf of President of India Principal Chief Materials Manager/PLW/Patiala invites tenders in electronic form for following items:-

**e-Tender Notice No.13 ET/2024-25**

S. Tender N. No.	Description	Qty.	Tender Closing date
1	20241259 Draft Gear	201 Nos.	23.07.2024*
2	21241107 Complete Panel-A and D	217 Sets	29.07.2024**
3	11245183A CO2 MIG-MAG Semi-automatic Machine	05 Nos.	11.07.2024
4	21241255 Set of Earthing Cable	359 Nos.	30.07.2024

**Tender closing Time 15:00 Hrs**

Item marked with \* is reserved for procurement from ROSO approved Firms. Item marked with \*\* is reserved for procurement from CLW approved Firms. The prospective tenderers are advised to visit the website <http://www.ireps.gov.in> or <http://www.plw.indianrailways.gov.in>, for detailed description of items & other terms and conditions of tender document. Please note that tenderers can submit their quotations only through <http://www.ireps.gov.in>.

1) Corrigendum to e-RA Tender Notice No.06 E-RA/2024-25  
Tender No. 21241318 may be read as Quantity 150 Nos. & closing date 25.06.2024.  
2) Corrigendum to e-Tender Notice No.09 ET/2024-25  
Closing date of Tender No. 21241298 may be read as 04.07.2024  
3) Corrigendum to e-Tender Notice No.11 ET/2024-25  
Closing date of Tender No. 21241272 may be read as 11.07.2024  
4) Corrigendum to e-Tender Notice No.10 ET/2024-25  
Closing date of Tender No. 21241265 may be read as 28.06.2024  
5) Corrigendum to e-Tender Notice No.08 ET/2024-25  
Closing date of Tender No. 21241243 may be read as 03.07.2024  
6) Corrigendum to e-Tender Notice No.05 ET/2024-25  
Closing date of Tender No. 20241097 may be read as 01.07.2024  
7) Corrigendum to e-Tender Notice No.09 ET/2024-25  
Closing date of Tender No. 20241172 may be read as 25.06.2024

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- सभी संस्थानों में सरकार द्वारा निर्धारित फीस
- रियायती बस पास की सुविधा
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- आई.टी.आई. पास आउट को हरियाणा बोर्ड से 10वीं/12वीं की समकक्षता
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SEEMA SHARMA

SARA (26) was 13 when she was diagnosed with polycystic ovary syndrome (PCOS). Initially, her doctor attributed excessive acne on her face and back, thick facial hair, weight gain and hair fall to hormonal adjustments during teenage years. Symptomatic treatment didn't help, with acne and other symptoms only worsening. After a year, she was diagnosed with PCOS. Her treatment lasted a few months but the associated risks and management are lifelong.

Sonepat-based Namita (37) was diagnosed with PCOS at 28. She would experience irregular periods and struggled with weight. An ultrasound during treatment for a urinary tract infection (UTI) revealed heavy and bulky ovaries, indicating PCOS. A hormonal disorder prevalent among at least 20 per cent young Indian women, it impacts fertility, besides leading to serious health issues. A mother of a toddler now, Namita's journey to conception was long and difficult.

Many studies have also found women with PCOS at a higher risk of developing diabetes. Namita has to take metformin for life. Sara, too, became a pre-diabetic during the lockdown after gaining weight.

Both genetic and environmental factors, including family history, a sedentary lifestyle and obesity, are among the possible causes.

**Common symptoms across age groups**

**Irregular menstrual cycles:** Heavy, scanty, short or long duration, or absent periods.

**Excessive hair growth or hirsutism:** On the face, chest and back.

**Acne:** Severe acne outbreaks on the face and body.

**Weight gain:** Rapid weight gain or difficulty in managing or losing weight, or unexplained weight gain.

**Skin changes:** Skin tags, darkening of skin folds, especially around neck and underarms, stretch marks on arms and thighs or abdomen.

**Fertility issues:** Difficulty in conception due to irregular or no ovulation. Post 30, challenges may become more pronounced.

**Hormonal imbalance:** Elevated levels of androgens (male hormones) such as testosterone, leading to hirsutism and acne.

**Metabolic problems:** Increased risk of medical issues associated with metabolic syndrome, including high blood pressure, high cholesterol and insulin resistance. An increase in insulin levels causes ovaries to make and release androgens that suppress ovulation.

**Hair loss:** Thinning of hair or male-pattern baldness.

**Other risk factors**

PCOS patients have a higher risk of developing other health issues such as high blood pressure, high cholesterol, anxiety and depression, sleep apnea, heart attack, diabetes and endometrial, ovarian and breast cancers. Women who have PCOS



COPING WITH PCOS

One in five Indian women suffer from a hormonal disorder called polycystic ovary syndrome (PCOS). Experts push for awareness as obesity can trigger this genetic condition — that can be controlled, but not cured

also have a higher rate of miscarriage, gestational diabetes and premature deliveries.

**Psychological impact**

Increased stress, anxiety and depression are associated with the chronic nature of PCOS and its impact on daily life. There can be body image or self-esteem problems because of acne, hirsutism, overweight/obesity and hair fall.

If women across any age group experience any of these symptoms, it's best to consult a gynaecologist for the assessment of PCOS. The specialist may advise a few blood tests to check hormone levels, including luteinizing hormone (LH) and follicle-stimulating hormone (FSH). PCOS patients have an elevated LH-to-FSH ratio. Other tests include testosterone and other androgens, sex hormone-binding globulin (SHBG). Decreased levels may be observed in PCOS. Prolactin, thyroid function tests (thyroid disorders have similar symptoms as PCOS) and ultrasound for ovary imaging can also be done. In PCOS, the ovaries may appear enlarged and have multiple small follicles (cysts) around the periphery.

Women with PCOS may also face psychological/mental health issues because managing weight, acne, irregular periods, etc, may be difficult despite maintaining a healthy lifestyle. Hirsutism and weight gain associated with PCOS can affect body-image perception, leading to low self-esteem and body dissatisfaction. Hormonal imbalances can also contribute to mood swings, irritability and emotional instability.

Studies have shown that women with PCOS have a higher prevalence of depression compared to those without. The chronic nature of the syndrome, coupled with the challenges of managing symptoms and fertility concerns, can contribute to feelings of hopelessness and sadness.

**Long-term solutions**

A healthy lifestyle with regular exercise and a nutritious diet remains the long-term solution. A healthy weight also helps in regulating the menstrual cycle and hormone balance. Consult with a healthcare provider for personalised treatment options and regular monitoring.

**What to eat and avoid**

Abstain from processed foods high in sugar, salt and fat, as these can exacerbate symptoms. Avoid skipping meals as it can cause fluctuation in blood sugar. Limit alcohol and caffeine intake. Manage stress through relaxation techniques. Include plenty of fibre-rich foods like vegetables, fruits and whole grains to improve insulin sensitivity. Choose lean protein sources such as chicken, fish and legumes. Incorporate healthy fats in limited quantity from nuts, seeds and other sources.

**Lifetime changes**

Consistency is the key. Regular exercise, a balanced diet and weight management are crucial. Consult your doctor, who will monitor hormonal levels and other symptoms on a regular basis. Stay informed and adapt your lifestyle to ensure long-term management and improve overall well-being.

— *The writer is associate director, obstetrics and gynaecology, Cloudnine Group of Hospitals, Chandigarh*

FACTS OF THE MATTER

- PCOS is the most common endocrine disease affecting 8 to 10 per cent of Indian women in the reproductive age group; 70 per cent of women remain undiagnosed.
- It's a chronic condition and cannot be cured. However, quality of life may improve with treatment and lifestyle modifications.
- By age 40, nearly 40 per cent of women with PCOS will develop pre-diabetes or type 2 diabetes, making the prevalence of type 2 diabetes 6.8 times higher than those without.
- Sleep disturbances are twice as common.
- Lean PCOS is a term for individuals with BMI less than 25 — that is, they are neither obese, nor overweight.
- PCOS patients are predisposed to various skin infections, UTIs and sexually transmitted infections (STIs), including vaginal yeast infections, bacterial vaginosis, affecting their long-term reproductive health.
- PCOS is associated with higher rates of eating disorders, including binge eating and emotional eating, which can further impact mental health and exacerbate weight management difficulties.

BALANCING THE IMBALANCE

Prachi Nigam, a Class X topper from UP, was recently in the news not for her achievement but for being trolled due to her facial hair. The trolling, though traumatic, also made her parents realise that there may be an underlying health issue. Residents of Mahmoodabad in Sitapur district, her family recently consulted a doctor in Lucknow, a two-hour journey from her home. Prachi, who turns 16 next month, says, "The doctor told us that the hair growth on my face is because of hormonal imbalance. The exact cause will be known after my blood test reports next month."

"I also have irregular periods," says the simple, small-town girl, who does not own a mobile phone. "The doctor also performed a laser treatment for hair removal and has recommended nine more sessions. He has also given me some medication and called us again next month," says the teenager who wants to be an engineer. TNS

LACK OF AWARENESS AND MISCONCEPTIONS DISSUADE POTENTIAL VOLUNTARY DONORS FROM GIVING BLOOD

GIFT OF LIFE, DROP BY DROP

SANGEETA KUMARI & RATTI RAM SHARMA

ONE unit (350-450 ml) of donated blood can save up to three lives. Chandigarh-based Alka Chaudhary (40) has been one such grateful recipient all her life. Diagnosed with thalassaemia major when she was just three months old, Alka receives 2 units of blood every month.

In India, where someone needs blood transfusion every 2 seconds, approximately 14.6 million units of blood are required annually. But there is always a shortage of around 1 million units as transfusions are needed for accidental trauma surgeries, major operations and for pregnancy-related complications. People with sickle-cell disease, anaemia, thalassaemia and haemophilia also need transfusions regularly.

Voluntary, unpaid-for donors remain the most trusted source to meet this huge demand, as was emphasised on the World Blood Donation Day (June 14).



FIGHTING THE GOOD FIGHT

Rajan Rikhi (54) has been donating blood regularly for 33 years now. He was 21 when he first gave blood to a friend's mother, saving her life. Since then, he has donated blood 223 times. His humanitarian efforts have earned him a place in the India Book of Records for donating blood maximum number of times. A Tribune employee, Rikhi has been awarded by the Haryana government, Chandigarh Administration, PGIMER, Chandigarh, and many other institutions for also motivating around 500 persons for voluntary blood donation. TNS

One out of every three persons needs timely access to safe blood during his/her lifetime. The numbers though remain low as over 85 per cent of young Indians (18-25 years) have never donated blood.

Most people do not donate blood because of lack of awareness and misconceptions about donation. Reasons also include lack of clarity about the donation process, which typically takes about 45 minutes to an hour, and inaccessibility to blood donation sites.

There are many myths that need to be dispelled. Blood donation doesn't cause any weakness, as the body replenishes the lost fluid within 24-48 hours. Nor is it painful, as there's only a little sting when the needle is inserted. There are hardly any chances of catching infection, as new sterile needles are used for every donor.

No special diet is required before or after blood donation. The body can regenerate all lost elements from a normal diet. A balanced, iron-rich diet, however, is advisable for regular donors. Vegetarians can donate if they meet the required haemoglobin (Hb) levels. A well-balanced vegetarian diet can provide adequate iron.

Blood donation does not have any effect on the reproductive capacity. Blood donated at licensed blood banks and donation camps by these banks or any trusted institutions is properly stored, transported and never misused.

Blood can be separated into red and white cells, plasma and platelets and made available for more than one patient simultaneously. As blood can be stored for a limited period (35-42 days), voluntary donation remains the backbone of transfusion service.

— *The writers are Assistant Professor and HoD, respectively, Department of Transfusion Medicine, PGI, Chandigarh*

DOS AND DONT'S BEFORE DONATING BLOOD

- Eat a healthy diet within a four-hour window of giving blood.
- Share medical history and/or if you are on any medication.
- Have 1 to 2 glasses of water just before donation.
- Sleep well for 6-7 hours.
- Avoid drinking alcohol and smoking before giving blood. The donor should not be under influence of alcohol at the time of donation.

POST-DONATION

- Rest for 15-20 minutes at the site.
- Drink plenty of fluids.
- Don't drive for half an hour.
- Don't take off the band-aid placed at the entry site on the arm for 5-6 hours.
- Avoid alcohol for 6 hours.
- Avoid any strenuous activity or exercise for the next 24 hours.
- If you feel dizzy, sit down and lower your head between the knees. Contact the blood centre if dizziness persists for over 20 minutes.
- If there's any bleeding afterwards from the point where needle has been pricked, apply firm pressure for 5-10 minutes with a finger over the band-aid. If bleeding does not stop, return to the blood centre.

WHO CAN DONATE

- Healthy adults between 18 and 65 years can donate after every 3 months (male) or 4 months (female), while those donating for the first time should be below 60.
- Donor's weight should be more than 45 kg and Hb over 12.5 gm/dl.

WHO CAN'T DONATE

- Anyone affected from cough and cold, and taking medicines.
- Those who had jaundice or suspected jaundice after the age of 5, as there is a high likelihood of their being infectious for Hepatitis B or C.
- Suffering from any chronic cardiac, renal, liver, endocrinal, and neurological or other illness.
- Hb is less than 12.5 gm/dl.
- Blood pressure and heart rate are not within normal range.
- People on antibiotics, as there may be an underlying infection.

HIGH RISK DONORS

- High-risk behaviour for HIV/Hepatitis B and C such as multiple sexual partners, IV drug abuse.
- Tattoo/body piercing within a year.
- Received blood transfusion within a year.
- Got vaccinated recently.
- Had any surgery within a year.

BENEFITS

- Free health screening every 3-4 months.
- Regular blood donation is linked to lower blood pressure and a lower risk for heart attacks as it reduces the viscosity of the blood, decreasing chances of formation of blood clots, heart attacks and stroke.

DIETARY ADVICE

Have a balanced diet rich in iron and protein that has plenty of green leafy vegetables, seasonal fruits, nuts, cereals and poultry products. Avoid coffee, tea, milk and milk products immediately after meals. These can inhibit iron absorption. Keep an hour's gap to consume these foods. Foods rich in vitamin C taken with dietary iron sources ensure better iron absorption. Regularly eat fruits like orange, amla, kiwi, lemon, guava, strawberries and vegetables such as broccoli, green and red peppers, tomatoes, etc.

SOURCE: NATIONAL BLOOD TRANSFUSION COUNCIL GUIDELINES FOR BLOOD DONOR SELECTION, MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE, GOVT OF INDIA



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# Game, set and matchless Federer

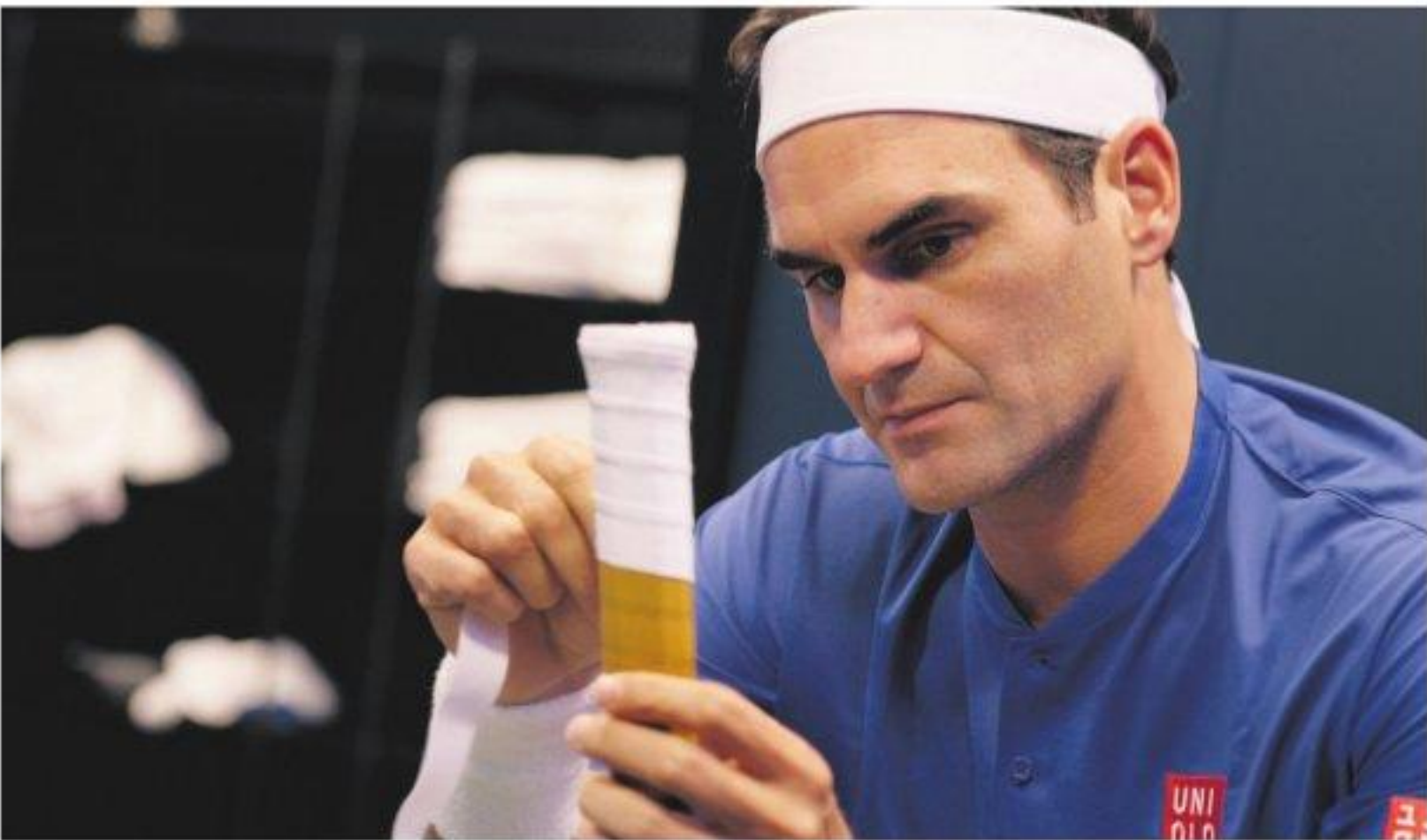
**PRIME VIDEO** **Federer: Twelve Final Days**  
**DIRECTOR** Asif Kapadia and Joe Sabia  
**CAST** Roger Federer, Rafael Nadal, Novak Djokovic, Andy Murray, Mirka Federer, Tony Godsick and Anna Wintour  
**RATING** ★★

PARBINA RASHID

"I hope I won't have to use those tissues..." From the moment Roger Federer utters those words to the moment he breaks down in front of the 6,500-strong crowd at London's O2 Arena 12 days later, *Federer: Twelve Final Days* makes us relive those moments that led to the exit of one of the greatest players in the world of professional tennis. Those were the words he told his team before recording his farewell speech on September 14, 2022.

"I am an emotional guy," he says as he points at the stack of tissues. Emotion, indeed, runs high. "Alps are shedding a tear," says Federer's long-time agent Tony Godsick on a call with Anna Wintour, a tennis fan and editor-in-chief of *Vogue*, pointing at the weather just before the message goes out. The retirement is imminent but not without one last fight. Federer prepares for Laver Cup, a tournament to honour former Australian champion Rod Laver.

In the run-up to D-day, Federer masks the attacks on his nerves and knots in the tummy well — when he talks about his three knee operations between 2020 and 2022, the pain he saw in his wife Mirka's eyes as his career went south, or as he parties with legends like Rod Laver and



The 90-minute documentary brings alive moments that led to the exit of one of the greatest players of professional tennis.

Bjorn Borg, his idol, arch rival and great friend Rafael Nadal, Novak Djokovic and Andy Murray just before he and Nadal take on their opponents, Jack Sock and Frances Tiafoe, in the Laver Cup.

With Joe Sabia going behind the scenes of those 12 days and Asif Kapadia rounding up the documentary with archival footage, we get a sketchy profile of Federer's early years, as a ball boy, as a junior player in Switzerland and glimpses of his matches — 1,750 competitive matches and 20 Grand Slam singles titles in his 24 years of professional tennis. But the highlight of the documentary remains his

retirement, which is considered a kind of death for any sportsperson. As Federer's coach Severin Luthi puts it, "An athlete dies twice."

One of the most delightful moments of the documentary is when it highlights his friendship with Nadal. From Federer's declaration that "I like being on top alone" in 2004 in the context of his rivalry with Nadal to taking Nadal into confidence about his retirement plan 10 days before the official announcement, it's amazing how the arch rivals on the field could share such a beautiful friendship off it.

Nadal, too, reciprocates as he says, "The feeling before a Grand Slam

final with Roger is different. Different atmosphere, different kind of pressure, to know that I will not have this feeling again for the rest of my life is something that's painful. Even if we had a great rivalry on the court, we were able to have a great friendship off the court. And that is something that is very difficult to find in this competitive world."

The 90-minute documentary has some delightful moments. Like the one when Federer gets to know from Djokovic at the pre-tournament party that they both were wearing the wrong shirt with their tuxedos. Federer makes a dash to his room to change his. This is, perhaps, the only

time we see him unrestrained. But, sadly, Kapadia and Sabia do not let their guard down even for a moment. They go about documenting the final days of the tennis legend's journey with clinical detachment, without drama or emotional outbursts. Their treatment of his personal life seems scripted. Neither do they educate us about the transformation of the ball boy from Switzerland to the master of the game, or decode his never-say-die attitude, which helped him make a remarkable comeback after a series of physical setbacks.

Kapadia's treatment keeps us so emotionally restrained that even the final match, which is given enough screen time, becomes of little consequence. It does not matter whether Team Federer wins or loses.

In one of the scenes, Federer says he knew the presence of his wife Mirka and the 'Rafa angle' would shatter his resolve not to cry. We too knew what would be our breaking point, watching the 'artist of the court', as Borg calls him, talking the final bow.

But the breaking point arrived earlier. This particular scene beautifully juxtaposing two images of Federer — his younger version tying his bandana and the soon-to-be-retired version tying his bandana one last time — hits hard. Then comes his awkward goodbye speech in the locker room with Nadal sobbing uncontrollably. With these two scenes, Kapadia turns the game to make it Advantage Kapadia. It's our turn to reach for the tissues.

## WHAT'S STREAMING



### GANGS OF GALICIA

NETFLIX

This Spanish mystery thriller follows the story of Ana, who seeks revenge for her father's mysterious death. As she investigates, Ana stumbles upon the involvement of the Galician drug cartel and finds it at the centre of organised crime. It features Clara Lago, Tamar Novas and Xosé Antonio Touriñán, among others.



### HOUSE OF THE DRAGON

JIOCINEMA

The ever-popular 'Game of Thrones' prequel had a great run for season one. While actors Matt Smith and Emma D'Arcy will reprise their roles, new faces of the likes of Abubakar Salim, Steve Toussaint and Clinton Liberty will also add to the narrative. Set about 200 years prior to GOT's timeline, it focuses on the Targaryen civil war.



### KOTA FACTORY SEASON 3

NETFLIX

Another TVF original shipped off as a successful OTT content, 'Kota Factory' returns with the much-anticipated Season 3. Jitendra Kumar reprises his role as the beloved Jeetu Bhaiya. Vaibhav and his friends inch closer to the dreaded examination date while navigating through their personal setbacks.



### BAD COP

DISNEY+HOTSTAR

The crime thriller is adapted from the German show 'Bad Cop: Kriminell Gut' (2017). As director Aditya Datt reimagines this story in an Indian setting, he casts Gulshan Devaiah and Anurag Kashyap in lead roles. Devaiah plays identical twins Karan and Arjun, whereas Kashyap is a gangster, Kazbe Mama. It also stars Harleen Sethi.



The narrative swerves in the all-too-expected direction.

## Searching for love in the love story

**FILM** **Ishq Vishk Rebound**  
**DIRECTOR** Nipun Avinash Dharmadhikari  
**CAST** Rohit Saraf, Pashmina Roshan, Jibraan Khan, Naila Grewal, Supriya Pilgaonkar, Shilpa Tulaskar, Akarsh Khurana and Kusha Kapila  
**RATING** ★★

NONIKA SINGH

It promises to be an atypical love story, a lighthearted look at Gen Z and their love conflicts. Alas, this spiritual sequel to Shahid Kapoor's debut film *'Ishq Vishk'* ends up being neither. A film within a film... we perk up at the thought of a writer gaining so much prominence. As we meet the young screenwriter Raghav (Rohit Saraf of *'Mismatched'* fame), who is told, *'tumhari kahani mein freshness hai'*, we await the same. For a while, we are led down the garden path where we hope to pluck some fresh blooms of love and romance. Only, as he is stuck writing the climax, the film, too, gets caught in writers' blocks, what with so many writers on board.

Back to the film Raghav is writing; well, to finish his Bollywood story, he says we have to go back to the start. And we move to idyllic Dehradun, an ideal place for *ishqwaala* love. But, hold on, haven't we been told that this is not a happily-ever-after or on familiar lines? Only, the moment we set eyes on these three BFFs, two boys and a girl, we know the triangulate path the movie will take. After all, a number of movies before this have conveyed how such friendships read: status complicated. Yes, to begin with, it is crystal clear that Sahir (Jibraan Khan) and Sanya (Pashmina Roshan) are a couple. There is a fourth angle, too, environment crusader Ria (Naila Grewal), Raghav's girlfriend. But isn't that rebound in the title a clear giveaway? *'Clarity ka raasta confusion se guzarta hai...'* we too arrive at the familiar, via breakups, 'chill-trip' Raghav and Sanya take and some parent traps.

Told in first person by Raghav, the story he is writing expectedly is personal too. Only, he allows us a peep into his besties' (Sanya and Sahir) life as well. They break up and sort out with cute little gestures which are supposedly

our pointers into how the young approach love. Little lessons are learnt anyway, even though the young film is also padded with some heavy-duty family concerns. Sanya is dealing with the divorce of her parents and lives with her single mom. When will Bollywood move away from the so-called progressive thought? Drinking by women is a 'cool' deal. Daddy issues are affecting Sahir, too, who has a stern father who wants him to join the Army. The same old grouse of how parents force their children to fulfill their aspirations surfaces. Sanya, of course, ends up doing what the absent daddy prescribed: play golf.

Raghav's boss (Kusha Kapila) tells him that Sanya is the most interesting character in his story, people will feed for her. But sorry, we feel otherwise. Not that Pashmina Roshan, who happens to be Hrithik Roshan's cousin, is outright bad in her portrayal of Sanya, but she has a long way to go. Jibraan Khan and Naila Grewal hold out, even though their screen time, particularly Naila's (seen in *'Maamla Legal Hai'*), is limited. But, we watch the film mainly for a finely calibrated and earnest performance by Rohit Saraf. He steers the film for the longest time until the narrative swerves in the all-too-expected direction.

He gets some clever lines, too; mark the reference to the iconic love word *'palat'*. Of course, the real pithy dialogues are reserved for fine actor Sheeha Chaddha. In a bit part, she decodes why Raghav's parents are continually playing games: 'Is the person we love today the same as the one we fell in love with? Her presence adds gravitas.

We get it, a *prem kahani* is not meant to be a serious affair but fun and frolic, especially when it belongs to the truly young. Only, we keep waiting for the frothy and peppy feeling to take over. Sadly, the film does not seduce us enough to even momentarily feel the love in the air. Kusha rebukes Raghav, *'Is kahani mein love story kahan hai?'* We don't say the same, but clocking less than two hours, what could have been a memorable take on friendship and love just skims the surface. At best a teaser, it misses the intoxicating big picture which love, even rebound *ishq*, is meant to suffuse us with.

JOHNSON THOMAS

This is a half-baked remake of William Friedkin's *'The Exorcist'*, in which Russell Crowe plays Anthony Miller, a washed-up actor and recovering alcoholic. He suddenly gets a lifeline when the original lead actor of a film that sounds similar to *'The Exorcist'* passes away unexpectedly and the director casts him in a pivotal role as the priest. It's doubly fortunate for Miller because his estranged daughter, Lee (Ryan Simpkins), who has returned to live with him after being kicked out of school, takes up the job on the sets as his PA. Father Conor (David Hyde White) is the on-set theological adviser and Blake (Chloe Bailey) is the lead actress in the film within a film.

Though the film within a film story here has a little more complexity than the original, the subtleties and organic progression in the event-ology are sorely missing. Peter, the director within the film, as a bully quite happy to criticise his leading man in front of everyone, is the trigger for Anthony's internal breakdown. The atmosphere on the sets turns wild once



The cinematography isn't effective enough to be suggestive of the paranormal.

Anthony begins to exhibit signs of demonic possession. Lee discovers him at the bottom of the stairwell muttering Latin rituals to himself. It's expected of the audience to be familiar with *'The Exorcist'* and its history, including the bird strike story and the electrical fire which affected the Friedkin set. This is followed by more such events involving bodily gyrations and demon eyes. The people on the set soon go into a state of panic, impacting the film's production and putting the crew in jeopardy. Predictably, an exorcism is recommended and all hell breaks loose.

Anthony's past traumas come to the fore as Father Conor seeks to exorcise the demon within him. *'The Exorcism'* pursues poorly-constructed horror events but the production design by Michael Perry is fairly grit-inducing. The cinematography by

Simon Duggan isn't effective enough to be macabre or suggestive of the paranormal.

The narrative plays in slow motion. Scary scenes fail to light up enough to generate fear and tiresome gimmicks surrounded by flickering 'light and darkness' shadows make a mediocre play for impact.

Joshua Miller fails to go beyond clichés and overused trickery in order to generate credibility. The screenplay feels like a crude reworking, interspersed with formulaic assays. There's no suspense to speak of. A few half-decent set pieces fail to rev up the scares either. The under-cooked treatment is at fault here. Crowe has an imposing physical presence but his talent is utterly wasted here. So is Sam Worthington, in a supporting role that fails to register.

## Mediocre fare

SHEETAL

It's about time the OTT platforms understood that labelling something as *'Trigger Warning'*, *'Red Notice'*, *'The Gray Man'* or *'Heart of Stone'* doesn't guarantee success or likeability of some known actors, with an action background, as lead characters. Rather, the need to showcase one good Friday release could level the careers of some established Hollywood actors.

First things first, the plot revolves around Jessica Alba, who plays Parker, a special agent deployed in Syria. Minutes after executing a mission in Syria, she receives a phone call from her former

**NETFLIX** **Trigger Warning**  
**DIRECTOR** Mouly Surya  
**CAST** Jessica Alba, Anthony Michael Hall, Mark Webber, Jake Weary, Tone Bell, Gabriel Basso, Kaiwi Lyman and Hari Dhillon  
**RATING** ★

boyfriend, Jesse (Mark Webber), about the death of her father in an accident in a cave mine. Parker, a trained officer, returns to her hometown, Creation County, to find that there's been some conspiracy behind her father's death. Parker plays a cold and emotionless officer. Apart from some scenes about her father's death,



The film lacks soul and a strong script.

Alba's acting remains one-dimensional. The chemistry between Jesse and Parker, the

exes who still have feelings for each other, is visible in dialogues, but that's about it.

It's sad to see a talented Indonesian director like Mouly Surya deliver such a mediocre film. It merely touches upon issues like racism, smuggling of arms and the rampant arms culture in the US. From a director who earned two nominations at the Cannes Film Festival 2017 for *'Marlina the Murderer in Four Acts'*, and renowned Hollywood screenwriter writers John Brancato, Josh Olson and Halley Gross, it's a film that lacks soul and a strong script.

Even Anthony Michael Hall as Senator Ezekiel Swan is not exploited to his full potential.

The background score and renowned Hollywood folk song *'La Llorona'* are used to its advantage. It's something that you take from the film. Else, this Jessica Alba-starrer requires a trigger warning.



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# Israeli strike kills 38 Palestinians

CAIRO, JUNE 21 Israeli forces pounded Rafah in southern Gaza on Friday, as well as other areas across the enclave, killing at least 38 Palestinians as troops engaged in close-quarter combat with Hamas militants, residents and Israel's military said.

Residents said the Israelis appeared to be trying to complete their capture of Rafah, which borders Egypt and has been the focus of an Israeli assault since early May.

Tanks were forcing their way into the western and northern parts of the city, having already captured the east, south and centre. Israeli forces fired from planes, tanks and ships off the coast, forcing a new wave of displacement from the city, which had been sheltering more than a million displaced people, most of whom have been forced to flee again.

Later on Friday, Palestinian health officials said at least 18 Palestinians were killed in Mawasi in western Rafah in what Palestinians said was a tank shelling that hit a tent housing displaced families.



Palestinians gather at the edge of a crater after an Israeli airstrike in southern Gaza Strip. AP/PTI

"Our teams have so far dealt with 18 martyrs and 35 injuries due to the occupation's targeting of displaced people's tents in Mawasi #Rafah, west of the governorate," said the Palestinian Red Crescent Society in a statement on X.

Palestinian health officials said at least 38 Palestinians had

been killed in separate Israeli military strikes on Friday.

The Israeli military said on Friday it was looking into the reported strikes on Mawasi and a separate incident in Gaza City. It said its forces were conducting "precise, intelligence-based" actions in the Rafah area, where troops were involved in close-quarter

combat and had located tunnels used by militants.

The military also said over the past week its forces had targeted a university that it said served as a Hamas headquarters from which militants fired on its soldiers and had found weapons and barrel bombs. It did not name the university.

## Five Pakistan soldiers killed in IED blast

PESHAWAR, JUNE 21 Five Pakistani soldiers were killed when an improvised explosive device (IED) detonated on a vehicle carrying security forces in restive Kurram tribal district bordering Afghanistan, the army said. The five soldiers are identified as havildar Aqeel Ahmed, lance naik Muhammad Tafeer, sepoy Anosh Ruf, sepoy Muhammad Azam Khan and sepoy Haroon William. — PTI

## Flooding in southern China kills 47

BEIJING, JUNE 21 At least 47 people have died as downpours in southern China's Guangdong province caused historic flooding and slides, state media reported Friday. State broadcaster CCTV said Friday afternoon that another 38 people were confirmed dead in Meizhou city, adding to nine others previously reported dead in the same city. — AP

## Russia will develop its nuclear arsenal: Putin

MOSCOW, JUNE 21 President Vladimir Putin said on Friday that Russia would keep developing its arsenal of nuclear weapons, the world's largest, as a deterrent and would supply the army fighting in Ukraine with the latest weaponry and drones.

Putin was speaking in the Kremlin at a ceremony attended by graduates of military, police and intelligence service academies.

"We plan to further develop the nuclear triad as a guarantee of strategic deterrence and to preserve the balance



Vladimir Putin

of power in the world," said Putin. Russia's nuclear triad is a reference to its land, sea and air-launched nuclear missiles. — Reuters

## Swiss court sentences 4 of Hinduja family to over four years for exploiting their servants

GENEVA, JUNE 21 A Swiss criminal court on Friday sentenced four members of the wealthy Hinduja family with between four and half years in prison for exploiting their vulnerable domestic workers.

The court at the same time threw out the more severe charges of human trafficking. The four — Indian-born tycoon Prakash Hinduja and his wife, son and daughter-in-law — were accused of trafficking of their servants, mostly illiterate Indians, who were employed at their lux-



Prakash Hinduja

urious lakeside villa in Geneva.

The four were not in court in Geneva though a fifth defendant — Najib Ziazi, the family's business manager — was in attendance. He received an 18 months suspended sen-

tence. The court said the four were guilty of exploiting workers and providing unauthorised employment.

It dismissed the trafficking charges on the grounds that the staff understood what they were getting into. The four Hinduja family members were accused of seizing workers' passports, paying them in rupees — not Swiss francs — banning them from leaving the villa and forcing them to work excruciatingly long hours for a pittance in Switzerland, among other things.

Last week, it emerged in

criminal court that the family — which has roots in India — had reached an undisclosed settlement with the plaintiffs.

Geneva prosecutors opened the case for alleged illegal activity including exploitation, human trafficking and violation of Swiss labour laws. The family set up residence in Switzerland decades ago, and Prakash was already convicted in 2007 on similar, if lesser charges, though prosecutors say he persisted in employing people without proper paperwork anyway. — AP

## BUSINESS

USD	EURO	POUND	JPY	YUAN	CAD	AUD	SGD	HKD	BSE	NSE	GOLD	SILVER
₹83.58	₹89.53	₹105.88	₹0.52	₹11.50	₹60.68	₹55.44	₹61.65	₹10.70	269.03	100.1	₹73,350	₹93,700
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### Bihar Deputy CM is convener of GST rationalisation panel

NEW DELHI, JUNE 21 Bihar Deputy Chief Minister Samrat Chaudhary was on Friday appointed the convener of the GST rate rationalisation group of ministers.

An official memorandum said other members of the reconstituted panel would include Uttar Pradesh Finance Minister Suresh Khanna, Goa Transport Minister Mauvin Godinho and Rajasthan Medical and Health Service Minister Gajendra Singh. The GoM also has West Bengal Finance Minister Chandrima Bhattacharya, Karnataka Revenue Minister Krishna Byre Gowda and Kerala Finance Minister KN Balagopal as the members.

The seven-member GoM has been asked to suggest the required rate rationalisation and correction of inverted duty structure with an objective of simplifying the rate structure. — TNS

## No evidence found, Sebi disposes of probe against Unitech ex-promoters

NEW DELHI, JUNE 21

Market regulator Sebi on Friday disposed of its investigation against Unitech's erstwhile promoters Sanjay Chandra and Ajay Chandra in a case pertaining to the alleged routing of funds to the Indian securities market using overseas bank accounts as it found no evidence.

Sebi had conducted a suo motu investigation to ascertain whether there was any routing of funds to Indian securities market by the two Chandra brothers through the bank accounts with UBS AG, in violation of the provisions of PFUTP (Prohibition of Fraudulent and Unfair Trade Practices) rules.

The period of investigation was from April 2006 to March 2008. In the investigation report, the regulator alleged

**SUO MOTU INVESTIGATION**  
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United Corporate Parks was connected to the noticees/Unitech. It also alleged that Ajay Chandra was a non-executive director in UCP, while Unitech had a 4.52 per cent stake in UCP through its subsidiary Necurus Ltd — a foreign subsidiary of Unitech whose account was held with UBS Singapore Branch. Thereafter, Sebi issued a show cause notice on May 3, 2023,

against the noticees (Sanjay Chandra and Ajay Chandra). During the probe, it was observed that the account of Unitech Overseas, a foreign subsidiary of Unitech, was maintained with UBS bank in Zurich. In its 25-page order on Friday, Sebi said, "...the whole allegation in the matter is that noticees (Sanjay Chandra and Ajay Chandra) transferred the funds from Unitech to its overseas

subsidiary viz Unitech Overseas Ltd, and then these funds were transferred among the other foreign subsidiaries of Unitech, including the connected/related entity viz UCP/its subsidiaries using UBS accounts in different countries".

Sebi Chief General Manager G Ramar said in the order that these funds were ultimately routed from UBS accounts to Pluri, which were then finally used to buy the shares of Unitech, directly or indirectly, through funds/FIIs like Sophia Growth Fund and Deutsch Bank Mauritius Ltd (DBML). Pluri (Pluri Emerging Companies PCC) was incorporated in Mauritius as a private limited company by shares, and is a protected cell company. — PTI

### Markets halt record-breaking six-day rally

MUMBAI, JUNE 21 Halting their record-breaking rally, equity benchmark indices Sensex and Nifty buckled under selling pressure on Friday as investors pared exposure to oil and gas, capital goods and FMCG stocks amid a bearish trend in global markets.

Snapping its six-day rally, the 30-share BSE Sensex declined 269.03 points or 0.35 per cent to settle at 77,209.90. During the day, it tanked 676.93 points or 0.87 per cent to 76,802. The Nifty rose 100.1 points to hit a record intraday peak of 23,667.10 earlier in the day. However, it failed to maintain the momentum and slipped 65.90 points or 0.28 per cent to end at 23,501.10.

On the weekly front, the BSE benchmark climbed 217.13 points or 0.28 per cent, while the Nifty went up by 35.5 points or 0.15 per cent. — PTI

## Farm bodies seek higher agri R&D spending in pre-Budget meet

NEW DELHI, JUNE 21

In a pre-Budget consultation with Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman, farm organisations and experts on Friday pitched for higher investment in agricultural research, rationalisation of fertiliser subsidies and infrastructure development to boost the sector's resilience against climate change.

The two-and-a-half-hour meeting saw stakeholders advocating for a significant hike in the Budget allocation for the Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR) from Rs 9,500 crore to Rs 20,000



Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman and others at a pre-Budget meet in New Delhi on Friday. PTI

crore. Indian Chamber of Food and Agriculture (ICFA) chairman MJ Khan empha-

sised the need for "massive investment in agriculture R&D" to drive sector growth

and increase farmers' income. Experts also called for consolidating all agriculture-

related subsidies for transfer through Direct Benefit Transfer (DBT) and increasing the retail price of urea, which has remained unchanged since 2018. The promotion of bio-fertilisers and foliar fertilisers through subsidies was another key demand.

Bharat Krishak Samaj Chairman Ajay Vir Jarkhar suggested segregating agriculture funds between education and research. He pointed out that despite the economic returns on agricultural research being ten times higher than other investments, Budget

increases in the past two decades have lagged behind inflation rates.

Industry body PHD Chamber of Commerce and Industry (PHDCCI) in its interaction with the Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman presented recommendations aimed at fostering growth and sustainability within the MSME ecosystem in the upcoming Union Budget. Since the northern region is a major hub for MSMEs, the move is likely to go a long way in boosting the growth of the sector. — TNS/PTI



Unbeaten India out to tame Bangla Tigers and put one foot in semifinals



Jasprit Bumrah has given away just 52 runs in four games, picking up eight wickets at an economy rate of 3.46. AP/PTI

“He’s looking even better and when you look at all the top-class bowlers around the world. There’s a big margin between them and Bumrah and India is so fortunate to have him in the playing XI. Sanjay Manjrekar, FORMER INDIA BATTER

The kind of understanding of his own bowling... even when he got Rahmanullah Gurbaz out with a slower ball and wide line. He gets the execution perfect. For each batsman he would have figured that out and then doing it right in a big game. This doesn’t come easily. Anil Kumble, FORMER INDIA CAPTAIN

# Ring masters

**NORTH SOUND, JUNE 21**  
The ever-present tension of their over a decade-long big-stage rivalry would make for an engrossing sub-plot when an undefeated India take on a faltering Bangladesh, both teams desperately hoping for their batting stars to strike form in the Super Eights clash of the T20 World Cup here tomorrow.

The overall head-to-head record is overwhelmingly in India’s favour but Bangladesh have been known to be plucky and Rohit Sharma and his men would be wary of that.

The two South Asian neighbours have also been locked in some off-field drama in the past with Bangladesh often expressing its misgivings with India’s financial might in the sport.

At the ongoing World Cup, though, there is no doubt that India are as mighty a cricketing power to be a serious title contender. The Men in Blue produced a professional performance against Afghanistan in their opening Super Eights match.

India, though, would be hoping that the players who have not performed as per expectations so far deliver the goods.

Top of that list would be the opening pair of Virat Kohli and Rohit Sharma, both of whom have got starts but have not been able to turn them into defining knocks. They have made a conscious effort to force the pace but have ended with minimal returns.

Another under-pressure team member is left-hander Shivam Dube, who was picked in the squad to hammer sizes in the middle and death overs. However, the IPL form that helped him seal a World Cup berth has deserted him and he is yet to



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India have lost only once against Bangladesh in T20Is (in 2019), winning 12 of the 13 games played between the neighbours. India have a 3-0 record against Bangladesh in the T20 World Cup

**454**  
Rohit Sharma has scored the most runs in the history of the India-Bangladesh T20I rivalry

come to the party.

The southpaw did make an unbeaten 31 against USA in a group league game but it was Suryakumar Yadav’s effort that made the difference ultimately. Another failure might force the team management to consider Sanju Samson in the middle-order.

The biggest positive in the batting department in the Afghanistan game was Hardik Pandya’s cameo. The all-rounder is known for his brutal hitting and that was on display.

On the bowling front, India

are expected to retain the combination having given the first opportunity of the tournament to crafty left-arm spinner Kuldeep Yadav.

The wickets in the Caribbean have provided enough help for the spinners, prompting India to play three at the Kensington Oval.

The combination is likely to continue here with Kuldeep retaining his place at the expense of Mohammed Siraj.

“Playing three left-arm spinners, I feel there is an advantage. ...we have two finger spinners and one wrist spinner,” said Axar Patel after the Afghanistan game. “The combination of the three of us is very good. We communicate well. Like whoever comes to bowl first, we communicate what is working and what is not. I think that is very important when you bowl as a unit,” he added.

India’s sole aim in the Caribbean is to win the trophy and a solid performance against Bangladesh will be another step forward in that context. A tougher battle awaits against Australia on June 24. — PTI

Cummins takes hat-trick as Australia down Bangladesh

# Hat-trick Patrick



Pat Cummins picked up his first hat-trick for Australia. AP/PTI

**NORTH SOUND, JUNE 21**  
Fast bowler Pat Cummins took a hat-trick and David Warner smashed an unbeaten half-century as undefeated Australia kicked off their Super Eight campaign at the T20 World Cup with a rain-hit 28-run win over Bangladesh.

Recalled with fellow quick Josh Hazlewood after being rested against Scotland, Cummins’s three-wicket burst helped restrict the South Asians to 140/8 before rain cut short Australia’s chase. Victory was secured by the Duckworth-Lewis method.

Australia were 100/2 after 11.2 overs before the match was abandoned, with Warner unbeaten on 53 and Glenn Maxwell 14 not out at the Sir Vivian Richards Stadium.

Australia’s win put them top of Group 1, ahead of India thanks to a slightly superior net run-rate. Bangladesh are fourth in the group behind Afghanistan, who lost their first Super Eight match to India. The top two sides at the end of the phase qualify for the semifinals.

Test and ODI skipper Cummins bowled Mahmudullah for two, had Mahedi Hasan caught for a duck by Adam Zampa at deep third man and then dismissed Towhid Hridoy for 40 when the batter scooped to Hazlewood.

Cummins’s third victim came in the over after his first two wickets, and his hat-trick celebration was conspicuously understated.

“I had no idea ... I totally forgot about it,” Cummins said. “Ashton Agar and Nathan (Ellis) were both on the bench today. They’ve got a hat-trick so I joined their club. It’s a good club to be a part of.”

He finished with 3/29 from his four overs while spinner Zampa took 2/24 to put the brakes on Bangladesh in the middle overs.

Australia captain Mitchell Marsh had declared himself fit to bowl on the eve of the match after recovering from a hamstring strain but the all-rounder left the spare overs to Maxwell and Marcus Stoinis.

His poor form with the bat continued, though, with Marsh dismissed lbw for one by Rishad Hossain, who took both the Australian wickets, bowling Travis Head for 31.

**Brief scores: Bangladesh:** 140/8 in 20 overs (Shanto 41, Hridoy 40; Cummins 3/29, Zampa 2/24); **Australia:** 100/2 in 11.2 overs (Warner 53\*, Head 31; Hossain 2/23) Australia won by 28 runs (DLS method). — Reuters

## Pak players face criticism for taking families along

**LAHORE:** Pakistan’s disastrous T20 World Cup campaign has expectedly triggered a backlash against the players, who are being criticised for taking their families along. According to a local media report, apart from the nearly 34 players, support staff and officials who were part of the national squad in the USA, the team hotel was teeming with around 26 to 28 family members of the players. These included their wives, children, parents and even siblings in some cases. The report said players like Babar Azam, Haris Rauf, Shadab Khan, Fakhar Zaman and Muhammad Amir were among those who had family members travelling with them. Babar, who is not married, had his father, mother and brothers staying in the team hotel. “The extra expenses incurred on having families is obviously paid by players but having family members around does hit the focus of the players,” a report said. “Some 60 rooms were booked where the team stayed to accommodate the other people travelling with the team. The environment was a family one with takeaway dinners and outings being the norm for some players,” another report said. PTI

## BRIEFLY

**LONDON**  
**Bopanna and Ebdon lose in Cinch Championship quarters**  
Top seeds Rohan Bopanna and Matthew Ebdon put up a gritty show but lost in straight sets to the Russian-American pair of Karen Khachanov and Taylor Fritz in the quarterfinals of the Cinch Championships. The big serving Khachanov and Fritz, seeded eighth in the tournament, won 7-6(1) 7-6(3).

**ROME**  
**Former Italy international Baggio robbed at gunpoint**  
Former Italy international Roberto Baggio was robbed at gunpoint at his home in northern Italy while watching his country’s match against Spain in the Euro 2024 tournament on Thursday, local police said. Burglars broke into Baggio’s house near Vicenza, hit him on the head with a gun butt and locked him and his family in a room while they stole jewellery, watches and cash.

**BERLIN**  
**Unwell Rybakina retires from quarterfinal against Azarenka**  
World No. 4 Elena Rybakina of Kazakhstan withdrew from the Berlin Ladies Open due to the illness, sending Belarusian Victoria Azarenka through to the semifinals. Third seed Rybakina, visibly struggling with what appeared to be abdominal pain and trailing 1-3 in the first set, left the court and later withdrew. On Thursday, Wimbledon champion Marketa Vondrousova retired from her match because of a leg injury. AGENCIES

**TODAY ON TV**  
**T20 WORLD CUP**  
USA VS WEST INDIES 6AM  
INDIA VS BANGLADESH 8PM  
**STAR SPORTS**  
**EUROS**  
GEORGIA VS CZECH 6:30PM  
TURKEY VS PORTUGAL 9:30PM  
BELGIUM VS ROMANIA 12:30AM (SUN)  
**SONY SPORTS**



Italy’s Riccardo Calafiori after scoring an own goal during their game against Spain. REUTERS

# Spain put on a show in win against holders Italy

**GELSENKIRCHEN, JUNE 21**  
Europe beware — Spain might just be back. The three-time European champions advanced to the Round of 16 at Euro 2024 after a 1-0 win against holders Italy on Thursday.

A 55th-minute own goal by Riccardo Calafiori settled the Group B game. But that didn’t begin to tell the full story of a statement performance from Spain, which surely marks them as one of the favourites to win a record-extending fourth European Championship. “I think it was the best Spain performance I have taken charge of,” coach Luis de la Fuente said. “I don’t see a ceiling on this team. The sky is the limit.”

Spain totally dominated defending champions Italy, with 16-year-old winger Lamine Yamal further enhancing his reputation as one of football’s most exciting young stars.

Player of the Match Nico Williams also tormented Italy’s defenders and was the



Roman Yaremchuk scores Ukraine’s second goal. AP/PTI

width of the crossbar away from scoring in the second half. It took Italy goalkeeper Gianluigi Donnarumma to keep the score down with a string of fine saves until inadvertently pushing the ball into the legs of Calafiori, who couldn’t prevent it from ricocheting into his own goal.

“They deserved to win and we were never in the game,” Italy coach Luciano Spalletti said. “There was too much of a gulf. We were constantly stretched, we were never able to squeeze the gaps between the vari-

ous units. They caused us more problems than the scoreline suggests, let’s not beat around the bush.”

**Ukraine alive and kicking**  
**Duesseldorf:** Ukraine roused themselves in the nick of time to salvage their hopes as substitute Roman Yaremchuk’s late strike saw them hit back after falling a goal behind to beat Slovakia 2-1 in a lively Group E clash. “Today this was a very important win for Ukraine, for our country,” Ukraine coach Serhiy Rebrov said. — Agencies

# Mirabai determined to remain injury-free

**NEW DELHI, JUNE 21**  
Olympics silver medallist weightlifter Mirabai Chanu feels her success at the Paris Games will hinge on her ability to remain injury-free, especially as she strives to breach the elusive 90kg mark in the snatch event of the quadrennial extravaganza.

The focus until her competition on August 7 will be on “managing all the muscles” and “improving technique to lift at least 90kg in snatch”, said the Manipuri athlete who competes in the 49kg weight class. “For me, injury management and staying stress free will be important. I have to do the things that helped me recover,” Mirabai

**Trap shooter Shreyasi in squad for Paris**  
Experienced trap shooter Shreyasi Singh was today included in the final 21-member Indian shooting squad for the Paris Olympics following a quota swap, which needed the approval of the ISSF. The NRAI made the announcement after getting the go-ahead from the world body. PTI

said. “Injuries and pain are companions for us. You never know when they will strike. We have to conquer them and Paris Olympics will tell me how well I have managed these aspects of the sport.” — PTI

# Gangjee takes 5-shot lead with a round to go

**GOLF ROUNDUP**  
**SELANGOR (MALAYSIA), JUNE 21**  
India’s Rahil Gangjee shot a 3-under 67 to take a five-shot lead after the third and penultimate round of the Selangor Masters. Gangjee has two wins on the Asian Tour. The 45-year-old, who shifted his base from Kolkata to Bengaluru some years back, is making a comeback from an injury and showing better form with each round.

Gangjee overcame two early bogeys and went on a run of five birdies in eight holes to take a firm grip on the tournament. Among the other Indians, only Sap-tak Talwar made the cut and is now at tied-40.

**Randhawa tied-13th**  
**Louth (Ireland):** India’s Jyoti Randhawa fired four birdies against three bogeys to make a smart start at the Irish Legends on the Legends Tour in Europe. Randhawa is playing his first full season on the Tour for 50 years and over, and was placed at tied-13 after the first round. Jeev Milkha Singh shot a 74 and was tied-37.

**Vani off to solid start**  
**Beroun (Czech Republic):** Vani Kapoor produced a fine 4-under 68 on the opening day of the Czech Ladies Open. The round was still in progress with Vani tied-seventh following six birdies and two bogeys. — PTI

# Messi’s Argentina off to bright start

**COPA AMERICA**  
**ATLANTA, JUNE 21**  
Lionel Messi’s latest quest for international glory in the twilight of his career is off to a smooth start with Argentina’s 2-0 win over Canada at the Copa America.

Despite winning accolades galore at club level from an early age, it took Messi until 34 to triumph with Argentina at a major international tournament, lifting first the 2021 Copa America and then the 2022 World Cup.

Now, with fans wondering if this is his last dance on the big stage, Messi’s Argentina are red hot favourites to win back-to-back Copa America titles. The stage appears set for Messi, who turns 37 next week. Perennial rivals Brazil are on a poor run of form while Argentina are brimming with talent all around, headlined by their captain, and the July 14 Copa final



Lionel Messi missed a couple of clear chances but he had a hand in both goals. USA TODAY SPORTS/REUTERS

takes place in Florida where Messi is ending his career with Major League Soccer club Inter Miami.

Thursday night’s victory over Canada on a below-par temporary grass pitch was not a vintage performance:

the Argentine captain and talisman missed a couple of clear chances though he also had a hand in both goals.

“The important thing is that we started with a win,” said Messi, whose team had started the last World Cup

with a defeat by Saudi Arabia that was one of the all-time shocks. “We struggled a bit in the first half and the pitch didn’t help either,” he added after his record 35th Copa America finals appearance. — Reuters



Put new criminal laws on hold: Mamata to Modi

NEW DELHI, JUNE 21 West Bengal Chief Minister Mamata Banerjee on Friday urged Prime Minister Narendra Modi to defer the implementation of the three criminal laws that are slated to be rolled out on July 1.

In a letter addressed to Modi, the Trinamool Congress chief expressed "grave concern" over the implementation of the

Says Bills cleared hurriedly, need review

three laws — the Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita (BNA) 2023, Bharatiya Sakshya Act (BSA) 2023 and the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita (BNSS) 2023.

"The outgoing government of yours had passed these three critical Bills unilaterally, and with no debate. That day, almost 100 members of the Lok Sabha had been suspended and a total of 146 MPs of both Houses were thrown out of Parliament," she wrote, stressing "the matter deserves review now". — TNS

Bilateral ties set to get boost as Hasina arrives on 2-day visit

Bangladesh PM to meet Modi today | Hosts of agreements on agenda

TRIBUNE NEWS SERVICE

NEW DELHI, JUNE 21 Bangladesh Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina arrived here on Friday for a two-day state visit with the MEA said "will give a major boost to the celebrated bilateral partnership".

Hasina was received at the airport by the newly-appointed Minister of State in External Affairs ministry Kirti Vardhan Singh and her first engagement of the day was with External Affairs Minister S Jaishankar.

It is the first incoming bilateral state visit by a foreign leader after the formation of the new government in India following the Lok Sabha elections. Hasina will hold talks with PM Narendra Modi on Saturday. Both sides have been finalising agreements and MoUs, some of which will be signed on the occasion.

Hasina had visited India



'NEIGHBOURHOOD FIRST'

Bangladesh is an important partner under India's 'Neighbourhood First' policy. Cooperation with Dhaka extends to areas of security, trade, commerce, energy, connectivity, science and technology, defence and maritime affairs

The achievements in the connectivity sector include the inauguration of Maitri Setu over the Feni river in Tripura and the rollout of the Chilahati-Haldibari rail link

Bangladesh PM Sheikh Hasina with External Affairs Minister S Jaishankar in New Delhi. PTI

earlier this month to attend Modi's swearing-in ceremony. She will also call on President Droupadi Murmu and Vice President Jagdeep Dhankhar.

"Bangladesh is a key partner and trusted neighbour of India and Prime Minister Hasina's visit will give a major boost to the "celebrated

bilateral partnership", External Affairs Ministry spokesperson Randhir Jaiswal said shortly after she arrived in Delhi.

The talks between the two prime ministers are expected to focus on taking the bilateral ties to new heights, said a source. The overall

strategic ties between India and Bangladesh have been on an upswing in the last few years. Bangladesh is India's largest development partner with nearly one-fourth of New Delhi's commitment under the Line of Credit has been made to that country.

(With PTI inputs)

Trump promises Green Card to graduates of US colleges

WASHINGTON, JUNE 21

Softening his stance on immigration, former US President Donald Trump has promised to give automatic green cards to foreign students who graduate from US colleges to prevent them from returning to their home countries like India and China where they become multibillionaires.

Trump's departure from the anti-immigrant rhetoric comes ahead of the November presidential election in which immigration and deportation of illegal immigrants are among the key issues for voters. Trump, however, always supported a merit-based legal immigration system.

"What I want to do and what I will do is—you graduate from a college, I think you should get a Green Card automatically as part of your diploma, a Green Card to be able to stay in this country. And that includes junior colleges too," Trump, 78, said in the "All-In" podcast. A Green Card, known officially as a permanent resident card, is an identity document showing a person has permanent residency in the United States.



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Trump's remarks came as he was pressed to "promise us you will give us more ability to import the best and brightest around the world to America."

Trump, the presumptive candidate from the Republican Party, also lamented "stories where people graduated from a top college or from a college, and they desperately wanted to stay here, they had a plan for a company, a concept, and they can't—they go back to India, they go back to China, they do the same basic compa-

ny in those places... and they become multi-billionaires employing thousands and thousands of people, and it could have been done here."

According to the latest annual Open Doors report of the Institute of International Education, China remained the top-sending country in 2022/23, with 289,526 students studying in the US. India, the second largest sending country, reached an all-time high of 268,923 students in 2022/23, an increase of 35 per cent as against the previous year. — PTI

'Cracks' in Atal Setu; Cong, BJP trade barbs

MUMBAI, JUNE 21

Maharashtra Congress president Nana Patole on Friday alleged corruption in the construction of the Atal Setu sea bridge connecting south Mumbai to Navi Mumbai, saying that cracks have appeared on it within months of inauguration.

Patole, who inspected the bridge, claimed that the construction quality of the bridge was poor and that a portion of the road has caved in by one foot. However, Deputy CM Devendra Fadnis slammed the Congress and said it was spreading lies on the issue. His party and the Mumbai Metro-



Congress' Nana Patole looks at a crack on Atal Setu on Friday. PTI

politan Region Development Authority said the cracks were not on the bridge but on the approach road. — PTI

98 Indians died during Haj: Govt

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NEW DELHI, JUNE 21

As many as 98 Indians have died during the annual pilgrimage of Haj to Mecca, the Ministry of External Affairs said on Friday. MEA spokesperson Randhir Jaiswal said the deaths had been due to natural causes, chronic illnesses and old age.

"The Haj period is from May 9 to July 22... Six persons died on the day of Arafat and four were accident-related deaths. Last year, the total deaths in the Haj period were 187," he said. The Union Health Ministry said 1,75,025 pilgrims undertook the Haj pilgrimage this year from India and 356 doctors and paramedics had been deployed for medical care.

Union Health Secretary Apurva Chandra released a document titled "Medical Care Arrangements for Haj Pilgrimage". He said, "Of all pilgrims from India, nearly 40,000 were elderly above

Most passed away due to natural causes



Pilgrims circle the Kaaba at the Grand Mosque in Mecca. PTI

the age of 60. In view of the harsh weather conditions this year, the health challenges necessitated round-the-clock services for the pilgrims. Nearly 2 lakh OPDs were thus conducted along with visits by medical teams to the pilgrims."

Chandra said, "The ministry is continuously monitoring the situation which will help us improve our services significantly."

He said with the help of the National Informatics Centre, a live portal had been developed that provided real-time data and analysis on the pilgrims seeking medical care and services being provided.

Against expansionist imperial policy: Rajnath

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NEW DELHI, JUNE 21

Defence Minister Rajnath Singh, in a veiled reference to China, today said India is known as a country which never attacks another nation and is against the expansionist imperial policies.

He said India is fully capable of giving a strong response if its sovereignty is threatened in any way. The Minister was at a function to celebrate the International Day of Yoga at the headquarters of the 1 Strike Corps, Mathura.

Elements of the 1 Strike Corps, for the past three years or so, are located along the Line of Actual Control (LAC) with China. India and China are locked in a military stand-off along the LAC in Eastern Ladakh since April 2020. The minister was addressing the officers and troops who did



Defence Minister Rajnath Singh at a yoga event in Mathura. PTI

yoga with him at Mathura.

Rajnath commended the soldiers of 1 Strike Corps for displaying valour and dedication, whenever the country needed them. The minister compared the fitness derived from yoga saying, every Indian soldier is, in a way, a yogi. The world has seen the physical and mental fitness of our soldiers.

India fends off Chinese criticism of Dalai Lama

NEW DELHI, JUNE 21

In the wake of Chinese criticism of the Dalai Lama following a visit to Dharamshala by a US Congressional delegation to meet him, India on Friday said the Tibetan spiritual leaders had a revered status and was widely respected in India.

"I would like to reiterate India's position on His Holiness Dalai Lama. He is a revered religious leader and is deeply respected by the people of India. His Holiness is accorded due courtesies and freedom to conduct his religious and spiritual activities," said MEA spokesperson Randhir Jaiswal at a media briefing on Friday when asked about India's stance on the succession of the Dalai Lama.

On the visit of the Congressional delegation, Jaiswal said "The visit underscored ongoing bilateral exchanges and strategic dialogues between India and the US." — TNS

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