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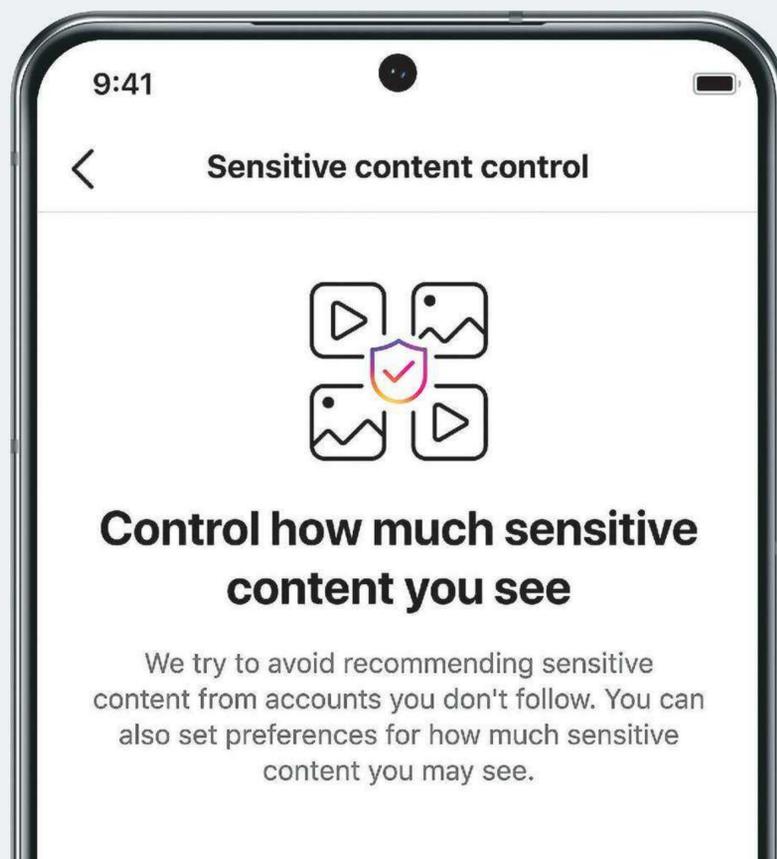
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Kejriwal moves SC for bail, cites Sisodia order

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NEW DELHI: Delhi chief minister Arvind Kejriwal approached the Supreme Court on Monday, seeking release from jail in connection with the Delhi excise policy case, in which he is under investigation by the Central Bureau of Investigation (CBI) — two days after the top court granted bail to former Delhi deputy chief minister Manish Sisodia in the related probed by CBI and the Enforcement Directorate (ED).

In his plea, the Aam Aadmi Party (AAP) chief challenged his arrest and subsequent remand orders, while also pressing for bail. Kejriwal assailed the Delhi high court's August 5 judgment, which ruled that his arrest was neither illegal nor without justifiable grounds because CBI presented "evidently enough evidence" to warrant his detention and remand.

He relied heavily on the Sisodia verdict, in which the court held that the former deputy CM's long incarceration of 17 months and his continued detention in a case where there was no hope of trial ending anytime soon impinged on his fundamental right to liberty and speedy trial under Article 21 of the Constitution. The AAP chief's petition argued that the grounds on which the court found it appropriate to release Sisodia on bail should equally

What Kejriwal said in his petition

Banks on Sisodia order: The grounds on which the court released Sisodia on bail should equally apply to his case

Arrest and remand orders illegal: Orders issued by a Delhi court on June 26 and June 29 respectively were passed in grave contravention of previous Supreme Court judgments

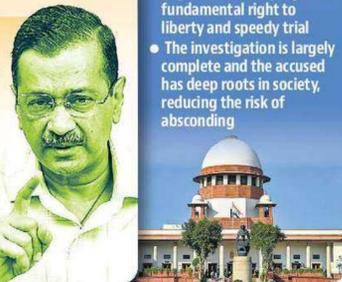
Mere non-cooperation no ground to arrest: CBI did not point towards any new evidence or material in the arrest memo or the remand note to justify arrest.

Bid to scuttle release in ED case: CBI arrest was an attempt to prevent release from custody in the ED's money laundering case

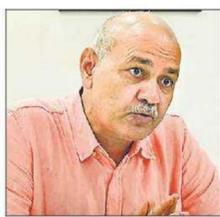
Malafide considerations: Arrest 1 year and 10 months after the registration of the FIR smacks of 'glaring malafide'

WHAT SC SAID IN SISODIA BAIL ORDER

- The 17-month-long incarceration in a case with no hope of trial ending anytime soon, impinges on fundamental right to liberty and speedy trial
- The investigation is largely complete and the accused has deep roots in society, reducing the risk of absconding



'AAP remains united in face of crisis... the fight will continue'



Manish Sisodia

NEW DELHI: The Aam Aadmi Party (AAP) is united in the face of a crisis, which has re-energised its workers with a fresh sense of resolve, former Delhi deputy chief minister Manish Sisodia told HT's Alok KN Mishra, days after being released from Tihar jail.

"The period of crisis has a unique characteristic. It either breaks you or leaves you with a renewed resolve. I see a renewed resolve in all AAP workers and

leaders — the resolve to fight; not to bend, not to get broken," he said.

"The resolve is born out of the understanding that the AAP government is working hard for the people and they (BJP) are putting our leaders in jail to stop the work. Despite the crisis, the AAP stands united, even though many parties broke. The party workers now feel that we have survived," Sisodia added.

EIGHT KILLED, 35 INJURED IN STAMPEDE AT BIHAR TEMPLE

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PATNA: Eight people were killed and 35 injured in a stampede at a temple in Jehanabad district of Bihar early on Monday morning, officials said, with the incident raising questions over lax security at the complex and prompting the opposition to launch an attack against the state government.

The deceased, six of them women, had gathered at the Baba Siddheshwaramath Temple, along with hundreds of devotees, to mark the fourth Monday of the Hindu holy month of Sawan. The stampede occurred around lam, officials said.

While district officials said they are yet to ascertain a cause for the stampede, witnesses alleged that a scuffle broke out between a flower seller and devotees. According to another witness, the use of force by NCC volunteers to control the crowds led to the stampede.

Senior officials from the district administration and police are stationed at the temple due to the high volume of pilgrims.

READ: Hathras tragedy shows failure to learn from the past

Inflation dips to 3.54%, lowest since Aug 2019

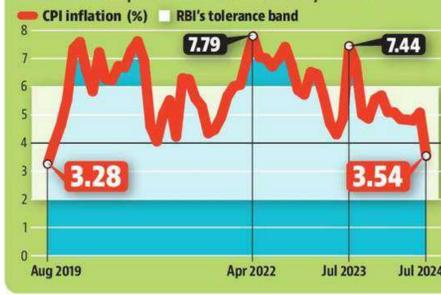
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NEW DELHI: India's benchmark inflation rate fell to a five year low of 3.5% in July, well below the Reserve Bank of India's inflation target of 4%, the first time it has been in that vicinity since August 2019, when it was 3.28%.

To be sure, the sharp fall in inflation from 5.1% in June to 3.5% in July is more a result of a favourable base effect (a higher value in the corresponding year-ago period that magnifies a fall in the current period) than a radical improvement in the inflationary environment. On a sequential basis, inflation

Favourable base effect

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Sluggest on Sebi chief: Cong wants JPC, BJP calls it plot to derail mkts

NEW DELHI: The political row over Hindenburg Research's allegations against Securities and Exchange Board of India (Sebi) chairman Madhabi Puri Buch continued on Monday, with the Congress demanding her resignation to "restore SEBI's integrity" and reiterating its demand for a probe by a joint parliamentary committee (JPC), and the Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP)

dubbing the US short-seller's charges as the latest example of "foreign interference" aimed at creating "disturbance and destabilisation" in the country.

Congress Rajya Sabha member Jairam Ramesh urged the Supreme Court to transfer the Adani probe to the Central Bureau of Investigation (CBI) or a special investigation team (SIT) given the "likelihood of Sebi's

compromise". "At a minimum, the Sebi chairperson must resign to restore Sebi's integrity," he said.

Senior BJP leader Ravi Shankar Prasad hit back and said, "After being rebuffed by people, the Congress, its allies and its closest ally in the toolkit gang have conspired together to usher in economic anarchy and instability in India."

BHARTI SET TO ACQUIRE 24.5% IN BRITISH TELECOM IN \$4 BILLION DEAL

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NEW DELHI: Bharti Enterprises, led by billionaire Sunil Bharti Mittal, will buy a 24.5% stake in BT Group, the UK's largest mobile and broadband services provider, the companies said in a statement on Monday.

Bharti Televentures UK Ltd, a wholly owned subsidiary of Bharti Enterprises' international investment arm Bharti Global, will buy the equity from telecom services provider Altice UK, which has a 24.5% stake in BT. Bharti Televentures will buy 9.99% of BT from Altice immediately, and the remaining 14.51% after receiving regulatory clearances.

The companies did not reveal the exact value of the deal. The funds were not connected to Bharti Airtel or any of its subsidiaries, Bharti Enterprises clarified. Altice's 24.5% stake in BT was worth about ₹3.2 billion based on the last closing price on the London Stock Exchange, according to the Financial Times. Altice is owned by Israeli-French telecom billionaire Patrick Drahi.

Hindu tops rankings, six DU colleges among top 10

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NEW DELHI: Hindu College of Delhi University has displaced Miranda House as the best college in India, according to the National Institutional Ranking Framework (NIRF) rankings released on Monday, ending the latter's seven-year reign at the top.

Six of the top 10 colleges in the country were from Delhi University, said the list.

The Indian Institute of Technology Madras (IIT-M), meanwhile, retained its position as the top educational institution in India for the sixth consecutive year.

Union education minister Dharmendra Pradhan unveiled the ninth edition of the NIRF rankings in the national capital, highlighting the continued dominance of IIT-M in the overall category.

"Rankings, ratings and accreditation is a vital recommendation of NEP 2020," Pradhan said, congratulating institutions that demonstrated "excellence in teaching,

Hindu, Miranda House top colleges

The ministry of education announced the National Institutional Ranking Framework (NIRF) rankings for 2024 on Monday

| TOP COLLEGES |
|---------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1 Hindu College, Delhi |
| 2 Miranda House, Delhi |
| 3 St Stephen's, Delhi |
| 4 Rama Krishna Mission Vivekananda Centenary College, Kolkata |
| 5 ARSD College, Delhi |
| 6 St Xavier's College, Kolkata |
| 7 PSGR Krishnammal College for Women, Coimbatore |
| 8 Loyola College, Chennai |
| 9 Kirori Mal College, Delhi |
| 10 LSR College for Women, Delhi |

innovation, research, graduation outcomes and other parameters."

The Indian Institute of Science (IISc), Bengaluru, and IIT Bombay secured the second and third positions respectively in the overall category. IIT Delhi, previously ranked third, dropped to fourth place.

This year's NIRF introduced three new categories: State Public Universities, Skill Universities, and Open Universities. Anna University, Chennai, topped the State Public Universities category, while Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU) led the Open Universities ranking.

Will call CBI if police can't nail Kolkata hospital killer by Sunday, says Mamata

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KOLKATA: West Bengal chief minister Mamata Banerjee on Monday fixed a six-day deadline for the city police to solve the rape and murder of a junior doctor at one of Kolkata's best-known hospitals amid mounting outrage over the grisly crime that has prompted country-wide strikes.

Banerjee said that her government will ask the Central

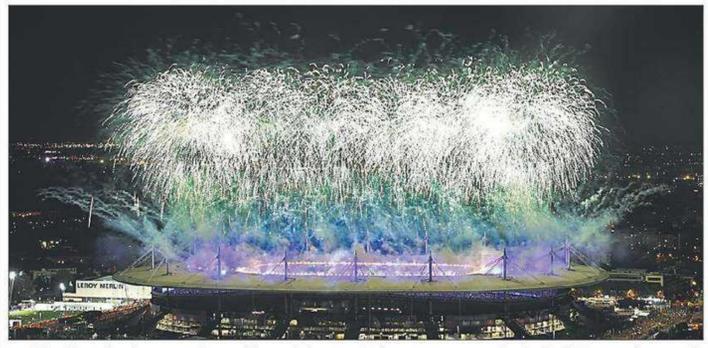
Bureau of Investigation (CBI) to take over the probe into the August 9 crime at RG Kar Medical College and Hospital if the police cannot crack the case by Sunday, responding to the main demand of the opposition parties and student protesters.

"I want the police to arrest the culprits. There are some insiders. If the police can't solve the case by Sunday then we will give it to CBI. We have nothing to be bothered about it. How-



AIIMS-Delhi doctors protesting against the rape and murder. HT

Curtains in Paris... Now, over to LA



The Olympics drew to a close with an elaborate closing ceremony at the Stade de France, just north of Paris. The city handed over hosting duties for the next Games to Los Angeles. Page 2 REUTERS

FRESH DRAFT OF BROADCASTING BILL LIKELY, TALKS WILL GO ON: GOVT

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NEW DELHI: The ministry of information and broadcasting (MIB) said on Monday it will publish a fresh draft of the Broadcasting Services (Regulation) Bill, 2024 after detailed consultations, hours after it asked stakeholders to return watermarked physical copies of an updated version that was circulated between July 24 and 25.

The move came against the backdrop of what officials and experts said were certain misgivings relating to the provisions.

BREATHALYSERS, BP MONITORS TO BE STANDARDISED

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NEW DELHI: To bring more goods under set specifications, the ministry of consumer affairs has now picked about eight widely used items for which standards and rules meant for calibration, testing and verification are being formulated, said Nidhi Khare, Union secretary of consumer affairs. The process should be completed by the end of the year, she added.

The items include weighing scales, breathalysers used by police, blood-pressure monitoring devices, household energy meters, water meters and home-installed cooking gas meters.

Delhi hits rainfall quota earliest in at least 10 yrs

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NEW DELHI: In what has clearly been a rain-heavy monsoon, Delhi has already received more rainfall so far than it normally does throughout the monsoon, despite one-and-a-half months of the season still yet to come, official data shows. This means that any rainfall recorded between now and the end of September will only help take the city further into the "excess" category.

In fact, this is the fastest year that Delhi has crossed the long-period average (LPA) of

640.4mm — what is considered the "normal" mark for monsoon rain — since at least 2014, the latest this data is maintained by the India Meteorological Department (IMD).

With 13mm of rainfall logged in the city between 8.30am and 5.30pm on Monday, Safdarjung — representative of Delhi's weather — crossed the LPA threshold, with total rainfall since June 1st 648.3mm.

The last time Delhi managed to cross its average annual monsoon mark in August was 2021, when it did so on August 21, data showed.

{ IN A PICKLE } BATTLE BETWEEN SELLERS

Smell test: Is garlic vegetable or spice? Madhya Pradesh high court finally breaks deadlock

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BHOPAL: Is it a spice? Is it a vegetable?

Garlic, the inconspicuous but ubiquitous kitchen staple made its way to the high table of the Indore bench of Madhya Pradesh high court, which was required to rule on the nature of the plant and settle a heated debate wrought by conflicting state government orders.

Accepting requests by a bunch of farmers, the Madhya

THE HIGH COURT ALSO RULED THAT GARLIC CAN BE SOLD IN BOTH VEGETABLE AND SPICE MARKETS

Pradesh market board in 2015 passed a resolution and elevated the bulb to the vegetable rack.

However, soon after, the agriculture department scrapped that order and relegated it to

spice status, pointing to the Agricultural Produce Market Committee Act of 1972.

The decision would determine which state government markets garlic could be sold at and affect thousands of commission agents across Madhya Pradesh.

A division bench of justices SA Dharmadhikari and D Venkataraman has now upheld the 2017 order, ruling that garlic is perishable and, hence, a vegetable.

However, the court ruled that

the plant could be sold in both vegetable and spice markets, freeing the shackles of its trade and benefiting farmers and sellers alike.

The case has plodded through the high court for years now.

The Potato Onion Garlic Commission Agent Association first moved the Indore bench against the principal secretary's order in 2016. The single-judge eventually ruled in favour of them in February 2017.

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SUPREME COURT CALLS FOR PARTIAL REOPENING OF SHAMBHU BORDER

NEW DELHI: The Supreme Court on Monday asked Haryana and Punjab to partially reopen the Shambhu border, which has been blocked due to farmers' protests, even as it refused to stay a judicial inquiry into the death of a farmer during a clash between protesting farmers and Haryana security personnel in February.

The bench encouraged both states to resolve the issue independently and implement any agreed-upon resolution immediately, without waiting for further orders.

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PARIS

After 19 days of competition and 329 medal events, the 2024 Paris Olympics came to an end with a glitzy closing ceremony at the Stade de France on Sunday. IOC president Thomas Bach hailed the Games as one of the most successful ever.



India's flagbearers PR Sreejesh and Manu Bhaker during the closing ceremony in Paris on Sunday. ANI



Hollywood star Tom Cruise rides a motorbike carrying the Olympic flag. REUTERS



As part of the Games handoff from Paris 2024 to LA 2028, American gymnast Simone Biles holds the Olympic flag. REUTERS

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India returned with six medals from the 2024 Paris Olympics. AP

The comfortable
Indian athlete has
to take ownership

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Just before his sixth and final attempt, Neeraj Chopra stood at the start of his run-up. His face was a picture of concentration as he stretched his shoulder and then his hamstring. He was desperate — he needed to go further than he had ever gone or he would need to wait another four years for a chance at Olympic glory.

At various points in the competition, his emotions seemed to boil over. It was a Neeraj who had spent the last few years making himself uncomfortable so that he could find gold again. Regardless of what India expected from him, it was the standard he had set for himself.

And as the Paris Games came to an end, it is pertinent to ask how many other Indian athletes are prepared to push themselves quite as hard? How many want the pain? How many are uncomfortable with how things ended?

Neeraj, for one, was already planning for the future. Focusing not on the silver medal, a major accomplishment no doubt, but on what he needed to do to get even better. This is a time for introspection; a time to ask the tough questions; a time to take stock. And this is where the words of Manolo Marquez, who just took over as the coach of the Indian football team, strike a chord.

"My feeling is that Indian players are very comfortable in ISL," the Spaniard said on Sunday. "You will grow when you play abroad. I am not speaking about the top level, like the Premier League or La Liga. But if you go abroad and play against opponents who are better than you, you will improve. But I understand that life is very good for them in ISL and it is difficult that they try to go abroad."

What is true of Indian football is perhaps true of many other sports as well. For many athletes, staying in India is comfortable. The food, the atmosphere, the weather — everything is what they are used to.

So then, shorter training stints are the order of the day. It could be for race walking to Australia, or for wrestling to Japan or javelin to Germany. Many athletes think that they can go there, train with them for a few days or weeks and learn all there is to learn.

But if things were truly that easy then Leon Marchand, who won four gold medals in the pool for France, would have not written to Bob Bowman, the most successful coach in US swimming and the man who turned Michael Phelps into an Olympic legend:

Dear sir, I am a French swimmer, my name is Léon Marchand (18 years old). I would like to join the university of Arizona State in summer 2021 for swim and compete in NCAA with your amazing team. Do you think I could benefit from a scholarship? What level of education is required? (TOEFL, SAT...) You will find attached my presentation sheet. Thank you for the time granted to my request.

Sportingly, Leon

Bobman didn't know Leon but he had heard of his parents, who were both Olympics swimmers. So, he wrote back and the rest, as they say, is history. How many Indian athletes are prepared to go out on a limb? How many will risk it all?

Soon after the Indian badminton contingent missed out on medals, Prakash Padukone said: "High time players learn to withstand pressure, become accountable and start delivering results. In the Olympics if you've seen, a lot of top players have all lost, not because they were not good technically or physically but because they couldn't handle the pressure."

He was speaking in the aftermath of Lakshya Sen losing in the bronze medal play-off at Paris. So perhaps, the emotions got the better of him on the day. But the point was valid. It may seem harsh but India's top athletes get everything they wish for, so where are the results?

India's athletes need to learn to think for themselves and go do the research rather than just take whatever the coach or the support staff is telling them. This too is part of being an athlete. This too is part of winning.

When Noah Lyles won a 200m bronze at the Tokyo Olympics, he was so disappointed that it took a barracking from his mom to get him going again. But when he did, he decided to not just train hard but also train right.

He worked with a biomechanical expert to revamp his start, added more muscle to his frame and kept going back to the lab to improve his weaknesses.

"Every time I look at it," Lyles says of the Tokyo 200m race, "I'm just like, 'Yeah, I am not that guy anymore.'"

This approach got him the 100m gold and the 200m bronze (despite running a fever due to Covid). It takes all kinds but nothing comes easy. Not even if you are Usain Bolt or US shot put legend Ryan Crouser, who won his third consecutive Olympic gold medal in Paris. Just a week after winning, the American was back in training... for that is what it takes. India's first individual Olympic gold medalist Abhinav Bindra was a bit of a mad scientist himself. He tried everything possible in his bid for Olympic glory in 2008, and later too. It was a series of constant changes until he finally found what he wanted.

Some say that the current Indian athlete is fearless and the gap between the top athletes and others is narrowing. But unless you have the edge, you won't win, and unless you go looking for it, you won't find the edge.

{ SIGN OF EXCELLENCE } HIGH STANDARDS

Marks to wow the world

Olympics is where the world's best athletes strive to win and push the boundaries of excellence. At the Paris Games, 32 world and 125 Olympic records were broken. A look at five major global marks bettered at the Olympics

32 world records

125 Olympic records

Armand Duplantis
(men's pole vault)

The Swedish maestro soared over his rivals to win back-to-back Olympic crowns, with a world mark. He cemented his status as the greatest pole vaulter in history by clearing 6m to seal the gold medal and the \$50,000 given by the world body for every Olympic athletics winner. He then cleared 6.10m to set the Olympic record. The only suspense then was whether the US-born athlete will be able to break his own world mark. The Swede brought the Stade de France roof down by bettering that mark, clearing 6.25m in his third and final attempt.

6.25m

Sydney McLaughlin-Levrone
(400m hurdles)

The American produced another world record performance to become the first woman in history to win back-to-back Olympic 400m hurdles crowns. The 25-year-old blew away reigning world champion Femke Bol of the Netherlands to take gold in 50.37secs. The winning time bettered her own world record of 50.65secs set at the US Olympic trials at Eugene in June.

50.37s

Pan Zhanle
(swimming)

Pan Zhanle delivered a new 100m freestyle world record of 46.40, the first swimming world record of the Paris Games. The Chinese swimmer finished a whole second ahead of Australia's Kyle Chalmers, who took silver with a time of 47.48, followed by Romania's David Popovici in bronze-medal position with a time of 47.49. An incredible moment followed as the competitors looked up at the clock to see Pan's time and began applauding.

46.40s

Lim Si-hyeon
(archery)

The South Korean rewrote the world record during the ranking round of the women's individual archery event. With a score of 694/700, the 21-year-old surpassed compatriot Kang Chae-young, who had achieved 692 in June 2019. She won three gold medals in her maiden Olympics — in the individual, team and mixed team events — as the South Koreans continued their domination of the sport.

694 points

USA
(mixed 4x400m relay)

It produced fireworks on the opening night of the track programme, improving the world record in the heats. Bryce Deadmon, Vernon Norwood, Shamier Little and Kaylyn Brown won the first heat in 3 min, 07.41 sec, shaving more than a second off USA's own mark set at the 2023 Worlds in Budapest.

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Time to focus on method over medal

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NEW DELHI: If young shooter Manu Bhaker's medals at the Paris Olympics made amends for her Tokyo disappointment and spread good cheer in India early on, Neeraj Chopra's silver medal at the end of the Paris Olympics was a fresh stamp on an amazing consistency at global level since his breakout win at the 2016 world U-20 championships.

In between, India won only four bronze medals, leaving every stakeholder in a nation of 1.4 billion either agonising till those few podium places were assured, or wringing their hands in some despair. Arguing that the six fourth place finishes was a sign of improvement and future hope will wash.

The post-Games analysis is invariably dominated every time by discussions on the failure to win medals. But the time has come for the main stakeholders, especially the government which invests heavily, to scrutinise the methods available in the country to ensure excellence in various sports.

A pathway and system needs to be in place. The small margins that made the difference between winning a medal and finishing out of it in Paris showed that athletes are not just the world's best but also capable of delivering under the pressure of competition, often with no second chance available.



India's federations have to get their act together. AP

Splashing the cash won't be enough until an environment to provide young aspirants with the expertise and pathway, which is required even before they come into the junior ranks at national level.

What does it take to build a system that can beat the best in the world? Rohan Taylor, head coach of Australia's national swimming squad, explained in an interview with HT.

"We have a relationship from clubs and states all the way through. You start swimming at your local club, then state championships, then state talent leagues. Then if they swim faster, Swimming Australia comes in and brings them into what we call national event camps."

stroke-specific youngsters. "We look for breaststrokes, backstrokes and then bring them in and hold purposeful stroke camps. The idea is to find talent early, get them into our system, educate them and their coaches," said Taylor.

The focus is on girls around the age of 13-14 and boys at the age of 14-15. The Aussies don't go rigid and deep too early, but Taylor said the one early trait indicator they look for is "competitive IQ".

"Their ability to get on to the blocks and swim fast and say, 'let's get on the medal dais'. Because you need to be competitively intelligent around racing," Taylor said. "You also see someone with good, natural feel of the water. And then we start influencing their technical and train-

ing development and look at their physiological markers."

This, apart from the chance of finding "that one diamond in the rough." This is the kind of rigour that helps produce world beaters every World Championships and Olympics.

Every post-Olympics discussions include the country's "lack of sporting culture", an all-compassing explanation to why things are the way they are.

India did salvage their presence in wrestling with Aman Sehrawat's bronze medal, but the manner in which Vinesh Phogat's hopes of winning at least a silver went up in smoke after her weight management was poorly handled was embarrassing for the contingent and country.

Weight cutting is as important as the competition itself in wrestling, boxing and weightlifting. As the curtains came down on the Games, a good four days after the controversy flared up, no one who supervised Vinesh's efforts to cut weight has owned responsibility.

The boxers returned without a medal, but the federation should take blame for the coaching muddle in the build-up, and national head coach Bernard Dunne's resignation, in March, didn't help address the issue. Boxing was also a case of how pulls and pressures from within hurting the athletes and leading to poor returns poor for the money spent.

Many federations run national camps and arrange

exposure trips for elite athletes but that alone is not enough. Two examples are talented young long jumpers Jeswin Aldrin and Shailli Singh who have struggled since last year.

Aldrin's national record, set at home, is a world class 8.42m, but he finished eighth in the Hangzhou Asian Games final last year. At Paris, he cleared 7.61m, ending 13th in qualification to be eliminated. Shailli, the former world junior silver medalist, also didn't medal in the Asian Games and could not qualify for the Olympics.

Shailli has from an early stage trained under Robert Booby George at the Bengaluru academy run by him and wife Anju, whose national long jump record still stands. Aldrin trains at JSW's Bellary academy. In a different set-up, both athletes could have shifted to another coach, push themselves and see if it leads to a reset. The Indian environment doesn't have such options or encourage it.

The Indian men's hockey team showed what it takes to even get to stand on the lowest rung of the podium, top-notch fitness, tactical discipline, skills and inspired performances taking it to bronze. Players waiting in the wings to get into the India squad also is a healthy pointer.

While Los Angeles 2028 is the next big target, India will need systems that foster the culture of producing champions to make bidding for the 2036 Olympics meaningful.

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{ MANISH SISODIA } FORMER DELHI DEPUTY CHIEF MINISTER

'I see a renewed resolve in AAP workers'

Former Delhi deputy chief minister **Manish Sisodia**, who was released from jail on August 9 after spending 17 months behind bars, says that the period of crisis the party is facing has strengthened the resolve of its leaders and workers. Sisodia spoke to **Alok KN Mishra** about governance of the city, the role he will play in the Delhi government going forward, his time in Tihar, and the Aam Aadmi Party's plans for the 2025 Delhi assembly elections. **Edited excerpts:**

The AAP has alleged that CM Arvind Kejriwal is being treated badly in Tihar. How were you treated during the 17 months you were in jail?

The CM has medical complications like blood sugar. It is the responsibility of the jail administration to take care of the medical needs of the people lodged inside. The officials are not bad, but pressure is put on them. If the BJP has its way, it will bury each AAP leader because the AAP is their biggest threat. God is watching how the life of a person with medical complications was played with, even though that meant putting him at risk. No one should be inhumane like that for political purposes.

I was treated like a common inmate. I used to clean my small cell, my toilet. I ate the food provided in the jail irrespective of whether I liked it or not. On many occasions, I did not like the food.

The governance in Delhi has been virtually paralysed since Kejriwal was arrested in March. Something as basic and routine as proper de-silting of drains did not take place...

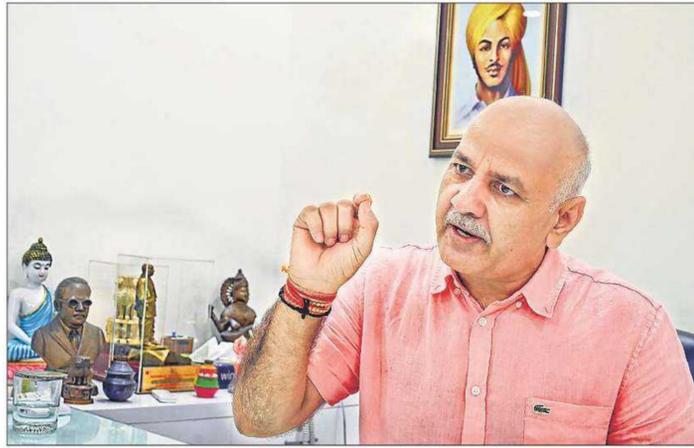
The BJP is trying hard to project that after CM went to jail the governance came to a halt. I want to say that despite the seri-

ous crisis (arrest of top AAP leaders) the governance has remained effective in an unparalleled way. There is no government in the country where so many works have been done despite such a serious crisis. De-silting was stalled not because CM is in jail, but because the LG has told officers that they will be suspended if they carry out de-silting work. The LG has blocked payments needed for de-silting works. The payments of the Delhi Jal Board have been blocked for the last two years even though the Delhi assembly has already passed the budget of the Delhi government. In fact, the central government has also passed the budget (because Delhi is a Union territory). The BJP is playing a dirty politics with the people of Delhi. They want to defame the CM. This is nothing but dictatorship.

Most of the plans announced in previous budget have not even been initiated. Cabinet meetings have not taken place...

The new initiatives that were taken in the budget, they will be completed, and cabinet meetings will also take place... According to my understanding of governance, most of the times a minister is empowered to take decisions. Under the new Act (The Government of National Capital Territory of Delhi (Amendment) Act, 2023), the permission of the LG is required over and above the ministers' decision. Many works were approved by the LG without the CM, and many works were stopped. The LG decides which work will be allowed to be done and which will be stopped on the pretext of various excuses.

Still, the governance in Delhi has continued uninterrupted. Many new schools have been constructed. Atishi (education minister) is inaugurating new schools almost every day. All 540 mohalla clinics and schools are



AAP leader Manish Sisodia during an interview at his house on Monday.

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running every effectively. It is not a joke. The number of buses has increased to around 8,000, which includes 2,000 e-buses which never happened in the history of Delhi. By 2025, Delhi will have 10,500 buses. This will have a positive impact on air pollution.

The armed forces preparatory school established by the AAP government has produced surprising results. In the first batch, which passed out this year, eight students became sub-lieutenants, including five girls. I don't think any other school in the country has performed so well. When I came out and saw things (governance), I was so proud. It is very commendable that despite leaders including the CM being put in jail, the government is performing so well. The people are saying that the work is going on well; the people are happy with the governance of AAP. No one told me that work has been stalled.

After you and CM Kejriwal went to jail, there appeared to be a leadership vacuum in AAP. You have come out of jail after 17 months. What changes do you see in

AAP in the last 17 months?

The period of crisis has a unique characteristic. It either breaks you or leaves you with a renewed resolve. I see a renewed resolve in all AAP workers and leaders – the resolve to fight; not to bend, not to get broken. The resolve is similar to the time when the AAP was formed. The resolve is born out of the understanding that the AAP government is working hard for the people and they (BJP) are putting our leaders in jail to stop the work. The conviction to fight has got strengthened. Despite the crisis, the AAP stands united even though many parties broke. The party workers now feel that we have survived.

When are you returning to the Arvind Kejriwal cabinet? What is the plan?



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MANISH SISODIA, former Delhi deputy CM

constituencies... The people say that a lot of work has been done. The people know that a political fight is going on. I believe that I should start a "padyatra" (foot march) from August 14, go among the workers and the people, and understand their issues. It is the part of the preparations for the upcoming Delhi elections.

A day after you were released, you gave a call for opposition unity against the BJP. Is that an indication that AAP will form a pre-poll alliance with Congress for Delhi assembly election?

The issue is not about alliance with Congress. Two ideologies have taken root in the country. The first is based on flouting the Constitution and its spirit, misuse of law, undermining democracy, destroying the business environment in the country. The second is based on the idea to save the Constitution and democracy. My appeal is that the entire Opposition should stand united when the Constitution is flouted anywhere in the country, and when people are harassed. The Opposition stayed united when Arvind Kejriwal and Hemant Soren were arrested. The 2024 Lok Sabha elections made the Opposition stronger.

If the Opposition, including the new alliance partners of the BJP, unite against the dictatorship of the BJP, Arvind Kejriwal will be out of jail within 24 hours.

It should not be seen from the point of view of elections. When elections are around, the decision can be taken about fighting together. Where you are strong you can defeat (the BJP) alone, where you need alliance you can join hands to defeat the BJP.

The BJP made corruption allegations against AAP leaders a key issue in Lok Sabha elections. Senior AAP leaders have faced corruption charges. You are definitely out of jail, but the trial will continue. How will AAP

face corruption allegations in the assembly elections?

The trial will make it clear that there is nothing [against AAP leaders]. We also want the trials to start soon so that things become clear that nothing was found. They do not have any evidence. They just misused the Prevention of Money Laundering Act provisions to keep us in jail. That is their strategy; the people understand this because the people are also suffering.

After the arrest of Arvind Kejriwal, his wife Sunita Kejriwal came to the political front line and has been leading the party from the front. She has been addressing back-to-back rallies in Haryana, meeting INDIA bloc leaders. According to you, what is her political future?

Everybody is so proud of her – the way she came to the forefront in the absence of Arvind Kejriwal. She is a well-educated, experienced, well-behaved and well-read woman. I have seen her working as an officer in the government. I also saw (from inside jail) how she was putting her message and the message of Arvind Kejriwal in a very seasoned way. Every party worker is proud of her.

Since Arvind Kejriwal is in jail, will you be the CM face in Delhi?

No, not at all. I see myself as a dedicated worker of the party. If the party asks me to carry out 'padyatra', I will do it. If the party tomorrow asks me to work at the booth level, I will do it. I know how to play my role. I will play whatever role I will be given by the party. Whereas the position of the CM is concerned, there is no issue with it. The people of Delhi need work to be done. We are getting their work done by fighting (with the central government). AAP leaders are fighting their cases as well as for the people. Arvind Kejriwal will continue to be the CM and will be the face of the party in the upcoming elections as well.

ATISHI TO HOIST FLAG ON AUG 15; CM'S LETTER TO LG BLOCKED BY JAIL

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NEW DELHI: Delhi general administration department (GAD) minister Gopal Rai on Monday directed GAD to make necessary arrangements for minister Atishi to hoist the national flag at the Independence Day function of the Delhi government on August 15.

In a letter to GAD, Rai said chief minister Arvind Kejriwal has expressed his desire that Atishi should hoist the flag.

"I had a meeting with chief minister today. He desires that minister Atishi should hoist the flag on 15th of August 2024, at the Chhatrasal stadium event, in his place. All the necessary arrangements be made accordingly," Rai said in the letter, dated August 12.

Officials in GAD did not comment on the development.

CM Arvind Kejriwal, on August 6, wrote to lieutenant governor (LG) VK Saxena, saying minister Atishi will hoist the national flag at the Independence Day function on August 15.

However, the LG office said that it did not receive the letter from Kejriwal.

On August 9, the superintendent of central jail No. 2 in Tihar Prison Complex, where Kejriwal is currently lodged, wrote a letter to Kejriwal stating that his communication (letter to LG) was against the prison rules, and hence it was not sent.

According to the Delhi Prison Rules, 2018, every prisoner is allowed to communicate with his family members, relatives, friends and legal advisors, and the content of the letters shall be limited to only their private affairs.

"It is surprising to note that the contents of the letter were leaked to the media without any authority. This amounts to an abuse of privileges granted to you under the Delhi Prison Rules, 2018," the superintendent said in the letter.

The LG's office did not respond to requests seeking comments.

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SC refuses Kavitha interim bail, agrees to hear regular plea

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K Kavitha

NEW DELHI: The Supreme Court on Monday refused to grant interim bail to Bharat Rashtra Samithi (BRS) leader K Kavitha in a case relating to irregularities in the Delhi liquor policy, but agreed to consider her regular bail plea after seeking a response from the Central Bureau of Investigation (CBI) and the Enforcement Directorate (ED).

A bench, headed by justice BR Gavai, posted the matter for August 20 and declined to consider interim bail till CBI and ED appear on the next date.

Kavitha approached the top court against the order of the Delhi high court refusing her bail on July 1.

Senior advocate Mukul Rohatgi, appearing for the former MP and daughter of former Telangana chief minister K Chandrashekhara Rao, submitted to the court that his client's case squarely falls for relief as determined by the courts in the recent judgments granting bail to Delhi CM Arvind Kejriwal and former Delhi deputy chief minis-

ter Manish Sisodia.

"She has been in jail for five months. She is entitled to bail as has been held by this court while granting bail to Manish Sisodia and Arvind Kejriwal," Rohatgi said. Further, he argued, that Section 45 of the Prevention of Money Laundering Act makes an exception for women.

The bench, also comprising justice KV Viswanathan, said, "The high court has dealt with it. It says she is educated and is a politician and is not a vulnerable woman."

The court order noted that accused Sharat Chandra Reddy, who later turned approver, claimed that he participated in the Delhi liquor business under the new policy on Kavitha's assurances.

SC notice to ED over Nair's bail plea, hearing in 2 weeks

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NEW DELHI: The Supreme Court on Monday issued notice to the Enforcement Directorate (ED) on a bail plea filed by former Aam Aadmi Party (AAP) communications in-charge Vijay

Nair — arrested in connection with alleged irregularities in the promulgation of the Delhi excise policy 2021-22 — who suggested that the trial in the case, which is yet to commence, is unlikely to end soon.

Nair relied on a recent apex court order granting bail to

former Delhi deputy chief minister Manish Sisodia to argue his case. Issuing notice on his petition, a bench of justices Hrishikesh Roy and SVN Bhatti sought the response of ED and posted the matter for hearing after two weeks.

Appearing for Nair, senior

advocate Abhishek Manu Singhvi and Vikram Chaudhary pointed out that their client was arrested by the Central Bureau of Investigation (CBI) in the predicate offence relating to irregularities in the now-scrapped policy, and has remained incarcerated after ED took over probe for

alleged money laundering under the Prevention of Money Laundering Act (PMLA).

"I have been in custody for nearly 23 months (almost 2 years) and I am seeking bail only in the ED case as the trial court granted me bail in the CBI matter. My case is on a higher foot-

ing," Chaudhary said, as he read the Sisodia judgment delivered by the top court on August 9 to seek similar relief.

In the ED case alone, it was pointed out that the trial court must examine over 50,000 pages of documentary evidence and about 350 witnesses.

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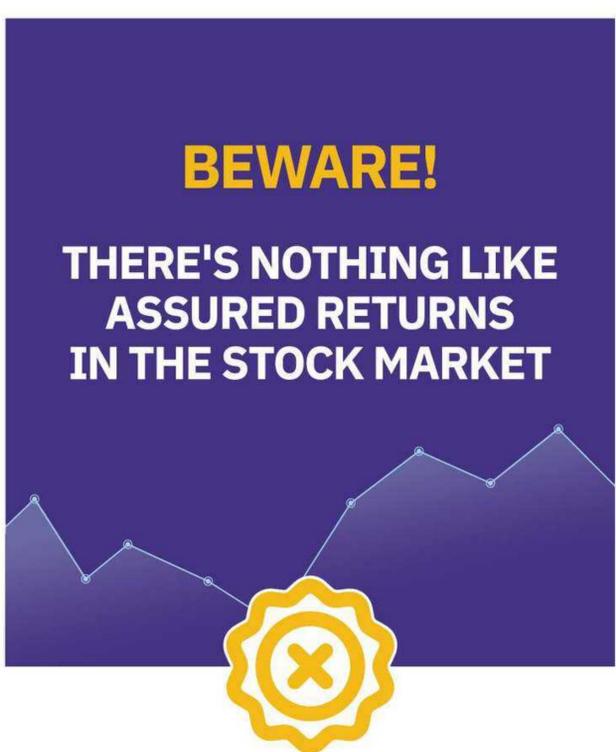


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Over a month of monsoon to go, rain already past season's normal

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NEW DELHI: In what has clearly been a rain-heavy monsoon, Delhi has already received more rainfall so far than it normally does throughout the monsoon, despite one-and-a-half months of the season still yet to come, official data shows.

This means that any rainfall recorded between now and the end of September will only help take the city further into the "excess" category.

In fact, this is the fastest year that Delhi has crossed the long-period average (LPA) of 640.4mm — what is considered the "normal" mark for monsoon rain — since at least 2014, the latest this data is maintained by the India Meteorological Department (IMD).

With 13mm of rainfall logged in the city between 8.30am and 5.30pm on Monday, Safdarjung — representative of Delhi's weather — crossed the LPA threshold, with total rainfall since June 1 at 648.3mm.

The last time Delhi managed to cross its average annual monsoon mark in August was 2021, when it did so on August 21, data showed.

Monday's spell also helped Delhi cross 200mm of monthly rainfall in August, making it now the third month in a row that this has happened. The month's rainfall at Safdarjung stood at 201.2mm till 5.30pm on Monday, according to IMD data. The average for August is 233.1mm.

Delhi recorded 243.3mm in June — an excess of 228% over the normal monthly average of 74.1mm. In July, the city received 203.7mm precipitation, just short of the monthly average mark of 209.7mm.

IMD classifies the months of June, July, August and September as monsoon months, with the average monthly rainfall total used to give the year's monsoon rainfall.

The LPA for September is 123.4mm.

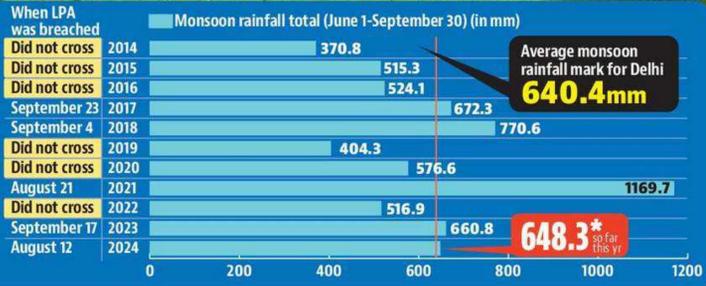
Last year, Delhi recorded 660.8mm rain throughout the



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The drenching Capital

Past three months have seen over 200mm of rainfall, with August crossing the mark even before mid month



four monsoon months. The cumulative total for monsoon was 516.9mm in 2022, 1,169.7mm in 2021 and 576.6mm was recorded in 2020. The lowest monsoon total in the last decade was 370.8mm, which was recorded in 2014.

In fact, Delhi has managed to cross its annual monsoon average mark on only on four occasions since 2014, IMD data shows. It did so on September 17 in 2023; on August 21 in 2021; September 4 in 2018 and on September 23 in 2017. In the remaining years, Delhi received a sub-par monsoon at Safdarjung.

The normal date for departure of the southwest monsoon from Delhi is September 25.

RK Jenamani, scientist at IMD

said that from the second week of August, the monsoon trough has remained close to Delhi-NCR, giving the capital steady light to moderate rain. Delhi has also managed to record rain on 11 out of the 12 days so far this August.

"The longer the trough stays close to a region, the more rain is recorded. In the last few days, we have seen steady activity due to rain," he said.

Experts said June and July were in stark contrast to what was observed in August — the monsoon trough mainly stayed away from the region.

"It was only on June 28, when the monsoon arrived in Delhi that over 200mm was recorded in a single day. The trough

stayed away from Delhi-NCR most of July too, and only on July 31 did the trough return over Delhi-NCR, with most stations logging over 100mm in rainfall," said Mahesh Palawat, vice president at Skymet meteorology, a private weather forecasting service.

Since June 28, at least 33 rain-related deaths have been reported across Delhi, with widespread chaos, building collapses, flight diversions and inundation reported on multiple days. The deaths that have occurred include electrocution deaths and drowning incidences too. Among these deaths were three IAS aspirants, who drowned due to intense showers in a coaching centre basement in

Old Rajendra Nagar on July 27. The spell of rain, however, is likely to continue, if one were to believe IMD's forecasts.

IMD has forecast scattered rain to continue in Delhi till the weekend, with light rain likely on Tuesday and light to moderate showers on Wednesday.

Delhi's maximum temperature meanwhile stood at 31.6°C on Monday, which was three degrees below normal. It was 3°C a day earlier. The minimum temperature was 24.8°C on Monday. It was 26°C a day earlier.

The rain meanwhile helped Delhi's air remain "satisfactory" for a 16th straight day. The 24-hour average air quality index stood at 56 (satisfactory) at 4 pm on Monday.

YAMUNA LEVEL RISES TO 204.19M, JUST 0.31M BELOW WARNING MARK

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NEW DELHI: The water level in the Yamuna went up by more than 1 metre between Sunday and Monday evening, with the river's level at 10pm on Monday at 204.19m, according to data shared by the flood control room. This level was a mere 0.31m below the warning mark of 204.5m at the Old Railway Bridge, which is considered representative of Delhi's mark.

Officials from the Delhi irrigation and flood control (I&FC) department warned on Monday that the river will likely continue to see an upward trend in the coming days due to intense rainfall in the river's upstream states, and said that the river may breach the warning mark overnight.

The Yamuna's danger level is 205.3m, and the river had logged a record high of 208.6m in 2023.

Flood control room officials said the river was flowing at 203.76m at 5pm on Monday — a rapid increase of 1.08m from the level of 202.68m recorded at the same time on Sunday. The river further swelled to 204.19 at 10pm.

A senior I&FC official said that while a flood warning has not been issued yet, teams deployed along the river channel by the department are on high alert.

"A warning for people living in the low-lying area will be issued when the water level reaches 204.5m. If similar trends continue, the warning mark will be crossed in the next few days. The water flow from the Hathnikund barrage is currently (around 5pm) 21,087 cusecs. The maximum hourly flow of water on Sunday was around 47,000 cusecs," the official said requesting anonymity.

11-yr-old drowns in Burari lake, his 3 friends rescued

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NEW DELHI: An 11-year-old boy drowned and three of his minor friends were rescued from the Shakti Sarovar Lake at Burari in north Delhi on Monday, police officers aware of the matter said.

The incident took place when all the four boys, aged around 11, were bathing in the lake. The deceased was identified as Nirvaan Solanki, they added.

Police said that information was received at Burari police station around 10am on Monday.

A senior police officer on condition of anonymity said, "Four boys, all residents of Kaushik Enclave in the Burari area, went for an early morning swim in the lake. The boys who survived told us that two of the boys started struggling towards the deeper end. The other two boys tried to help them, but failed, and also started struggling to stay afloat. As they cried for help, the locals dived in and pulled out all four of them. However, one of the boys died," the officer added.

DCP (north) Manoj Kumar Meena said, "One of the boys drowned and could not be resuscitated. The locals rushed him to a nearby hospital where he was

declared brought dead by doctors."

Police said two of the boys are related and the others are friends.

"There is hardly anyone around the lake in the morning. Many youngsters come for a swim or bath. The lake is deep and not safe for swimming. The boys struggled for a long time. It was difficult to rescue them as it was raining and the water level was higher," said a resident on condition of anonymity.

The spot was also visited by the crime team who collected clothes and other evidence from the spot, said the police. Officials said a sub-divisional magistrate will conduct an inquiry into the matter and a report will be made.

Police added that the death was not related to the incessant rains in the national capital.

Ggm still plagued by waterlogging

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GURUGRAM: For the third consecutive day, Gurugram has been struggling with widespread waterlogging, as heavy rainfall continues to lash the region. The city recorded 78mm of rainfall by 8.30am on Monday, with an additional 15.5mm by 5pm, leading to severe traffic congestion and water entering homes across various neighbourhoods.

The persistent downpour caused major disruptions, with most companies offering work-from-home options and many students staying home due to

unsafe road conditions.

Commuters faced significant delays on major roads, including NH-48, Udyog Vihar, Cyber City, Sector 10, Sohna Road, and Golf Course Extension Road, where vehicles crawled through waterlogged streets.

Dinesh Yadav, a commuter on NH-48, said, "I left my house at 8am, hoping to reach office by 9, but I couldn't even get halfway by 10.30am."

Vikram Singh, executive engineer, GMDA, said, "We have deployed additional pumps and manpower to ensure that the situation is brought under control as quickly as possible."

SISODIA MEETS MLAs REGARDING ASSEMBLY POLLS

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NEW DELHI: Aam Aadmi Party (AAP) leader Manish Sisodia on Monday held a meeting with party MLAs with an eye on the Delhi Assembly elections, which are likely to be held in February 2025. Party leaders said that preparations will begin with a "padyatra" by Sisodia beginning on August 14.

Sunita Kejriwal, the wife of Delhi chief minister Arvind Kejriwal, national general secretary (organisation) Sandeep Pathak, Delhi unit chief Gopal Rai, minister Saurabh Bharadwaj, Atishi, Imran Hussain and others attended the meeting on Monday evening.

Delhi BJP chief Virendra Sachdeva said that during the "padyatra", Sisodia will not be able to answer about his scams.

Two key roads in central Delhi sink in, cordoned off for traffic

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NEW DELHI: Rains on Monday led to the damage of two road stretches in New Delhi — one near the Mandi House roundabout and the second near the Windsor Place roundabout.

At both sites, surface level had visibly sunk, and though both locations were filled with debris and sand, they remained unrepaired, officials said.

The Delhi Traffic Police posted on X: "Traffic may be affected on Windsor Palace roundabout in front of Ashoka road from C hexagon due to damage of sewer pipeline... Traf-



The damaged section of the road at Windsor Place. HTPHOTO

fic may be affected on Mandi house round about in front of Sikandara road due to damage of sewage and road damage. Kindly plan your journey accordingly."

A traffic police officer said permission has been granted for conducting repairs at both damaged sites. "We will deploy personnel to help repairs," he said.

DU WINDOW FOR COLLEGE-COURSE CHOICE NOW SHUT

NEW DELHI: The Delhi University (DU) has closed the window for undergraduate candidates to choose their preferred course and college combination.

"The window for changing preferences of courses and college opened on Sunday and closed at 11.59pm on Monday," said DU dean of admission Haneeet Gandhi. DU's first list for seat allocations is expected to be out on August 16, and first semester classes are scheduled to begin on August 29.

Meanwhile, officials at Jawahar Lal Nehru University said that the application window for undergraduate programmes has been extended to August 14. The window was earlier scheduled to close at 11.50pm on August 12. HTC

{ 3 NEW LAWS } LG REVIEWS IMPLEMENTATION

LG seeks deadlines of projects related to criminal legislation

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NEW DELHI: Lieutenant governor (LG) VK Saxena on Monday directed the home department, police, National Informatics Centre (NIC), directorate of prosecution and forensic science laboratory (FSL), among other stakeholders, to come up with specific timelines to complete projects in the pipeline pertaining to the ongoing implementation of the three new criminal legislations in the national capital, officials with the LG secretariat said.

In a review meeting, Saxena stressed removing hurdles at the

earliest for completing the projects, they said.

"Deliberations included training of nodal officers appointed by Delhi government's health department, for MedLeaPR, which is a portal for medico-legal cases. On the proposal for a new building for the directorate of prosecution, the LG asked chief secretary Naresh Kumar to explore the possibility of providing space for this department till new infrastructure is developed for the purpose," a senior officer with the LG secretariat, asking not to be named, said.

Three new codes, the Bharatiya Nyaya Samhita (BNS), Bhar-

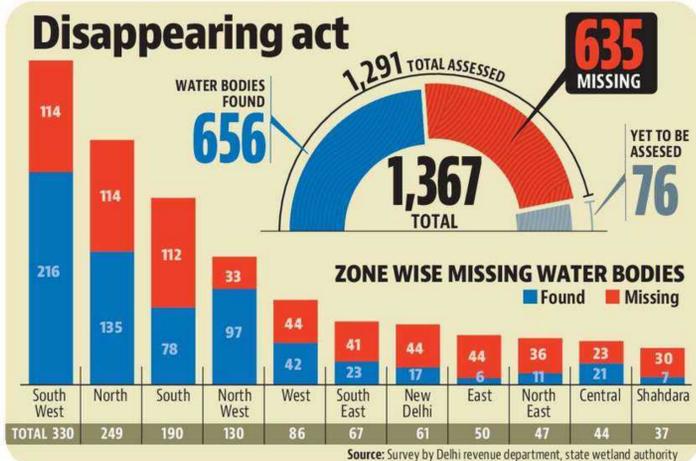
atiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita (BNSS) and Bharatiya Sakshya Adhinyam (BSA) came into effect on July 1, replacing the colonial-era Indian Penal Code (IPC), Code of Criminal Procedure (CrPC) and Indian Evidence Act, respectively.

Another officer, who also attended the meeting, said that the LG asked officials concerned to conduct joint inspections of project sites.

Officials from the LG secretariat said Delhi home minister Kailash Gahlot accompanied the LG during the review, but law minister Atishi could not attend due to a family exigency.

{ ON GROUND ASSESSMENT } 635 WATER BODIES ONLY EXIST IN MAPS AND RECORDS NOW

Nearly half of Delhi's water bodies have 'gone missing', govt finds



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NEW DELHI: Nearly half (49.1%) of Delhi's official water bodies do not exist anymore — they have either gone "missing" or have been encroached upon, according to an ongoing ground assessment carried out by the Delhi government that began in April.

According to a submission made by the Delhi government in the Delhi high court in April, the city had 1,367 water bodies — lakes, ponds and johads (percolation ponds) — up from 1,045 based on revenue records, due to addition of more water bodies based on satellite imagery.

The high court directed the government to carry out the on-ground assessment following which an exercise was kicked off the same month by

the revenue department and Delhi State Wetland Authority (DSWA). They have, so far, assessed 1,291 of these water bodies of which only 656 were found, and the remaining 635 do not exist other than in maps and records.

Officials said the exercise to assess the remaining 76 water bodies is likely to be completed in the next few months. Officials said they are yet to take a call on steps with regard to encroached water bodies.

For the surviving 656 water bodies, an officer will be appointed to ensure their upkeep and maintenance, officials said. "The officer will have to visit the water body at least once every fortnight and ensure it is being maintained adequately and that no encroachments have come up," an environmental department official,

who was part of a meeting of the integrated drain management cell (IDMC), where the data was shared, said.

The census for water bodies showed encroachment over the years has eaten up a significant number of the water bodies.

According to the data, only 216 of 330 water bodies in southwest Delhi were found; the number was 135 of 249 in north Delhi, 78 of 190 in south Delhi, and 97 of 130 in northwest Delhi. The fewest water bodies were identified in east Delhi, where only six of the listed 50 were found. In Shahdara, only seven of 37 water bodies were found.

The data was shared by the revenue department on July 15. The environmental department official cited above, who did not wish to be named, said public participation to protect

water bodies was also being explored, and the revenue department would take the help of the Public Works Department (PWD) to remove encroachments.

"For the revival and upkeep of water bodies, a plan is being drawn and once an officer is assigned for each water body, work on their protection will begin," the official added.

Paras Tyagi, an environmental activist, who is part of the Delhi-based NGO CYCLE India, said most of water bodies that have gone missing are old village ponds or "johads (percolation ponds)", with no efforts being made to revive them and remove encroachments.

"In some cases, they have dried up but are not encroached upon. In most other cases, these water bodies have been encroached upon," he said.

3 KILLED AS CAR RAMS POLE ON GR NOIDA E-WAY

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NOIDA: Three men died after the car they were travelling in rammied into an advertising pole on the Noida-Greater Noida expressway on Monday morning, police said.

Noida Sector 126 police station SHO Bhupendra Singh said the deceased were identified as Ishaan Kashyap, 22, his brother Aryan, 19, and their friend Vinay Upadhyay, 23. "Around 7.30 am, the three were heading towards Noida when the car rammied the pole," said Singh, adding that they suspect that Ishaan, who was driving the Tata Tiago, lost control while at a high speed.



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Elective services hit in hospitals as doctors protest Kolkata case

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NEW DELHI: Delhi resident doctors working in various public hospitals on Monday halted elective consultations and procedures to demand better security arrangements as they joined the pan-Indian protests after the alleged rape and murder of a Kolkata resident doctor. The agitation has curtailed outpatient department (OPD) services as well as elective surgeries in government-run hospitals in the city.

Resident doctors have called for an indefinite strike to protest against the rape and murder of a woman trainee doctor, whose semi-naked body was found in the seminar hall of RG Kar Medical College in Kolkata on the morning of August 9.

The affected hospitals include All India Institute of Medical Sci-



Doctors protest at AIIMS on Monday. SANCHIT KHANNA/HT PHOTO

ences, Safdarjung Hospital, Ram Manohar Lohia Hospital, Lok Nayak Hospital and Guru Tegh Bahadur Hospital.

According to a statement issued by the Federation of Resident Doctors' Association

cerns at workplace.

The association on Sunday wrote to the Union health minister stating their concerns. "... As a mark of our solidarity with the colleagues of RG Kar, we announce a nationwide halting of elective services in hospitals starting Monday, 12th August. This decision is not made lightly, but it is necessary to ensure that our voices are heard and that the demands for justice and safety are met without further delay."

It added, "Today, we are compelled to escalate our response. We request all resident doctors' associations and medical associations across the country to join us in this fight against injustice."

The demands of doctors include swift justice for the deceased, no police brutality, security protocols for health care workers, and formation of an expert committee to speed up ratifying the Central Healthcare

Protection Act.

The AIIMS administration in a statement said that they assessed the impact on patient care services in view of the RDA strike and found emergency services functioning optimally. "Emergency services are running heavier than normal with all residents attending to their duties and backed-up by their respective faculties... ICUs are functioning as per normal with all residents attending to their duties," it added.

The OPDs, admissions and elective surgeries have seen a dip in number. "The total registration of OPD patients on was 4,053 against the average of 6,500 in the main hospital on Monday..." the statement said.

Safdarjung Hospital also issued a contingency plan in view of the RDA strike. "Afternoon clinics, evening OPDs will be stopped..." it said.

GST officer among 7 held for forging receipts of ₹718cr

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NEW DELHI: A 54-year-old Goods and Services Tax (GST) officer was arrested in Delhi along with six associates for allegedly forging invoices worth ₹718 crores with the Delhi government's trade and taxes department in order to receive more than ₹54 crore in refunds, said officials on Monday.

The Anti-Corruption Branch in Delhi arrested seven people for allegedly running the racket by producing fake invoices and getting GST refunds from the department. The illegal operation, which was running since 2021, was being spearheaded by GST officer Babita Sharma who allegedly sanctioned bogus refunds to six of her associates, according to ACB officials.

Her associates—advocates Raj Singh Saini, Narendra Kumar Saini and Mukesh Saini—were the alleged beneficiaries of the funds and ran fake companies which dealt in export of medicines and medical equipment. The three others arrested included a man who was "running" these bogus firms and two transporters who provided them with fake e-way

books and forged goods receipts. Suspicious activity was noted when Sharma was transferred from one "ward" to another, and more than 50 companies applied for migration to her ward, said ACB chief Madhur Verma.

"Suspecting foul play, a physical verification of these companies was performed and they were found to be non-existent and non-functional. An inquiry was initiated by the additional commissioner of the department and in April, 2023, an FIR was lodged with us," Verma said.

The team looked at the companies connected to Delhi's trade and taxes department and discovered that more than 500 non-existent firms were involved in medical export business and had claimed "huge" GST refunds without any apparent business activity.

"The three advocates were zeroed in as they were the owners of 96 of these bogus firms. We recovered receipts of more than ₹54 crore of refunds. All the refunds were sanctioned within 2-3 days of filing. An inquiry was initiated against Sharma and it was found that she along with others have been systematically causing loss to the department," Verma said.

SECURITY BOOSTED IN RUN-UP TO INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATIONS

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NEW DELHI: Delhi Police has enhanced security arrangements across the Capital in the run-up to Independence Day over intelligence inputs of possible disruption by anti-national elements, officers said. An extra layer of security has been added by implementing advanced CCTV analytics and facial recognition system-enabled CCTV cameras around the Red Fort, where the Prime Minister will hoist the national flag and address the nation on August 15, they said.

More than 10,000 security personnel and nearly 3,000 traffic personnel will be guarding the venue, its adjoining areas and the routes to be used by the VVIPs and guests, police said.

"We have put in place anti-drone and anti-aircraft systems to shoot down banned aerial objects. A multilayer security apparatus has been planned in and around the Red Fort while advanced CCTV cameras will help keep a vigil on every movement around the venue, its adjoining areas and the routes," deputy commissioner of police (north) Manoj Kumar Meena said. The city has already been put on high alert and declared a no-fly zone.

STUDENTS SITTING ON FLOOR: ATISHI ORDERS ACTION AGAINST PRINCIPAL

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NEW DELHI: Delhi's education minister Atishi ordered disciplinary action against the principal of Sarvodaya Vidyalaya, J and K block of Dilshad Garden, on Monday, after students were found sitting on the floor during an inspection. Atishi also instructed the district deputy directorates of education (DDEs) to do weekly inspections in at least five schools in their district across Delhi.

"If DDEs notice any kind of problem in schools during inspection, then take necessary action on it immediately," said Atishi, asking officials to submit weekly reports as well, based on their school inspections.

2 held with elephant tusks

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NEW DELHI: The Delhi Police has arrested two people from Dhaura Kuan with two elephant tusks — whose trade is banned under national and international law — weighing 1.8kg, officers said on Monday.

Deputy commissioner of police (southwest) Rohit Meena identified the arrested accused as Savita Devi, 42, a resident of Bahadurgarh, and Mohit Sharma, 24, a resident of Sangam Vihar.

Police received information about a gang dealing in ivory from elephant tusks, and were looking for suspects for the past six months. Earlier this month, officers said, they received information that two people who were carrying elephant ivory were coming to Dhaura Kuan.



The seized ivory. HT PHOTO

"The two were apprehended on Friday and two elephant ivory were recovered from them" said a senior officer.

A forest and wildlife department team was called to inspect the tusks, and based on their complaint, an FIR under various sections of the Wildlife Protection Act, 1972 was registered at the Delhi Cantonment police station on Friday.

Deputy range officer (west) from Wild Life Department Tan-

HC TELLS MCD TO GIVE BUILDING TO HOUSE INMATES FROM ASHA KIRAN

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NEW DELHI: The Delhi high court on Monday directed the commissioner of Municipal Corporation of Delhi (MCD) to hand over one of its buildings in the nursing college building, Primary Health Centre complex at Narela, to the Delhi government's social welfare department so that inmates of the Asha Kiran shelter home for the intellectually challenged may be shifted there. A bench led by acting chief justice Manmohan and justice Tushar Rao Gedela issued the directions after the social welfare secretary informed the court that the commissioner had agreed to hand over the building subject to the approval of MCD House, which may take up to two months.

AUD faculty hold protest over grievances outside V-C's office

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NEW DELHI: Faculty members at Dr BR Ambedkar University, Delhi (AUD) staged a protest in front of the vice-chancellor's office at the Kashmere Gate campus on Monday against several "long-standing issues", including alleged "punishment transfers" of faculty, demotion without reasoning and discrimination, among others.

The varsity administration agreed to a meeting on August 16 to resolve all grievances, according to an AUD official.

The AUD Faculty Association (AUDFA) wrote to the VC on Monday regarding their issues including alleged denial of promotion, demotion without substantial reasoning as well as gender and caste based discrimination. "Many faculty members were denied promotion throughout the pandemic, and we all thought it was an internal matter. Once the campus completely opened in 2023 after Covid, several matters started coming to light," said an AUDFA member, who asked not to be identified.

"Last year, one faculty member had approached the griev-

ance cell regarding a gender and caste-based inappropriate comment that the dean of the school had made, as well as the high court, and the university was asked to enquire about it. But the faculty member was soon given a punishment transfer to another campus," the member quoted above added.

AUD, which has four campuses across Delhi, has 145 permanent faculty, 60-70 contractual and guest faculty and 200 non-teaching staff. AUDFA also alleged that requests for meetings with VC since September 2023 had never been replied to.

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{ PUBLIC INTEREST } There is more than one way of exploiting Delhi's fabulous Sunday Book Bazar. Every week, the exhibition ground of Mahila Haat on Asaf Ali Road is carpeted with thousands of used books sourced from across the world. Many of these much-thumbed paperbacks contain itsy-bitsy items belonging to their former owners—receipts, cards, letters, newspaper clippings, photos, flowers, etc. These lie pressed between the book pages, perfectly preserved. This reporter has amassed hundreds of such tidbits over many Sundays. Each fragment transcends time and space, at times bringing one tantalisingly close to the texture of some unknown person's daily life. Here's a sample.

1. A yellowed torn clipping of Hindustan Times (the masthead is easily discernible) dated April 5, 1967. Shows a park photo captioned: "Examination fever: Two students concentrate on their books in New Delhi's Lodi Gardens, oblivious even of the afternoon idyll in the background." (The idyll obviously refers to the romantic couple captured discreetly in the picture!)
2. Train ticket from Diemen in The Netherlands to Amsterdam Centraal, 4.80 euros, dated March 31, 2019.
3. Moustachioed man's yellowing photo, dated 1904. Such long-ago print formats were common during the early years of photography and were called cartes-de-visite.
4. Bookmark of London's Foster Books book-

store, bearing a Virginia Woolf quote—"Second hand books are wild books, homeless books."

5. Clipping of a presumably Delhi newspaper headlined "Chanakyapuri stays, Chanakya to go".
6. Punched ticket to Rudolf Nureyev's ballet in Hamburg. Dated April 22. No mention of the year; but predates 1993, the year the legendary dancer died.
7. Typewritten letter sent from London's Sunday Times to one H Thearle, Esq., in Liverpool, dated 3 September, 1962. Signed on the editor's behalf by the newspaper's then music critic Derek Jewell, who died in 1985.
- "Dear Sir,
- The Editor regrets the delay in acknowledging your letter, for which he thanks you very much. It was hoped to publish it, but pressure on space has unfortunately made this impossible. Your faithfully..."
8. Handwritten sheet of paper listing all the Vermeer paintings, grouped under the cities where they were then on exhibit at museums, starting from The Hague in The Netherlands to Boston in the US.
9. Ticket to the Jewish Museum of Dubrovnik, Croatia, bearing the Star of David in blue.
10. This clip is a poem cut from a newspaper or magazine. Google reveals the poet to be a Serbian-American writer, who died last year.

There is nothing quieter
Than softly falling snow
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—Charles Simic

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Cong seeks JPC probe; 'bid to create disturbance', says BJP

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NEW DELHI: The political row over Hindenburg Research's allegations against Securities and Exchange Board of India (Sebi) chairperson Madhabi Puri Buch continued on Monday, with the Congress demanding her resignation to "restore Sebi's integrity" and reiterating its demand for a probe by a joint parliamentary committee (JPC), and the Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP) dubbing the US short-seller's charges as the latest example of "foreign interference" aimed at creating "disturbance and destabilisation" in the country.

On Saturday night, Hindenburg alleged that the market regulator was unwilling to act on its January 2023 Adani report because Sebi chairperson Puri Buch and her husband had investments in offshore funds linked with the Adani Group. The Sebi chief and her husband Dhaval Buch have rejected the allegations against them as baseless. In a statement on Sunday, the stock market regulator said allegations against the Adani Group have been "duly investigated" and chairperson Puri Buch disclosed and recused herself from time to time when dealing with matters.

Reacting to Sebi's assertion, Congress general secretary Jai-

After being rebuffed by people, Congress, its allies in the toolkit gang have conspired together to usher in economic anarchy and instability in India

RAVI SHANKAR PRASAD, Senior BJP leader



The SC, empowered by the Constitution, must transfer the investigation to CBI or a SIT given likelihood of Sebi's compromise... the Sebi chairperson must resign

JAIRAM RAMESH, Congress general secretary



ram Ramesh alleged that on March 3, 2023, the Supreme Court directed the regulator to "expeditiously conclude the investigation" into allegations of stock manipulation and accounting fraud against the Adani Group within two months.

"But 18 months later, Sebi has revealed that a critical investigation, likely regarding whether Adani violated Rule 19A relating to minimum public shareholding, remains incomplete. The fact is that Sebi's seeming inability to close two of its 24 investigations delayed the publication of its findings for over a year," he alleged. "This delay conveniently allowed the Prime Minister to navigate an entire general election without addressing his role in facilitating his

close friend's illicit activities." The Rajya Sabha member urged the Supreme Court to transfer the Adani probe to the Central Bureau of Investigation (CBI) or a special investigation team (SIT) given the "likelihood of Sebi's compromise". "At a minimum, the Sebi chairperson must resign to restore Sebi's integrity," he said.

Adani Group on Sunday termed Hindenburg's allegations as malicious and manipulative of select public information, saying it has no commercial relationship with Sebi chairperson or her husband.

Rashtriya Janata Dal (RJD) lawmaker Manoj Jha, a key ally in the Opposition INDIA bloc, also demanded the resignation of the Sebi chief. "I think after the news broke out, the government should have asked for the

resignation of the person concerned and announced an investigation. It amounts to rigging your whole system. You cannot sit there (on the post). I believe that to maintain investor's trust in the country's economic systems, immediately JPC should be executed," Jha said.

But the BJP hit back. Dubbing Hindenburg's allegations as the latest example of "foreign interference" aimed at creating "disturbance and destabilisation" in the country, the ruling party accused the Congress of colluding with forces that seek to stoke unrest and anarchy.

"After being rebuffed by people, the Congress, its allies and its closest ally in the toolkit gang have conspired together to usher in economic anarchy

and instability in India," senior BJP leader and former Union minister Ravi Shankar Prasad told reporters.

By pointing fingers at the Sebi chief, there is an attempt to "destabilise the capital market and the small investors who are happy with the returns," he alleged, adding that controversial billionaire George Soros invested in Hindenburg and was relentlessly driving a campaign against India.

"In their pathological hatred against Narendra Modi, the Congress party led by Rahul Gandhi and his friends have developed a hatred against India itself," he said.

Sebi sent a notice to the Hindenburg as part of its probe on the Supreme Court's order following the firm's allegations of stock market manipulation against the Adani group. Hindenburg never replied but has instead launched an attack on the Sebi chairperson, Prasad said.

Union textiles minister Giriraj Singh also attacked the Congress over the issue and said action will be taken against Hindenburg.

"Rahul Gandhi and Jairam Ramesh are a gang that wants to defame our country. Hindenburg is also defaming us. We won't tolerate the defamation of our country. They are enemies of the nation. Strictest action will be taken against Hindenburg," he said.

Govt to release fresh draft for broadcast bill

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NEW DELHI: The ministry of information and broadcasting (MIB) said on Monday it will publish a fresh draft of the Broadcasting Services (Regulation) Bill, 2024 after detailed consultations, hours after it asked stakeholders to return watermarked physical copies of an updated version that was circulated between July 24 and 25.

The move came against the backdrop of what officials and experts said were certain misgivings relating to the provisions, especially those contained in the latest draft that were circulated among entities such as streaming platforms and social media companies, TV channels and related industry associations.

"The draft Bill was placed in public domain on 10.11.2023 along with the explanatory notes for comments of the stakeholders and the general public. In response, multiple recommendations/comments/suggestions were received including from various associations. Ministry is holding a series of consultations with the stakeholders on the draft bill. Further additional time is being provided to solicit comments/suggestions till 15th October, 2024. A fresh draft will be published after detailed consultations," the MIB said in a post on X. The consultation process on the bill has been on since November 2023, when the first draft was uploaded by the ministry. To be sure, the government did not comment on the draft it circulated to selected stakeholders in July.

According to people aware of the matter, the government told stakeholders on Monday that comments were no longer required on the July version. "The consultation is still on. There are certain misgivings which need to be addressed. [These misgivings] have been discussed in the public domain and on digital media. There are a lot of apprehensions on digital media. We may call for more stakeholders to discuss the matter in more detail," said a senior government official.

A second official, on the condition of anonymity, said that it is currently not yet clear whether it will be redrafted in its

MINISTRY ASKS STAKEHOLDERS TO RETURN DRAFT CIRCULATED TO THEM IN JULY AFTER MANY HAD CONCERNS OVER SOME OF ITS PROVISIONS

entirety or if only particular sections would be redrawn.

The latest version of the bill, first reported by HT on July 26, drew significant concerns over some of the provisions and how the consultation process was being carried out. The most controversial provisions ran the risk of tagging all online content creators as broadcasters, irrespective of the content.

Between May 29 and July 9, the ministry held at least four meetings at Shastri Bhawan to discuss the bill, with attendees including Big Tech companies (Google, Meta, Snap), online streaming platforms (Netflix, Amazon Prime Video, Jio Cinemas), Spotify, DTH operators (Airtel, Tata Play), and related industry associations.

"Nothing is confirmed about the draft. We will continue the consultation. We will try to include everyone who has not been in the room for consultation," the senior official added.

The latest version — which stakeholders have been asked to return — contained provisions that can classify all online content creators, including independent journalists on YouTube and Instagram, "thought leaders" on LinkedIn, newsletter writers and people running cooking shows online, as either OTT broadcasters or as digital news broadcasters.

Consequently, these broadcasters, if they were above a threshold defined by government, would then have been required to set up Content Evaluation Committee to pre-certify content, among other obligations.

The latest version also sought to lay down due diligence guidelines for intermediaries, raising questions about whether sponsored posts by influencers online would also be governed by the advertising code meant for OTT broadcasters.



Vikram Misri

FOREIGN SECY MEETS NEPALESE COUNTERPART, DISCUSSES BILATERAL TIES

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NEW DELHI: India and Nepal on Monday reviewed cooperation in areas such as energy, physical and digital connectivity, trade and transit when foreign secretary Vikram Misri met his Nepalese counterpart Sewa Lalmsal in Kathmandu on Sunday.

Misri, on his first visit to Nepal after assuming office last month, met the country's top leadership during his two-day trip, including President Ramchandra Paudel, Prime Minister KP Sharma Oli and foreign minister Arzu Deuba. This was also the first visit to Nepal by a senior Indian official since Oli formed a new government last month.

The discussions between Misri and Lalmsal covered various aspects of bilateral cooperation and they reviewed progress made in different bilateral initiatives and developmental projects. They also discussed opportunities for further collaboration and agreed to advance bilateral engagements, including through regular mechanisms.

During the different engagements, both countries expressed satisfaction at "substantial progress" in bilateral cooperation in recent years, especially in various areas of connectivity — physical, digital, energy and people-to-people — as manifested in the steady implementation of infrastructure projects related to roads, bridges, integrated check posts, cross-border railways and petroleum pipelines, the external affairs ministry said in a statement.

Both sides appreciated progress made through their partnership in the power sector, and there has been a "manifold increase in Nepal's hydropower export to India" in the last two to three years. This has created an additional source of revenue for Nepal and of clean energy for India, the statement said.

Misri also met deputy prime ministers Prakash Man Singh and Bishnu Prasad Paudel and home minister Ramesh Lekhak.



Sharad Pawar with Maratha leaders in Pune on Monday. HT PHOTO

Oppn will cooperate if Centre acts against 50% quota cap: Pawar

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PUNE: Nationalist Congress Party (SP) chief Sharad Pawar on Monday said the Opposition would cooperate if the Centre brings a policy to remove the Supreme Court-mandated 50% ceiling on reservations, adding that he has appealed to chief minister Eknath Shinde to convene an all-party meeting to discuss the quota dispute between the Marathas and Other Backward Class (OBC) communities.

"The Centre's policy needs to change, and if it takes the lead, the Opposition will cooperate," Pawar said. The central government has the authority and capability to amend the existing cap on reservations, he said.

"I have also suggested that the chief minister convene a meeting of all political parties to find a solution to the issue. We, as the Opposition, will also attend the meeting and cooperate," Pawar said, adding that Maratha quota

activist Manoj Jarange Patil and OBC leaders, including state minister Chhagan Bhujbal, should be invited to the meeting. Pawar's remarks come a day after his convoy was stopped by Maratha protesters, who questioned him on his stand, in Solapur district.

Following Pawar's remarks, CM Shinde said that his government will take every possible step to ensure peace among different communities in the state. "I have discussed convening an all-party meeting with Sharad Pawar. To ensure peace, whatever is needed, we will do it," Shinde said.

Jarange has been leading protests demanding OBC certificates for recognising all Kunbis (agriculturists) and their "sage soyre" (blood relatives) as Marathas. In February, the Maharashtra legislature passed a bill allotting 10% reservation to the Maratha community in education and government jobs. Jarange, however, insists inclusion of Marathas in the OBC category.

HC adjourns hearing in Shahi Eidgah case

PRAAYAGRAJ: The Allahabad high court on Monday adjourned the hearing in the matter of Krishna Jambhoomi-Shahi Idgah dispute as some of the documents of the suits were not exchanged between the two litigant parties. The suits have been filed for the possession of land after removal of Shahi Idgah Masjid and for restoration of the temple. On Monday, when the matter was taken up, it was said that pleadings have not been exchanged in some of the suits.

SC reserves order on Senthil bail plea

NEW DELHI: The Supreme Court on Monday reserved its verdict on the bail plea of former Tamil Nadu minister V Senthil Balaji, who was arrested by ED last year in a money laundering case. Solicitor general Tushar Mehta opposed grant of bail to the DMK leader and said the delay in trial is attributable to the ex-minister. Senior advocate Mukul Rohatgi, appearing for Balaji, submitted that he is in jail for over a year and there is no prospect of the trial getting completed anytime soon.

Display footage time in accidents: MIB

NEW DELHI: While broadcasting visuals of disasters, natural calamity and major accidents, all private television channels must prominently display the date and time of when the footage was shot, the ministry of information and broadcasting said in an August 9 advisory to all TV channels. "This will ensure viewers are informed about the exact date of the footage being telecast and the fact that it does not necessarily reflect the real time position at the location of the incident," the advisory said.

DELHI RESIDENT FOUND WITH STAB WOUNDS AT GOA BEACH, 3 ARRESTED

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PANAJI: A tourist from Delhi was stabbed to death in Goa in a suspected robbery attempt, police officers said on Monday. The man, who was found dead along the shore at the Calangute beach on Saturday, was on Monday identified as 25-year-old Harish Tanwar, a Delhi resident.

A case of murder was filed after a postmortem examination revealed stab marks on Tanwar's body, the police said. Three people, Sahil Kumar, a Nepal national Sunil Vishwakarma and Noor Khan have been detained in connection with the case. "We have identified the body and are currently probing the circumstances of his death," inspector Paresh Naik said.

AHEAD OF STATE POLLS

Maha freebies slugfest rages on

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MUMBAI: The political slugfest over the Mukhyamantri Ladki Bahin Yojana, the women-centric cash distribution scheme announced in the Maharashtra budget last month, continued on Monday, with the Opposition taking a swipe at the state government saying relationships and elections cannot be won with money, and the ruling Mahayuti alleging a vote for the Maha Vikas Aghadi (MVA) will result in the end of the scheme.

A flagship initiative of the chief minister Eknath Shinde-led government, the Ladki Bahin scheme entails paying ₹1,500 per month to women with an annual family income of less than ₹2.5 lakh. The first tranche of the aid under the scheme, which is being heavily promoted by the ruling alliance ahead of the crucial assembly elec-

tions scheduled for October, expected to be transferred into their bank accounts on August 17.

"There is a difference between relationships and transactions. The ruling alliance feels relationships and elections can be won over by money," Nationalist Congress Party (SP) working chief Supriya Sule told reporters on Monday. "Blood relations, love are different from a transaction." Taking a swipe at the Mahayuti — comprising the BJP, Shinde-led Shiv Sena and Ajit Pawar-led NCP —, the Baramati MP said the scheme was an obvious outcome

of the Lok Sabha polls, in which the ruling alliance fared poorly while the MVA won 31 of the state's 48 seats.

Ahead of the assembly polls, the state government has also announced waiver of power bills for farmers as well as distribution of three free cylinders to women. The Mahayuti, meanwhile, attacked the Opposition, with state BJP chief Chandrashekar Bawankule saying a vote for the MVA — comprising the Congress, Sharad Pawar-led NCP(SP) and Uddhav Thackeray-led Shiv Sena (UBT) — will result in the end of the Ladki Bahin scheme and stoppage of free power to farmers. He added the MVA's opposition to the scheme stems from its fear of defeat.

"A vote for MVA will end the Mukhyamantri Ladki Bahin Yojana, stop free power to farmers, and stop the Centre's food security scheme," the BJP leader alleged at a press conference.

RSS, BJP leaders meet ahead of Kerala conclave

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NEW DELHI: Top leaders of the Rashtriya Swayamsevak Sangh (RSS) and the Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP) met on Sunday to discuss a host of organisational issues, including the need for better synergy between the party and the organisation.

RSS general secretary Dattatreya Hosabale and joint general secretary Arun Kumar were present at the meeting with BJP president JP Nadda, and Union ministers Amit Shah and Rajnath Singh. The meeting, a periodic interaction between the leaders, comes ahead of a crucial coordination meeting of the RSS in Kerala from August 31 to September 2.

At the coordination meeting, the party, represented by Nadda, and RSS, BJP's ideological fount, will take stock of the outcome of

the Lok Sabha polls, the overall political and social scenario in the country and on the need for better coordination between the Sangh and the party.

With Nadda's term over, the Sangh and the party leaders are also expected to arrive at a name to replace him as party president. According to a person privy to the details, the Sangh's sanction is crucial for picking the new party chief.

The need for "better interface" between the party and the Sangh and improved coordination for decision making has been flagged, following the dip in the BJP's performance in the Lok Sabha polls said the person.

"The (BJP) leadership has been emphatic that they will not deviate from ideological position, but there have been some concerns over communication for which improved synergy has been suggested," the person said.

BREATHALYSERS, WEIGHING SCALES TO BE STANDARDISED

Govt to ramp up benchmarking campaign

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NEW DELHI: It's a problem many frequent flyers will be familiar with: luggage weighs more at the airport than it does at home.

In December last year, the Union government actually sent out an advisory to states and Union territories, asking them to recalibrate and stamp luggage-weighing machines at all airports following a spike in complaints of discrepancies by passengers to the ministry of consumer affairs.

The flyers claimed their luggage weighed less at home but more at check-in counters. Back in 2020, during a routine inspection at Jaipur airport, officials from the state's legal metrology department found three carriers were using a type of weighing scale not recommended for use by commercial airlines, leading to fines.

Although the Bureau of Indian Standards, a federal agency, has ramped up its benchmarking campaign —



from soft toys to e-rickshaws — many commonly used consumer items have yet to be standardized for testing and other parameters, including weighing scales. To bring more goods under set specifications, the ministry of consumer affairs has now picked about eight widely used items for which standards and rules meant for calibration, testing and verification are being formulated, said Nidhi Khare, Union secretary of consumer affairs. The process should be completed by year-end, she added. The items include weighing scales, breathalysers used by police, blood-pressure monitoring devices or sphygmomanometers, household energy meters, water meters and home-installed cooking gas meters. New calibration specification will apply to both locally made products as well as imported ones. Benchmarks are being designed for two critical commercial devices, moisture

meters and checkweighers, an end-of-assembly-line device. "Reliable testers will improve farm incomes," Khare said.

Farm traders as well as the Food Corporation of India, the Centre's grain-handling agency, use moisture meters to ascertain the quality of grains, which dictates the price. The FCI, which purchased 26.6 million tonne of wheat this year, uses hundreds of moisture detectors to verify if the grains being bought are of "fair and average quality", a threshold set by the government. "In case a faulty reading shows higher moisture content in wheat or rice, it can reduce the price commanded by farmers because more moisture means poor quality," said Vikash Telia, a grain trader in Punjab's Khanna Mandi, Asia's largest grain market. Khare said since breathalysers are routinely deployed by traffic police of all states to detect drunken driving, accuracy is vital. The decision to include breathalysers was taken because poor equipment calibration can

result in serious legal consequences, the official said. Calibration and testing standards of energy meters, which directly impact consumers, are another major market requirement, according to the consumer affairs ministry.

With the country increasingly switching to pre-paid smart meters under a national programme, consumers in many states have flagged issues with energy meters. Smart pre-paid meters are being installed under various federally funded schemes as well as by state utilities in states such as UP, Assam, Haryana, Bihar and Rajasthan. In Assam, many consumers alleged inflated electricity bills after switching to pre-paid meters, prompting protests. The government then ordered the state's electricity regulator to ascertain the veracity of the complaints. The Centre has been funding states to implement smart metering under National Smart Grid Mission and the Integrated Power Development Scheme.

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PATNA: Three years after the Bihar government first proposed construction of an AIIMS at Darbhanga, the second for the state, a 150.13-acre plot of land was on Monday transferred to the Union health ministry for the premier hospital.

The construction will begin soon, state health minister Mangal Pandey said. "A month ago, I met Union health minister JP Nadda to expedite the AIIMS Darbhanga project. Subsequently, we got a letter from the Centre requesting us to hand over the land so that work can be initiated soon," he said.

On July 25, the health ministry gave its approval for construction of AIIMS at Ekmi Shobhan bypass in Darbhanga. "Ideally, we wanted more than 200 acres of land so that the full project construction can be done in one go," said Dr Madhabananda Kar, executive director of AIIMS Darbhanga, who

accepted the land transfer papers on behalf of the Centre from Shashank Shekhar Sinha, special secretary of Bihar's health department at the Swasthya Bhawan in Patna.

The remaining land will be transferred by next week, said Pratyaya Amrit, Bihar's additional chief secretary, health. In its July 25 letter, the health ministry also requested the state government to initiate action for the provision of permanent electricity connection of 20 MVA from two alternate sources, four-lane road connectivity and 1.5MLD (million litre per day) water supply required for the establishment of the campus.

BSF FIRES IN AIR AS B'DESH NATIONALS TRY TO ENTER INDIA

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NEW JALPAIGURI: Personnel of the Border Security Force in Tripura fired non-lethal pump action guns (PAG) to dissuade about 15 Bangladesh nationals who attempted to enter India by climbing over the border fence on Monday.

The border guards spotted a group of Bangladesh nationals walking towards the fence at the border outpost of Pahamura in Khowai district of Tripura, officials said.

"When our personnel spotted them on Monday afternoon, they were asked to go back but they continued to climb the fence. Non-lethal PAG shots were fired after which they retreated back to Bangladesh," a BSF officer said on condition of anonymity.

With the downfall of the Sheikh Hasina government in Bangladesh, nationals from the crisis-ridden country attempting to cross over into India illegally have emerged as a new challenge for the BSF on the eastern frontier.

Bihar temple stampede leaves 8 dead, 35 injured

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PATNA: At least eight people were killed and 35 others injured in a stampede at a temple in Jehanabad district of Bihar on Monday morning, officials said, with the incident raising questions over lax security at the temple and prompting the Opposition to launch an attack against the state government.



Family members of the victims mourn after a stampede killed eight at a temple, in Jehanabad on Monday.

The deceased, six of them women, had gathered at the Baba Siddheshwar Nath Temple, along with hundreds of devotees, to mark the fourth Monday of the Hindu holy month of Sawan. The stampede occurred at around 10am, officials said.

While the district administration was yet to ascertain a cause for the stampede, witnesses alleged that a scuffle broke out between a flower seller and devotees. According to another witness account, the use of force by NCC volunteers to control the crowds led to the stampede.

"Seven people, mostly kanwariyas, were killed and 16 others injured in a stampede at Baba Siddheshwar Nath temple in Barabar Pahadi area of Jehanabad around 10am on Sunday. The deceased included six women," district magistrate Alankrita Pandey said.

The eighth person died during treatment at the Magadh medi-

cal college, said Jehanabad SDPO Rajiv Pratap Singh.

The deceased have been identified as Manju Devi, Sushila Devi, Punam Devi, Nisha Kumari, Nisha Devi, Pyare Paswan and Raju Kumar, while the identity of one woman is yet to be established, Pandey said.

The injured were taken to medical facilities in Mukundapur and nearby areas, with 10 discharged after first aid and six still hospitalised.

While the DM noted that security personnel at the temple quickly brought the situation under control, witnesses alleged that only three police constables and about a dozen NCC cadets were deployed at the site to manage the crowd.

Manoj Singh, one of the witnesses, said there was a brawl between a flower seller and devotees. The flower seller used a lathi and attacked one of the devotees, which led to the stampede.

"Had the administration worked well, the flower seller would not have picked a fight. It happened right before us. So many of us were trapped there, someone pulled me out of there. One of my family members is missing after the incident," he said, adding that the police arrived at the spot an hour after the stampede occurred.

Another devotee alleged that NCC volunteers, engaged in crowd management, used lathis on the devotees, triggering a panic which finally led to the

stampede. Recounting the horror, Julie Devi said, "We were in the queue with holy water and suddenly people from the upper side started falling after a scuffle and lathi charge." Devi's children, Rakhi Kumari (11) and Abhishek Kumar (13), are among the injured.

The administration, however, denied the charge of use of force by NCC volunteers. "This was an unfortunate incident. Adequate arrangements including force (NCC), civil deputations and medical teams were made," said Jehanabad SDO Vikas Kumar.

A four-member committee comprising ADM (Disaster), DSP (headquarters), SDO and SDPO has been constituted by district magistrate to probe the incident.

Bihar chief minister Nitish Kumar expressed grief over the incident and instructed that an ex gratia of ₹4 lakh each be provided to the families of the deceased. The CM also directed the district administration to ensure the best possible treatment for the injured.

Meanwhile, RJD leaders Lalu Prasad, Rabri Devi and Tejashwi Yadav have expressed grief over the incident. The opposition Rashtriya Janata Dal alleged there was negligence on part of the police. "This happened due to the negligence of the police administration," alleged local RJD MLA Suday Yadav.



Nawab Singh Yadav

EX-SP LEADER HELD FOR ATTEMPTING TO RAPE 15-YR-OLD

KANNAUJ: A former "block pramukh" allegedly affiliated with the Samajwadi Party (SP) has been arrested on charges of attempting to rape a 15-year-old girl in Kannauj district of Uttar Pradesh, police said on Monday.

Kannauj superintendent of police Amit Kumar Anand said police teams responded to a distress call around 1.30am on Monday. "At around 1.30am, a call was received at the UP 112 helpline in which the girl alleged a rape attempt," he said.

Police said Nawab Singh Yadav, who is the manager of a private college, allegedly called the girl and her aunt to the college on Sunday night on the pretext of helping the girl get a job, but tried to force himself on her when her aunt went to the bathroom. "Taking cognisance of the distress call, police rescued the girl and arrested the accused, who was in an objectionable condition, was taken into custody."

The incident triggered a political slugfest with UP BJP spokesperson Rakesh Tripathi alleging that Yadav "is not a small leader of SP but he has been MP Dimple Yadav's representative".

SP's Kannaauj unit chief Kaleem Khan, however, maintained: "It's his individual matter and the SP has nothing to do with it." HT

Maha pvt school teacher arrested for raping student over 5 months

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MUMBAI: A 30-year-old English teacher from a private school has been arrested for allegedly sexually assaulting his 14-year-old student over the last five months, in Palghar district of Maharashtra, police said on Monday. The school authorities, however, declined having any information of the crime and have since sacked the teacher.

Police said the accused is a teacher at the teenager's school in Vasai and also took private tuition classes, and was allegedly sexually assaulting the survivor since March 2024.

"In her statement to police, the survivor said that the accused raped her several times on the school premises and at his tuition classes. She also said that when she opposed the repeated assaults, the teacher threatened to post her nude pho-

THE TEACHER ALLEGEDLY RAPED THE STUDENT SEVERAL TIMES ON SCHOOL PREMISES AND AT HIS TUITION CLASSES

tos online," an officer aware of the matter said, adding that the accused threatened the teenager of dire consequences if she told her parents.

"On August 9, when the survivor returned home from tuition classes, she complained of pain in her stomach and private parts. On inquiring further, the girl told her parents about the rape following which they approached Palghar police," the officer said. He added: "Based on the complaint lodged by the girl's parents, we have registered a case of rape under sections 64 (2)(f) (commits rape on a woman

incapable of giving consent) and 65 (1) (punishment for rape in certain cases) of the Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita and relevant sections of the Protection of Children Against Sexual Offences Act (Pocso) 2012."

Senior police inspector Jiten-dra Vankoti said: "We have arrested the accused and are now investigating to find out whether he has sexually abused any other student."

Another police officer attached to the Palghar police station added that the survivor has been sent for medical examination, and a local court remanded the accused in police custody for four days.

Meanwhile, the school authorities have informed police that they were unaware of the incident and that there were no previous complaints against the teacher. After the incident came to light, the teacher was fired from the school.

6 die after being hit by speeding car in Bengal

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SILIGURI: Six people died and several others were injured after an SUV hit pedestrians near Siliguri, in Darjeeling district of West Bengal, on Monday, police said.

Police said the incident took place around 6am in Howdi Jote area of Muni tea estate near Bagdogra. The SUV was returning with devotees from a Shiva temple near Siliguri.

Witnesses told police that the vehicle hit the pedestrians at high speed. Siliguri police commissioner C Sudhakar confirmed that six pedestrians were killed in the incident.

Hetmuri Singhajhora gram panchayat pradhan, Jagannath Roy, said: "After mowing down the pedestrians, the vehicle smashed 14 roadside markers before crashing into a ditch."

The deceased have been identified as Prahlad Roy, Gobind Singh (22), Amlesh Chowdhury (20), Kanak Burman (22), Pranab Roy (28), and Padakant Roy,



Witnesses told police that an SUV hit pedestrians in Howdi Jote area in Siliguri.

HC RESERVES ORDER ON WITHDRAWAL OF CONSENT IN CASE AGAINST DKS

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BENGALURU: The Karnataka high court on Monday reserved its order on petitions filed by the CBI and BJP MLA Basangouda Patil Yatnal, challenging the state government's move to withdraw consent for a probe by the federal investigation agency in the disproportionate assets case against deputy chief minister DK Shivakumar.

A division bench, comprising justice K Somashekhar and justice Umesh M Adiga, reserved the order after extensive hearings.

Advocates representing the Congress government questioned the legality of the consent given by the previous BJP government and argued that the petitions were not maintainable. The CBI had earlier alleged that Shivakumar, also state Congress president, amassed assets disproportionate to his known sources of income between 2013 and 2018.

SC's 2-mth deadline for law concerning allied health staff

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NEW DELHI: The Supreme Court on Monday issued a stern directive to the Centre and state governments, giving them two months to effectively implement the National Commission for Allied & Healthcare Professions Act (NCAHP), 2021.

The court order included the establishment of the respective professional councils and state allied and health care councils to effectuate the central law, which provides a regulatory mecha-

nism to streamline the education and practice of allied health care professionals, such as technicians, therapists and duty assistants, in the country.

Emphasising the urgency of putting the statutory and regulatory framework in place by October 15, a bench, headed by Chief Justice of India Dhananjaya Y Chandrachud, expressed deep concern over the lax implementation of the 2021 law despite the court's issuance of notice in the matter in September 2023.

"The Act came into force on May 25, 2021. It is stated in the

SC HAS EXPRESSED DEEP CONCERN OVER THE LAX IMPLEMENTATION OF THE 2021 LAW

plea that most of the provisions have not been implemented. Notice was issued by this court on Sept 23, 2023. Out of all states and UTs, only 14 states have constituted state councils. It has been urged that the above state councils are also not functional," noted the bench, also compris-

ing justices JB Pardiwala and Manoj Misra.

The bench directed the Union ministry of health to convene an online meeting with the concerned secretaries of the states within the next two weeks to expedite the process while warning that failure to comply with this directive could result in coercive measures against non-compliant parties. "We direct that the Union and states shall on or before October 15, 2024, take steps to implement the provisions of National Commission for Allied & Healthcare Profes-

sions Act, 2021. The secretary in the Union ministry of health and family welfare shall within two weeks convene an online meeting of all the state secretaries in health ministries and devise a road map consistent with the Act," directed the bench.

The directive came in response to a public interest litigation filed (PIL) by the Joint Forum of Medical Technologists of India (JFMTI), calling for the urgent implementation of the 2021 Act to regulate and standardise the allied healthcare sector in India.

Government of Punjab
Tender Reference No.: EE PWSSD No. 2/Amritsar/33/2024 Date: 09.08.2024

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

Closing Date: 03.09.2024 Time upto 1.00 PM

Pre-Bid Meeting Venue: Date 20.08.2024 Sr. No. 1 Tender 11.00 AM

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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

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NORTH CENTRAL RAILWAY

E-Tendering Tender Notice

Divisional Railway Manager (Works) N.C. Railway, Jhansi for and behalf of President of India invites sealed "Open Tender" through on Line (E-Tendering) for the following work.

E-Tender No.: JHS-ENGG-HQ-2024-164

| Approx Cost | Earnest Money | Date of closing Tender |
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| 18386596.33 | 241900.00 | 03.09.2024 at 15:00 hrs. |

Description of work : Virangana Lakshmbhai Jhansi - Construction of 8 units RB II Staff quarters in lieu of Dilapidated RB I quarters in west colony Jhansi.

Date of Completion/period from issue acceptance letter : 12 Months.

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E-Tender Enquiry No. 548/P-2/EMPW-12757 Dated 05.08.2024 Dy. Chief Engineer/Head quarter (Purchase Cell-2) GGSSTP, Rupnagar invites E-Tender ID No. 2024_POWER_124926_1 for Maintenance of Switchyard & Transformer Yard Areas (22 Acres Approximately) at 220KV Sub Station, 66KV Sub-Station, GGSSTP, 2x50KW Micro hydro project and transformer yard Areas of 4x210 MW Units, GGSSTP, Rupnagar.

For detailed NIT & Tender Specification please refer to https://eproc.punjab.gov.in from 08.08.2024 onwards.

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

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ADMISSION ANNOUNCEMENT FOR DISTANCE PROGRAMME - for the academic session July-August, 2024

The International Institute for Population Sciences (IIPS), an autonomous organization established in 1956 under Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, Government of India, invites applications for admission to the M.A. in Population Studies programme (Distance Mode) for the Academic Year July-August 2024-2025.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Whereas, Sh. Harsh Vardhan Bansal, Director, M/s Unity Buildwell Ltd., G-3, Aggarwal Corporate Tower, 23, Rajender Place, New Delhi has applied before the undersigned for grant of 'Provisional Certificate' for construction of 05 Nos. of Screen Cinema Hall/ multiplex at City Centre, Plot No. 4, Sector-12, Dwarka, New Delhi.

Whereas, the Provisional Certificate has been granted to above mentioned Sh. Harsh Vardhan Bansal, Director, vide this office letter No. 938/Joint CP/Lic. (Cinema) dated 01.11.2023 under Rule 4 of Delhi Cinematograph Rules, 2008 and the Dy. Director (Bldg.) C&I, Delhi Development Authority, C-1, 1st Floor, Vikas Sadan, INA, New Delhi has also been informed vide this office letter as mentioned above.

Notice is hereby given for information of general public that a cinema hall is being constructed at the earmarked site. Given under my hand this 13th day of August 2024.

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Whereas, Sh. Harsh Vardhan Bansal, Authorized Signatory, M/s Parsvnath Developers Ltd., 6th Floor, Arunachal Building, 19, Barakhamba Road, New Delhi has applied before the undersigned for grant of 'Provisional Certificate' for construction of 06 Nos. of Screen Cinema Hall/ multiplex at Netaji Subhash Place, Metro Station, Opposite Wazirpur District Centre, Pitam Pura, New Delhi.

Whereas, the Provisional Certificate has been granted to above mentioned Sh. Harsh Vardhan Bansal, Authorized Signatory, vide this office letter No. 934/Joint CP/Lic. (Cinema) dated 30.10.2023 under Rule 4 of Delhi Cinematograph Rules, 2008 and the Dy. Director (Bldg.) C&I, Delhi Development Authority, C-1, 1st Floor, Vikas Sadan, INA, New Delhi has also been informed vide this office letter as mentioned above.

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Whereas, Sh. Sumit Gola, Authorized Signatory M/s Panch Tatva Promoters Pvt. Ltd., Unit No. 105, 1st floor, Vardhman Siddhart Shopping Plaza, LSC, Savita Vihar, Delhi has applied before the undersigned for grant of 'Provisional Certificate' for construction of 04 Nos. Screen Cinema/ Multiplex at Plot No. 34, Pocket/Block A-2, Paschim Vihar, Delhi

Whereas, the Provisional Certificate has been granted to above mentioned Sh. Sumit Gola, Authorized Signatory, vide this office letter No. 495/ Jt. CP/Lic. (Cinema) dated 29.07.2024 under Rule 4 of Delhi Cinematograph Rules, 2008 and the Dy. Director (Bldg.) C&I, Delhi Development Authority, C-1, 1st Floor, Vikas Sadan, INA, New Delhi has also been informed vide this office letter as mentioned above.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Whereas, Sh. Manas Modi, Director, M/s County Project Pvt. Ltd., Multiplex at Plot No. G-4, Netaji Subhash Place, Wazirpur, District Centre, New Delhi has applied before the undersigned for grant of 'Provisional Certificate' for construction of 04 Nos. of Screen Cinema Hall/ Multiplex at Plot No. G-4, Netaji Subhash Place, Wazirpur, District Centre, New Delhi.

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Extract from the Un-Audited Standalone and Consolidated Financial Results for the Quarter and Three months ended on 30.06.2024 (₹ in Lakh)

| Sl. No. | Particulars | Standalone | | Consolidated | | | |
|---------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|----------------------|---------------|----------------------|---------|---------|
| | | Quarter Ended | Financial Year Ended | Quarter Ended | Financial Year Ended | | |
| | | 30.06.2024 | 31.03.2024 | 30.06.2024 | 31.03.2024 | | |
| 1 | Total Income from Operations | 963859 | 758594 | 3336610 | 963859 | 758594 | 3336610 |
| 2 | Net Profit/(Loss) for the period (before Tax, Exceptional and/or Extraordinary items) | 11919 | (2642) | 12412 | 11919 | (2642) | 12412 |
| 3 | Net Profit/(Loss) for the period before Tax (after Exceptional and/or Extraordinary items) | 11919 | (2642) | 12412 | 11919 | (2642) | 12412 |
| 4 | Net Profit/(Loss) for the period after Tax (after Exceptional and/or Extraordinary items) | 11727 | (2857) | 10851 | 11727 | (2857) | 10851 |
| 5 | Total Comprehensive Income for the period (Comprising Profit/(Loss) for the period (after tax) and Other Comprehensive Income (after tax)) | 380 | 795 | 5753 | 380 | 795 | 5753 |
| 6 | Paid up Equity Share Capital | 397595 | 315078 | 355025 | 397595 | 315078 | 355025 |
| 7 | Reserves (excluding Revaluation Reserve) | 53326 | 64796 | 79593 | 53326 | 64796 | 79593 |
| 8 | Securities Premium Account | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 9 | Net Worth | 413534 | 344200 | 397648 | 413534 | 344200 | 397648 |
| 10 | Paid up Debt Capital / Outstanding Debt | 1714074 | 1806204 | 1543911 | 1714074 | 1806204 | 1543911 |
| 11 | Outstanding Redeemable Preference Share | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 12 | Debt Equity Ratio | 1.90 | 2.38 | 2.03 | 1.90 | 2.38 | 2.03 |
| 13 | Earnings Per Share of ₹ 10/- each (for Continuing and Discontinued Operations) | | | | | | |
| | 1. Basic & Diluted before extraordinary items & net movement of Regulatory Deferral account balance (₹) (not annualised) | (5.22) | (4.87) | (2.59) | (5.22) | (4.87) | (2.59) |
| | 2. Basic & Diluted after extraordinary items & net movement of Regulatory Deferral account balance (₹) (not annualised) | 0.30 | (0.10) | 0.30 | 0.30 | (0.10) | 0.30 |
| 14 | Capital Redemption Reserve | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 15 | Debt Redemption Reserve | 21201 | 19534 | 20784 | 21201 | 19534 | 20784 |
| 16 | Debt Service Coverage Ratio | 0.68 | 0.95 | 0.98 | 0.68 | 0.95 | 0.98 |
| 17 | Interest Service Coverage Ratio | 1.34 | 1.37 | 1.46 | 1.34 | 1.37 | 1.46 |

Notes:

- The above is an extract of the detailed format of the Statements of Un-Audited Standalone and Consolidated Financial Results filed with the Stock Exchange under Regulation 52 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015. The full format of the Statements of Un-Audited Standalone and Consolidated Financial Results are available on the Company's website www.wbseidcl.in and on the website of Bombay Stock Exchange (www.bseindia.com).
- The above results were reviewed and recommended by the Audit Committee of the Board of Directors in its meeting held on 12th August, 2024 and approved by the Board of Directors in its meeting held on the same day.
- The Un-Audited Financial Results for the Quarter ended 30th June, 2024 was carried out by the Auditor of the Company as required under Regulation 52 of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015. The Auditor of the Company, R. Gopal & Associates, Chartered Accountants, has issued Audit Reports with unmodified opinion on the said Standalone and Consolidated Financial Results.
- Total value of secured, redeemable, non-convertible bonds issued by the company on private placement basis is ₹ 100000 lakh. These securities are listed with Bombay Stock Exchange in Wholesale Debt Market.
- Tariff order for the year 2024-25 has been issued by WBERC on 06.03.2024. Financial impact of the said Tariff orders has been considered in the Financial Statements for Q1 FY: 2024-25.
- The previous period's figures have been re-grouped / re-classified / re-measured wherever necessary to confirm current period's classification.
- The Financial Statements of West Bengal Green Energy Development Corporation Limited (WBGEDCL), only Associate Company of WBSEIDCL, has been considered for preparation of Consolidated Financial Statement based on management certificate obtained in this regard.
- Ratios are calculated on annualised basis.

Place: Kolkata
Date: 12th August, 2024

For West Bengal State Electricity Distribution Company Limited
Sd/-
(Santanu Basu)
Chairman and Managing Director

ICA - N 3891/2024

GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM
MISSION DIRECTORATE OF SWACHH BHARAT MISSION(U)
...:ASSAM...
2nd Floor, Directorate of Municipal Administration, Dispur, Guwahati-06
E-mail: sbmurbanassam@gmail.com Ph no.0361-2261436

No.SBM(U) /262/2024/Tezpur/22
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Online Bids through e-procurement portal www.assamtenders.gov.in are invited from the Government registered Class I or its equivalent contractors/firms/companies for the following works:

| Name of Activity | Tender Value | Bid security (EMD) | Tender fees | Last date & Time of Bid submission | Date & Time of Bid opening |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|--------------|------------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Design, Supply, Construction, Installation, Testing and Commissioning of two Sewage Treatment Plant at Tezpur Town of 2.0 MLD (1 MLD +1 MLD) capacity including O&M for 5 years as per DBC Mode under SBM(U) 2.0 | Rs. 2,73,56,465.00 (CAPEX) Rs. 2,49,27,665.00 + O&M Rs. 24,28,800.00 | Rs. 5,47,129.00 | Rs. 5,000.00 | 02/09/2024 at 14:00 hours | 03/09/2024 at 12:00 hours |

The tender documents can be downloaded from www.assamtenders.gov.in from 13/08/2024 (15:00 hours) onwards. The bids will be opened online on the e-procurement portal as per schedule mentioned above.

Pre-Bid meeting time and venue: 22/08/2024 at 12:00 hours at the Office of the Mission Director, Swachh Bharat Mission (Urban), Assam, Dispur, Guwahati-6

Completion time of the projects: 24 months (including the rainy season)

The Tender Inviting Authority reserves the right to accept or reject any bid/tender, and to cancel/annul the bidding process and reject all the bids at any time prior to the contract award without assigning any reason thereof.

Sd/-
State Mission Director,
Swachh Bharat Mission (Urban), Assam
Dispur, Guwahati-6

Janasanyog /CF/1034/ 24/13-Aug-24

Government of Maharashtra
Public Works Department P.W. Division, Panvel
Telephone No. 022-27452778
E-Tender Notice No. 24 (Open ONLINE) Year-2024-25
E-mail address :- panvel.ee@mahapwd.gov.in Fax Number :- 022-27467440

Executive Engineer P.W. Division Panvel invite B-1 Tender From Registered Contractor with Govt. of Maharashtra Detail Tender Notice Available on www.mahapwd.gov.in and www.mahatenders.gov.in.
Note :- Total 1 Work include in Tender notice.
Online Tender Download & Bid Preparation Period Date 09.08.2024 At 10.00 AM To Date 23.08.2024 18.00 PM.
Online Tender Bid Preparation Last Date 23.08.2024 at 18.00 PM.

E-Tender/O.No./P.W./PNL/ Office of the Executive Engineer, Public Work Division, Panvel.
Dist. Raigad
Date -
DGIPR/2024-2025/ROC 1871

Sd/-
Executive Engineer
P. W. Division
Panvel

Government of Assam
AFD financed
Assam Project on Forest & Biodiversity Conservation- Phase II
Assam Project on Forest & Biodiversity Conservation Society (APFBCS)
Aranya Bhawan, Panjabari, Guwahati-781037. Website: apfbc.nic.in
Email: pd.pmu.apfbc@nic.in; pd@apfbc.in

INVITATION FOR BIDS (IFB)
INTERNATIONAL PROCUREMENT COMPETITION (IPC)

IFB No. APFBC/PMU/Phase-II/Cloud Services/2024/3507, Dated Guwahati the 10th August 2024.

Contract Title: **PROCUREMENT OF CLOUD HOSTING SERVICES FOR THE ASSAM PROJECT ON FOREST AND BIODIVERSITY CONSERVATION-PHASE II.**

The Assam Project on Forest and Biodiversity Conservation Society (APFBCS) has received funds from Agence Française de Développement ("AFD") towards the cost of "Assam Project on Forest and Biodiversity Conservation- Phase II". The Project Director, APFBCS invites Bids from eligible bidders for the supply of cloud services for hosting of Forest Management Information system integrated with Geospatial applications and mobile apps under the project. Hard copy of the Bidding document may be purchased in the manner specified on the website of APFBCS or the Bidding document may be downloaded free of cost from the website of APFBCS viz. www.apfbc.nic.in from 11th August 2024 to 10th September 2024. Detailed IFB Notice may be seen on the website of APFBCS.

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- Date and time of opening of Bid 10th September 2024 (14.15 hrs-IST)

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REQUIRED BDS/MDS Dentist for Receptionist Kitchen staff, cook, ward Boy, Infr. 1-3 SMA Hospital J-293 Saket 9667200146; snah293hr@gmail.com

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CHANGE OF NAME

I, VIBHOR Gupta S/o Late Sri Krishan Kumar Gupta R/o Flat No.109, Tower-2, J.M. Royal Park, Ramprastha Greens, Vajshahi, Ghaziabad, UP have changed my daughter's name from Bhavya Gupta to Bhavya Gupta for all future purposes.

I, BINDU W/o Rajender Pal R/o H.No. 145, Gali No. 2, NH-8, Near Sapna Hotel, Rajiv Colony Gurugram. In my LIC Policy no 113933972 my name mentioned as Leela Devi but my correct name is out Bindu for all future purposes

I, SIDDHARTH Kishore S/o Kamal Kishore R/o A-1402, La Lagune Apartment, Golf Course Road, Sector 54, Gurugram Haryana have changed the name of my minor son Ronav to Ronav aged 14 years and he shall hereafter be known as Ronav Kishor and his date of Birth is 03.03.2010

I, RAMLATA Sharma W/o Chander Veer, R/o 1338, Sector-64, Faridabad Haryana declare that name of me and my father written as Rohish S/o Hari Singh Verma. Correct name of me and my father is Rohish Choudhary S/o Sh. Hari Singh for all future purposes.

I, SUMAN Singh W/o Sh. Nand Lal Singh R/o Plot No-132-133, Nawada, Vipin Garden Extn, Uttam Nagar, New Delhi-110059 have changed my name from Suman to Suman Singh for all future purposes & Suman and Suman Singh both are the same and one person.

I, MARUTI F/o No. 16116233H Hav Avishav Maruti Patil R/o Vill. Kulumwada, PO- Halaga, Teh-Khanapur, Dist-Belgaum, Karnataka -591120, declare that I have change my name from Maruti to Maruti Badakhi Patil for all future purposes vide Public Notary Delhi affidavit dt 12-08-2024

I, DHARAMBIR Singh S/o Rajmal R/o R2/76376, Gali No.2, Raj Nagar-II, Palam Colony New Delhi-110077, Have Changed My Minor Son Name From Ch Jay Nunchal To Jayant Choudhary & I Declare That in Future he will be known As Jayant Choudhary For All Purpose.

I, VEENAL Bansal W/o Aniket Verma R/o Flat No.-1971, Tower-1, Avenue-11, Gaur City-2 Greater Noida West, Gautam Buddha Nagar (UP) 201318 after marriage have changed my name to Veenal Verma for all future purposes.

I, GITIKA Singla, W/o Shri Raj Kumar R/o House No.21, First Floor, Pocket-1, Sector 24, Rohini, North West Delhi-110085, Declare that my name mentioned in my Aadhaar & PAN Card as Gitika Singla & in my 10th Marksheet mentioned as GITIKA. I Declare that Gitika Singla and Gitika is the name of one & the same person & I'll be known as Gitika Singla in future for all purposes.

I, AKANKSHA Pandey, have changed my name to Akanksha Pandey Majumdar for all purposes vide notarised affidavit dated 30th July 2024.

I, VEENAL Bansal W/o Aniket Verma R/o Flat No.-1971, Tower-1, Avenue-11, Gaur City-2 Greater Noida West, Gautam Buddha Nagar (UP) 201318 after marriage have changed my name to Veenal Verma for all future purposes.

I, MUDASIR ahmad wani s/o Gh Nabi wani R/o nowdal tral pulwama jandk 192223 do here by solemnly affirm that my name is mentioned as Mudasiir ahmad wani in our adhar card & in other documents as Mudasiir ahmad, that Mudasiir ahmad wani and Mudasiir ahmad both names belongs to the one and the same person that is my self

I, ALKA Rani W/o Surendra Kumar R/o 410A, First Floor, Gali No-5, Govind Park, Kalkaji, New Delhi-110079 have changed my name to Alka for all future Purposes.

I, SACHIN Choudhary S/o Sukrampal Singh R/o Pathaui Meerut U.P-250341 Have changed my name to Sachin Choudhary for all future puposes

I, VIR Singh Gautam S/o Sh. Ram Sahay Gautam R/o H.No.228, Sector-31, Faridabad-121003, Haryana have changed my name from Vir Singh to Vir Singh Gautam for all future purposes.

I, YUVRAJ Bhattarai R/o 29A, Ug floor Gali no. 5 Preet Vihar Nanjigi Dairy, Najafgarh New Delhi-110043 have changed my name from Tejavinu Bhattarai to Taniyasee Bhattarai.

I, SATENDRA S/o Balaram R/o House No.-41, Baranagar, Nali Basti, Dabri, Gautam Buddha Nagar, Delhi-202027 have changed my name to Satendra Bhattarai for all purposes.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, BHAHYA Gautam D.O.B.14/03/1988 S/o Sh. Narinder Sharma R/O, D-18 Ground Floor Suncity Sec.-54 Gurugram Haryana have changed my name from Bhavya Kumar Gautam to Bhavya Gautam for all future purposes

I, DHIRENDER Pal Tomer S/O. Harpal Singh R/O 744/1, Near MCI Primary school, Village Burari, Delhi-110084 have changed my name to Dhirender Pal Tomar.

I, BALA Devi W/o Anil Chauhan, resident of 42, Karhera, Mohan Nagar, Ghaziabad, Uttar Pradesh-201007, have changed my name from Bala Chauhan to Bala Devi, for all future purposes.

I, ROHANSI Choudhary S/o Sh. Hari Singh R/o House No. MCF-5665, Sangay Colony, Gali No.25, Sector-23, Faridabad Haryana declare that name of me and my father written as Rohish S/o Hari Singh Verma. Correct name of me and my father is Rohish Choudhary S/o Sh. Hari Singh for all future purposes.

I, MANGAL Ram Baiwra S/o Ladu Ram R/o B 37, Sector 56, Noida, G. B. Nagar U.P-201301 have changed my name Mangal Ram Baiwra to Mangal Ram for all future purposes.

I, REKHA Mahanya, R/o F809, 8th Floor, Uminar Heights Apt. Raj Nagar Extension, Ghaziabad-201017, Uttar Pradesh have changed my name to Rekha Jain for all purposes.

I, ASHA Sadhana W/o Rakesh Sadhna R/O Tower - D-1903, Cleo Colony, G/O'S, Sector-21, Noida, Gautam Buddha Nagar (U.P) 201301 have changed my name to Asha Sadhna for all future purposes.

I, SARANSH S/o Sh. Preet Prakash R/o House No.- 1352, Dewnara, Patia, Karala, North West Delhi, New Delhi-110081 have changed my name from Saranish to Saranish Mather for all future purposes.

I, RAJWANT Kaur D/o S. Gurdayal Singh R/o NH-58 - 89, NIT Faridabad, Haryana-121001 have changed my name to Rajwant Kaur Shargari for all future purposes.

I, NANO Lal Singh S/O Sh. Veer Singh R/O Plot No-132-133, Nawada, Vipin Garden Extn, Uttam Nagar, New Delhi-110059 have changed my name from Nand Lal to Nand Lal Singh for all future purposes & Nand Lal and Nand Lal Singh both are the same and one person.

I, DEEPSHIKHA D/o Ashok Kumar, R/O Hino, 161-162, GF, Block-B, Pocket-5, Sector-3, Rohini, Delhi-110085, have changed my name to Deepshikha Kumar for all purposes.

I, MADDIKA Jayachandra Reddy F/o Maddika Gurrundreddy Reddy R/O Vili -Maddikavari Paili, PO-Mujapalli, Teh-Chakravarti, Dist-Cuddapah (AP) have change my name from Jayachandra Reddy to Maddika Jayachandra Reddy vide affidavit dt 10-08-2024 executed before Notary Notary Delhi

I, MOHD Mohiuddin S/O Mohd Haniffuddin, R/O No-533/A, Street no.1, Mandawali Fazalpur Delhi-110092, declare that Mohd Mohi Uddin with space and Mohd Mohiuddin without space is one and same person name i shall be known as Mohd Mohiuddin for all future purpose

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I, UMESH Kumar S/o Rampal Maurya R/o C-138/7 Preet Nagar 3 Gaurav Nagar 2, Kiraenwala, Kirari Suleman Nagar, Sutanagar C Block, North West Delhi 110086, from Umesh Kumar to Umesh Maurya for all future purpose.

I, RAHUL Balyan Army no. 15710207M, Rank Lnk, Resident-Vill+post Goela,budhana, Muzaffarnagar, UP-251318, declare that in the Army Record Name of My Wife Has Been Written as Smt. Madhu, which is wrong, correct name of My wife is smt Madhu Balyan Vide Affidavit no. DL34501920935226W, Date-10 Aug 2024

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After June deficit, August logs 28% excess rain within 2 weeks

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NEW DELHI: Unusually active monsoon this month has pushed the total monsoon rainfall to a 6% excess since June 1, data from India Meteorological Department (IMD) showed. In the first 12 days of the month, August has recorded 28% excess rain, with the copious amounts of rain leaving parts of northwest India, including Delhi-NCR, flooded.

Heavy rainfall is likely to continue over Rajasthan, Uttar Pradesh, east and northeast India over the next seven days, IMD has warned, adding that isolated heavy to very heavy rainfall is also very likely over Kerala, Tamil Nadu, South Interior Karnataka and Rayalaseema during next five days.

In August, there is 55.7% excess rain over northwest India; 46.8% excess over east and north-east India; 13.1% excess over central India and 2.7% excess over the southern peninsula. July saw 9% excess rain while June recorded a 11% deficiency.

Experts attributed the excess rain to multiple weather systems running concurrently.

"There are multiple weather systems at play. There are two cyclonic circulations currently—one over northeast Rajasthan and another over southeast Uttar Pradesh. The monsoon trough is over the Indo-Gangetic Plains region. It is very active. The trough is likely to remain over the same area for next 4-5 days. So, there will be more rain this week. We are not expecting break monsoon in the next week. Rainfall has picked up in August also because ENSO neutral conditions have set in which is supporting monsoon," said Mahesh Palawat, vice president, climate and meteorology at Symet Weather.

Meanwhile, latest model outputs indicate that transition to La Nina may be delayed. IMD's Monsoon Mission Climate Forecast System (MMCFCS) indicated that La Nina conditions are likely to develop during second half of the monsoon season. US's National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration issued a La Nina watch in May, indicating that La Nina conditions are

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expected to be established soon. The La Nina watch issued last week said La Nina could form as early as June-August.

Indian National Centre for Ocean Information Services (INCOIS) said on August 5 that the sea surface temperature anomaly signature in the eastern and Central Pacific shows the near-neutral ENSO condition continued in July as well.

"The probability for the Pacific Ocean to remain in ENSO neutral condition is high until October. From November to January, the probabilities for the neutral conditions to continue or La Nina events to develop are almost equal (45-60%). The probability for the Pacific to remain in ENSO neutral conditions is high from February to April 2025," INCOIS said.

"La Nina has not really developed in full swing... It is getting delayed but may develop towards the end of monsoon. Because of this monsoon will be active in September also," said M Rajeevan, former secretary, ministry of earth sciences and climate scientist.

The term El Niño refers to the large-scale ocean-atmosphere climate phenomenon linked to a periodic warming in sea-surface temperatures across the central and east-central equatorial Pacific. El Niño represents the warm phase of the El Niño/Southern Oscillation (ENSO) cycle while La Nina is just the opposite. La Nina refers to the periodic cooling of ocean surface temperatures in the central and east-central equatorial Pacific that occurs every 3 to 5 years or so. These phenomena are a part of natural climate variability but have an impact on rainfall and temperatures globally.



Vehicles pass through a waterlogged Sikar Road following heavy rain in Jaipur on Monday. PTI

23 killed as relentless rainfall wreaks havoc in three states

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JAIPUR/DEHRADUN/LUCKNOW: At least 23 people were killed in rain-related incidents in the last 24 hours across Rajasthan, Uttar Pradesh and Uttarakhand as relentless heavy monsoon showers wreaked havoc in different parts of the country, especially northern and north-western India, on Monday.

Heavy rains, according to officials in the three states, led to severe flooding, swelling of rivers and other water bodies, and landslides, bringing normal life to a screeching halt. Of the 23 casualties in rain-related incidents, 12 people were killed in Uttar Pradesh, eight in Rajasthan and three in Uttarakhand in the last 24 hours, officials said.

According to the UP relief commissioner's office, four people died due to drowning in overflowing water bodies, four killed due to snakebites, three died after being struck by lightning, and one person was killed due to heavy rainfall in Banda district. Isolated moderate to heavy rain

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was reported in several areas, exacerbating flood situation, especially in Basti and Farrukhabad districts. According to the IMD, Sultanpur district logged the maximum 51.6 mm of rainfall in the 24 hours ending at 8.30 am on Monday. "Most areas are under control and relief measures have been deployed. However, there are a few areas where roads in and out of villages have become inaccessible due to floods," relief commissioner GS Naveen Kumar said.

In Rajasthan, disaster management authorities confirmed at least eight deaths, including five men drowning in the Kanota dam and two others in Galta lake in Jaipur, in the last 24 hours following incessant rains. A 30-year-old man

in Dausa was also killed on Monday after being washed away in the Moroli dam, officials said.

The weather office, meanwhile, has predicted heavy rainfall for next 4-5 days, especially in eastern Rajasthan. Schools remained shut in Jaipur, Sawai Madhopur, Bharatpur, Dausa and Karauli districts following predictions of heavy rainfall.

In Uttarakhand, three people were killed in rain-related incidents while as many were feared missing after they were swept away in water bodies following heavy rainfall in various parts of the hill state.

In Uttarakashi district, a vehicle was crushed under a boulder at Radi Top leading to the death of a 54-year-old man. In Bageshwar, a woman was swept away in the local rain-fed Pahadi Pani drain near Garud on Sunday and her body was found two km downstream, police said. A 10-year-old boy, Amarjeet, was swept away in the swollen Gaula river in Haldwani on Sunday evening and his body was recovered 5 km downstream in Goda Padav area, Nainital district officials said.

Partially reopen Shambhu border, SC tells Punjab, Hry

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NEW DELHI: The Supreme Court on Monday asked Haryana and Punjab to partially reopen the Shambhu border, which has been blocked due to farmers' protests, even as it refused to stay a judicial inquiry into the death of a farmer during a clash between protesting farmers and Haryana security personnel in February.

Addressing the blockade on the national highway at the Shambhu border, a bench led by justice Surya Kant directed the directors general of police of Punjab and Haryana, along with senior superintendents of police and deputy commissioners of Patiala and Ambala, to convene within a week. The meeting, the court said, should be aimed at setting up the modalities for a partial reopening of the road, ensuring passage for ambulances, senior citizens, women, students and essential services.

The bench, also comprising justice Ujjal Bhuyan, encouraged both states to resolve the issue independently and implement any agreed-upon resolution immediately, without waiting for further orders. In February, the Haryana government had set up barricades



Farmers have been camping at the Shambhu border in Ambala since February.

on the Ambala-New Delhi national highway after the Samyukta Kisan Morcha (Non-Political) and the Kisan Mazdoor Morcha announced a march to Delhi to support various demands, including a legal guarantee of minimum support price (MSP) for crops.

During the hearing, Punjab's advocate general, Gurminder Singh, requested directions to relax the blockade, allowing vehicles engaged in essential services and daily commutes to pass through. Responding, the bench suggested that Punjab first persuade the farmers to remove tractors and trolleys blocking the highway, reminding them that highways are not meant for parking. "Why don't you persuade the

farmers... because highways are not parking space for tractors, trolleys etc," it told Singh.

The court also advised Haryana to consider keeping at least one lane open for vehicles carrying vulnerable passengers, such as senior citizens and those seeking medical treatment. Solicitor general Tushar Mehta, representing Haryana, supported the idea of a coordinated meeting between the DGPs of both states to find a solution. The court directive on Monday followed submissions from both states, proposing names for a panel that the top court intends to form for negotiating between the government and protesters.

In an effort to resolve the ongoing impasse, the bench had on July 24 mandated the formation of a committee to mediate between the protesting farmers and the government to address the farmers' various demands. As instructed by court, the states submitted their names on Monday, which the court will consider before issuing a detailed order regarding the committee's composition and mandate on the next date of hearing.

The bench also declined to stay the Punjab and Haryana high court's March 7 order for a judicial inquiry into the death of a protesting farmer.

{ CHEATING AND FORGERY CASE }

Khedkar gets HC relief from arrest

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NEW DELHI: The Delhi high court on Monday granted former probationary Indian Administrative Service (IAS) officer Puja Khedkar protection from arrest until August 21 in connection with the case registered against her for fraudulently availing additional civil services examination attempts by faking her identity.

The Union Public Services Commission (UPSC) on July 31 cancelled Khedkar's provisional candidature as a probationary Indian Administrative Service officer and barred her from all future examinations or selections.

A bench of Justice Subramonium Prasad said the case against Khedkar primarily seems to be a false representation given in the



Puja Khedkar

application form. "So the representation is a mistake in her name, in her father's name... now all this is in her form... where is the question of any other that you require her custody? Whether she has done it alone or in the connivance of others? If there are third parties involved to unearthen conspiracy..."

Noting that it does not seem, as of now, that immediate custody is required, the high court said: "...As of now it does not seem to me at

the moment that her immediate custody is required. Here when I saw the orders, the trial court was bogged down from the offence which was committed but not as to why bail should not be granted. In the facts of the present case, this court is of the opinion that the petitioner need not be arrested till the next date of hearing (August 21)."

It issued a notice to Delhi Police and UPSC asking them to file their response as to why Khedkar's custody is required.

The trainee first came to limelight when her requests for special privileges during her posting in Pune were exposed, followed by indications that she secured her position by claiming to qualify for quotas meant for Other Backward Classes and Persons with Benchmark Disabilities (PwBD) without, in reality, being eligible for them.

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Buch's probity: Erase all doubts

Hindenburg allegations against Madhabi Puri Buch may be wholly baseless, but need to be shown as such by an independent probe

The Opposition has demanded that Securities and Exchange Board of India (Sebi) chair Madhabi Puri Buch step down over alleged conflict of interest issues raised by Hindenburg Research — and that a joint parliamentary committee inquiry be launched. Over the weekend, Hindenburg released a raft of allegations against Puri Buch: that she and her husband, Dhaval Buch, held stakes in “the exact same” offshore funds “in the same complex nested structure, used by Vinod Adani”, the brother of Gautam Adani, the head of the Adani Group; that there is a conflict of issue between Puri Buch's role at Sebi and her husband's involvement with private equity firm Blackstone; and that Puri Buch held an active stake in a Singapore-based consultancy firm even as she occupied the post of Sebi chair, and transferred this to her husband two weeks after her appointment.

While the Buchs' point-by-point rebuttal of the Hindenburg allegations shows that all required disclosures were made to Sebi and are available for scrutiny by the relevant authorities if needed, that Puri Buch recused herself from matters where there was even a hint of a conflict of interest, and that the Adani linkage the research firm sought to make was a bit of a stretch, a regulator should not only above suspicion but also seen to be such. Even though a probe may well reaffirm what the Buchs have said, it may still be in order, if only to shut down the politicisation of the Hindenburg reports that have roiled India Inc over the past year-and-a-half.

The Opposition's other demand, of a joint parliamentary committee probe, will amount to little except prolonged political jousting. Meanwhile, the allegations will likely continue to be used as fodder to undermine trust in the regulator. Perhaps, the Supreme Court should consider setting up a panel of independent experts to look into the allegations, though it had decided against monitoring an investigation of the previous set of Hindenburg allegations in January, and later rejected a petition to review this decision. This will help preserve the image of the regulator as being fair and unbiased, prevent rabble-rousing by interested parties, and ensure that the Indian stock market isn't manipulated by forces inimical to the interests of investors.

Drowning in Delhi's governance holes

In any other metropolis, a string of drowning deaths due to shoddy municipal infrastructure would have, at least, prompted local authorities to fix the lacunae and make amends, even if belatedly. The torrential showers that have lashed Delhi this monsoon have, however, hinted that its governance muddle is so deep that not even bare minimum institutional empathy can be expected. Despite the outrage over the drowning of three civil service aspirants last month, more people have continued to perish in the Capital as even short bursts of rain have inundated streets and left hapless pedestrians marooned. Over the weekend, two more people — a 13-year-old and a seven-year-old — died due to electrocution and drowning, respectively, with no consequences for the political and civic authorities. The total number of people who have been killed this monsoon in Delhi now stands at 33.

This is an unconscionable toll. The science is now clear — the climate crisis is seeding unpredictable patterns in the monsoon, making short but very heavy bursts of rainfall the new normal. This needs sound planning and not after-the-fact mitigation measures. Inexplicably, the civic and government officials have refused to budge, using only temporary measures to paper over what is now a systemic breakdown of governance in the city. The culprit here is an unwieldy structure that has been paralysed by rival centres of power and politicians more interested in one upmanship than governance. But this mess is not just a mundane matter anymore, it is exacting a tragic cost. Worse still, there seems to be no accountability for either officials or politicians. There cannot be any further delay in resolving this mess. Authority and accountability must be vested, temporarily and through a court direction if needed, in a single node for everyday governance. Anything else will further endanger Delhi's citizens.

What drives finance company valuations?

There are four key factors that the market rewards, which, in turn, give financial institutions high price-to-book multiples

The wobbles in the global equity markets have captured attention, but what drives the fundamentals of individual stocks? Barclays Bank has \$2,000 billion in assets and a market capitalisation of \$44 billion, while ICICI Bank has assets of \$212 billion and a market capitalisation of \$100 billion. Standard Chartered Bank has \$880 billion of assets and a market capitalisation of \$24 billion. Bajaj Finance has \$50 billion of assets and a market capitalisation of \$55 billion. In India, Cholamandalam Investment and Finance Company has assets of \$18 billion dollars and a market capitalisation of \$15 billion dollars, while Yes Bank, with assets of \$48 billion, has a market capitalisation of \$10 billion. What explains finance company valuations?

If we just stay with Standard Chartered Bank, it grew its assets at 0.3% over the last three years, with an average return on assets (ROA) of 0.2% and gross non-performing assets (NPA) of 2.4%, while Bajaj Finance over the same period grew at over 30% with an average ROA of over 4.5% and gross NPA of 1.1%.

An examination of the Indian non-

banking financial companies (NBFC) sector shows that the market regards the performance of Bajaj Finance and Cholamandalam Finance as a cut above the rest. Bajaj and Chola have grown their assets at over 30% over the last year, coupled with a high profitability RoA of over 3.4%. They have

delivered total shareholder returns (TSR) of over 30% for the past 10 years. Resultantly, they have price-to-book multiples (trailing 12 month) of 6-7 as of June 15, 2024, compared to the average NBFC/banks, which trade at 1.5-2.5x. This is despite some other NBFCs having similar growth rates on a higher base with equivalent ROA in the last year, getting valued at only a third of these multiples. What does the market truly value and reward?

As far as we can see, there are four key factors that the market rewards, which, in turn, give financial institutions such high multiples. Let us explore each of these in turn.

In financial service institutions, unlike other sectors such as FMCG or commodity firms where revenue accrues once the sale is made, the sale (a loan) is only valuable if it gets repaid; otherwise, it gets written off from the institution's capital. Thus, consistent, and strong management of credit costs is table-stakes for NBFCs. This unique characteristic of financial services, where a small amount of portfolio quality deterioration, can dis-

proportionally deplete net worth and can even challenge the company's overall viability. Markets hate surprises with credit costs and prefer well-capitalised NBFCs and banks. Historical instances have shown significant market reactions to an increase in credit costs, especially if it

is unexpected and not signalled in advance. For example, a leading private sector bank experienced a 30% drop in its share price following an unexpected quarterly loss in FY19 that led to higher-than-anticipated provisions for bad loans. Similarly, a major public sector bank saw its share price plummet by nearly 40% within a month following the disclosure of a fraud-based credit loss. Bajaj Finance and Cholamandalam Finance, have consistently improved their portfolio quality despite large-scale expansion into new businesses over the past few years. Bajaj has maintained a gross NPA ratio of less than 1%. Chola, on the other hand, has been continuously improving its credit performance post-pandemic, from a gross NPA ratio of 6.8% to 3.5%.

Like all companies, the market likes to see consistency in growth and profitability. The strong growth in assets for Bajaj and Chola in the last year is not a one-off event. These companies have been consistent with a long-standing trajectory of 25-30% growth over the past seven years (excluding



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their case, these two companies have consistently achieved a return on assets of more than 2.5% and, often, more than 4% during the same period (excluding the Covid year, again), as against peers who have only garnered average returns between 1.5-2.5%. Thus, the market rewards them.

Thirdly — and in this, the market has evolved — till a few years back, markets highly valued NBFCs that were monoline. For instance, HDFC for home loans, Shriram for used commercial vehicle financing, Muthoot for gold loans, Bajaj initially for consumer loans. Markets believed monoline NBFCs had developed deep expertise and operational efficiency in their specific niches. But, for over a decade now, the market has started to worry about concentration risk, especially as NBFCs have grown their asset-size multifold. Investors now seek asset portfolio diversification. They believe asset portfolios are more robust if not dependent on a single sector. It is also believed that revenue enhancement due to cross-selling is more likely in diversified portfolios, bringing down customer acquisition costs. Bajaj Finance began with consumer durable financing in 2007, and since then, has gone into multiple new segments, including home loans, vehicle finance

and personal loans, among others, thereby becoming a one-stop financial services shop. Likewise, Chola has steadily reduced its dependence on vehicle finance, and HDFC finally merged with its bank subsidiary.

Finally, the company must manage market expectations with a consistent strategic story without negative surprises. Investors like to be kept informed of company actions and appreciate transparency. “Good investors” (companies should go and find them) also respect investments in capability and technology that strengthen the longer-term market position of the company.

As we head into a likely market correction, it is wise to keep Warren Buffett's counsel: “Price is what you pay, value is what you get.” The true worth of a company often lies beneath its short-term market price. Long-term investors should focus on transparent financial services companies with strong asset health, consistency in performance and well-diversified portfolios. They are the ones likely to deliver the best returns over the uncertain horizon ahead.

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Why Bangladesh didn't go the Sri Lanka way

Recent events in Bangladesh — protests, violence and the ouster of an elected government — bear an eerie resemblance to what happened in Sri Lanka in 2022. However, the results of the Sri Lankan protests and subsequent actions vary from the path Bangladesh has chosen.

What are the similarities? The Sri Lankan protests, emanating from economic distress, were led by a people's movement, the Aragalaya. This seemed spontaneous and acquired traction, including quiet support from political parties. In Bangladesh, too, economic issues related to reservation in employment lit the spark. The diminishing economic resilience of Bangladesh was part of the problem. The student-led protests were not violent. As it was in Sri Lanka, they received support from parties and groups inimical to the ruling dispensation.

In Sri Lanka, the protests turned violent when the ruling party's youth cadres were unleashed on the protesters. Similarly, in Bangladesh, the protests turned violent when the youth wing of the ruling party started attacking the protesters. Thereafter in Sri Lanka, the protest became one against all political parties and politicians. In Bangladesh, the assault was mainly on the ruling Awami League, its supporters, and minority groups. The ransacking of the leaders' mansions was common in both countries. And, in both cases, an elected leader fled the country.

The similarities continue. Gotabaya Rajapaksa left Colombo for Singapore, from where he sent in his resignation. After Singapore, he went to Thailand for two months. His avenues of fleeing to the West were circumscribed by allegations of human rights violations. Efforts to get him to a West Asian country were infructuous. Deposed Bangladeshi Prime Minister (PM) Sheikh Hasina's son denies that any asylum request was made, and Hasina continues to stay in India for the moment.

After 52 days abroad, Gotabaya returned to Sri Lanka. His brother, Mahinda Rajapaksa, had gone to Trincomalee and stayed in a military base till it was safe to return. Here is where the divergence comes in. Will the situation in Bangladesh, currently unsafe for the Awami League, improve for its return as a party? Hasina's son, who earlier said that she was “done with Bangladesh”, now says that she would like to return to Bangladesh.

The divergence is because in Sri Lanka, the military, while not firing upon the protesters, protected public property and followed government orders. In the case of Bangladesh, the military refused to fire on protesters, but

failed to protect public property and hastily packed the PM off, instead of guarding an elected leader who should have perhaps been dealt with more democratically.

Before Gotabaya left Sri Lanka, he had appointed Ranil Wickremesinghe as the PM. This appointment was backed by the ruling Sri Lanka Podujana Peramuna (SLPP), though Wickremesinghe's United National Party had just a single seat in parliament. Parliament was not dissolved, unlike in Bangladesh; it was allowed to function with a minority PM, who, upon Gotabaya's resignation, was then elected president backed by parliament. The army and police forces took orders from him. Wickremesinghe's popularity with parliamentarians increased because he instructed the armed forces to protect all citizens, including the politicians, and attacks on their homes and families were controlled. The military in Bangladesh has been unable to do this.

In Sri Lanka, the political process continued to function and constitutional requirements were met by the military. In Bangladesh, the military is trying to call the shots, dissolving the elected parliament and swearing in an interim government of supposedly non-political people of unverified administrative experience.

Now, they are garnering the goodwill of the interim government. The speed at which Wickremesinghe had used the functioning system of Sri Lanka to control the public outburst is yet to be seen in Dhaka.

Moreover, Wickremesinghe had the charisma to work with agencies at home and creditors abroad, particularly India, which had often been slighted by the Rajapaksas, to bail them out of a difficult economic situation. Indian assistance brought solace to the Sri Lankan people, for which they are still grateful. In the case of Bangladesh, there is a streak of anti-Indianism, cultivated by those who have infiltrated the protests.

In Sri Lanka, Wickremesinghe saw through the rest of Rajapaksa's term, and elections are due on September 21 — remarkable for a country under economic and political siege, that used its own democratic credentials to come out of a crisis. In the case of Bangladesh, this seems a bit far-fetched. Had they let parliament function, the interim government could perhaps have got better legitimacy. Since parliament was dominated by the Awami League, the expectation now is that fresh polls will push the Awami League into oblivion, or a minority, and let hitherto suppressed forces emerge.

India is sceptical about these alternative forces, which often taken an anti-India stance. In the case of Sri Lanka, while the Rajapaksa-led SLPP followed an anti-India line, once the writing was on the wall and Wickremesinghe took over, they did not oppose his engagement with India and remained thankful for the latter's support.

This is the irony. Sri Lanka has shown democratic intent. In the case of Bangladesh, the democratic roots are weak, and the willingness of the army to step in repeatedly, despite elected governments being in power, is perhaps the major difference between Bangladesh and Sri Lanka.

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If Israel wants peace with its neighbours, it should agree to the two-State solution that is based on an international legal framework



The right narrative on our freedom struggle

On Independence Day, Prime Minister (PM) Narendra Modi will deliver his 11th address from the ramparts of the Red Fort. For the last 77 years, why does the Red Fort have this distinguished place of honour on Independence Day? Built in 1648, this palace fort was the capital of Shahjahanabad. During the 1857 uprising against colonial rule in the country, it emerged as an important symbol of our freedom movement. The British subsequently captured the fort and converted it into a garrison. The intrepid Indian National Army (INA) has a significant connection with Red Fort. Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose, in his historic 1943 Dilli Chalo (Onwards to Delhi) speech delivered in Singapore, had galvanised the Indian community by declaring, “Our task will not end until our surviving heroes hold the victory parade on another graveyard of the British empire, the Lal Kila or Red Fortress of ancient Delhi.”

Towards the end of World War II, the British government court-martialled soldiers of the INA for various charges related to the war. This sparked demonstrations across the country among both civilians and Indians serving in the colonial army. The public trials held at the Red Fort impacted the country's conscience and ensuing events like the 1946 Naval Uprising, the Red Fort trials stirred a tidal wave of nationalist fervour, etching this monument firmly as a symbol of colonial resistance in the public consciousness.

Other than on August 15, PMs seldom visit the Red Fort. But PM Modi is a rare exception. Three such visits of PM Modi to Red Fort are notable. In a sterling tribute to Netaji's dauntless quest for India's freedom, PM Modi declared in 2021 that the nation would commemorate his birth anniversary as Parakram Diwas or Day of Valour. Taking part in this year's Parakram Diwas celebrations at Red Fort, he honoured Lt. R Madhavan, the only living INA veteran. On January 23, 2019, he inaugurated the Kranti Mandir (temple of revolution), inside Red Fort. This complex comprises the Subash Chandra Bose Museum, 1857-India's first war of Independence museum, and Yaad-e-Jallian Museum (dedicated to the Jallianwala Bagh incident and Indian soldiers in World War I).

In an unprecedented move, on October 21, 2018, PM Modi hoisted our national flag at Red Fort, commemorating the 75th anniversary of the Azad Hind government formed by Netaji Bose in Singapore. The PM's powerful words on this occasion will echo for posterity. “Today, I can say this with certainty that if our nation

was guided by the likes of Subhas Bose and Sardar Patel if it was not looked at from a foreign perspective, then the situation of the country would be much different. It is sad that just to magnify the presence of one family, sons of India — (Sardar Vallabhbhai) Patel, (BR) Ambedkar, and Bose have been obliterated from our national discourse.”

A case in point is the movie *Gandhi*, which was co-produced by the Indian and British governments when Indira Gandhi was PM. Startlingly, this biopic, running for more than three hours, blanked out mentioning Mahatma Gandhi's distinguished colleagues like Bose, Ambedkar, who is the architect of our Constitution, and Gandhi's southern commander and the only Indian governor-general, C Rajagopalachari. All three of them incidentally were fierce opponents of the Congress.

PM Modi's government has steadfastly honoured Bharat's valiant luminaries who selflessly sacrificed everything for our nation. Coining the term Panchteerth, PM Modi has ensured that five important places related to Ambedkar's life are developed as centres of pilgrimage. Janam Bhoomi in Madhya Pradesh, Shiksha Bhoomi in London, Deeksha Bhoomi in Nagpur

where he embraced Buddhism, Mahaparinirvana Bhoomi in Delhi where he breathed his last, and Chaitya Bhoomi in Mumbai where he was cremated. The visionary BHIM app for digital transactions is the Union government's homage to Ambedkar's economic vision.

To honour Patel, PM Modi, when he was the chief minister of Gujarat pioneered the Statue of Unity, the tallest statue in the world, which he would inaugurate as PM in 2018. In 2003, Modi was instrumental in bringing back the ashes of the patriot, Shyamji Krishna Verma, from Switzerland to his memorial Kranti Teerth in Gujarat, 73 years after his demise. Modi was the first Indian PM to pay homage to the Singapore INA Memorial marker in 2015. In 2022, his government replaced the old naval flag featuring the Saint George's Cross with a new naval ensign inspired by the Rajmudra of Chhatrapati Shivaji. The 75-week Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav was a moving tribute to all the hitherto unsung and selfless heroes and heroines of our Independence movement.

For many decades now, there has been a prejudiced discourse of our freedom struggle, suppressing the selfless contribution of many icons. PM Modi has been justly reclaiming and firmly restoring the right narrative.

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In Sri Lanka, the political process carried on as usual after the protests whereas in Bangladesh, the military assumed charge

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apply to him. The plea was mentioned before Chief Justice of India (CJI) Dhananjaya Y Chandrachud on Monday morning for an urgent hearing. Senior counsel Abhishek Manu Singhvi and CU Singh requested a listing of Kejriwal's plea on Tuesday. Responding, the CJI asked the lawyers to send an email request, as per the procedure followed in the top court. Kejriwal's petition highlighted the Supreme Court's observations in the Sisodia case that prolonged incarceration without trial could amount to a violation of fundamental rights, particularly when the investigation is largely complete and the accused has deep roots in society, reducing the risk of absconding. Kejriwal, through his plea, argued that he meets these criteria, much like Sisodia, and should therefore be granted bail on similar grounds. The petition gains significance in light of the assembly elections in Delhi early next year. As the incumbent CM and the party's most prominent leader, Kejriwal's presence is crucial for the AAP's campaign strategy. With Kejriwal at the helm, the AAP has consistently positioned itself as a champion of Delhi's governance, focusing on issues such as education, health care, and affordable water and power. His continued detention, on the other hand, could severely impact the party's ability to rally its base, manage the election narrative, and counter opposition attacks effectively. Kejriwal has been in custody since March 21 following his arrest by ED, apart from a 21-day interim bail in May granted by the top court for Lok Sabha election campaigning. On July 12, the Supreme Court granted interim bail to Kejriwal in the ED case, acknowledging that he had spent over 90 days in incarceration. Still, he continued to remain in custody due to his arrest by CBI on June 26 in the same matter. The case against the CM stems from allegations of irregularities in Delhi's now-scrapped excise policy of 2021-22, which CBI began probing following a recommendation by Delhi's lieutenant governor in July 2022. Kejriwal was the third AAP leader arrested in this connection. Sisodia was incarcerated since February 2023 before he was released on August 9, and Rajya Sabha MP Sanjay Singh was granted bail by the top court in April, after six months of custody.

In his petition before the Supreme Court, Kejriwal disputed the findings recorded in the high court judgment while asserting that his arrest and remand orders issued by a Delhi court on June 26 and June 29 respectively were illegal and passed in grave contravention of previous Supreme Court judgments which required the investigating agency to issue a prior notice and furnish concrete reasons to justify an arrest. A mere non-cooperation cannot form a statutory ground to arrest a person, said Kejriwal's petition, adding that CBI did not point towards any new evidence or material in the arrest memo or the remand note to justify his arrest. He also claimed that his arrest by CBI was an attempt to scuttle and prevent his release from custody in the money laundering case registered by ED, in which he was granted bail by the Delhi court on June 20. The Delhi court order, which cited lack of direct evidence, was halted by the Delhi high court on June 21 – in less than 24 hours. On June 25, a vacation bench in the Delhi high court stayed the bail order saying that the order was perverse and was passed without appreciating the material submitted by ED. The Supreme Court, however, granted interim bail to Kejriwal on July 12, noting that he has already suffered incarceration for over 90 days and that the issue involves right to life and liberty of an individual. On the day, the court also referred the issues relating to the legal scope of incorporating "need and necessity to arrest" and the "doctrine of proportionality" into ED cases to a larger bench. Seeking bail in the CBI case, Kejriwal's petition in the Supreme Court underscored that the CM was being subjected to gross persecution and harassment for wholly mala fide and extraneous considerations. The plea went on to add that the material based on which the AAP chief was arrested was already on record and his arrest 1 year 10 months after the registration of the FIR smacks of "glaring mala fide." It also stressed that there was absolutely nothing on record to show as to how, why and under what circumstances CBI's perception changed from April 16, 2023, the day when Kejriwal was called as a witness, to his arrest in June 2024. The Delhi high court on August 5 upheld Kejriwal's June 26 arrest. It found no misuse of power by

the investigating officer, noting that his detention was carried out with the proper written orders from the special judge, in accordance with legal procedures. The high court's ruling also affirmed the trial court's June 29 order remanding Kejriwal to judicial custody, emphasising that CBI had provided valid reasons for seeking further remand, which the special judge had carefully considered, including Kejriwal's evasive replies and "non-truthfulness" in disclosing facts during his time in the agency's custody.

INFLATION DIPS

increased by 1.4% between June and July. July's inflation numbers are pretty much in line with the 3.6% projection by a Bloomberg forecast of economists. In fact, the Monetary Policy Committee (MPC) of RBI had made an upward revision to its inflationary forecast for the quarter ending September 2024 from 3.8% in its June meeting to 4.2% in its August meeting while keeping its annual inflation projection for 2024-25 the same at 4.5%. MPC did not change interest rates or its monetary policy stance which continues to be focused on withdrawal of accommodation. Independent economists, however, do not rule out a slightly more benign inflationary trajectory going forward barring a major underperformance by the monsoon – something that currently looks very unlikely. Most of the fall in inflation is base-effect driven... The headline retail inflation print, as measured by the Consumer Price Index (CPI), fell from 5.1% in June to 3.5% in July 2024. What explains this sharp fall? The answer is a favourable base effect. Retail inflation was 4.9% in June 2023 and 7.4% in July 2023. In case of food inflation, especially vegetables, which has been driving the headline number in the recent past, the base effect is even bigger. Food inflation numbers were 4.6% and 11.5% in June and July 2023. This base effect has translated into food inflation falling from 9.4% in June to 5.4% in July. Food items have a weight of 39% in the CPI basket. Vegetable prices went down by 0.7% in June 2023 to growing by 37.4% in July 2023. This has led to a fall in vegetable inflation from 29.3% in June 2024 to 6.8% in July. Vegetables contributed almost one-third to the overall inflation print in June.

Barring a fall in inflation for vegetables, fruits and spices and a benign 3% inflation for milk products, inflation continues to remain broadly similar in other food sub-categories. It is 14.8% for pulses, 8.1% for cereals and 6% for meat, egg and fish. In the edible oil category, the 17-month long contraction finally seems to be coming to an end with the contraction in July reaching 1.2%. ...which is expected to dissipate going forward A look at the past inflation data shows that the favourable base effect will likely dissipate gradually over the September quarter. Headline CPI print was 7.4%, 6.8% and 5% in July, August and September 2023. This is exactly why MPC expects September quarter's inflation to be 4.4% which is significantly higher than the July number. Inflation is expected to increase further to 4.7% in the December quarter. MPC's inflation forecast for the quarters ending March 2025 and June 2025 is 4.3% and 4.4% respectively. In fact, a look at the core inflation number – it measures the non-food non-fuel part of the inflation basket and is therefore immune to seasonal fluctuations – shows that it has bottomed out after reaching the lowest ever level in the current series last month. According to the Centre for Monitoring Indian Economy (CMIE) database, core inflation in July was 3.34% compared to 3.16% in June. This was already anticipated in the August resolution of the MPC which categorically noted "indications of core inflation bottoming out". But independent economists expect more benign food price scenario in the near-term... Neither the base effect coming into play nor core inflation bottoming out eventually were unexpected facts before the release of Monday's inflation numbers. Does this make the future inflation trajectory completely predictable? Independent economists seem to disagree with RBI's assessment here. "RBI raised the July-September inflation forecast by 60bp to 4.4%. This forecast, we think, assumes no major vegetable price disinflation over the next few months. If the 10% month-on-month fall in vegetable prices in the first week of August were to continue, there could be downside risks to this forecast", HSBC Chief India Economist Pranjal Bhandari said in a

research note issued on August 8. One bp (basis point) is a hundredth of a percentage point. "Taking today's data and early price indicators for July into account, we track CPI inflation for August at 3.4% y/y, driven lower in part by a high base. Early price trends suggest food prices are likely to decrease in August, though we acknowledge that the recent trends in vegetable prices have been unseasonably large and difficult to forecast," said Barclays economists Shreya Sodhani and Amruta Ghare. The centrality of food inflation in the overall inflationary environment also means that the monsoon's performance will play a key role in shaping its future trajectory. While overall monsoon rainfall and crop sowing is in surplus so far there is significant regional and temporal skew in rainfall data, as was pointed out in an analysis in these pages. Industrial activity loses momentum in June In another set of statistics released on Monday, industrial activity as measured by the Index of Industrial Production (IIP) lost momentum between May and June with growth rate coming down from 6.2% to 4.2%. The loss in momentum between May and June was a result of deceleration in manufacturing (5% to 2.6%) and electricity (13.7% to 8.6%) despite an increase in growth from 6.6% to 10.3% in mining. Manufacturing has a share of 77% in the index. From a use-based classification, the deceleration was across the board with the consumer non-durable category falling into contraction. "The June (IIP) print was well below both our and consensus estimates (Barclays: 5.2%; Bloomberg: 5.4%). The surprise to our forecast came from a larger-than-expected sequential decline in manufacturing", Sodhani and Ghare said.

KOLKATA RAPE, MURDER, the rate of success in CBI investigations is very poor," said the chief minister. "They could not recover (Rabindranath Tagore's) Nobel Prize medal that was stolen (in 2004). They could not solve the murder of Tapasi Malik in Singur (in 2006). But we will hand over the case for the satisfaction of those asking for it," she added. Her comments came on a day RG Kar principal Sandip Ghosh resigned from his post and gov-

ernment service. "I cannot take this insult anymore. All the allegations raised against me are false and fabricated. A student movement has been incited to remove me. There is a political mind behind this," Ghosh said in his resignation letter. His departure follows the earlier removal of the medical superintendent-cum-vice-principal Sanjay Vashisth, who has been replaced by Bulbul Mukhopadhyay, the dean of student affairs. The body of the woman, a second-year postgraduate student who was allegedly raped and murdered inside a seminar hall of the hospital, was found on Friday morning. The crime took place at the third-floor seminar hall of the chest department late on Friday night and police later said that multiple lacerations and wounds were found on her body. A 31-year-old civic volunteer with the police, Sanjay Roy, was arrested on Saturday in connection with the case and was sent to 14-day police custody. A police official said late in the evening that three trainee doctors were being questioned. "It appears that they have some information about the victim's last whereabouts," the officer said. Banerjee, who is also the state's home and health minister, made the statements after meeting the victim's family at their residence in North 24 Parganas district even as Kolkata was paralysed by a mass protest attended by prominent intellectuals, doctors, medical students and students from across the city. Similar strikes affected hospitals across the country as doctors called for better safety measures. "Nurses were there. The hospital's own security personnel were also there. I fail to understand how this happened. The (victim's) parents told me somebody from inside was involved. The police will talk to everyone including the person who first called up the family and gave the news," the chief minister said. The victim's father told the media on Saturday that the person who first called him did not give his name but identified himself as assistant superintendent of the hospital and said the 32-year-old woman had died by suicide. Kolkata's police commis-

sioner Vineet Goyal, who accompanied the chief minister, echoed her. "We will question all those who were near the place of occurrence (of the crime). We have even given them a helpline number in case someone wants to talk to us anonymously." Banerjee also spoke about the resignation of the principal. "He tendered his resignation saying his children are getting disturbed by the media reports. However, we told him that he will be transferred to another hospital," she said. Government officials later in the day said that Ghosh will be posted as principal of Calcutta National Medical College and Hospital (CNMCH). This triggered protests at CNMCH. Medical students, who were already holding a demonstration, said they would not accept Ghosh as the principal. They even locked the principal's chamber. "Allegations of corruption are being raised against me because I always stood against corruption. A number of doctors are involved in financial malpractice. I stood against them firmly," Ghosh told the media. A two-member team of the National Commission for Women arrived in Kolkata even as politics over the crime peaked. "Why is the investigation delayed till Sunday? We are not happy with the probe. Our demands are clear. We want a judicial inquiry into the matter and capital punishment for the culprits. The family of the doctor must be well compensated," an agitating junior doctor who declined to be named told news agency PTI. The Kolkata Police on Sunday intensified the probe to ascertain how Roy, the prime suspect, committed the crime and whether he had an accomplice. The security camera footage which led to Roy's arrest indicated that the crime took place within a span of around 30 minutes, the investigators said. "The nature of the multiple injuries found on the victim's upper body may prompt anyone to suspect that Roy was not alone. He had no noticeable injury on his body which is natural in such cases because victims fight back. This leads to the suspicion that the sexual assault might have taken place after the murder," a police officer

cer said on condition of anonymity. Samples collected from the bodies of the victim and the suspect have been sent for DNA tests to the Central Forensic Science Laboratory. The preliminary autopsy report was handed to the victim's family on Sunday following Supreme Court directives in similar cases. GARLIC VEGETABLE But this ruling met with consternation from businesspeople, who argued that the verdict would benefit commission agents not farmers. In July 2017, the petitioner Mukesh Somani moved a review petition, which fell before a two-judge-bench of the high court, which in January 2024 pushed it back to the spice shelf, ruling that the high court's earlier ruling would benefit only traders, not farmers. Garlic traders and commission agents sought a review of that order in March this year, a case that finally fell before justices Dharmadhikari and Venkataraman. The bench, in its order on July 23, which was made public on Monday, restored the February 2017 order, allowing the managing director of the Market Board to make changes to market rules, as was originally done in 2015. "In fact, the market is established in the interest of the agriculturist and sellers so that they may get better price for their produce, therefore, any by-laws which are framed or amended would be deemed to have in the interest of farmers," said the order. "In the present case, it is established from the return of the Krishi Upaj Mandi that agriculturists represented that the garlic be permitted to be sold through agents as (vegetable) and the State Govt has recommended it as a spice," said the order. Madhya Pradesh Market Board joint director Chandra Shekhar said the order will allow commission agents to bid for garlic in vegetable markets. Parmanand Patidar, a garlic farmer from Mandasaur, said, "We now have two options to sell our produce so we don't have an issue with this arrangement. Garlic is already being sold at an all-time high price."

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PUBLIC NOTICE
Whereas, Sh. Avinash Puri, Director, M/s Puri Buildwell Pvt. Ltd., Multiplex at PP City Centre, Plot No.3, Road No. 44, Pitampura, Delhi has applied before the undersigned for grant of 'Provisional Certificate' for construction of 06 Nos. of Screen Cinema Hall/ multiplex at PP City Centre, Plot No.3, Road No. 44, Pitampura, Delhi.
Whereas, the Provisional Certificate has been granted to above mentioned Sh. Avinash Puri, Director vide this office letter No. 46/Joint CP/Lic.(Cinema) dated 04.04.2024 under Rule 4 of Delhi Cinematograph Rules, 2008 and the Dy. Director (Bldg.) C&I, Delhi Development Authority, C-1, 1st Floor, Vikas Sadan, INA, New Delhi has also been informed vide this office letter as mentioned above.
Notice is hereby given for information of general public that a cinema hall is being constructed at the earmarked site.
Given under my hand this 13th day of August 2024.
JOINT COMMISSIONER OF POLICE LICENSING, DELHI

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PUBLIC NOTICE
Whereas, Sh. Harsh Vardhan Bansal, Director, M/s Unity Buildwell Ltd., G-3, Aggarwal Corporate Tower, 23, Rajender Place, New Delhi has applied before the undersigned for grant of 'Provisional Certificate' for construction of 04 Nos. of Screen Cinema Hall/ multiplex at Plot No. 23, Mangalam Place, Distt. Centre, Rohini, Sector-3, New Delhi.
Whereas, the Provisional Certificate has been granted to above mentioned Sh. Harsh Vardhan Bansal, Director, vide this office letter No. 306/Joint CP/Lic.(Cinema) dated 08.05.2024 under Rule 4 of Delhi Cinematograph Rules, 2008 and the Dy. Director (Bldg.) C&I, Delhi Development Authority, C-1, 1st Floor, Vikas Sadan, INA, New Delhi has also been informed vide this office letter as mentioned above.
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Punjab State Power Corporation Limited
(Regd. Office: PSEB Head Office, The Mall, Patiala)
Corporate Identification Number: U40109PB010SGC033813
Website: www.pspcl.in, (Contact number 9646117600)
E-Tender Enquiry No: 109/MM-1/BMC-336(B)/O&M/GHTP/2024 dated 09.08.2024
Dy Chief Engineer, Mechanical Mtc. Circle-I/GHTP, Lehra Mohabbat invites E-tender for Capital/Major overhauling of Furnace Pressure Parts, Air Pre-Heaters and Wind Box & Burner System of Unit-2 (210 MW, OEM-BHEL) at GHTP, Lehra Mohabbat on Lump sum basis. For detailed NIT & tender specification please refer to <https://eproc.punjab.gov.in> from 12.08.2024 from 03.00 PM onwards.
Note: Corrigendum and addendum, if any will be published online at <https://eproc.punjab.gov.in>
GHTP-66/24 36605

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PUBLIC NOTICE
Whereas, Sh. Harsh Vardhan Bansal, Director, M/s Aggarwal Plaza Pvt Ltd., G-3, Aggarwal Corporate Tower, 23, Rajender Place, New Delhi has applied before the undersigned for grant of 'Provisional Certificate' for construction of 02 Nos. of Screen Cinema Hall/ multiplex at Multilevel Parking, Janakpuri West Metro Station, New Delhi.
Whereas, the Provisional Certificate has been granted to above mentioned Sh. Harsh Vardhan Bansal, Director., vide this office letter No. 932/Joint CP/Lic. (Cinema) dated 30.10.2023 under Rule 4 of Delhi Cinematograph Rules, 2008 and the Dy. Director (Bldg.) C&I, Delhi Development Authority, C-1, 1st Floor, Vikas Sadan, INA, New Delhi has also been informed vide this office letter as mentioned above.
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1st Floor, Police Station Defence Colony, New Delhi
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PUBLIC NOTICE
Whereas, Sh. Harjeet Singh Arora, Authorized Signatory, M/s Best Realty LLP, Office No. 201, Best Plaza, Plot No. H-8, Netaji Subhash Place, Pitampura, New Delhi has applied before the undersigned for grant of 'Provisional Certificate' for construction of 07 Nos. of Screen Cinema Hall/ Multiplex at Plot Commercial Complex Plot Bearing No. A, adjoining to Block H, NSP Wazirpur, District Centre, New Delhi.
Whereas, the Provisional Certificate has been granted to above mentioned Sh. Harjeet Singh Arora, Authorized Signatory vide this office letter No. 321/Joint CP/Lic. (Cinema) dated 14.05.2024 under Rule 4 of Delhi Cinematograph Rules, 2008 and the Dy. Director (Bldg.) C&I, Delhi Development Authority, C-1, 1st Floor, Vikas Sadan, INA, New Delhi has also been informed vide this office letter as mentioned above.
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Government of Maharashtra
Public Works Division, Udgir
website: www.mahapwd.gov.in
Email ID - udgir.ee@mahapwd.gov.in
E-Tender B-1 Notice No.UDR/04/2024-25 (online)
Online B-1 tenders are invited by Executive Engineer, Public Works Division, Udgir from The eligible contractors. Tender Documents download from Web site of <http://mahatenders.gov.in>. Right to accept or reject tenders is reserved by Executive Engineer, Public Works Division Udgir.
Note:-
1. Details of Tender Documents Will be available on website <http://mahapwd.gov.in>, <http://mahatenders.gov.in>
2. Contractors are mandated to get enrolled on <http://mahatenders.gov.in>
3. For details contact - 24 x 7 Help Desk Toll Free No. 1800 3070 2232 Mobile No. +917878107985/86, +917878007972/73 Email:eproc.maharashtra@gmail.com, eppp-support@nic.in
4. Right is reserved to reject any or all tenders without any reason thereof.
5. We are not responsible for any problem crop during the Online E-tender process.
6. Above Tender Notice is also available on Web site of <http://mahapwd.gov.in>.
Sd/-
Executive Engineer
Public Works Division, Udgir
DGIPR/2024-25/ROC 1850

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एतद्वारा सूचित किया जाता है कि 30प्रो पुलिस भर्ती एवं प्रोवैटि बोर्ड द्वारा आरक्षी नागरिक पुलिस के पदों पर सीधी भर्ती-2023 की परीक्षा दिनांक-23, 24, 25, 30 एवं 31 अगस्त, 2024 के आयोजन के दृष्टिगत आयोग के परीक्षा केंद्र दिनांक 03.06.2024 की परीक्षा की तिथियों में निम्नानुसार आंशिक संशोधन किया जाता है :-
क्र.सं. विज्ञापन संख्या परीक्षा का नाम प्रस्तावित तारीख तिथि
1 डी-3/ई-1/2023 होम्योपैथिक चिकित्साधिकारी स्क्रीनिंग परीक्षा-2023 (विभाग संख्या-एस-11/02) 15.09.2024 (प्रथम सत्र)
2 डी-4/ई-1/2023 होम्योपैथिक चिकित्साधिकारी स्क्रीनिंग परीक्षा-2023 (विभाग संख्या-एस-11/08) 15.09.2024 (द्वितीय सत्र)
3 डी-3/ई-1/2023 होम्योपैथिक अवासीय चिकित्साधिकारी स्क्रीनिंग परीक्षा-2023 (विभाग संख्या-एस-11/03) 18.09.2024
4 ए-2/ई-1/2023 सहायक नगर नियोजक (मुख्य) परीक्षा-2023 25.09.2024
संख्या - 145/01/डी0आर0एस-11/2022-23 (अशोक कुमार)
दिनांक - प्रथमराज, 12 अगस्त, 2024 सचिव

DISTRICT POLICE HEADQUARTERS KATHUA
E-mail: sspkathua@jkpolice.gov.in
Fax/Phone No.: 01922-234010
LOOK OUT NOTICE
On 08.08.2024, one person namely Intiaz Ahmed S/O Makhan Din R/O Rajbagh Tehsil and District Kathua lodged a written report at Police Station Kathua stating that on 05.08.2024 his wife namely Parveen Akhter, age 26 yrs, is missing. The complainant tried his best to search his wife but all in vain. On this, missing report vide DD No. 16 dated 08.08.2024 has been entered at Police Station Kathua.
During the course of investigation, best efforts were made to locate missing individual, whereas she is still un-traced.
As such Description Roll/Photograph of said missing individual is being shared with the appeal that anybody having clue/information about her whereabouts may inform us accordingly. The informer will be rewarded suitably.
DESCRIPTION ROLL
• Name : Parveen Akhter
• Husband : Intiaz Ahmed
• Permanent Address : R/O Rajbagh
• Present Address : Rajbagh
• Tehsil : Kathua
• Police Station : Kathua
• Age : 26 years
• Height : 5 feet
• Complexion : Wheatish
• Face : Oval
• Eyes : Black
• Languages known : Dogri/Hindi/Gojri
PHOTOGRAPH
Any information related to the whereabouts of the subject may be communicated on following contacts:-
1. DPO Kathua- 01922-234010 (Phone/Fax)
2. dpokathua@jkpolice.gov.in (Mail ID)
3. PCR Kathua- 01922-234311 (Phone/Fax)
4. Police Station Kathua - 01922-234310
DIP-J-4246-24 Sr. Superintendent of Police, Kathua

पावरग्रिड POWERGRID
ADDENDUM TO NOTICE OF 35TH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING
This is with reference to the Notice dated 31st July, 2024 sent electronically to the members on 31st July, 2024, for convening 35th Annual General Meeting (AGM) of Power Grid Corporation of India Limited ("Company"/"POWERGRID") on Thursday, 22nd August, 2024 at 11:00 a.m. (IST) through Video Conferencing (VC) / Other Audio Visual Means (OAVM), to transact the business as set out therein. The said notice has been sent in due compliance with the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act") read with Rules made thereunder and other applicable provisions.
Subsequent to issuance of the Notice of 35th AGM, President of India vide Ministry of Power Order No. 25-11/5/2023-PG dated 8th August 2024, has appointed Shri Naveen Srivastava (DIN: 10158134), as Director (Operations) on the Board of POWERGRID.
Pursuant to Section 160 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 13 of the Companies (Appointment and Qualification of Directors) Rules, 2014, and other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013, the Company has received a Notice in writing proposing the name of Shri Naveen Srivastava (DIN: 10158134) as candidate for the office of Whole-time Director [Director (Operations)] of the Company, for consideration at the forthcoming AGM. The said agenda would be included in the remote e-voting facility commencing from Monday, 19th August, 2024 at 9:00 AM (IST) to Wednesday, 21st August, 2024 at 5:00 PM (IST) and also in the e-voting facility available during the AGM.
Accordingly, an Addendum to the Notice of 35th AGM for additional agenda as Special Business at Item No. 11 i.e. Appointment of Shri Naveen Srivastava (DIN: 10158134) as Whole-time Director [Director (Operations)] liable to retire by rotation, along with Statement pursuant to Section 102 of the Act, has been sent electronically to those Members of the Company whose email addresses are registered with Company/Depository Participant (DP), as on the cut-off date and it shall form an integral part of the original Notice of 35th AGM dated 31st July, 2024 for all purposes.
The said addendum is also available on the Company's website i.e. www.powergrid.in in websites of stock exchanges i.e. <https://www.bseindia.com/> and <https://www.nseindia.com/> and on the website of NSDL at www.evoting.nsdl.com
By order of the Board of Directors
Power Grid Corporation of India Limited
Sd/-
(Satyaprakash Dash)
Company Secretary & Compliance Officer
Date: 12.08.2024
Place: Gurugram
POWER GRID CORPORATION OF INDIA LIMITED
(A Government of India Enterprise)
Corp. Off.: 'Saudamin', Plot No.2, Sector-29, Gurugram-120011 (Haryana), Phone: 0124-282999, & 282200
Regd Office: B-9, Qutub Institutional Area, Katwaria Sarai, New Delhi - 110016, Phone: 011-26569112, 26569115 & 26569193
Website: www.powergrid.in, Email ID: investors@powergrid.in, CIN: L40101DL1998GO038121
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US beefs up forces to help Israel fend off Iran assault

Iran's acting foreign minister, Ali Bagheri Kani, reiterated the nation's determination to punish Israel for the killing of Hamas leader Ismail Haniyeh

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WASHINGTON: The US shored up naval and air forces in the Middle East to help Israel fend off any major attack from Iran, ahead of a resumption of Gaza ceasefire talks planned for later this week.

Secretary of Defence Lloyd Austin ordered the USS Abraham Lincoln carrier group, equipped with F-35C fighters, and the USS Georgia guided-missile submarine to accelerate their passage to the region, according to a readout from a call with Israeli counterpart Yoav Gallant on Sunday.

The move bolsters the defences of Israel, which has been braced for an assault from Iran or its allied proxy militia groups since back-to-back assassinations of senior Hezbollah and Hamas officials in Beirut and Tehran almost two weeks ago.

Iran's acting foreign minister, Ali Bagheri Kani, reiterated the country's determination to punish Israel for the killing of Hamas political leader Ismail Haniyeh in particular, and Washington is keen to avoid a major flare up three months before a presidential election. Israel has neither confirmed nor denied responsibility for Haniyeh's death.

Fresh ceasefire talks

The US, Qatar and Egypt last week called for a new round of Gaza ceasefire talks on August 15, an effort to resolve long-deadlocked negotiations between Israel and Hamas more than 10 months into their war. Hamas has pushed back against the proposal, saying discussions should centre on implementing previous plans.

France, Germany and the UK endorsed the plan for talks on



Displaced Palestinians flee following evacuation orders from the Israeli army to leave the Hamad district of Khan Younis, southern Gaza, on Sunday.

BLOOMBERG

Israel's PM, defence minister trade barbs over Gaza war aims

JERUSALEM: Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu traded barbs with his defence minister on Monday, underscoring the deep internal splits that continue to plague the government as the war in Gaza risks spilling out into a wider regional conflict.

Following Israeli media reports quoting Defence Minister Yoav Gallant dismissing Netanyahu's war aim of total victory against the Islamist movement Hamas in Gaza as "non-sense", Netanyahu's office

Monday. An official in Israel, which has agreed to attend the Thursday talks though a venue has yet to be announced, said the plan is for the Arab mediators to brief Hamas afterward.

Hamas triggered the Gaza war when its militants invaded Israel on October 7, with Leba-

put out a statement rebuking Gallant. "When Gallant adopts the anti-Israel narrative, he harms the chances of reaching a hostage deal," the statement said.

It said Israel's war aim remained "total victory", with the elimination of Hamas and the release of the remaining hostages seized by Hamas-led gunmen on October 7 last year. "This is the clear directive of Prime Minister Netanyahu and the Security Cabinet, and it obligates everyone — including Gallant," it said. **REUTERS**

non's Hezbollah and the Yemen-based Houthis engaging in rocket-fire battles in solidarity. All three groups are sponsored by Iran and designated terrorist organisations by the US.

Austin and Gallant discussed "efforts to deter aggression by Iran, Hezbollah and other Iran-

aligned groups across the region" and progress towards securing a ceasefire and the release of hostages held in Gaza, according to a statement from the US Department of Defence. Gallant's office played up the "inter-operability" of Israeli and US military systems, indicating the allies would fight as a united front.

Previous rounds of ceasefire talks have been held up in part by Israel's determination to resume fighting after any pause to ensure Hamas is totally destroyed. Hamas has demanded a total Israeli withdrawal from the coastal Palestinian territory it has run since 2007, now partially destroyed by months of war.

Other sticking points include the number of hostages Hamas is prepared to release and when, and which Palestinian prisoners would be offered in return. A deal that offers Hamas a reprieve could be enough to persuade Iran and its proxy groups to hold off on their promised attacks. But Israeli media has speculated a retaliation for the assassinations could come before the truce talks are scheduled to start.

{ PAKISTAN } HOUSING SCHEME SCANDAL; COURT MARTIAL PROCEEDINGS INITIATED

Pak military arrests ex-ISI chief

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ISLAMABAD: In an unprecedented move, the Pakistan Army on Monday announced that it has arrested former Inter-Services Intelligence (ISI) agency chief Lt Gen (retd.) Faiz Hameed and initiated court martial proceedings against him in connection with a housing scheme scandal.

"Complying with the orders of the Supreme Court of Pakistan, a detailed court of inquiry was undertaken by Pakistan Army, to ascertain correctness of complaints in Top City Case made against Lt Gen Faiz Hameed (Retd.)," the Inter-Services Public Relations (ISPR) — the media wing of the army — said in a statement.

"Consequently, appropriate disciplinary action has been initiated against Lt Gen Faiz Hameed (Retd.), under provisions of the Pakistan Army Act," it said.

"In addition, multiple instances of violation of the Pakistan Army Act post-retirement have also been established. The process of Field General Court Martial has been initiated and Lt Gen Faiz Hameed (Retd.) has been taken into military custody," it added.



Who is Faiz Hameed?

Hameed was director general of the ISI from 2019 to 2021. He came into the global spotlight when he was filmed drinking tea in the lobby of a Kabul hotel shortly after the Taliban had taken over Afghanistan following the pullout of US-led forces in 2021.

Hameed was appointed to the coveted post when then ISI chief and current Army chief Asim Munir was prematurely removed from the post. It was reported then that then PM Imran Khan was not happy with Munir. Hameed was considered to be close to Khan.

Hameed was once seen as a contender for the role of Chief of Army Staff. He opted for early retirement in Nov 2022, four months ahead of official retirement, after Asim Munir assumed the position of Army Chief. Hameed was close to the then-Army Chief, Gen Qamar Bajwa.

The Top City case made headlines when on November 8, 2023, Moez Ahmed Khan, the owner of Top City, filed a petition in the Supreme Court in which he accused Hameed of misusing his authority.

He stated in the petition that on May 12, 2017, at the behest of Hameed, ISI officials raided the top city office and his house and seized valuables, including gold, diamonds and money.

He also stated that Sardar Najaf, the brother of Hameed, also contacted him to resolve the issue later. The petition also claimed that Hameed later personally met him to resolve the

issue. He alleged that the ISI officials extorted 4 crore Pakistani rupees from him.

A three-judge bench of the Supreme Court, which included Chief Justice of Pakistan Justice Qazi Faiz Isa, Justice Attar Minullah and Justice Aminuddin, heard the case and decided to send it to the Ministry of Defence for probing the allegation. The army announced in April this year that it constituted a high-level inquiry committee headed by a major general to look into the allegations.

Lt Gen (retd.) Hameed was considered extremely powerful when he headed the spy agency

from 2019 to 2021. Hameed was also considered to be close to Imran Khan, who named him to head the ISI when he was premier. Khan was ousted in 2022 in a vote of no-confidence that he alleges was orchestrated by the military, which denies this.

He was appointed to the coveted post when then ISI chief and current Army chief Lt Gen Asim Munir was prematurely removed from the post. Later, the army decided to replace Hameed, a move vehemently opposed by Imran Khan and it is believed that it was the beginning of souring of his ties with the powerful military.

US presidential polls: Harris gains in battleground states

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WASHINGTON: Democratic presidential candidate Kamala Harris has voiced confidence in winning the November 5 general elections against her Republican rival Donald Trump, as she gained ground nationally and in several key battleground states.

US Vice-President Harris, who is of both Indian and African origin, continues to be on a fundraising spree, taking her campaign coffers to an unprecedented level.

The 59-year-old Democratic leader has also been attracting a record crowd in her rallies.

"We will win this election," Harris told a fundraiser in San Francisco on Sunday in which she amassed \$12 million more



Kamala Harris AFP

for her presidential bid.

The fundraiser was attended by around 700 donors, including several prominent Indian-Americans. In less than a month of her being on top of the Democratic Party ticket, after incumbent President Joe Biden decided to

withdraw from the race, Harris has nearly wiped out the national lead of her Republican rival and former president Trump.

According to Real Clear Politics, which monitors all the major national and state polls, Harris is now leading Trump by 0.5 percentage points in an average of all the national polls.

Harris has also surged ahead in two battleground states, Wisconsin and Michigan, where Biden was trailing earlier, as per Real Clear Politics.

The latest poll by The New York Times said that Harris is leading in three key states — Pennsylvania, Wisconsin and Michigan — by four percentage points. Harris told the donors in San Francisco that she is not taking any chances.

AUSTRALIA, U.S., UK SIGN NUCLEAR TRANSFER DEAL FOR AUKUS SUBS

Agence France-Presse
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SYDNEY: Australia said on Monday it had signed a deal to allow the exchange of nuclear secrets and material with the United States and Britain, a key step towards equipping its navy with nuclear-powered submarines.

It binds the three countries to security arrangements for the transfer of sensitive US and UK nuclear material and knowhow as part of the tripartite 2021 Aukus security accord.

Aukus, which envisages building an Australian nuclear-powered submarine fleet and jointly developing advanced warfighting capabilities, is seen as a strategic answer to Chinese military ambitions in the Pacific region.

"This agreement is an important step towards Australia's acquisition of conventionally-armed, nuclear-powered submarines for the Royal Australian Navy," said Richard Marles, Australia's defence minister and deputy prime minister.

Greece battles massive wildfires



A firefighter near a wildfire in Dionysos, Greece, on Monday. A huge wildfire is threatening suburbs near Athens, forcing thousands of people to evacuate. **BLOOMBERG**

THOUSANDS FLEE

Thousands of people fled their homes around Athens as strong winds fanned a wall of wildfire flames closer to the Greek capital. Nearly 700 firefighters and over 30 aircraft battled the blazes that had advanced into the city's outer suburbs near Mt Pentelikon.

FRANCE SENDS HELP

France is sending 180 firefighters, 55 trucks and a helicopter to help Greece cope with wildfires, Interior Minister Gerald Darmanin said. The statement came after the EU said that Italy, France, the Czech Republic and Romania would send assistance.

Hasina's stay in India will not hurt bilateral ties: B'desh govt adviser

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DHAKA: A top adviser of Bangladesh's interim government on Monday said that deposed prime minister Sheikh Hasina's stay in India will not hurt bilateral relations and Dhaka will always try to maintain good relations with New Delhi.

Foreign Affairs Adviser Md Touhid Hossain made the comments when he was asked whether bilateral ties with India will be affected if Hasina's stay in India gets prolonged, the United News of Bangladesh news agency reported. "This is a hypothetical question. If someone stays in a country why the relations with that particular country will be affected? There is no reason for that," he said, emphasising that bilateral relations are a big matter.

Hasina, 76, resigned and fled to India last week following widespread protests against her government over a controversial



People stage a protest over the violence against minorities in Bangladesh, in Houston, USA, on Sunday. **PTI**

quota system in jobs. Hossain said they will "always try to maintain good relations" with India.

'Polls must be held soon'

Polls in Bangladesh must be held quickly to ensure stability and security in the South Asian nation, said a senior member of one of the country's main political parties. "Elections should take

place as soon as possible because the reforms that political parties and the nation are looking for can only be done by a parliament," said Rumeen Farhana, a lawyer turned lawmaker and a leader in the opposition, the Bangladesh Nationalist Party. "The people's will is the last word and they can express that by exercising their right to choose." **AGENCIES**

'BANGLADESH IS EXPERIENCING A STUDENT-LED REVOLUTION'

DHAKA: Bangladesh was experiencing a "student-led revolution" after the ouster of premier Sheikh Hasina, the South Asian country's new interim leader Muhammad Yunus said.

"This is a revolution, a student-led revolution," the Nobel laureate told a news briefing. "There's no doubt about (that) because the business of the whole government collapsed."

Yunus arrived back in Bangladesh from Europe on Thursday after he was called by the student leaders of the protests that toppled Hasina and asked to steer democratic reforms.

"I said, 'I respect you, I admire you. What you have done is absolutely unparalleled,'" he said. **AFP**

{ DUTCH PAINTER }

Van Gogh's Starry Night recreated as park in Bosnia

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VISOKO, BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA: Amid the green hills and meadows of central Bosnia, a local businessman has realised his long-held dream: recreating one of Vincent van Gogh's most famous paintings. The Starry Night, in the form of a nature park.

Halim Zukic from the town of Visoko decided to create a park after buying some land and a cottage in a nearby village 20 years ago, but he had no clear idea of what it should look like.

Then, six years ago, as he stood on a hill watching tractors in a hay meadow, he noticed their spiral-shaped wheel tracks in the earth, which reminded him of the swirling motifs in



A drone view of a park transformed into a replica of Vincent Van Gogh's famous painting 'The Starry Night' in Visoko. **REUTERS**

Van Gogh's canvas from 1889. "From that moment, I was no longer in doubt," Zukic said. But his vision took time, money and effort to realise. Zukic wanted the 10-hectare

Starry Night park to be part of a larger complex offering a retreat to visitors. He planted more trees and created 13 lakes using existing natural streams.

To match the painting, 130,000 bushes of lavender in six different shades were planted, as well as other medicinal and aromatic herbs such as sage, echinacea, wormwood and chamomile, forming colourful circles, spirals and natural amphitheatres.

Zukic did all the landscaping himself. He said recreating the painting had helped him understand artists and the creative challenges they face.

"This is the largest representation of The Starry Night, and the result of 20 years of dreams, of living those dreams to make them real," he said.

The Starry Night park will focus on art programmes and the promotion of central Bosnia's cultural heritage, Zukic said.

'Ukraine's forces now control 1,000sqkm of Russian region'

KYIV: Ukraine's top military commander says his forces now control 1,000 square kilometres of Russia's neighbouring Kursk region, the first time a Ukrainian military official has publicly commented on the gains of the lightning incursion that has embarrassed the Kremlin.

Gen. Oleksandr Syrskyi made the statement in a video posted on Monday to Ukrainian President Volodymyr Zelensky's Telegram channel. In the video, he briefed the president on the front-line situation.

"The troops are fulfilling their tasks. Fighting continues actually along the entire front line. The situation is under our control," Syrskyi said. Russian forces are still



A Ukrainian soldier raises a Ukrainian flag in Guevo, Kursk Oblast, Russia. **REUTERS**

scrambling to respond to the surprise Ukrainian attack after almost a week of fierce fighting.

Russian President Vladimir Putin said the incursion, which has caused more than 100,000 civilians to flee, is an attempt by Kyiv to stop Moscow's offensive in eastern Ukraine's Donbas region and gain leverage in possible future peace talks.

Zelensky on Monday confirmed for the first time that the Ukrainian military is operating inside the Kursk region.

Speaking on Monday at a meeting with top security and defence officials, Putin said the attack that began on August 6 appeared to reflect Kyiv's attempt to achieve a better negotiating position in possible future talks to end the war.

Putin insisted Moscow's army would prevail. **AP**

Kenya cult leader on trial for manslaughter

NAIROBI: The leader of a Kenyan starvation sect went on trial for manslaughter on Monday over the deaths of more than 400 of his followers in one of the world's worst cult-related tragedies. Self-proclaimed pastor Paul Nthenge Mackenzie and dozens of other suspects pleaded not guilty in January to multiple counts of manslaughter. **AFP**



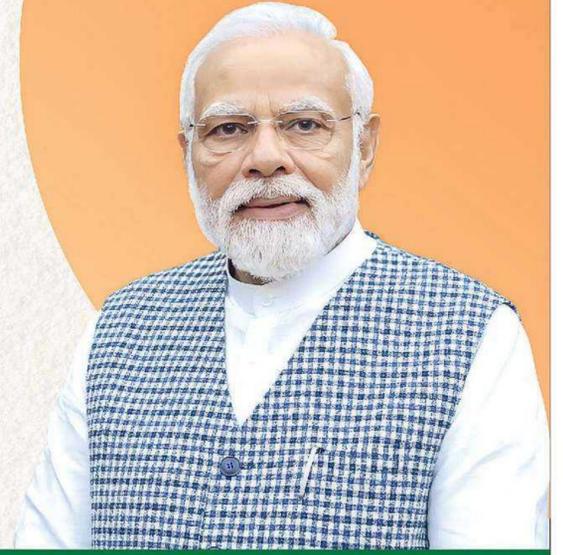
Govt. of Haryana

“सरकार का ध्येय है कि अब विकास कार्यों को और भी तीव्रता से संपन्न करवाना है, इसी श्रृंखला में राज्यभर में आधारभूत संरचनाओं को शीघ्रता से मजबूत किया जा रहा है।”

- नायब सिंह सैनी

“आज हमारी हर नीति, हर रणनीति- जनकल्याण से राष्ट्रकल्याण की है। जन अभियान से राष्ट्रनिर्माण की है।”

- नरेन्द्र मोदी



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NORTH CENTRAL RAILWAY

Tender Notice

Divisional Railway Manager (Works) N.C. Railway, Jhansi for and behalf of President of India invites sealed "Open Tender" through on Line (E-Tendering) for the following work.

Description of work: Part-A: Gwalior: Improvement to Service buildings (Hospitals & other service buildings) at Gwalior station in ADEN/GWL sub division. **Part-B:** Construction of pathway at various stations/IBH/LC's gates along with wire fencing and concreting work at critical locations boxes of JHS division.

| E-Tender No. | Approx. Cost | Earnest Money |
|---------------------|---------------|---------------|
| JHS-ENGG-N-2024-163 | ₹ 32585679.40 | ₹ 312900.00 |

Date of Closing tender: 04.09.2024 at 15.00 hrs. Date of completion/period from issue acceptance letter: 10 Months. *Tender online can be submitted up to 15.00 hrs. on 04.09.2024. * For full details and submission of bid please see the Indian Railway website www.ireps.gov.in.

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NORTHERN RAILWAY

Invitation of Tender through E-Tendering (E-Procurement System)

Sr. DMM, Northern Railway, New Delhi-110001, for and on behalf of the president of India invites e-tenders through e-procurement system for supply of the following items.

| Tender No. | Brief Description | Qty. | Closing Date |
|------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------|--------------|
| 93245724A | A Supply and installation of satellite based mobile DTH auto tracking antenna (Trusat 500 or SR 1500 or similar hybrid phased array antenna) with shock Absorption Antenna base and power supply system and with DTH set Top Box with one year subscription. Detailed specification for Satellite based mobile DTH (a) Satellite based mobile DTH auto tracking antenna (Trusat 500 or SR 1500 or similar hybrid phased array antenna) (b) Antenna Base with Shock absorption system for satellite based mobile DTH auto tracking antenna. (c) Power supply system rating 12 volts/15 Amps (Meanwell make or similar) (d) Set Top Box (DTH) with One year subscription. | 06 No. | 06.09.2024 |

Note: 1. Vendors may Visit the IREPS website i.e. www.ireps.gov.in for details. 2. No Manual offer will be entertained.
No.:- Sr. DMM/NSL/P/93245724A/2024 Dated: 10.08.2024 2496/2024
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PROCLAMATION REQUIRING THE APPEARANCE OF ACCUSED PERSON

See Section 82 Cr.P.C.

Whereas complaint has been made before me that accused Krishan Kumar, S/o :Shiv Charan , R/o : Harsinhpur, Distt. Hapur, U.P. has committed (or is suspected to have committed) the offence in FIR No. 00841/2019, U/s: 411 IPC, Police Station, Kotwali and it has been returned to a warrant of arrest there upon issued that the said accused Krishan Kumar, cannot be found and whereas it has been shown to my satisfaction that the said accused Krishan Kumar, has absconded (or is concealing himself to avoid the service of the said warrant).

Proclamation is hereby made that the said accused Krishan Kumar, of FIR No. 00841/2019, U/s: 411 IPC Police Station, Kotwali, is required to appear before this Court to answer the said complaint on or before 17.09.2024.

By Order
Ms. Sayesha Chadha,
Judicial Magistrate First Class-08,
Room No. 272, Central District,
Tis Hazari Court, Delhi

DP/10543/N/2024

झारखण्ड लोक सेवा आयोग

सकृद्वार रोड, राँची-834001

प्रेस विज्ञापित

झारखण्ड वन क्षेत्र पदाधिकारी नियुक्ति परीक्षा के संबंध में संशोधित आवश्यक सूचना

झारखण्ड वन सेवा के वन क्षेत्र पदाधिकारी के कुल-170 पदों पर नियमित नियुक्ति हेतु इच्छुक एवं अर्हताधारि भारतीय नागरिकों से विहित प्रपत्र में ऑनलाईन आवेदन आमंत्रित किये जाने के निमित्त विज्ञापन संख्या-04/2024 का प्रकाशन दिनांक-25.07.2024 को किया गया था। विज्ञापन के विरुद्ध पूर्व निर्गत ऑनलाईन आवेदन पत्र भरने हेतु निर्धारित तिथि में निम्नवत् संशोधन किये जाते हैं:-

- ऑनलाईन आवेदन पत्र भरने हेतु तिथि एवं अन्य निदेश निम्नांकित हैं:-

| | |
|--------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1. ऑनलाईन आवेदन पत्र भरने की अंतिम तिथि | दिनांक-30.08.2024 (अपराह्न 05:00 बजे तक) |
| 2. परीक्षा शुल्क भुगतान करने की अंतिम तिथि | दिनांक-02.09.2024 (अपराह्न 05:00 बजे तक) |
| 3. प्रारंभिक परीक्षा की समाप्ति तिथि | दिनांक-22.09.2024 (पूर्वाह्न 10:00 से अपराह्न 12:00 बजे तक) |

2. अस्थायी ऑनलाईन आवेदन पत्र भरने की प्रक्रिया प्रारंभ करने के पूर्व आयोग के वेबसाइट पर प्रदर्शित विस्तृत विज्ञापन एवं ऑनलाईन आवेदन पत्र भरने हेतु आवश्यक एवं विस्तृत निर्देश का मूली-मांती अध्ययन कर लें।

3. विज्ञापन से संबंधित किसी भी प्रकार की जानकारी के लिए आयोग के Help Line No.- +919431301636, +919431301419 पर कार्य दिवस में पूर्वाह्न-10:00 से अपराह्न-5:00 बजे तक संपर्क किया जा सकता है।

सू/- परीक्षा नियंत्रक,
झारखण्ड लोक सेवा आयोग, राँची

PR 32502 Jharkhand Public Service Commission(24-25).D

NORTHERN RAILWAY

TENDER NOTICE

Tender Notice No.: 199/Elect/W/LKO/Tender/01/2024 dated: 09.08.2024

For and on behalf of the President of India, the Dy. Chief Electrical Engineer (W), Northern Railway Rolling Stock Workshop, Charbagh, Lucknow invites tender on prescribed form, as per following details given below:

Tender No.: 199/Elect/W/LKO/Tender/01/2024. **Name of Work:** Fabrication, supply, fixing and commissioning of down shop lead (DSL) of Diesel shop of Rolling Stock Workshop Charbagh, Lucknow. **Quantity:** As per SOR, **Estimated Cost of Work:** Rs. 37,26,993/-, (In Words: Rupees Thirty Seven Lac Thirty Six Thousand Nine Hundred Ninety Three Only) inclusive GST @ 18%. **Earnest Money:** Rs. 74800/- (In Word: Rupees Seventy Four Thousand Eight Hundred Only) accepted through net banking or payment gateway only. **Cost of Tender Form:** Zero (NIL). **Period of Contract:** 06 Months. **Minimum eligibility:** The tenderer must submit attested copy of valid Class 'A' Electrical contractors License along with his offer. **Date & Time for Submission of Tender:** from 19.08.2024 to 02.09.2024 up to 15:00 Hrs. **Date & Time for Opening of Tender:** at 15:15 Hrs. on 02.09.2024.

The tender form may be submitted on the website www.ireps.gov.in from 19.08.2024 to 02.09.2024 (up to 15:00 Hrs.). A Manual offer is not allowed against this tender, any such manual offer received shall be ignored. Contractors are allowed to make payment against this tender towards tender document cost and Earnest Money only through online payment modes available on IREPS portal like net banking, debit card, credit card etc. * Manual payments through Demand Draft, Banker's cheque, Deposit receipt, FDR are not allowed. * The tender will be opened on specified date and time as above in the presence of firm's representatives. In case the above date is a holiday the tender opening would be conducted at the same times on the next working day. * No post tender correspondence for submission of additional documents shall be entertained after opening the technical & commercial offers. Even suo-moto post letter of the tender shall be treated as NULL & Void.

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APPEAL FOR IDENTIFICATION

General public is hereby informed that this person (depicted in the photo) Name: Prakash, S/o: Chunnur Rao, R/o: Rain Basera, Geeta Ghat, Civil Lines, Delhi. Age: about 60 Years, Sex: Male, Height: 5'3", Complexion: Dark, Face: Long, Built: Thin, ID Mark: Scar mark on Forehead, Wearing: White color Baniyan and Grey color Lower, found dead at Rain Basera, Geeta Ghat, Civil Lines, Delhi on 08.08.2024 under area of PS. Civil Lines, Delhi.

In this regard a DD No. 60A, dated 08.08.2024 has been lodged at PS. Civil Lines, Delhi.

Sincere efforts have been made by local police to trace out information about this person but no clue has come to light so far.

Dead Body has been preserved in Subzi Mandi Mortuary, Delhi for 72 Hours if any person having any information or clue about this person may kindly inform to the following.

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PS.- Civil Lines, Delhi
Ph.: 011-23815444, 8750870127
DP/10692/N/2024 (UIDB)

POSTGRADUATE INSTITUTE OF MEDICAL EDUCATION & RESEARCH CHANDIGARH

CORRIGENDUM

Ref: E-Tender Notice No. P/EP/24-25/01
Following changes are made:-

| Sr. No. | Equipment/Item Name | Original Bid Submission Date | Revised Bid Submission Date | Original Bid Opening Date | Revised Bid Opening Date | Dept. Name |
|---------|------------------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|------------------|
| 4. | Online Examination (Computer Based Test) | 13.08.2024 | 31.08.2024 | 14.08.2024 | 02.09.2024 | Academic Section |

All other details shall remain the same.
PGI RO No. HR-00436 Professor In-Charge (EP)

NORTH CENTRAL RAILWAY

Tender Notice

Divisional Railway Manager (Works) N.C. Railway, Jhansi for and behalf of President of India invites sealed "Open Tender" through on Line (E-Tendering) for the following work.

Description of work: Jhansi-Kanpur section:- Construction of limited height subway in lieu of LC No. 173, 174 & 185 (3 No.) and construction of road from LC 177 to 176 under ADEN/CNB jurisdiction.

| E-Tender No. | Approx. Cost | Earnest Money |
|---------------------|----------------|---------------|
| JHS-ENGG-C-2024-158 | ₹ 160966450.91 | ₹ 954800.00 |

Date of Closing tender: 06.09.2024 at 15.00 hrs. Date of completion/period from issue acceptance letter: 12 Months. *Tender online can be submitted up to 15.00 hrs. on 06.09.2024. * For full details and submission of bid please see the Indian Railway website www.ireps.gov.in.

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महाराष्ट्र शासन, गृह विभाग (बंदे व परिवहन)

महाराष्ट्र सागरी मंडळ

सागरी अभियंता व चिकित्सक सञ्चार

इंडियन मरिटाइम कौन्सिल, तिसरा मजला, रामजीभाई कवानी मार्ग, वेलाई पिंजर, मुंबई - ४०० ००९.
दूरधनी क्र.: ०२२-२६२३९१४४, फॅक्स क्र.: ०२२-२६२३९१२९
Website: <https://mahatenders.maharashtra.gov.in> Email: mecs.mumbai@mmb.maharashtra.gov.in

Second E-Tender Notice - (Year 2024 - 2025)

Main Portal: <https://mahatenders.gov.in>
Departmental Portal: www.mahatenders.maharashtra.gov.in

Digitally signed E-Tender for work "Lease of MMB owned Cutter Suction Dredger CSD Swami for 03 years further extendable by 02 more years (Bareboat Charter)" invited by Maharashtra Maritime Board, Mumbai.

| Sr. No. | Name of Work | Earnest Money Deposit in (Rs.) | Blank Tender Form Amount (Rs.) |
|---------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| 1. | Lease of MMB owned Cutter Suction Dredger CSD Swami for 03 years further extendable by 02 more years (Bareboat Charter) | 99,000/- | 1,180/- |

The details can be viewed online and downloaded directly from the Government of Maharashtra E-Tendering Portal <https://mahatenders.gov.in> from 10/08/2024 at 11.00 hours (IST) onwards. The right to reject any or all tenders without assigning any reason is reserved with undersigned.

Sd/-
Marine Engineer & Chief Surveyor
Maharashtra Maritime Board, Mumbai.
ROC-2024-25/No.5/C/1877

NORTHERN RAILWAY

OPEN E-TENDER NOTICE

No. 128-W/280/E Tender Notice/NIT-51-2023-24W-II Dated: 12.08.2024

The Sr. Divisional Engineer-II, Northern Railway, Delhi Division invites E-Tender for the following work.

- NIT Name of work: Development of Goods shed at Daurala, KMT (Meerut Mandi Siding), MUT/Military siding, PRTP siding in the section of SSEW/MTC and at Muzaffarnagar in the section of SSEW/MOZ under ADEN/MUT. Approx cost of work: As per NIT or IREPS, Earnest Money to be deposited: As per NIT or IREPS.

| Date & Time of opening of tender | 06.09.2024 15:00 Hrs. |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|
| Website particulars where complete details of tender documents can be seen | www.ireps.gov.in |

* The tenderer's name must be registered on the Indian Railway E-Procurement system (IREPS) site i.e. www.ireps.gov.in for participating in the e-tender system. * For all terms and conditions please refer tender document. * No manual offers are acceptable. * Cost of tender document and Earnest money will be acceptable through net banking or payment gateway only.

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Pharmaceuticals & Medical Devices Bureau of India (PMBI)

(Set up under the Department of Pharmaceuticals, Govt. of India)
B-500, Tower - B, 5th Floor, World Trade Center, Nauraji Nagar, New Delhi - 110029
Telephone: 011-49431800/49431811/49431854/49431829/49431894/49431874
Website: www.janaushadhi.gov.in

e-TENDER FOR SUPPLY OF DRUGS ON RATE CONTRACT BASIS FOR TWO YEARS

e-Tender for supply of 67 nos. of DRUGS for "Pradhan Mantri Bhartiya Janaushadhi Pariyojana (PMBJP)" are invited by PMBI. Last date and time for submission of online bids against e-Tender no. PMBI/DRUG/RG-219/2024 dated 06/08/2024 for supply of drugs is 30/08/2024 up to 17:00 hours.

For detailed eligibility criteria, terms & conditions of the tender, please visit the websites <https://eprocure.gov.in> and <https://www.ireps.gov.in>.

Sd/-
CEO, PMBI

Government of Jammu & Kashmir

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER R&B DIVISION PAHALGAM

NOTICE INVITING e-TENDER

NIT No. 41 Of R&B/Pahalagam/2024-25-E-TENDERING/DATED: 10.08.2024

Executive Engineer PWD(R&B) Division Pahalgam on behalf of L.T. Governor of J&K, invites percentage rate bids (EPC Mode) in Two Cover System for the following work from the eligible and approved contractors registered with J&K UT Govt. CPWD, Railways and other State Governments.

- The Bidding documents Consisting of qualifying information, eligibility criteria, specifications, Drawings, bill of quantities (B.O.D.), Set of terms and conditions of contract and other details can be seen/downloaded from the departmental website www.jktenders.gov.in as per schedule of dates given below:-

| S. No | Name of Work | Tendered Cost (Rs. in lacs.) | Incl. GST | Designing, Construction and Commissioning | Cost of document (Rs. in lacs.) | Earnest Money (Bid Security) (Rs. in lacs.) | Time of completion for construction work | Tender Call | Time and Date of opening of tenders online | Technical Bid Opening | Class of contractor |
|-------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------|-------------------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------|-------------|--------------------------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Construction of Seer Nambal Bridge (Balance Work)/ Additional Span including either Approaches | 425.00 Lacs | 5500 | 6 | 7 | 8.50 | 18 Months | 8 | 03.09.2024 At 11.00 A.M | 10 | 11 AAY Class Only |

M.H Account = Recorded Vide Order No. 139 of 2019-20, Dated 19.10.2019.
Position of AAA = UT Sector
Major Head of Account = R&B Department South Kashmir
Project Authority

- Date of Issue of Tender Notice: 10.08.2024
- Period of downloading of bidding documents: 12.08.2024 from 10.00 AM.
- Date, Time and Place of Pre Bid meeting: 14.08.2024 at 11.00 A.M in the Office of the Superintending Engineer PWD (R&B) Circle Anantnag
- Bid submission Start Date: 14.08.2024 from 11.00 AM.
- Bid Submission End Date: 02.09.2024 upto 4.00 PM.
- Date & time of opening of Bids (Online): 03.09.2024 at 11.00 A.M in the Office of the Superintending Engineer PWD (R&B) Circle Anantnag
- Date & time of opening of Financial Bids: To be notified after technical bid evaluation is completed (Online).

- Bids must be accompanied with cost of Tender document in shape of Treasury Challan/Receipt (Under MH-059 PWD) in favour of Executive Engineer R&B Division Pahalgam (Tender Inviting Authority) (NIT No. and Name of Work/Item No. to be mentioned on the Treasury Challan/Receipt) (The Date of Treasury Challan should be between the date of Start of Bid and Bid Submission End Date) and EMD (2% of advertised Cost) in the shape of CDR/FDR/BG ledged to Superintending Engineer PWD (R&B) Circle, Anantnag (Tender receiving Authority).
- All the Bidders have to submit Earnest Money/Bid Security (EMD@2% of Advertised Cost) in the shape of CDR/FDR/BG. Non submission of Earnest Money/Bid Security shall render the bidder as No-responsive.
- The 1st lowest responsive (Successful) Bidder has to produce an amount equal to 5% of contract as Performance Security in the shape of CDR/FDR/BG in favour of Superintending Engineer PWD (R&B) Circle, Anantnag within 15 Days before fixation of Contract and shall be released 60 Days after successful completion of Defect Liability Period (DLP) of the work. Failure to produce Performance Security shall render the L1 as non-responsive and case for debarring of the Contractor for a period of 01 Year shall be forwarded to Higher Authorities.
- The Earnest Money Deposit (EMD@2% of Advertised Cost) in the shape CDR/FDR/BG of the successful Bidder shall be released after receiving Performance Security @5% of the allotted cost in the shape of CDR/FDR/BG and same shall be released 60 Days after successful completion of Defect Liability Period (DLP) of the work.
- The date and time of opening of Bids shall be notified on Web Site www.jktenders.gov.in and conveyed to the bidders automatically through an e-mail message on their e-mail address. The bids of Responsive bidders shall be opened online on same website in the Office of the Superintending Engineer PWD (R&B) Circle Anantnag (Tender Receiving Authority).
- The bids for the work shall remain valid for a period of 120 days from the date of opening of Technical bids
- The earnest money/Performance security shall be forfeited, if-
 - Any bidder/tenderer withdraws his bid/tender during the period of bid validity or makes any modifications in the terms and conditions of the bid.
 - Failure of Successful bidder to furnish the required performance security within the specified time limit.
 - Failure of Successful bidder to execute the agreement within 28 days after fixation of contract.
- All other terms and conditions shall be strictly as per SBO circulated by this office letter No. CE/RBK/HD/29158-88 dated 10.02.2018

No. Dated: 10.08.2024
Executive Engineer
DIPK-4669-24 PWD (R&B) Division Pahalgam

CENTRE FOR RAILWAY INFORMATION SYSTEMS

Chanakypuri, New Delhi - 110021

Industry Consultation for CCTV systems in Rolling Stock of IR-Locomotives (CVRS with RDAS), Coaches (CCTVSS) & EMU/MEMU.

Industry Consultation Meeting on CCTV systems in Rolling Stock of Indian Railway-Locomotives (CVRS with RDAS), Coaches (CCTVSS) & EMU/MEMU is being convened at CRIS. The meeting will take place at Railway Club, SP Marg, New Delhi on 20th August 2024 (Tuesday) at 11.00 am.

The discussion will be focused on the following items:-

- Security auditing & testing of Camera by STOC in compliance with Gazette Notification dated 6 March, 2024 issued by MeitY.
- Comprehensive Security auditing & testing of NVR/VRU and RDAS
- Technical specifications/requirements for CCTV surveillance system
- Any other issues to be highlighted by OEMs of CCTV camera/NVR/OEMs of CCTV Surveillance system are hereby invited to participate in the above meeting.

CRIS/New Delhi

Centre for Railway Information Systems

Chanakypuri, New Delhi-110021
Tel.: 24106717, 24104525

Sub: Expression of Interest (EoI) for Enterprise Data Warehouse/ Lake of CRIS solution.

Centre for Railway Information Systems (CRIS) invites Expression of Interest (EoI) from OEMs/Vendors available in the industry, seeking solution for Enterprise Data Warehouse/Lake with tools like (ETL, Data Ingestion, Data Modeling, Data Governance- Catalog & Metadata, ITSM, Data Streaming, MLOps, Plug-in for AI/ML etc.) to design, develop and implement on premise (CRIS Cloud) Enterprise Data Warehouse/Lake of CRIS. It will be a repository of data for all CRIS Project for analysis purpose. The estimated size of data will be 130 TB expandable to 200 TB. Interested agencies having relevant work experience may submit their EOI by 15.08.2024 to CRIS through mail at edwi@cris.org.in with details as listed below:

- Name of the organisation
- Address
- Contact person
- Contact no.
- Email id
- Registered in India since
- Whether start up: Yes/No
- Relevant experience for the solution (no. of years)
- Implementations in India
- Any other relevant details.

The meeting of the stakeholders w.r.t. EoI is being organized at Conference Hall, 3rd Floor, CRIS IPTI Building, 4-A, Ring Road, I.P. Estate, near ITO, New Delhi on 22.08.2024 at 15.00hrs.

Managing Director/CRIS

HOSPITALITY DEPARTMENT

CHANDIGARH ADMINISTRATION

Please refer our Advertisement which Appeared in Hindustan Times, New Delhi issue dated 11th August 24 inviting applications for eligible & desirous Candidates.

Please note, the positions advertised Should be read at "Full time Consultant (Protocol)" on contractual basis.

Secretary Hospitality
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विशेष शाखा, पुलिस मुख्यालय

मध्य प्रदेश, भोपाल

क्रमांक- विज्ञापन/2024-25 (297) दिनांक : 06.08.2024

निविदा सूचना का शुद्धि पत्र (Corrigendum)

विशेष शाखा पुलिस मुख्यालय की निविदा सूचना क्रमांक SB/Store/2024-25 (211), Bhopal, Dated 24-06-2024 द्वारा Photo Identity Making System के क्रय हेतु ई-निविदा सूचना जारी की गई है। उपरोक्त आमंत्रित निविदा के माध्यम से क्रय किये जाने वाले उपकरण के समय-सारणी में "अंशिक संशोधन" के संबंध में "शुद्धि पत्र" (Corrigendum/Addendum) जारी किया गया है जो website <https://mptenders.gov.in> पर उपलब्ध है।

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GOVERNMENT OF HARYANA TENDER NOTICE

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|---------|---------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|
| 1. | MUNICIPAL COMMITTEE GANAU | CONST. OF VARIOUS STREETS IN BEHIND GRAIN MARKET COLONY MC GANAU. +4 WORKS | 09.08.2024 19.08.2024 | 638.28 LACS | https://tenders.hry.nic.in | 8295167259 secy-ganau@ulbharyana.gov.in |

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RO No. 13/2025/40/28852/1197

e-Tender Notice

Mukhya Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana, Beed

e-Tender Notice No. 07/2024-25 (Recall)

The Superintending Engineer PMGSY MRRDA Chhatrapati Sambhajnagar invites the Percentage Rate bids in electronic tendering system published on <http://mahatenders.gov.in> for construction & five year maintenance of total packages-01 (Total Bridge works-02) District Beed sanctioned under (Nabard) Year 2023-24. The date of sale & submission start from 13.08.2024 at 11.00 Hrs. to 19.08.2024 at 17.00 Hrs. Further notification & clarification will be published on website. Website:- <http://mahatenders.gov.in>

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(V. H. More)
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MRRDA Chhatrapati Sambhajnagar

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कार्यपालक अभियंता का कार्यालय
सिंचाई प्रमण्डल, मनुआ
अत्यकालीन पुनर्निविदा आमंत्रण सूचना संख्या - 02/2024-25
(राष्ट्रीय स्तर)

(केवल ई-टेंडर पद्धति के अनुसार वेबसाइट www.eproc2.bihar.gov.in पर)

| क्र. सं. | कार्य का विवरण | प्रारंभिक राशि (लाख रु में) | अवधि की राशि (लाख रु में) (अनुसूचित वर्गों के लिए) | सिंचाई - विद्युत का मूल्य (अनुसूचित वर्गों के लिए) (लाख रु में) (अनुसूचित वर्गों के लिए) | मैट्रन को रोक बिल प्रोविजन (अनुसूचित वर्गों के लिए) (लाख रु में) (अनुसूचित वर्गों के लिए) | कार्य समाप्ति की अवधि |
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| 1 | Detailed Survey & Investigation, Planning & Design, Supplying all materials, labours, equipments & machineries, Construction, execution & installation, Testing, Commissioning along with successful Trial run period of 3 months and Comprehensive Operation and Maintenance for 60 months after successful Trial run of Providing Drinking Water to Bhabhua and Mohania TOWN under Jal-Jeevan-Hariyali Abhiyan on turn-key basis by utilizing surface water. | 18076.00 | 190.76 | 10,000.00 | 5900.00 | 12 मा |

- कार्य का विवरण -
- निविदा आमंत्रण सूचना निर्गत करने की तिथि : दिनांक - 12.08.2024
- निविदा कागजात डाउनलोड एवं अपलोड करने की अवधि : दिनांक - 19.08.2024 से दिनांक - 24.08.2024 के 3.00 बजे अपराह्न तक (सिर्फ वेबसाइट www.eproc2.bihar.gov.in पर)
- प्री-बिड मीटिंग का समय, स्थान एवं तिथि : दिनांक-20.08.2024 के 3.00 बजे अपराह्न में, सिंचाई भवन, पटना के सभागृह में।
- तकनीकी बिड खोलने की तिथि एवं समय : दिनांक - 25.08.2024, समय 3.30 बजे अपराह्न। (सिर्फ वेबसाइट www.eproc2.bihar.gov.in पर)
- वित्तीय बिड खोलने की तिथि एवं समय : दिनांक - 25.08.2024, समय 3.30 बजे अपराह्न। (सिर्फ वेबसाइट www.eproc2.bihar.gov.in पर)
- निविदा खोलने का स्थान : www.eproc2.bihar.gov.in पर।
- निविदा की वेबसाइट : 120 दिन
- विज्ञापनदाता का पता : कार्यपालक अभियंता, सिंचाई प्रमण्डल, मनुआ पोस्ट-0: 9155000241
- विशेष जानकारी प्राप्त करने हेतु वेबसाइट www.eproc2.bihar.gov.in एवं www.bihar.gov.in पर देखा जा सकता है।

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सिंचाई प्रमण्डल, मनुआ
PR. No. 005980 (WRD) 2024-25

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(Department of Rural Electrification)

Cancellation Notice of E-Tender

Due to unavoidable reasons following NITs under Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Group (PVTG) and Contiguous to PVTG of Jharkhand State under RDSS have been cancelled.

| Sl. No. | Name of Package (District) | NIT No. |
|---------|----------------------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Duma | 41/PR/JB/NL/2024-25 |
| 2 | Medininagar | 42/PR/JB/NL/2024-25 |
| 3 | Ranchi | 43/PR/JB/NL/2024-25 |
| 4 | Jamshedpur | 44/PR/JB/NL/2024-25 |
| 5 | Hazaribagh | 45/PR/JB/NL/2024-25 |
| 6 | Giridih | 46/PR/JB/NL/2024-25 |
| 7 | Dhanbad | 47/PR/JB/NL/2024-25 |

This has got the approval of the competent authority.

PR No.-330905 Sd/-
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OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER, CONSTRUCTION CIRCLE, U. P. JAL NIGAM (URBAN), ASHIYANA PHASE-II, MORADABAD-244001

Letter No.: 1221/Nivida/57
Dated

सार्वजनिक सूचना

निम्नलिखित भूमि यमुना एक्सप्रेसवे औद्योगिक विकास प्राधिकरण द्वारा अपनी सहमति के आधार पर कारशकारों से क्रय किया जाना प्रस्तावित है।
ग्राम चकजलालाबाद, तकीपुर बांगर व मौहम्मदाबाद खेडा के सेक्टर 22ई व 24ए के अन्तर्गत आने वाले खसरा नम्बरान

| क्र.सं. | सेक्टर/ग्राम का नाम | खसरा संख्या | खसरा संख्या | खसरे का कुल क्षेत्रफल (हे. मे) | खातेदार का नाम व पता | तहसील से प्राप्त रिपोर्ट के आधार पर कारशकार का हिस्सा | कारशकार का विक्रय हेतु क्षेत्रफल (हे. मे) | |
|---------|----------------------|------------------|------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|--------|
| 1. | 22ई चक-जलालाबाद | 97 | 75 | 0.1390 | वीरपाल पुत्र हरीचन्द निवासी चकजलालाबाद, तहसील जेवर जनपद गौतमबुद्धनगर। | सम्पूर्ण भाग | 0.1390 | |
| 2. | 22ई चक-जलालाबाद | 01 | 72/1 | 0.0890 | अमर सिंह पुत्र सोहन निवासी चकजलालाबाद, तहसील जेवर, जनपद गौतमबुद्धनगर। | सम्पूर्ण भाग | 0.0890 | |
| | | 09 | 99मि 100मि 101मि 102मि | 0.1583 0.1792 0.2742 0.2633 | | में से | 0.0289 0.0329 0.0502 0.0483 | |
| 3. | 22ई चक-जलालाबाद | 08 | 103 स/2मि | 0.3038 | रामचन्द्र पुत्र छिदा निवासी चकजलालाबाद, हाल निवास एफ.सी.ए-1836, गली नो-3, ब्लॉक-ए, एस.जी.एम. नगर फरीदाबाद जनपद हरियाणा। | में से | 0.0760 | |
| 4. | 22ई चक-जलालाबाद | 73 | 104/1 | 0.5060 | गोपालदास पुत्र घनडीलाल निवासी म0न0 ए 230/221 गांधी विहार नॉर्थ वेंस्ट दिल्ली। | में से | 0.1687 | |
| 5. | 22ई चक-जलालाबाद | 37 | 38 | 1.4400 | प्रमोद कुमार, राजीव कुमार, राजेश कुमार व राजेश कुमार पुत्रगण प्रहलाद सिंह नि0 ग्राम रौनीजा, तहसील जेवर, जनपद गौतमबुद्धनगर। | 1/2 | 0.7200 | |
| 6. | 22ई चक-जलालाबाद | 22 | 130 | 0.9480 | तेजी सिंह पुत्र कुंवरपाल निवासी ग्राम रौनीजा, तहसील जेवर, जनपद गौतमबुद्धनगर। | 1/16 | 0.0592 | |
| | | 21 | 122 | 0.4050 | | 1/16 | 0.253 | |
| 7. | 22ई चक-जलालाबाद | 66 | 33 | 1.6150 | श्रीमती सुरेखा रानी पत्नी साहब सिंह नि0 म0न0 471 नन्द नगर गली नो 12 नन्दनगरी उत्तरी पूर्वी दिल्ली। | में से | 0.1687 | |
| 8. | 22ई चक-जलालाबाद | 68 | 67 85/1 80/1 | 0.0660 0.1260 0.2280 | मोहित कुमार व प्रवीण कुमार पुत्रगण जगदीश व सारदा देवी पत्नी जगदीश नि0 रौनीजा, तहसील जेवर, जनपद गौतमबुद्धनगर। | 1/4 1/4 1/4 | 0.0165 0.0315 0.0570 | |
| | | 37 | 38 | 1.4400 | | 1/12 | 0.1200 | |
| 9. | 22ई चक-जलालाबाद | 79 | 84ब | 1.0500 | नानकचन्द पुत्र मान सिंह नि0 चकजलालाबाद, तहसील जेवर जनपद गौतमबुद्धनगर। | 1/12 | 0.0875 | |
| 10. | 22ई चक-जलालाबाद | 06 | 82/2 85/2 84/अ | 0.1050 0.1520 0.2820 | श्रीमती रानी गंगुत्री श्याम सुन्दर सिंघल पत्नी संजय कुमार नि0 मौ0 चैककायस्थान कस्बा खुपुरा, परगना व तहसील जेवर, जनपद गौतमबुद्धनगर। | 1/4 1/4 1/4 | 0.0262 0.0380 0.0705 | |
| 11. | 22ई चक-जलालाबाद | 09 | 99मि 100मि 101मि 102मि | 0.1583 0.1792 0.2742 0.2633 | सुखराम पुत्र महावीर नि0 चकजलालाबाद, तहसील जेवर, जनपद गौतमबुद्धनगर। | 1/6 1/6 1/6 1/6 | 0.0264 0.0299 0.0457 0.0439 | |
| 12. | 24ए चक-जलालाबाद | 21 | 126 | 0.0630 | धीरज कुमार शर्मा पुत्र ओमानन्द नि0 मौ0 शेखान खुपुरा। | 1/12 | 0.0053 | |
| 13. | 24ए चक-जलालाबाद | 54 | 115 118 119 | 0.0380 0.0510 0.0630 | माया देवी पत्नी नानकचन्द नि0 चकजलालाबाद, तहसील, जनपद गौतमबुद्धनगर। | सम्पूर्ण भाग सम्पूर्ण भाग सम्पूर्ण भाग | 0.0380 0.0510 0.0630 | |
| 14. | 24ए चक-जलालाबाद | 48 | 117 125 | 1.6020 0.0890 | बदन सिंह पुत्र बिस्सा निवासी चकजलालाबाद, तहसील जेवर जनपद गौतमबुद्धनगर। | में से सम्पूर्ण भाग | 1.4754 0.0890 | |
| 15. | 22ई चक-जलालाबाद | 50 | 39 84ब | 0.5800 1.0500 | डिमल सिंह पुत्र श्रीचन्द निवासी चकजलालाबाद, तहसील जेवर, जनपद गौतमबुद्धनगर। | 1/2 1/24 | 0.0422 0.0437 | |
| 16. | 22ई चक-जलालाबाद | 26 79 | 84 84ब | 0.3790 1.0500 | श्रीमती चन्द्रवती देवी पत्नी श्रीचन्द निवासी चकजलालाबाद, तहसील जेवर जनपद गौतमबुद्धनगर। | में से 1/24 | 0.1055 0.0438 | |
| 17. | 22ई चक-जलालाबाद | 26 | 84 | 0.3790 | रामवती पत्नी जयपाल व संजय सिंह पुत्र जयपाल निवासी चकजलालाबाद, तहसील जेवर जनपद गौतमबुद्धनगर। | में से | 0.2735 | |
| 18. | 22ई तकीपुर बांगर | 338 | 296 | 0.2560 | चमन पत्नी वीरेन्द्र व वीरेन्द्र पुत्र चुर्सी निवासी चकजलालाबाद, तहसील जेवर, जनपद गौतमबुद्धनगर। | सम्पूर्ण भाग | 0.2560 | |
| 19. | 22ई तकीपुर बांगर | 26 | 304/3 | 0.2530 | ओमचन्द पुत्र शेर सिंह नि0 मौहम्मदाबाद खेडा, तहसील जेवर, जनपद गौतमबुद्धनगर। | सम्पूर्ण भाग | 0.2530 | |
| 20. | 22ई तकीपुर बांगर | 276 | 62 | 2.7120 | वंश नागर पुत्र हर्ष नागर नि0 अट्टा गुजरान, तहसील व जिला गौतमबुद्धनगर। | 1/12 | 0.2260 | |
| 21. | 22ई तकीपुर बांगर | 204 | 292 293 294 295 | 0.0890 0.0860 0.0860 0.0890 | मोहित कुमार व प्रवीण कुमार पुत्रगण जगदीश व सारदा देवी पत्नी जगदीश नि0 रौनीजा, तहसील जेवर, जनपद गौतमबुद्धनगर। | 1/4 1/4 1/4 1/4 | 0.0222 0.0215 0.0215 0.0223 | |
| | | 24ए तकीपुर बांगर | 206 | 45 | 0.0950 | | 1/4 | 0.0237 |
| 22. | 22ई तकीपुर बांगर | 307 | 397 | 0.8470 | राकेश व रोहताश पुत्रगण चन्द्रपाल व श्रीमती शांती देवी पत्नी चन्द्रपाल नि0 मौहम्मदाबाद खेडा, जनपद गौतमबुद्धनगर। | 1/6 | 0.1412 | |
| 23. | 24ए तकीपुर बांगर | 162 | 242 | 0.3410 | श्रीमती कमलेश पत्नी दिनेश नि0 मौहल्ला शेखान खुपुरा। | में से | 0.1136 | |
| 24. | 22ई तकीपुर बांगर | 276 | 62 | 2.7120 | ऋषभ नागर पुत्र हर्ष नागर नि0 अट्टा गुजरान, तहसील व जिला गौतमबुद्धनगर। | 1/12 | 0.2260 | |
| 25. | 22ई मौहम्मदाबाद खेडा | 35 | 07 | 3.9020 | श्यामराज सिंह प्रधान पुत्र होशियार सिंह नि0 मौहम्मदाबाद खेडा, तहसील जेवर, जनपद गौतमबुद्धनगर। | में से | 0.1687 | |
| 26. | 22ई मौहम्मदाबाद खेडा | 35 | 07 | 3.9020 | प्रणव गुप्ता पुत्र मनीश गुप्ता नि0 सेक्टर-30 नोएडा, जनपद गौतमबुद्धनगर। | में से | 0.0844 | |
| 27. | 22ई मौहम्मदाबाद खेडा | 98 | 3/1 | 0.3290 | जयप्रकाश पुत्र मंगल सैन व विपिन कुमार पुत्र जगदीश नि0 मौहम्मदाबाद खेडा, तहसील जेवर, जनपद गौतमबुद्धनगर। | 1/4 | 0.0823 | |
| 28. | 22ई मौहम्मदाबाद खेडा | 147 | 32 | 3.7960 | सुमन पत्नी राजेन्द्र नि0 रौनीजा, तहसील जेवर, जनपद गौतमबुद्धनगर। | में से | 0.4220 | |

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HARYANA STATE WAREHOUSING CORPORATION
BAY NO. 15-18, SECTOR 2, PANCHKULA (HARYANA)

E-Auction Notice

The Haryana State Warehousing Corporation has purchased 4.26 LMTs of Mustard during the Current Rabi Marketing Season (RMS) 2024-25 and intends to dispose of by way of e-Auction through online portal. Interested parties are requested to please visit the URL: hswcauction.com from time to time and find out the locations of the material available for disposal and for other terms and conditions. The e-Auction will commence w.e.f. 19.08.2024.

RO NO: 1124/11/10/2025/28874/C/19/7 Managing Director

MADHYA PRADESH ROAD DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION LIMITED
(Govt. of M.P. Undertaking)

45-A, Arera Hills, Bhopal - 462 011, Madhya Pradesh
Ph. : 0755-2527290, 2765205, Fax : (EPBX) : 0755-2572643
Website : www.mprdc.gov.in, CIN : U45203MP2004SGC016758
NIT No. 5734/651/MPRDC/Procu/2024 Bhopal, Date : 12.08.2024

NOTICE INVITING TENDERS

Madhya Pradesh Road Development Corporation Limited (MPRDC) Bhopal invites online tender for following works.

| S. N. | Name of Work | PAC Value (in INR Lakhs) | Bid Security (EMD) (in INR Lakhs) | Cost of Bid Document (in Rs.) | Period of Completion Including Rainy Season (In Months) |
|-------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------|
| 1. | Zonal Work under MPRDC Division Bhopal for 17 roads. | 996.01 | 9.97 | 20,000/- | 12 |
| 2. | Zonal Work under MPRDC Division Narmadapuram for 04 roads. | 511.02 | 5.12 | 20,000/- | 12 |
| 3. | Zonal Work under MPRDC Division Dhar for 12 roads including long term rectification of black spot at various roads. | 499.00 | 4.99 | 15,000/- | 12 |
| 4. | Zonal Work under MPRDC Division Indore for 07 roads | 325.00 | 3.25 | 15,000/- | 12 |
| 5. | Project Management Consultancy Services for Construction of International Level Sports Complex at Nathu Barkheda, Bhopal in the State of Madhya Pradesh (Phase-II). (Approximate cost of project Rs. 374 Cr.) (2nd Call) | 533.77 | 5.34 | 20,000/- | 37 |
| 6. | Consultancy Services for Architectural Design & Detailed Project Report for the Construction of "Welcome Gates" in the State of Madhya Pradesh. | - | 2.00 | 20,000/- | 06 |

The dates for purchase, submission, etc. are mentioned in the key dates. Tender forms can be purchased online only upto 15:30 hrs. on 12.09.2024 for work at S. No. 1 to 4 & 6 and upto 15:30 hrs. 04.09.2024 for work at S. No. 5 from website www.mptenders.gov.in. The bidders have to submit the Technical bid as well as Financial Bid online only. The Addendum/Corrigendum (if any) shall only be published on the website of www.mptenders.gov.in only. If holiday is declared by Govt. of M.P. on the date of opening, the same will automatically be shifted to subsequent working days. MPRDC reserves the right to accept/reject any/all tenders without assigning any reason thereof. M.P. Madhyam/115890/2024 MANAGING DIRECTOR

Government of Jharkhand
Department of School Education and Literacy
(Jharkhand Education Project Council, Ranchi)
JSCA Stadium Road, Sector- III, Dhurwa, Ranchi-834004
Phone: 0651-2444501, E-Mail: jepcranchi1@gmail.com

e-Procurement Notice - 2nd Call

JEPCC invites Separate Technical & Financial Bids through e-procurement method from eligible and interested contractors registered in appropriate class for Construction of 02 Nos. of 100 bedded Hostel for PVTG in Jharkhand. Interested and eligible bidders are requested to submit their proposal latest by 2:00 PM on 29.08.2024. The details of tender documents can be seen and applied through website <https://jharkhandtenders.gov.in> only. Tender notification & Tender document can also be seen (read only purpose) from departmental website <https://jepcc.jharkhand.gov.in>.
Sd/-
(Aditya Ranjan) State Project Director
Jharkhand Education Project Council
Ref. No.: JEPCC/CIV/03/844/2023/2940 Ranchi, Date : 08.08.2024
PR 332477 (Jharkhand Education Project Council)24-25*D

JAPIT
Jharkhand Agency for Promotion of Information Technology
(An Autonomous body under Department of Information Technology & e-Governance, Govt. of Jharkhand)
Ground Floor, Engineer's Hostel - I, Near Golchakkar, Dhurwa, Ranchi, Jharkhand
Phone: 0651-2401044, 2401047 email: japit_doit@rediffmail.com

Notice Inviting Tender

| # | Item | Description |
|----|--------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1 | Project Title | Empanment of Consultants for e-Governance Initiatives in Government of Jharkhand |
| 2 | Name of Purchaser | Jharkhand Agency for Promotion of Information Technology(JAP-IT) |
| 3 | Contact Person, Address and Email | The CEO, JAP-IT, Ground Floor, Engineers hostel 1, Near Golchakkar, Dhurwa, Ranchi-834004.Tel:0651-2401044, Email: japit_doit@rediffmail.com |
| 4 | Selection Method | • Tenders for this contract will be assessed in accordance with technical & financial qualification. • Technical bid of those bidders shall be opened who qualify in Pre-Qualification Bid. • Financial bid of those bidders who qualify in Technical Bid by scoring above 70% shall be opened. • Bidders matching the Least Cost under the tier they bid for as per the procedure laid down in the Clause 6.4 of this RFP will be empanelled under the respective tier. • Joint Venture or Sub-Contracting or Consortium is not allowed. |
| 5 | Date of download of tender document | 13/08/2024 at 10.30 AM |
| 6 | Date for sending Pre-Bid Query as per RFP format | 22/08/2024 till 6.00 PM |
| 7 | Pre-Bid Meeting onsite at JAP-IT | 23/08/2024 at 2.30 PM |
| 8 | Start Date for Submission of Bids online | 28/08/2024 from 03.00 PM |
| 9 | Last Date for Submission of Bids online | 03/09/2024 up to 3:00 PM |
| 10 | Date of Opening of Technical Bid | 05/09/2024 at 3:15 PM |
| 11 | Date of Commercial Bid opening | To be Informed Later |
| 12 | Bid Validity Period | 180 Days |
| 13 | Total empanment period | 3 + 2 Years |
| 14 | Cost of Tender Document | Rs.10,000 (Rs. Ten Thousand only) non-refundable through online e-Procurement System |
| 15 | EMD | Rs.5,00,000 (Rs. Five lakhs only) refundable through online e-Procurement System |

Note:
1. JAPIT reserves the right to change any schedule of bidding process. Please visit Procurement website <https://jharkhandtenders.gov.in> regularly for the same.
2. Proposals must be received as per time, date and venue mentioned in the Fact Sheet. Proposals received after due date and time WILL NOT be considered in this procurement process.
3. The Bidders are advised to submit the Bids well in advance as JAPIT/GoJ will not be responsible for non-submission of the bids because of any technical glitches or any problems in connectivity services used by the Bidder.
Sd/-
(OSD, JAP-IT)
PR 332585 Information Technology(24-25)#D

नगर निगम, वाराणसी
परिवहन कार्यशाला विभाग

पत्रांक- 162/परिवहन/2024-25 दिनांक 12.08.2024

अल्पकालिक ई-निविदा

परिवहन विभाग अन्तर्गत विभागीय वाहनों के मरम्मत हेतु आवश्यक स्पेयर पार्ट्स एवं जॉब वर्क कार्य को आपूर्ति हेतु ई-निविदा के माध्यम से अल्पकालिक निविदा दिनांक 13.08.2024 से आमंत्रित की जाती है। जिसका विवरण निम्नवत है:-

ई-निविदा प्रकाशन की तिथि/समय - 13.08.2024 - 15:00 बजे से
ई-निविदा डाउनलोड/अपलोड की प्रारम्भ तिथि/समय - 13.08.2024 - 18:00 बजे से
ई-निविदा अपलोड की अंतिम तिथि/समय - 19.08.2024 - 12:30 बजे तक
ई-निविदा खोलने की तिथि/समय - 19.08.2024 - 16:30 बजे से

विस्तृत विवरण हेतु अधिकृत वेबसाइट www.etender.up.nic.in पर अनालान प्रपत्र डाउनलोड कर प्राप्त कर सकते हैं।
पत्रांक-71/मौ.प्र.वि./2024-25 दिनांक 12.08.2024 अधिशासी अभियन्ता (वि./यां.)

SEARCH FOR MISSING GIRL

General public is hereby informed that this girl namely Tabassum D/o Md. Ajaz Khan R/o F-38, Block-RZF, Gali No. 18, Pul Prahladpur, New Delhi Age : 15 years, Height : 5', Face : Round, Built: Medium, Complexion: Shallow, wearing Firozi colour palazo suit has been missing since 04.01.2024 from Budh Bazar, Pul Prahladpur, New Delhi. In this regard a FIR No. 02/24 u/s 363 IPC dated 04.01.2024 has been registered at P.S. Pul Prahladpur, New Delhi.

Any person having any information or clue about this missing girl may kindly inform to the following.
E-mail: cic@cbi.gov.in SHO: P.S. Pul Prahladpur, New Delhi
Website: <http://cbi.nic.in> Ph. : 011-26366800, 26366801, 8750870934
Fax: 24366839, 26366841
Tel.: 24366838/24368641 /DP/10574/SE/2024

SEARCH FOR MISSING

General public is hereby informed that this Man (depicted in the photo) Namely: Rakesh Kumar Manji S/o: Jhari Lal Manji, R/o: H No. B-650, Gali No.11, Mangolpuri, Delhi has been kidnapped/Missing from his residence since 29.07.2024 at 9.45 p.m. In this regard a missing report case vide DD No.96A dated 04.08.2024 has been registered at PS-Raj Park, Delhi.

His Physical description is as under:-
Sex: Male, Age: 25 Years, Height: 5' 5", Complexion: Dusky, Body: Normal, Wearing: Black Color Pant, Yellow Color T-Shirt & Hawaii Slipper.
Sincere efforts have been made by local police to trace out the missing man but no clue has come to light so far. If anyone having any information about this person please inform undersigned
SHO
PS- Raj Park, Delhi.
DP/10629/OD/2024 Ph. No.: 7217650235, 9968931253, 7065036123

Pune Metropolitan Region Development Authority, Pune
New Administrative Building, Near Akurdi Railway Station, Akurdi, Pune - 411 044
Email: pune-metroline3@pmrda.gov.in

E-Tender Notice No. 04 for FY 2024-25

PMRDA invites Bids through e-tendering for Work of "Annual Maintenance And Restoration of BT Road Surface On Maan - Hinjawadi To Shivajinagar Metro Line - 3 Alignment, Pune".
The Tender document can be downloaded from the website www.mahatenders.gov.in from 13/08/2024 at 15.00 Hrs. onwards. Last date for submission of the proposal is 28/08/2024 upto 15.00 Hrs. The changes if any can be available on www.mahatenders.gov.in.
Sd/-
CHIEF ENGINEER
(Engg. Div-2)
Pune Metropolitan Region Development Authority, Pune.
DGIPR/2024-2025/ROC 1845

GOVERNMENT COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY, JAMMU

Extension of Short Term Tender Notice

No. 02 of 2024-25 dated: 18.07.2024

Due to poor response, the dates for downloading, submission and opening of tender floated vide Short Term Notice No. 02 of 2024-25 dated: 18.07.2024, regarding Insurance Policy of the Students studying at GCET, Jammu are hereby extended as per the schedule given below:-

- Last date download of Tender Form : 22.08.2024 upto 02.00 P.M
- Last date of Receipt of Tenders : 22.08.2024 upto 03.00 P.M
- Date of opening of Tenders : 23.08.2024 at 01.00 P.M

All other terms and conditions of above referred Short Term Tender Notice shall remain the same.
No: GCET/Accts/2024-25/
Dated:- Sd/-
Principal
GCET, Jammu
DIP-J-4293-24

SEARCH FOR MISSING

General public is hereby informed that a girl namely Afreen, D/o Mohd Murtza, R/o H. No. 31, Dildar Nagar Basti, Hazrat Nizamuddin, New Delhi has been missing since 04.08.2024 at about 08:30 AM from her home. In this regard FIR No. 192/2024, U/s 137(2), Dated 07.08.2024 has been lodged at Police Station Hazrat Nizamuddin, New Delhi. The description of missing girl is as under:
Name: Afreen, Age: 16 Years, Height: About 5', Complexion: Shallow, Face: Oval, Built: Normal, Hair: Black Long, Wearing: Yellow Light Colour Suit & Yellow Light Colour Salwar.
If anyone has any information about this missing girl please inform P.S. Hazrat Nizamuddin, New Delhi.
Web: <http://cbi.nic.in>, E-mail: cic@cbi.gov.in
Ph.: 011-24366838/24368641, Fax: 011-24366839
SHO
Police Station Hazrat Nizamuddin, New Delhi
DP/10633/SE/2024 Ph: 011-24356565, 8750870926

APPEAL FOR IDENTIFICATION

General public is hereby informed that one unidentified dead body of female Namely: Unknown, Unknown, D/o: Unknown, R/o Unknown, Age: 50-55 Years, Height: 5'0", Face: Oval, Complexion: Dark, Built: Lanky, Wearing: Light Yellow color Kurti and Light Yellow color Pajama and without Sleeper. She was deaf and dumb, who was found at near Prachin Shiv Mandir R. Rajender Prasad Road Foot Path New Delhi. In this regard a case G.D No. 18A, dt. 11.08.2024 has been registered at PS: Kartavya Path, New Delhi.
Any person having any information or clue about the above deceased may kindly inform to the undersigned on the following address or telephone nos.
Sd/- SHO
P.S: Kartavya Path, Delhi
DP/10673/ND/2024 Ph. 9810462328

SPORT  PARIS OLYMPICS

Moments that made Paris special

There are days you only get at the Games. Days that go beyond victories and defeats. Days that override medals and results

Here's how the Sunday panned out for Kinzang Lhamo at the Paris Olympics.

Egged on by hundreds of spectators walking and running along the streets of Paris on a sunny morning, she completed the marathon last among the finishers, 90 minutes after the winner. Cheered on by thousands of spectators seated inside the Stade de France on a windy evening, she fervently waved the Bhutan flag as her country's flag-bearer at the closing ceremony.

Quite a day, isn't it? Days that you can only get at the Olympics. Days that go beyond victories and defeats. Days that override medals and results.

Days that gushed the Paris Olympics with a flood of joy, despair, tension, drama and all the concoctions of emotions that make the Olympics the spectacle that it is. The first post-pandemic Olympics called it a day in front of 80,000 people standing up for the Dutch national anthem after marathon woman — literally and figuratively — Sifan Hassan received the last gold medal of the 2024 Games at the closing ceremony. The start wasn't quite the brightest, a rain-soaked opening ceremony by River Seine capping off a day an arson attack that disrupted train services made headlines. Once it all began, though, the athletes took over.

And so did the Trademark Olympic Moments.

Like Mondo doing Mondo things. But when Mondo was doing Mondo things, Kendricks was at it too, right behind him. With the men's pole vault final done as a contest — Mondo Duplantis, of course, had won gold, Sam Kendricks silver and Emmanouil Karalis bronze — the Swedish-American superstar decided to have some fun. Raising that pink-lit bar to 6.25m, Duplantis went for the world record. And Kendricks lived every moment of it standing a few metres away from where the record holder would begin his quest three times over. The American orchestrated the crowd claps as a classic conductor while Duplantis waited on the runway. He jumped in anticipation the moment Duplantis leapt across the bar. He shared the sighs as Duplantis disturbed the bar. He lofted both his arms in pure ecstasy as Duplantis reworked the history books. This guy was second best to Duplantis on the night, yet was his best cheerleader. "He's a fan of sport," Kendricks said of Duplantis. "And he's got God's hand on his back."

Trademark Olympic Moment. Like the DJ breaking some tension through a singalong. Eiffel Tower oozes love — on a sidenote, the Paris Games had the most marriage proposals for athletes at an Olympics — and beach volleyball, with by far the most picturesque venue right by its foot, was feeling the romance.

Except this once when things got too heated for comfort. There was a gold medal to play for and the two-member women's team of Brazil and Canada engaged in an animated exchange, standing across the net and pointing fingers towards each other. It kept going, forcing the umpire to step in. And then the DJ, who soon turned peacemaker beyond the call of duty. He played John Lennon's "Imagine", an apt tune for seeking peace. It also signalled a singalong from the crowd, building a calming atmosphere that simply cut through the tension.

Trademark Olympic Moment. Like that photo finish in a ridiculously close men's 100m final living up to its hype. Noah Lyles, the brash, loud American showman, and Kishane Thompson, the humble Jamaican, were so inseparable on the finish line that it needed a wait of more than the race itself to determine the winner. Both stood next to each other, staring away at the screen above with their golden goals down to technological

assessment of microseconds. Lyles (and his torso) had done more, it said, by 0.005 seconds. Arms around Thompson's shoulders, the new face of world athletics had thought otherwise.

"I went up to him when we were waiting and I said, 'I think you got that one big dog,'" Lyles said.

Trademark Olympic Moment. Like that insane sea of people that had descended to Roland Garros on a weekday afternoon. Second-round singles matches are not too out of the ordinary but the two men playing it on the day were, Rafael Nadal versus Novak Djokovic was to take centre stage, and everyone wanted a piece of it. You see that in Grand Slams (never so in the second round, though) but this had a nationalistic touch.

Spanish fans painted themselves red, draped in their flag. Serbians were few and far between yet equally loud enough. The French, the supposed "neutrals", were clearly learning towards one of the two. No seat was empty. The periphery of the centre court was stacked. Journalists had to reserve tickets in advance for the high demand event, where once you stepped out you couldn't step back in without furnishing visual proof that you were inside. Because there were as many waiting outside in a queue that needed security officials to handle.

Trademark Olympic Moment. Like Simone Biles being back and how. Like Leon Marchand and his home nation going wow. Like Turkish shooter Yusuf Dikec, left hand tucked in pocket and right arm taking aim, and his non-chalance inspiring other athletes' celebratory pose. Like Lhamo, who ran, walked, struggled, pushed to ensure all she could to finish the marathon as the 80th and last. And so did every person walking and running along the streets to make it happen.

Moments that make the Olympics. Moments that define this sporting pinnacle. Moments that are bound to arrive again in Los Angeles in four years' time.

Until next time. Au revoir, Paris.



(Left) One of the standout snaps from Paris 2024 was Brazil surfer Gabriel Medina reacting after getting a large wave. The photo went viral on social media; (top) Serbian legend Novak Djokovic celebrates after beating young Spaniard Carlos Alcaraz in the men's tennis singles final. By winning the Olympic gold, the trophy cabinet of the 24-time Slam champion is complete. AFP



(From left, clockwise) Star American gymnast Simone Biles in action on the balance beam in the women's all-around final; In a rare moment of glory for the subcontinent in track and field, Pakistan's Arshad Nadeem and India's Neeraj Chopra stood on the podium after winning gold and silver respectively in the men's javelin throw; An underwater photograph shows France's Leon Marchand competing in a heat of the men's 200m butterfly swimming event at the La Defense Arena in Paris. The young swimmer emerged as one of the breakout stars of the Olympic Games by winning four gold medals and a bronze; Argentine cyclist Jose Torres takes part in a BMX freestyle training session. AFP/PTI/REUTERS



CAS verdict on Vinesh appeal today

HT Correspondent

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PARIS: Vinesh Phogat's Paris Olympics fate is set to be known on Tuesday when the ad hoc division of the Court of Arbitration for Sport (CAS) will issue a decision on the Indian wrestler's disqualification from the Games after the weigh-in for her 50kg final bout and her appeal for a shared silver medal.

The 2024 Paris Games are officially over but the case, and Vinesh's trust with destiny, continues to drag on. The sole arbitrator in the case, Australia's Dr. Annabelle Bennett, was supposed to arrive at a decision by the end of the Games — the closing ceremony was on Sunday evening — but has sought more time after the hearing took place on Friday. The CAS granted it, saying the time limit can be extended "in exceptional circumstances". While the crux of the verdict is likely to be made on Tuesday, the reasoned order will be issued at a later date.

Vinesh has taken the United World Wrestling (UWW) and International Olympic Committee (IOC) to court for wiping out

the results of her first three bouts before being overweight for the weigh-in on the morning of her final. The Indian Olympic Association (IOA) is also part of the case as an interested party, but has now been left to defend itself in this saga.

In a statement issued on Sunday just before the closing ceremony, IOA president PT Usha slammed the "unacceptable" criticism and "hate" directed towards Dr. Dinshaw Pardiwala, IOA's Chief Medical Officer for these Games, in the entire sequence of events that led to Vinesh missing her weight by 100 grams. Usha clarified "that the responsibility of weight management of athletes in sports like wrestling, weightlifting, boxing and judo is that of each athlete and his or her coach", the IOA statement read, and not the IOA or Dr. Pardiwala and his team.

"Dr. Usha said that each Indian athlete in the Paris 2024 Olympic Games in such sport had his or her own support team. These support teams have been working with the athletes over so many years," the statement added.

Vinesh had brought her own



Wrestler Vinesh Phogat was disqualified from the women's 50kg final for failing to make weight. PTI

coaching team and support staff to the Olympics, who were the closest points of contact with the wrestler. The wrestling contingent's national coach Virender Dahiya had said he left Vinesh to be with the other wrestlers around midnight.

Dr. Pardiwala swung into action when the matter was

brought to his attention, and said on the day of Vinesh's disqualification that her team "felt confident" that the weight cut could be achieved. He added that they then "tried all possible drastic measures throughout the night", but it fell short.

Dr. Pardiwala brought up the distance between the wrestling

venue at the Champ-de-Mars Arena and the Athletes' Village, about an hour's drive "by the transport system provided by the Olympic organisers", as one of the challenges. It's also one of the arguments put in front by the Indian side, for which senior advocates Harish Salve and Vidushpat Singhania had assisted during Friday's hearing, as the reason of her getting delayed in the weight cut process. The other argument is the almost negligible quantity of 100 grams. For that, IOC president Thomas Bach and UWW head Nenad Lalovic have echoed similar views that if the line is pushed for 100 grams, where would it stop.

An argument also is that if the UWW allows for leeway in meeting weight requirements at the weigh-in in other international tournaments organised by it, doing so at the Olympics would not be that unprecedented, especially for the second day. Various coaches have expressed concern about women having to shed weight twice in such events, seeking relaxation in rules in terms of allowances for the second day.

India, Istanbul and more: A case to host 2036 Games

Associated Press

sportsdesk@hindustantimes.com

PARIS: If historic river settings are the new must-have accessory for Olympic host cities, then Istanbul's mayor wants the IOC to know his city has one.

If the key to getting the 2036 Summer Games is having hosted world championships in top-tier Olympic sports, then Qatar can point to its track record over the past decade.

If winning over the International Olympic Committee is about ambition, finance and relationship-building, then India's project backed by the Ambani family and Prime Minister Narendra Modi is well placed.

Saudi Arabia is following a similar path and in Paris sealed an Esports Olympic Games hosting deal with the IOC for 12 years, beyond the next Summer Games that is available to be awarded.

If the 2036 Olympics must go to Asia — a logical option to follow Paris, Los Angeles in 2028

and Brisbane in 2032 — then Indonesia will push its case as a fast-emerging economy of 280 million people.

In Paris, interested parties discreetly made their case for hosting the Olympics in a process run by the IOC that is now more discreet, less obviously a campaign and which critics say is too opaque. It can end with a winner far quicker than the old way of holding a multi-candidate vote seven years before the Games open. Brisbane outpaced Qatar to get the 2032 award 11 years in advance.

If just one thing is clear, the 2036 Olympics host will be known long before 2029 and strongly shaped by the high bar Paris has set.

"I mostly focus on what the IOC expects, what they dream of, what the world wants to see," Istanbul Mayor Ekrem Imamoglu told The Associated Press in an interview in Paris. "Personally, I'm not really interested to know what city is the competitor."

The IOC has said it has a "double-digit" number of cities

or countries in talks, maybe informal at this stage, about their interest in hosting a future Summer Games which can be later than 2036.

Still, those that hosted hospitality houses in Paris over the past two weeks were showing clear intent. At the opening of India House on July 27, IOC member Nita Ambani said hosting an Olympics was "a dream that belongs to 1.4 billion Indians."

The Ambani family, India's richest and owners of the Reliance Industries conglomerate, now has a global reputation for lavish hosting. Celebrations over several months for their son Anant's wedding in Mumbai drew world leaders, A-list performers and several IOC members who ultimately vote to confirm Games hosts. Qatar did not have a public hospitality venue, though the ruling Emir, Sheikh Tamim bin Hamad Al Thani, was in Paris for meetings of the IOC of which he has been a member since 2002, and the opening ceremony.

With skilful stickwork, Raj Kumar scripts surreal journey to podium

The 26-year-old was superb in India's victory over Great Britain despite the team being down to 10 men for 3 quarters

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NEW DELHI: Raj Kumar Pal is overwhelmed by the adulation he has received ever since he landed here on Saturday morning. Sweets, garlands, the sound of dhols, meeting dignitaries, the 26-year-old had never experienced such a welcome. With a gleaming Olympic bronze medal hanging from his neck, he experienced the same on Sunday as he travelled to Varanasi. After being honoured by luminaries, the 26-year-old started an hour-long journey to the small village of Karampur in Ghazipur district — his home.

It was an emotional reunion for the family as his mother and two brothers held the medal and remembered his father, who had passed away in 2011, and the hardships that followed.

Raj Kumar was a teenager, having started playing hockey a couple of years prior, when his father, a truck driver, passed away in a road accident. What followed were two years of hardship when the family of four had no bread winner. Hockey, for all three brothers, had to take a back seat.

Witnessing the financial crisis of the Pal family, which lived in a mud house, Raj Kumar's mentor and Karampur hockey academy owner Tej Bahadur Singh decided to step in. For two years, Tej Bahadur, whose truck Raj Kumar's father used to drive, supported the Pal family financially, until his eldest brother Jokhan got a job in the Army. The situation got better when the second brother Raju got a job in the Railways, both due to hockey.

"When my brothers started earning, they told me to just focus on hockey as it was because of hockey they got their jobs. It was only after I was able to play freely without having to think about my

next meal," says Raj Kumar. Though the Karampur academy had produced around 300 players, none reached the national level until his brother Raju was selected for the national camp a decade ago. However, he never made it to the core group and continued playing for the Railways.

But Raj Kumar's skills with the stick really impressed Sports Authority of India (SAI) scouts who selected him for their Regional Centre in Lucknow in 2012. It was in the Uttar Pradesh capital that the midfielder truly started developing his game.

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But not getting selected for Tokyo Olympics made him realise that he needed to up his game. Raj Kumar knew that his strengths were his attacking instincts, fitness and stick work which made India chief coach Craig Fulton put him in a group with Shamsheer Singh and Gurjant Singh — with the trio substituting each other in either the forward line or attacking midfield position. "But I was weak without the ball, especially during defence. I couldn't follow the structure," said Raj Kumar.

Raj Kumar started spending extra sessions on his weakness, watching hours of footage, working with the analytical coach to improve his game. With more games, the midfielder kept improving to the point that Fulton selected him for Paris Olympics over more experienced seniors.

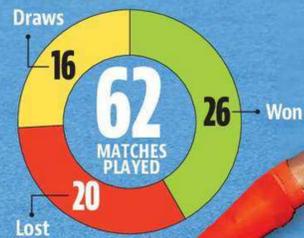
Raj Kumar was especially brilliant in the quarter-final where India beat Great Britain despite being down to 10 men for three quarters. It was the UP player who scored the winning goal in the shootout. "It feels surreal. My family has sacrificed a lot. It was about time I paid them back with a medal," he concluded.

Know Raj Kumar Pal

AGE: 26
POSITION: MIDFIELDER
DEBUT: 2020

HOME: KARAMPUR VILLAGE, GHAZIPUR DISTRICT, UTTAR PRADESH

RESULTS



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Lalit elated after back-to-back medals

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Lucknow: Rejection in the beginning, sleepless nights without food and even allegations of bribery in selection and now back-to-back bronze medals in hockey at the Olympics sum up the struggle as well as the courage to fight against all odds for ace striker Lalit Kumar Upadhyay.

"In fact, my mother told me to fight against all odds and prove a point to this world when I was framed in a fake bribery case and I had not listened to her. I could have committed suicide as pressure was almost unbearable and I was nowhere in my life," said Lalit on Monday, on reaching hometown Varanasi after claiming his second Olympics medal in Paris.



Lalit Kumar Upadhyay. AP

Lalit and Rajkumar Pal, his junior at the Meghbaron Hockey Academy in Ghazipur, were instrumental in India's 4-2 shootout win over Great Britain after a 1-1 draw in regulation time in the Olympics quarter-final. "Dekha bhai, yehi mauka ba hero bananey ka. Yahi mauka hamay zero aur hero naba to ab miss nahi karna hai. (See brother, it's a chance to become hero.

Only this chance will make us hero or zero, so don't miss)," was the conversation between the two in their local dialect of Varanasi as they awaited their turn to take the shot.

"I didn't miss the target, and I could see the sparkle in the eyes of Rajkumar, who was next. It was a different celebration for us as Rajkumar's goal was decisive," said Lalit.

Lalit said it has been a roller coaster ride in hockey, especially after being framed in a bribery case following a TV sting.

Lalit, who was first asked to go goalkeeping for Varanasi in a sub-junior event in Lucknow as a 13-year-old, was rejected at the trials for the state-run sports hostel in Varanasi. After that, he chose not to join a hostel.

"It was very disappointing as even after putting up a fine

HIGHLIGHTS

• Raj Kumar earned India multiple penalty corners during the Paris Olympics, many of which were converted by Harmanpreet Singh

• He scored the winning goal during the penalty shootout against Great Britain in the quarter-final

• He learnt tricks of the trade at the SAI regional centre in Lucknow

• Paris 2024 was Raj Kumar's first Olympic Games. He was one of the two players from UP in the Indian team alongside Lalit Upadhyay

After 2 years, Saha back in Bengal fold

HT Correspondent

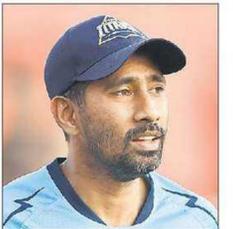
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KOLKATA: Wriddhiman Saha has announced his return to Bengal for the upcoming domestic season after spending two years with Tripura as a professional. At a joint press conference with Cricket Association of Bengal (CAB) president Snehashish Ganguly and secretary Naresh Ojha on Monday, Saha committed himself to Bengal in all three formats for this domestic season.

"This is where I began and this is where I would like to end my career. I want to give it my best shot," said Saha, who will turn 40 in October. "Hopefully I will be able to extend my career in other areas too once I'm done playing."

This announcement finally brings to close a period of speculation for Bengal cricket after Manoj Tiwary's retirement earlier this year. Abhimanyu Easwaran has led the side before but since he is often called away on India A and national duty, Saha's return gives Bengal a serious alternative in the leadership department.

With young Abhishek Porel establishing himself as Bengal's wicketkeeper-batter, it remains to be seen if Saha dons the gloves regularly. That Saha would return was



Wriddhiman Saha. BCCI

more or less certain once he met Sourav Ganguly at his residence during this year's IPL. Their meeting was significant given Saha had hit out at BCCI (then headed by Ganguly) in 2022 for dropping him from the squad for the home Test series against Sri Lanka despite Ganguly's reported assurance that he would be picked irrespective of whether he plays or not.

Things went south a few weeks later when CAB joint-secretary Debabrata Das accused Saha of skipping Ranji Trophy matches without giving any reasonable explanation. Miffed that his commitment had been questioned, Saha sought a no-objection certificate so that he could play for another state in the Ranji Trophy. The then CAB president Avishkek Dalmiya tried to persuade Saha to return, but he remained adamant.

Daley decides to retire from diving

LONDON: Five-time Olympic medallist Tom Daley announced his retirement from diving on Monday. Daley told British Vogue magazine he had decided to call time on his career. The 30-year-old British diver competed at five Games, making his debut at Beijing 2008 and winning gold and bronze in Tokyo, silver in Paris and bronzes at London 2012 and Rio 2016. Daley, who claimed his fifth Olympic medal in the 10m synchronised event in Paris last month, said he knew this was his last Olympics.

Atletico sign Man City striker Alvarez

MADRID: Atletico Madrid signed striker Julian Alvarez from Manchester City on Monday in a deal reported to be worth up to 85 million euros (\$93 million). "The club has reached an agreement with Manchester City for the transfer of the Argentine forward, who has signed a contract for the next six seasons," said Atletico. Spanish reports say Atletico will pay 75 million euros for the forward, with potentially 10 million more in bonuses. The 24-year-old arrived at City for just £14 million in 2022.

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कल्याणपुर, कानपुर
दिनांक: 12.08.2024
सूचना
विषय: ETP की निविदा प्रस्तुत करने की तिथि में विस्तार हेतु
राष्ट्रीय शर्करा संस्थान में "Modernisation/ Renovation of ETP" हेतु दिनांक 12.07.2024 को समाचार पत्रों में जारी निविदा के प्रस्तुत करने की अंतिम तिथि दिनांक 22.08.2024 तक विस्तारित की जा रही है। विस्तृत विवरण संस्थान की वेबसाइट www.nsi.gov.in पर उपलब्ध है। अन्य शर्तें अपरिवर्तित रहेंगी।
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Subject: Supply of Renewal of Software Subscription and Support Renewal of IBM Products and IBM OEM Man Days as per Schedule of Requirement. Date of Closing: 05.09.2024 (Thursday) at 15:30 hrs. Tender Documents can be downloaded from website www.ireps.gov.in. For future modification/extensions please see www.ireps.gov.in

CENTRE FOR RAILWAY INFORMATION SYSTEMS
Chankyapuri, New Delhi-110021
Tender No. 01245256
Subject: Supply of Radhat products and OEM Man Days as per Schedule of Requirement. Date of Closing: 04.09.2024 (Wednesday) at 15:30 hrs. Tender Documents can be downloaded from website www.ireps.gov.in. For future modification/extensions pl. see www.ireps.gov.in

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Online tenders are invited from licensed manufacturers for supply of insecticide and larvicide to UPMSCL. The details of tender, list of items and Tender Documents are made available on website <https://etender.up.nic.in> and www.upmsc.in. The last date/time of online submission of the tender documents is 21/08/2024 upto 15:00 Hrs.
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APPEAL FOR IDENTIFICATION
General public is hereby informed that this person (depicted in the photo) Name: Santosh, S/o: Lt. Mahesh Chand, R/o: Unknown, Age: 55 Years, Sex: Male, Height: 5'6", Complexion: Fair, ID Mark: Cut Mark on Forehead, Wearing: Brown color Shirt and Blue color Pajama, found unconscious at Jheel Khurenja Bus Stand, Geeta Colony, Delhi and admitted in SDN Hospital, Delhi who died during the treatment on 06.08.2024 under area of P.S. Geeta Colony, Delhi.
In this regard a DD No. 39A, dated 04.08.2024 has been lodged at P.S. Geeta Colony, Delhi.
Sincere efforts have been made by local police to trace out information about this person but no clue has come to light so far.
If any person having any information or clue about this person may kindly inform to the following.
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P.S.- Geeta Colony, Delhi
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Tender No.: AGCTRD202411 Period of completion: Thirty Six months
Name of work: Comprehensive Maintenance Contract of Cummins make Diesel Engines (model: NT 855, N 743L, KTA 19R & VTA 1710L) of the Tower wagons of Agra division consisting of 'B', 'C' & 'D' Checks and Breakdown maintenance for a period of 36 months.
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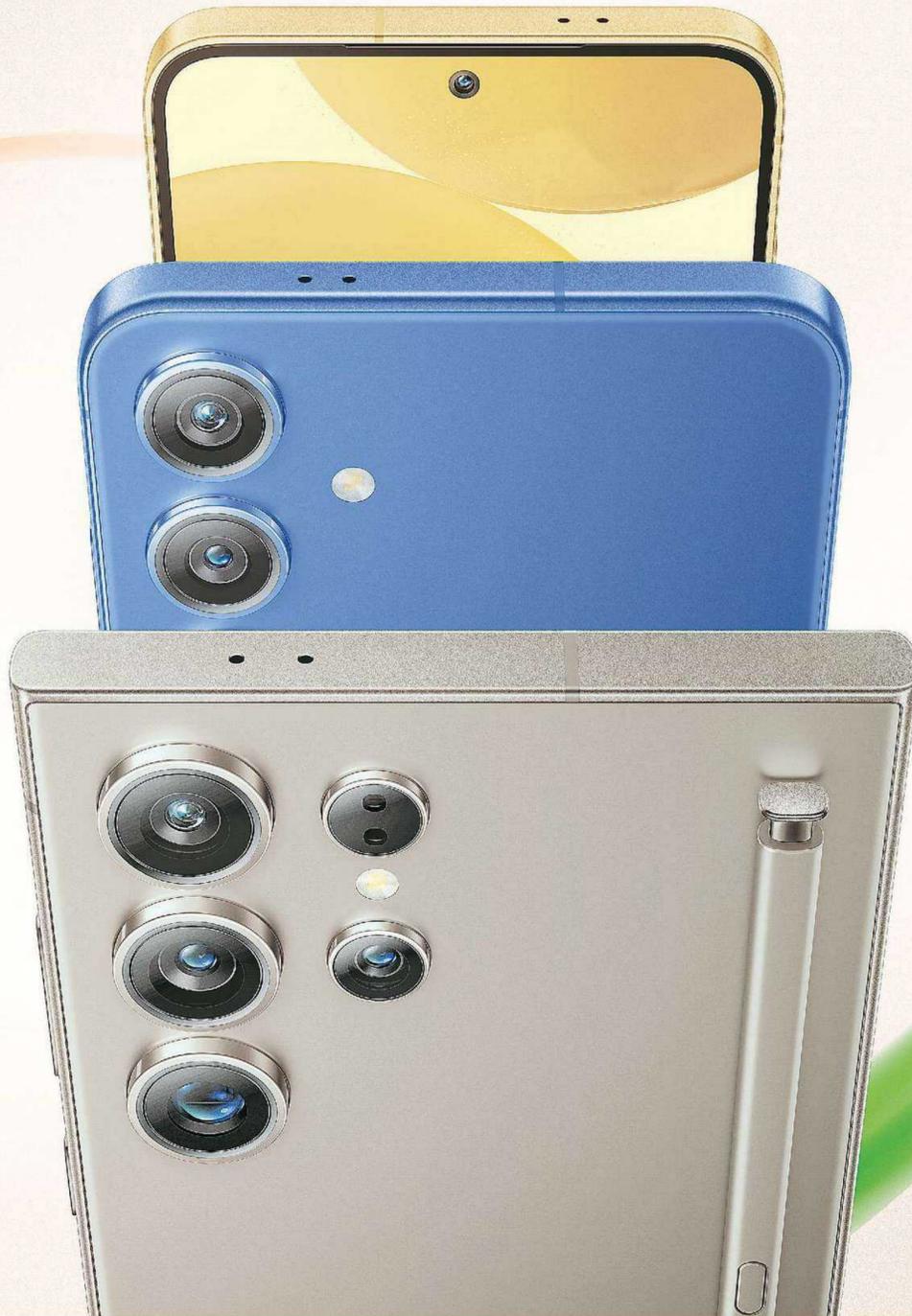
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| 4 | ई०ई०सी० / ई-निविदा. 07/2024-25 | विद्युत वितरण खण्ड (नगर) हल्द्वानी के अन्तर्गत उपखण्ड द्वितीय कालाड़ी वीरहा के अधीन नॉन के०सी०सी० के उपभोक्ताओं की एम्प्लॉटी द्वारा मीटर रीडिंग एवं एनालिसिस कर बिल वितरण का कार्य निविदा विधि के अनुसार। | 1180.00 | 65,000.00 | 27/08/2024 (17:00 बजे तक) | 28/08/2024 (12:00 बजे तक) |
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