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Both UPA, NDA led to NPAs: Rajan

Says gave PMO list of loan frauds, no action was taken; Cong, BJP lock horns over bad loans

PNS ■ NEW DELHI

Former Reserve Bank of India (RBI) Governor Raghuram Rajan has blamed 'suspect' allocation of coal mines and slowdown in decision making by the Congress-led UPA as also the lack of urgency shown by the incumbent NDA dispensation accountable for the rising Non-Performing Assets (NPA) of the banks.

In his report to a Parliamentary panel, Rajan also disclosed he sent a list of high-profile fraud cases to the Prime Minister's Office but was "not aware of any progress" on it.

"The RBI set up a fraud monitoring cell when I was the Governor to coordinate the early

reporting of fraud cases to the probe agencies. I also sent a list of high-profile cases to the PMO urging that we coordinate action to bring in at least one or two to book. I am not aware of progress on this front.



This is a matter that should be addressed with urgency," said Rajan in his report.

Unfortunately, he said, the system had been "singularly ineffective" in bringing even a single high-profile fraudster to book. "As a result, fraud is not discouraged," Rajan said.

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"A variety of governance problems such as the suspect allocation of coal mines coupled with the fear of investigation slowed down Government decision making in Delhi, both in the UPA and the subsequent NDA Governments," Rajan said in his note submitted to the Parliament's Committee on Estimates headed by BJP leader Murli Manohar Joshi.

Rajan is currently the Katherine Dusak Miller Distinguished Service Professor of Finance at Chicago Booth School of Business. He served in the capacity of the RBI Governor for three years till September 2016.

The comments of the former RBI Governor, who exited after completing his tenure (not given a second term) during the Modi Government, triggered a war of words between the BJP and the

Congress.

The Congress hit back on the bad loans issue saying that the Narendra Modi Government is accountable for the NPA mess.

Party spokesperson Randeep Surjewala said when the UPA had left office in 2014, total (NPA)s were ₹2.83 lakh crore and this has jumped to ₹12 lakh crore under the NDA rule.

NOTE TO Parl panel

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Falling ₹, rising fuel price make economy tumble

Global trade war tension leads to mayhem in stock market, poses serious concern

PNS ■ NEW DELHI

The Indian Rupee continued to make a fresh low on daily basis against the backdrop of rising fuel prices, capital outflow and global trade war tension leading to mayhem in the stock market and posing serious concern for the fundamental of the economy. After opening in positive territory on Tuesday morning and touching of 72.25 versus the dollar, the Rupee plummeted 24 paise to end at a new record low of 72.74.

Petrol and diesel prices hit fresh highs on Tuesday. A 14 paise per litre hike in petrol and diesel prices each took the rates to an all-time high. While some States have marginally reduced VAT to provide symbolic relief to consumers, but it is too little to make any difference in view of the massive rise over the last few days in fuel prices.

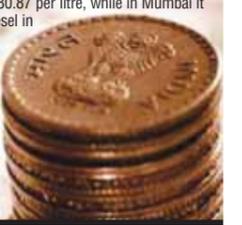
Petrol price in Delhi climbed to ₹80.87 per litre, while in Mumbai it inched up to ₹88.26. A litre of diesel in the national Capital was priced at ₹72.97 and ₹77.47 in Mumbai. Delhi has the cheapest fuel



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- The crash of Rupee also led to a collapse at the stock market with benchmark sensex losing 509 points to close at more than one-month low of 37,413.13 due to heavy selling in FMCG, metal, auto and financial stocks



among all metros and most State capitals because of lower taxes. Mumbai has the highest sales tax or VAT.

Petrol in Chennai costs ₹84.07 per litre and ₹83.75 in Kolkata. Diesel is priced at ₹77.15 per litre in Chennai and ₹75.82 in Kolkata.

While the Government has ruled out any excise duty cut to contain the rise of fuel prices, it may be forced to come out with NRI bond, as was done in 2013, to deal with the falling Rupee.

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prices, second, the strengthening of the US dollar on the back of a strong jobs report and expectations of a rate hike from the Federal Reserve this month. The Rupee has also come under pressure from huge portfolio liquidation pressure from foreign investors.

The political uncertainty about 2019 general elections have also been acting as a dampener on forex market sentiments. Foreign investors withdrew close to ₹2,300 crore from the capital markets since Monday.

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Kerala nun wants Vatican to step in, do justice

Kottayam/Kochi/Kannur: A nun who has accused a Roman Catholic Bishop of raping her has petitioned the Vatican representative in India alleging that the clergyman was using "political and money power" to bury the case even as the Kerala Government on Tuesday assured "justice will be done".

Making a fervent plea for urgent intervention, the nun in a scathing letter to Giambattista Diquattro, Vatican's Apostolic Nuncio (a diplomatic mission, also sought to explain her silence before coming out against the bishop and said she had "tremendous fear and shame" and wondered why the church was "closing its eyes towards the truth".

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Cong gives 'proof', alleges complicity of Modi Govt in Nirav, Choksi escape

As Mehul denies all charges of defrauding PNB in video message

PNS ■ NEW DELHI

After the fugitive diamondaire Mehul Choksi released a video message denying all charges of defrauding the PNB, the Congress on Tuesday released documents to allege complicity of Prime Minister's Office (PMO) and the Finance Ministry in the escape of Nirav Modi and Choksi from the country.

Accusing the Modi Government of inaction, the



party shared a number of complaints made by different people at various intervals during the last three years against the duo to the PMO and several other agencies, including Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI).
Furnishing proof of Modi Government's alleged involvement in their escape, Congress spokesperson Randeep Singh

Surjewala said, "On April 20 this year, after Choksi fled, PM Modi met the Antiguan President in the UK but he didn't utter a word to send back Choksi."

This is not my words, it has been said by the Antiguan President in an interview on July 27. The Indian Government never approached them on this issue."

The Congress also shared some documents on Twitter to claim how PMO, MEA, CBI, SEBI etc., gave a clean chit to the PMO and facilitated their escape from the country.

The fresh attack on the Government from the Congress came hours after fugitive Mehul Choksi released a video message denying allegations of wrongdoings by him.

HARYANA ASSEMBLY

Cong MLA suspended for a year

NISHU MAHAJAN ■ CHANDIGARH

Temper ran high in the Haryana Assembly on Tuesday following the alleged derogatory remarks made by Congress MLA Karan Singh Dalal which led to a face-off between him and leader of opposition and INLD's Abhay Chautala, with both hurling abuses and brandishing their shoes at the each other.

While, Dalal was suspended for a year over his remarks made against Haryana during the calling attention motion on the issue of deletion of 25 lakh ration card holders, the State Assembly on the other passed a resolution to condemn him and Chautala for their 'unruly behaviour' in the House.

Earlier, Dalal's remarks led to heated exchanges between treasury benches and Congress MLAs forcing the House to be adjourned thrice.

The trouble began when the Congress MLA while lashing out at the Haryana Government, made a comment regarding the situation in the State under BJP's rule.

Taking strong objection to Dalal's remarks, Cabinet Ministers Capt Abhimanyu, Anil Vij and OP Dhankar, dubbed it as an insulting statement for Haryana and its 2.5 crore population.

Within few minutes, the treasury benches were on their feet, demanding an apology from the Congress MLA. Soon after, the BJP MLAs started shouting slogan 'Karan Dalal Murdabad'.

While Dalal stood up to give clarification on the issue, the BJP legislators did not let him speak and kept interrupting him.

"I did not abuse Haryana but condemned the State Government," Dalal said. However, the BJP MLAs



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- Leader of Opposition Abhay Chautala urged the Speaker to take the issue seriously as a State MLA has spoken against Haryana and hurt the sentiments of people of the State
- This led to heated arguments between Dalal and Abhay Chautala. And, the situation became worse when the two legislators took out their shoes and advanced aggressively towards each other
- Reacting to his suspension, Dalal said he will challenge the decision in Punjab and Haryana High Court
- The Speaker later informed the Congress MLAs that the matter has been re-considered and the decision of suspension of Karan Dalal will not be withdrawn

vehemently protested against Dalal and also, demanded his suspension from the House.

At this time, the repeated pleas from Deputy Speaker Santosh Yadav to BJP legislators to remain seated, went unheeded, forcing her to adjourn the House for ten minutes.

When the House reconvened, the BJP MLAs remained adamant on their demand to send Congress legislator Dalal out of the House. Dhankar and Vij along with other party MLAs demanded that Dalal should be suspended from the House. Following this, Speaker Kanwar Pal Gujjar asked all legislators to use words wisely and maintain the decorum of the House.

Leader of Opposition Abhay Chautala urged the Speaker to take the issue seriously as a State MLA has spoken against Haryana and hurt the sentiments of people of the State. He (Dalal) should be sus-

pended from the House and we will support it, Chautala said.

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The two MLAs were seen hurling abuses at each other as the Speaker summoned House marshals to form a human chain around them.

Amid pandemonium, the Speaker adjourned the House for 15 minutes.

Later, the INLD sailed with the BJP legislators, saying that Congress legislator should be suspended for one year for his behaviour in the House. Finance Minister moved a motion for one-year suspension of Dalal. Congress legislators, however, tried to defend Dalal and alleged that the Government is doing injustice with an elected member.

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Airport in Mandi to bring new opportunities: CM

KISHORI LAL ■ MANDI

Himachal Chief Minister Jai Ram Thakur on Tuesday said ₹50 crore tourism development project has been sent for ADB funding for Mandi town to give boost to the tourism activities.

Presiding over the Platinum Jubilee celebration of Vallabh Government Degree College at Mandi of which he

was a student, Thakur said under this project, a lake and other basic tourism infrastructure would be developed to take Mandi town on the world tourist map.

He said a helipad would be constructed at Kangnindhar in order to provide heli taxi facility to the region and added that Medical University would be constructed at New Chowk to provide best medical education

to the students and the cluster university would be made a fully fledged university soon.

Thakur, who was on a whirlwind tour of Mandi district, said opening of a new International Airport in the Balh Valley would bring new opportunities to the people.

"The only obstacle in the way of the international airport was fog for about 2-3 hours in the morning," he said, adding



that this too has been overcome by experts who said that latest technology had been evolved to make the landing and take off of flights trouble free.

Thakur said that about 5-km plain stretch of land in Ner Chowk was available for the new Airport around the Nagchala belt. The people would be requested to give their land for the Airport for

ushering in a new era of prosperity and development against suitable compensation.

The Chief Minister said during his recent meeting with the union civil aviation minister, Suresh Prabhu, in New Delhi he brought to his notice that during last year 52.26 lakh tourists including 1.57 lakh foreigners visited Mandi and the surrounding districts.

He said Mandi had emerged as a big educational hub in Himachal Pradesh with the opening of two medical colleges, IIT at Komand besides a number of health and educational institutions.

Against the backdrop, new International Airport would serve a new fillip to promote tourism and boost overall economy of the State.

INBRIEF

CONG TO START FIFTH PHASE OF CYCLE YATRA

Chandigarh: Haryana Congress would start the fifth phase of 'Haryana Bachao-Parivartan Laao' cycle yatra from September 12 from Surjkund in Faridabad district after a public meeting which will conclude at Hathin on September 16. Former MP and State party chief Dr Ashok Tanwar said that the yatra will cover all constituencies of Faridabad district, and the main thrust will be on exposing the misrule of the Narendra Modi Government at the centre and the Manohar Lal Khattar Government in Haryana.

REVENUE PATWARI NABBED FOR TAKING BRIBE

Chandigarh: Punjab State Vigilance Bureau on Tuesday nabbed a revenue patwari red handed while accepting ₹4,000 bribe. Spokesperson said patwari Hukum Chand, posted at Biradwal in Patiala district, was nabbed red handed while accepting ₹4,000 bribe from complainant Nirmal Singh of Biradwal. The complainant has alleged that Patwari was demanding ₹4,000 for the mutation of his land. Case under Prevention of Corruption Act has been registered against the accused at VB police station Patiala and further investigations was under progress.

SIDHU JOINS AS MGSIPA SPECIAL CS-CUM-DG

Chandigarh: The 1984 batch senior Punjab cadre IAS officer Karan Bir Singh Sidhu on Tuesday took over as the special chief secretary-cum-director general of Mahatma Gandhi State Institute of Public Administration (MGSIPA), Punjab. Sidhu, in a brief introductory meeting with the Institute's senior officers and faculty members, emphasized the need for imparting a sharper focus to research, innovation and latest methodologies, besides bringing about improvement in the quality of training programmes to meet the new challenges of citizen-centric and inclusive governance.

NABHA POWER WINS TWO CII AWARDS

Patiala: Nabha Power Limited has received the 'Excellent Energy Efficient Award and Innovative Award' at the CII National Awards for Excellence in Energy Management-2018. NPL received the award in the power plant category. NPL's efforts were recognised as innovative and futuristic towards energy management initiatives that has facilitated in enhancing the company's bottom line. On the innovation segment, NPL has devised a proactive methodology to identify localised heating of boiler water-wall tubes through periodical thermal mapping which has helped in improving the station availability by avoiding boiler tube leakages.

PGIMER BID FAREWELL TO THREE PROFESSORS

Chandigarh: The PGIMER faculty on Tuesday bid farewell to its three eminent professors, who superannuated recently. PGIMER director Prof Jagat Ram presided over the function to honour Prof Deepak Kaul, Prof Ashok Gupta and Prof Madhu Khullar on their superannuation. Dr Kaul has been the head of the Department of Experimental Medicine and Biotechnology from 2007 until his superannuation on May 31, this year, while Dr Khullar has been a senior professor at Department of Experimental Medicine and Biotechnology until her superannuation on April 30. Dr Gupta has been the Head of the Department of Otolaryngology and Head - Neck Surgery (Unit-II) till he took voluntary retirement on July 31.

BCL TO CELEBRATE ROALD DAHL'S BDAY FROM SEPT 13

Chandigarh: The British Council will celebrate the birthday of renowned children's author, Roald Dahl, with a bunch of exciting activities to inspire and enhance the creativity of children. Not only was Roald Dahl a British novelist, short story writer, poet, screenwriter but a fighter pilot as well, who won 18 awards for his brilliant creative work. His books have sold more than 250 million copies worldwide. There will be a screening of Oscar nominated movie 'Willy Wonka & the Chocolate Factory' on September 13, followed by storytelling, quiz and word search activities on September 15.

SESSION ON CYBER SECURITY HELD

Chandigarh: The second edition of Connect Net Champs — a program that addresses internet security among school students — on Tuesday conducted its 16th session on Cyber Security at Sri Guru Gobind Singh College Public School, Chandigarh. The session included a thrilling, fun filled quiz for the students. Two students from Class X — Ayush abd Ritik — have been shortlisted for the next contest round. In another interactive session with the cyber security expert, children learnt various nuances of the internet world. Topics of discussion revolved around potential risks related to internet and how to avoid them.

TARINI FINISHES JOINT 3RD IN CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP

Chandigarh: Tarini Goyal scored 7.5 points in 11 rounds to secure the joint third place in the National Under-17 Chess Championship 2018 which concluded in Sonapat, Haryana on Tuesday. The Class XII student of Sacred Heart Senior Secondary School remained unbeaten throughout the tournament to reach this tally and was awarded with a cash prize of ₹7000. Tarini was, however, placed at the sixth position in the final ranking due to the complicated tie-break system although she shared the same number of points with the third, fourth, and fifth position holders.

Himachal forms STF to check discharge of effluents into tributaries of Ghaggar

PNS ■ SHILMA

Himachal Government on Tuesday constituted Special Task Forces (STFs) at the State and district level for identifying the persons responsible for discharging effluents beyond standards into tributaries of river Ghaggar leading to water pollution and thus violating the laws.

This was done in compliance to the orders passed by the National Green Tribunal.

The officers included in the State level special task will be Chief Secretary, Additional Chief Secretary (Environment, Science and Technology), Additional Chief Secretary (Urban Development), Member Secretary, H.P. State pollution control board as the Member Secretary of the State Level STF.

The officers in the district Level Special Task Force for Solan and Sirmour will be concerned Deputy Commissioners, nominee of the concerned district and Superintendent of Police, executive officer of the local bodies of concerned district, Regional officer, H.P. State Pollution Control Board of

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SARVA HARYANA GRAMIN BANK

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Borrower and Guarantor Name	Description of the property mortgaged	Date of Demand Notice	Date of Possession	Amount O/s
Borrower- Sh. Dharampal S/o Amar Singh, Ward No. 07, Tauru	Equitable Mortgage of property/ shop of measuring 11.30 sq. yards (covered area 101.71 sq. feet) situated in Khateek Mohalla, within the Municipal Limits of Tauru, Tehsil Tauru, Distt. Mewat owned by Smt. Raj Rani W/o Sh. Dharam Pal vide sale deed vasika no 1364 dated 27.10.2010 and bounded as under : East - 11'7.5" House of Rajesh, West- 11'7.5" Shop of Sarjany, North- 8'9" Rasta Aam, South - Shop of Lal Singh.	01.07.2017	07.09.2018	Rs. 450283/- (Four Lakh fifty thousand two hundred & eighty three only)+ Interest from 31.12.2016

Date : 11.09.2018 Place : Nuh, Haryana Authorised Officer Harsh Sharma, Nuh Sarva Haryana Gramin Bank

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Name of the Borrowers	Description of the mortgaged Property (All that part and parcel of the property consisting of)	Date of Demand Notice	Date of Symbolic Possession	Amt. in Demand Notice (Rs.)
(1) Mr. Parveen Kumar S/o Mr. Shri Ram (2) Mr. Anshul Marwah S/o Mr. Parveen Kumar (3) Mrs. Kamlesh Rani W/o Mr. Parveen Kumar	Plot No. 96, Milap Nagar, Mohinder Nagar, Khata No. 989/1075, Khasra No. 1/13/11, 18/18, Kite 2 Raquba Todadi 7 marie of 18/28 part bakkar 4 mara 4 sarsai vaka raquba Patti Mehar, Hacbast No. 58, Tehsil & Distt. Ambala, Ambala City, Haryana. Boundaries of the property are as under- By East: Street, By West: Others; By North: Darshan Sharma; By South: House of Mr. Manglu.	21.06.2018	06.09.2018	Rs. 28,38,478/- + with further interest, expenses & other charges etc. thereon.

The above-mentioned borrower/guarantors are hereby given 30 days' notice to repay the amount, else the above said mortgaged property will be sold on the expiry of 30 days from the date of publication of this notice, as per provision under the rule 8 and 9 of security interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Dated: 11.09.2018 Dated: Panchkula AUTHORIZED OFFICER

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A notice is hereby given that the following borrower/s have defaulted in the repayment of principal and interest of the loans facility obtained by them from the Bank and the loans have been classified as Non Performing Assets (NPA). The notice dated were issued to them under Section 13 (2) of Securitisation and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act-2002 on their last known addresses as provided to the bank by them, that in addition thereto for the purposes of information of the said borrowers enumerated below, the said borrowers are being informed by way of this public notice.

Sr. No.	Name of the Borrower/ Co-Borrower/ Guarantor/ (Loan Account Number) & Address	Description of Secured Asset to be Enforced	Date of Notice/Sent/ Outstanding as on Date of Notice	NPA Date
1.	Raj Kumar National Tyres Shop No. 411, Near Hotel Kamal Palace, Opp. Jalandhar Jalandhar-144001/ National Tyre (co-borrower) Shop No. 411, Near Hotel Kamal Palace, Opp. Jalandhar Jalandhar Jalandhar-144001/ LUJAL00032344905	VDI /SWIFT/ PB08CM7860	04.08.2018 Rs.316641.5/-	31.08.2017
2.	Rajeev Singh H No 37 Nagar Preet Fir 1 Preet Nagar Patiala 147001 / LAFAT00032871232	VX MT/AMAZE/ PB11BT3110	04.08.2018 Rs.353496/-	31.07.2017
3.	Ravinderpal Singh H No 29 Vpo Jethawal Inr Teh Distt Amritsar 143001 / Sukhwinder Kaur (co-borrower) W/o Tejwant Singh Jethawal Amritsar Jethawal Amritsar-143001/ LAAMT00033675576	SX VT/ XCENT/ PB02CU3761	04.08.2018 Rs.375117.4/-	31.12.2017
4.	Shelly Behl 7 R B Estate Oharka Road, Metro/ Urban-INR Amritsar- 143001 / LAAMT0027252126	TITANIUM/ ECOSPORT/ PB02CF1411	04.08.2018 Rs.190457/-	31.07.2016
5.	Shelly Behl 7 R B Estate Oharka Road, Metro/ Urban-INR Amritsar- 143001/ SPAMT00032041312	NA	04.08.2018 Rs.170794.6/-	31.07.2016
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8.	Vishal Kumar S/o Bajjit Kumar Raja Sansi Raja Sansi Amritsar Amritsar-143001/ Pooja Sharma (Co-borrower) W/o Vishal Kumar Ward No 6 Raja Sansi Amritsar Amritsar-143001/ LAAMT00033657905	ERA PLUS / EON/ PB02CX5402	04.08.2018 Rs.225864.9/-	31.01.2018
9.	Ali Tajwer Zaidi H No-803 Sec-2 Panchkula-134109 / LAPNC00033124049	RXZ DUAL AB/ PULSE/ HR03T6205	04.08.2018 Rs.434916/-	31.10.2017
10.	Arti Marwaha H No 1964 Sector 21 Panchkula-134109 / Suman Roy (co-borrower) H No 1964 Sector 21 Panchkula Panchkula-134109 / LAPNC00032609696	RXZ 7 SEATER/ LODGY /Not registered Eng no. E001608 Chassis no. MEEJSRDF7 F2000068	04.08.2018 Rs.715012/-	31.12.2017
11.	Bajjit Singh Village Djalpura, Sas Nagar Teh Derabassi Banur-140601 / LADSS00030319190	VDI/ CIAZ/ PB 65AA0855	04.08.2018 Rs.200232/-	30.09.2016
12.	Mithun Madathil Palamkandy Premium Garments Whole Sale Trading Pvt, Ltd Calvin Klien Jeans Shop No-7 Ground, Floor Elmia Mall Chandigarh-160036 / LAZIP00033114121	1.3 DX / CITY/Not registered Eng no. L15Z12227703 Chassis no. MAKGM65 DGF4104112	04.08.2018 Rs.899482.2/-	30.06.2017

The above borrower/s and/or their guarantors (where ever applicable) are advised to make the payments of outstanding within period of 60 days from the date of issuance of notice U/s. 13 (2), failing which further steps will be taken after expiry of 60 days from the date of issuance of notice U/s. 13 (2) dated mentioned above as per the provisions of Securitisation and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002

Date : 12 Sep, 2018 Place: PUNJAB Sd/- Authorized Officer ICICI Bank Limited

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Rule (8-1) POSSESSION NOTICE (For Immovable Property/ies)

The undersigned being the authorised officer of the Dena Bank under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002 issued a demand/notice on the date mentioned against account and stated herein after calling upon the Borrower(s)/Guarantor(s) to repay the amount within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken Possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8&9 of the said Rules on this , on the dates mentioned against Account.

The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the Dena Bank, for an amount mentioned here below, along with interest and other charges thereon.

The borrower(s)/ Guarantor(s) attention is invited to provisions of Sub-Section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured asset(s).

Name of Borrower(s)/ Guarantor(s)	Description of the Immovable Property/ies	Date of Demand Notice	Date of Possession	Amount Outstanding
BRANCH - CIVIL LINES AMRITSAR	Residential House at Plot No. 52, bearing Khasra No. 16/30 min situated at Satya Pal Anand and Smt. Wajika Rakha Bhararwal Sub-urban, Abadi/Shekha Avenue (Fateh Singh Colony), Anand, R/o H. No. 473, Gali Chahal Road, Amritsar measuring 190 sq. R/o H. No. 102/9550, Borhwal/ Gas Godown, Batala Road, Amritsar.	24.05.2018	06.09.2018	Rs. 8,69,269.61 (Rupees Eight Lacs Sixty Nine Thousand Two Hundred Sixty Nine and Paise Sixty One only)and interest thereon.
BRANCH - CIVIL LINES AMRITSAR	Residential House bearing 108, Village Dhapai, Amritsar measuring 8 R/o H. No. 102/9550, Borhwal/ Gali, Dhapai Road, Amritsar.	24.05.2018	06.09.2018	Rs. 3,72,264.59 (Rupees Three Lacs Seventy Two Thousand Two Hundred Sixty Four and Paise Fifty Nine only)and interest thereon.
BRANCH - CIVIL LINES AMRITSAR	Residential Property bearing Plot No. 98 min, Khasra No. 869 min, situated at Rakha Sultanwind Sub Urban, Abadi/Ganda Singh Nagar, Tarn Taran Road, Amritsar measuring 125 sq. yards in the name of Smt. Kulwant Kaur. Ganda Singh Nagar, Tarn Taran Road, Amritsar	24.05.2018	06.09.2018	Rs. 2,98,230/- (Rupees Two Lacs Ninety Eight Thousand Two Hundred Thirty only)and interest thereon.

Dated : 11.09.2018 Place: Ludhiana Sd/-Authorized Officer

PUBLIC NOTICE

Registered Office: ICICI Bank Limited, Landmark, Race Course Circle, Vadodra 390007 Corporate Office: ICICI Bank Towers, Bandra- Kurla Complex, Bandra (E), Mumbai 400051 Branch Office: ICICI Bank Ltd , SCO 143 A,3rd floor ,City Emporium, Industrial Area Phase 1, Chandigarh, 160002.

A notice is hereby given that the following borrower/s have defaulted in the repayment of principal and interest of the loans facility obtained by them from the Bank and the loans have been classified as Non Performing Assets (NPA). The notice dated were issued to them under Section 13 (2) of Securitisation and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act-2002 on their last known addresses as provided to the bank by them, that in addition thereto for the purposes of information of the said borrowers enumerated below, the said borrowers are being informed by way of this public notice.

Sr. No.	Name of the Borrower/ Co-Borrower/ Guarantor/ (Loan Account Number) & Address	Property Address of Secured Asset / Asset to be Enforced	Date of Notice/Sent/ Outstanding as on Date of Notice	NPA Date
1.	Karan Salwan Bhagwati Steels Armaan Nagar, Sunny Enclave/ Aalandhar- 144001/ LAJAL00027581650	LS ABS DIESEL/ SAIL SEDAN / PB08CR2033	04.08.2018 Rs. 310645/-	31.08.2017
2.	Kawaljeet Singh Kamboj Vill Partaggarh Po Panjola Distt Patiala Patiala-147001/ LAFAT00031469633 Kashmir Singh (co-borrower) House No 5 Vill Partaggarh Po Panjola Distt Patiala Patiala -147001	85 PS RX / DUSTER/ PB11BQ7200	04.08.2018 Rs. 555073/-	31.07.2017
3.	Mandeep Singh S/o Baldev Singh H No 170-171 Kalia Colony Jalandhar-144002 / LUJAL00033149130	2.5 GX/ INNOVA/PB08CB6694	04.08.2018 Rs. 707997.5/-	31.08.2017
4.	Maninder Pal Singh Harinder Hire Purchase Ltd, G.T Road Jalandhar-144002 / LAJAL00034090223	BS III/ SUZU MU-7/PB08DF5111	04.08.2018 Rs. 1604705.9/-	30.11.2017
5.	Manpreet Singh S/o Jasbir Singh House No L1/732 New Gurnam Nagar Amritsar Amritsar- 143001 / LAAMT00034524762	ERA PLUS/EON/PB02CY4407	04.08.2018 Rs. 242357/-	31.01.2018
6.	Mohinder Singh S/o Sadhu Singh Village Puranpur Parasarampur J Aalandhar Jalandhar -144001/ LAJAL00028614971	VDI/ SWIFT/ PB08CT4474	04.08.2018 Rs. 303408/-	30.11.2017
7.	Mukesh Kumar/s/o Nageen Chand 20 Gali No 3 Indra Colony Chahal Road Near Gass Agency Amritsar-1 Amritsar-143001/ LAAMT00033526989	ERA PLUS/EON/ PB02CY1602	04.08.2018 Rs. 164539.1/-	28.02.2018
8.	Nishan Singh S1 Right Side Vill Lopoke Teh Ajnala Distt Asr Amritsar- 143001/ LUAMT00033170098 Bajjit Singh (Co-borrower) Vpo Lopoke Street Laudian Di Teh Ajnala Amritsar-143110	2.5 VX/INNOVA/ PB02CD0213	04.08.2018 Rs. 764447.7/-	30.09.2017
9.	Nitesh Kumar Tripathi 723 Phase III Model Town Bathinda -151001/ LABTN00034983328	SLE/BOLERO/UP 51AF0202	04.08.2018 Rs. 476226.2/-	30.09.2017
10.	Omar Farooqui House No 1145 Phase E 3 Model Town Bathinda-151001/ LABTN00028606176	SMT/AMAZE/PB03AH3343	04.08.2018 Rs. 252489/-	31.08.2017
11.	Pankaj Sharma Vpo Meerakot Kalanteh Distt Amritsar Amritsar-143001/ LUAMT00032226780	VDI/SWIFT/PB02BW3640	04.08.2018 Rs. 230052.5/-	30.09.2017
12.	Prem Singh 454 F Ward No 2 Friends Colony Nabha Tehsil Nabha Patiala-147202/ LUPAT00028095505 Ram Chand & Sons (co-borrower) Patiala Road Nabha Patiala-147202	CAYENNE SV8/PORSCH/PB11AJ0001	04.08.2018 Rs. 803153/-	30.09.2017
13.	Pritam Singh s/o Mehanga Singh F-22/H/201 Jindragali No 1 Biji Ghar Mustafaabad Batala Road Amritsar Amritsar-143001/ LAAMT00034570933 Manjinder Kour (Co-Borrower) W/o Jagmohan Singh F22/201, gali No 1jindera Gali Amritsar-1 Amritsar-143001	ERA PLUS/ EON/ Not registered Eng no. G3HAFM408276 Chassis no. MALA251ALGM453130	04.08.2018 Rs. 304431/-	31.08.2017

The above borrower/s and/or their guarantors (where ever applicable) are advised to make the payments of outstanding within period of 60 days from the date of issuance of notice U/s. 13 (2), failing which further steps will be taken after expiry of 60 days from the date of issuance of notice U/s. 13 (2) dated mentioned above as per the provisions of Securitisation and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002

Date : 12 Sep, 2018 Place: Punjab Sd/- Authorized Officer ICICI Bank Limited

HARYANA ASSEMBLY MONSOON SESSION

Power tariff comes down in Haryana

PNS ■ CHANDIGARH

Giving a relief to the electricity consumers in the State, Haryana Chief Minister Manohar Lal on Tuesday announced to reduce the power tariff on monthly consumption of upto 200 units from ₹4.50 per unit to ₹2.50 per unit.

Announcing further relaxation for the people belonging to poor families, the Chief Minister said that in case a family limits its monthly electricity consumption upto 50 units, the electricity rate would then be applicable at the rate of ₹2 per unit.

Manohar Lal made these announcements on the third and last day of monsoon session of Haryana Vidhan Sabha here. He said the reduced tariff would ensure saving of ₹437 per month to the consumers, which constitute about 46.6 per cent.

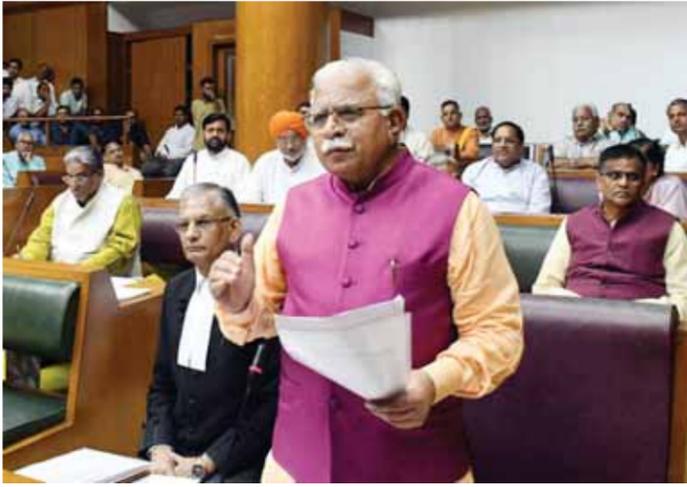
The Chief Minister also said that it is a historic decision and would benefit 41.53 lakh domestic consumers in the State. He added with these announcements he had fulfilled his earlier promise to reduce the power tariff in the State.

"During the last about four years, the State Government has taken several initiatives. In some of them, Haryana is leading in the country. We have made Haryana kerosene free and also launched Saksham Yojna to provide 100 hour guaranteed work to educated unemployed youth," he said.

Apart from introducing the concept of educated panchayats in the State, the State Government has also further strengthened the Panchayati Raj Institutions (PRIs) especially the Zila Parishads by decentralization of powers. Inter District Council has been constituted and the budget of Zila Parishads has been enhanced to ₹10 crore and next year it would further be increased to ₹25 crore, he announced. While referring to the Beti Bachao Beti Padhao programme, he said that as a result of the cooperation of people, the sex ratio which was 837 girls per 1,000 boys has now reached to 914 girls per 1000 boys.

FREE OF COST POWER CONNECTIONS TO DHANIS WITHIN ONE KM OF LAL DORA
Chief Minister Manohar Lal announced that free of cost electricity connections would be provided to those dhanis in the state which are situated within one kilometer of Lal Dora of villages.

He said another scheme is also under the active consideration of the State Government under which a



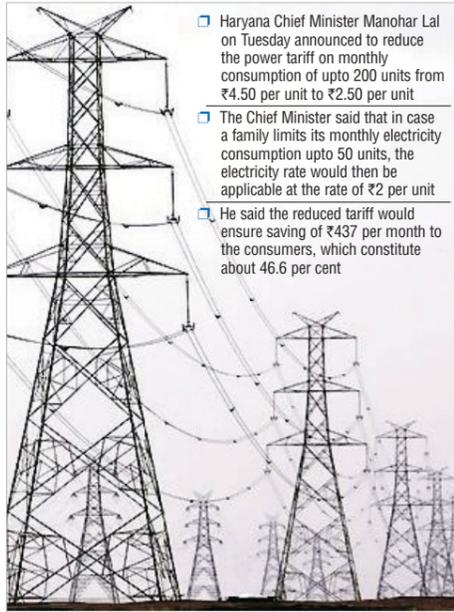
cluster of 11 houses within one kilometer radius would be provided free of cost electricity connection, who will apply for the same. The aim of the State Government is to ensure that each household in the State has electricity connection, he added.

The Chief Minister said that the Government is also considering to enhance the power supply to agriculture connections under PAT scheme. At present, additional three hours electricity supply is being ensured in morning and evening hours under the scheme, Manohar Lal said. He added it has been decided that the left out isolated household would be provided electricity through renewable energy so that each household in state has the facility of electricity.

HARYANA TO PURCHASE 458 AMBULANCES

Health Minister Anil Vij informed the House that 458 ambulances would be purchased for facilitating the patients in the state.

For this, tenders have been floated for about 150 ambulances. The procedure to purchase remaining number of ambulances would soon be completed, he informed the State Assembly. At present, 358 ambulances are providing services in the State. All ambulances are equipped with adequate quantity of fuel and all are being driven by trained drivers. These ambulances include one general ambulance equipped with oxygen cylinder and other ambulance has advance life support system ventilator in it, he said. The Minister also informed that the Health Department is going to set up one call centre for the entire State from where all



ambulances in the State would be monitored.

5.17 LAKH HOUSEHOLDS PROVIDED WITH FREE LPG GAS CONNECTIONS

Minister of State for Food, Civil Supplies and Consumer Affairs, Karan Dev Kamboj informed the House that under Pradhan Mantri Ujjwala Yojana, so far 5.17 lakh households have been provided with free LPG gas connections and the remaining households would also be provided with gas connections by March 31, 2020 in the state.

Replying to a question, he said that the State Government would provide gas connection to all the remaining house-

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holds. According to the data of Socio Economic and Caste Census, the number of eligible families is 13.53 lakh, of which 5.17 lakh families have been provided with gas connections.

About 13,000 families have applied for gas connection and they would soon be provided with gas connection. Besides this, the government has provided 1.56 lakh families with free gas connections from the State Budget, whereas others have been provided free gas connections from Central Government, he said.

Under this, the customer is exempted to pay the security amount of ₹1,600 for gas cylinder, whereas he or she only has to pay for filling the gas cylinder.

War of words on sportspersons, soldiers

PNS ■ CHANDIGARH

The treasury benches and opposition on Tuesday engaged in a war of words over the issue of giving facilities to sportspersons and soldiers in the State.

During the zero hour in Haryana Assembly, Leader of opposition and INLD's senior leader Abhay Singh Chautala alleged that the State Government has insulted the sportspersons of Haryana.

Earlier, the medal winners of Commonwealth Games were insulted, now the Government has insulted the medal winners of Asian Games held at Jakarta recently, Chautala alleged.

No one from the State Government reached the airport to receive the medal winners of Asian Games, he said.

Continuing his tirade against the State Government, the INLD leader said that earlier, the Government had to cancel its felicitation function for the States Commonwealth Games medal winners following threats of boycott from the top athletes over the proposed cut in their prize money.

Former Chief Minister Bhupinder Singh Hooda said that the Government is making fun of sportspersons.

INLD's Parminder Singh Dhull said that there are shortcomings in the sports policy framed by the State Government and it should be applicable to people with domicile of Haryana otherwise outsiders will play for Haryana and get cash awards and jobs.

On this, Haryana Sports and Youth Affairs Minister clarified that clauses of sports policy ensures that only peo-

SIDELIGHTS

◆ Congress MLA Karan Dalal on Tuesday demanded to move a privilege motion against the Chandigarh Police for allegedly misbehaving with the party MLAs a day before. The Congress MLAs who were coming on a horse cart to the State Assembly were stopped by the Chandigarh Police on Monday and were forced to walk down in a procession. The Speaker meanwhile, rejected the demand of Congress MLA

◆ Taking a dig at Haryana Congress MLAs, who reached the Vidhan Sabha on a horse cart on Monday, Haryana Health Minister Anil Vij demanded registration of a case against them for animal cruelty. All MLAs were sitting on the horse cart which amount to animal cruelty, he said as the entire house burst into laughter. The MLAs had come on a horse cart while supporting the Bharat Bandh call given by the party against the fuel price hike

◆ BJP MLA Aseem Goel demanded to change the name of East India Colony at Ballabhgarh. He raised the issue during the question hour when the party MLA Mool Chand Sharma asked the status of water supply at East India Colony and Sector 23 of Ballabhgarh

◆ Congress MLAs took a strong exception to the words of Minister Anil Vij where he attacked the former Chief Minister Bhupinder Singh Hooda and called him mentally unfit. While Hooda laughed at the statement, Congress MLAs launched a scathing attack at Vij asking him to get hospitalised for a treatment

◆ Haryana Advocate General Baldev Raj Mahajan attended the House proceedings on Tuesday. He was seated besides the Chief Minister during the double sitting of third and last day of monsoon session

ple from the State will be benefitted from the sports policy.

He also claimed that the cash reward under various categories for medal winners have been increased manifold during the current BJP's regime.

The sportspersons from Haryana won 17 medals in Asian games held at Jakarta recently. In these games, Haryana won five gold medals, five silver medals and seven bronze medals. Soon a State-level function will be organised here to honour them, Vij added.

After the Minister's reply, the Congress legislators tried to corner the State Government over its sports policy while the ruling BJP launched a scathing attack on the Congress for recent order of Punjab and Haryana High Court, which set aside the regularisation policies framed in 2014 by previous Congress Government.

Haryana Minister Krishan

Kumar Bedi accused the Congress of betraying the Government employees for political gains ahead of 2014 elections.

Earlier, demanding withdrawal of ESMA, Congress' Karan Dalal said that the Government had earlier promised to bring a Bill to regularize the services of contractual employees affected due to High Court order.

But later, it took a u-turn and decided to file SLP in Supreme Court.

The Government should give explanation on its stand on contractual employees, he demanded.

Later, the BJP and Congress MLAs also traded charges against each other over the issue of one rank one pension.

Speaking during the zero hour, Congress MLA Geeta Bhukkal while raising the demands of ex-service and sainik organisations, said that compensation given to the

families of martyrs should be increased from ₹50 lakh to ₹1 crore.

Other demands included housing facility for them, job for disabled sainiks and increase in honorarium of ex-serviceman employed by the Haryana Government.

BJP MLA Abhay Singh Yadav also backed the demand of increase in compensation given to the families of martyrs.

Reacting to the demands raised by Geeta Bhukkal, Finance Minister Capt. Abhimanyu slammed the Congress Government for not implementing one rank one pension during its tenure.

The Minister also accused the Congress of doing politics on deaths of soldiers.

He informed the House that the present government has given 230 jobs to the dependent of martyrs while till 2004, 66 jobs were given and 17 jobs were given from 2004 to 2014.

Gurugram ahead in crimes, data reveals

NISHU MAHAJAN ■ CHANDIGARH

The country's millennium city, Gurugram is ahead of all cities in Haryana when it comes to registration of number of crimes, including maximum cases of crime against women.

As many as 19,242 cases of crime were registered in 2017 in Gurugram while 11,038 cases have been registered till July 2018.

In 2015, 15,873 crime cases were registered which increased to 17,207 cases in 2016, stated the State Government in a reply to a question tabled in the Haryana Assembly on Tuesday.

The total cases of crime in the State stood at 1,288,67 in

2017, while 77,435 cases have been registered till July 2018.

In 2016 and 2015, 1,201,91 and 1,154,21 crime cases respectively were registered in the State.

Millennium city is followed by its neighboring city and Haryana's industrial hub Faridabad with registration of 15,347 in 2017 and 8,087 cases till July 2018.

12,115 crime cases in 2016 and 9,902 were registered in 2015 in Faridabad, the data stated.

Next in the tally is Chief Minister Manohar Lal's constituency Karnal, which registered 8,042 crime cases last year and 5,379 till July this year.

A day before, the State Government had tabled the

data related to crime against women in Haryana. Gurugram recorded the maximum number of rape cases in 2017, as per the data.

172 cases of rape, 380 of molestation, 402 of kidnapping, 236 of dowry harassment were registered in Gurugram in 2017 while in Faridabad, 1,220 cases including 127 rape cases, 208 molestation, 389 kidnapping cases and a high 473 dowry harassment were registered last year.

The data also revealed that 9,082 cases of these crimes against women were registered in 2016, which increased to 10,248 in the year 2017. The state had registered 1,328 cases of rape in the year 2017, which averages to more than three rapes a day.

OPPOSITION ATTACKS GOVT OVER LAW AND ORDER SITUATION

During the monsoon Session of Haryana Assembly, the opposition parties—Indian National Lok Dal and Congress—slammed the State Government for deteriorating law and order situation.

Lashing out at the State Government, Leader of opposition and INLD's senior leader Abhay Chautala on Tuesday said that the State Government has failed to take action on FIRs registered in various cases.

While speaking during the zero hour, he also alleged that son of a BJP MLA was involved in a case of misbehaving with a cop but no action was taken

against him.

Soon after the allegations, the treasury benches were on their feet and began shouting "Gundagardi nahi chalege" against the INLD. In retaliation, the INLD MLAs shouted slogans 'Haryana Sarkar Murdabad'.

Following this, Abhay Chautala rushed to the Well of the House and showed the Speaker Kanwar Pal Gujjar clippings of FIR registered in the case. To pacify the situation, the Chief Minister Manohar Lal intervened and said that current issues should be raised during the zero hour. If an FIR was registered in the case, then action will be taken in this case, he said.

A prior notice should be



given so that we can give you information on status of FIR registered in cases who want to raise in the House, he said.

Manohar Lal also told Abhay Chautala, "I do not

even remember the status of FIRs registered against you, but will provide the information regarding status of various cases later."

The opposition also asked

the status of inquiry into the murder of a priest and one other person in a temple complex in Haryana's Karnal district while three others were seriously injured in the attack.

Punjab to supply live pigs to Nagaland

...worth ₹200 cr/annum

PNS ■ CHANDIGARH

Eyeing ₹200 crore annually, Punjab Government has decided to sign an agreement under which the State would supply live pigs to Nagaland.

Announcing this, the State Animal Husbandry Minister Balbir Singh Sidhu on Tuesday said: "The State of Punjab would soon start supplying live pigs to the State of Nagaland at the rate of 8,000 live pig per month thus earning ₹200 crore annually for the

pig famers of Punjab." Sidhu, chairing the meeting with the high level delegation of the Nagaland Government, said that the Memorandum of Understanding in this regard would be signed in the coming days.

"The delegation expressed keen interest in importing live pigs from Punjab as the people of Nagaland consider pork meat of Punjab full of nutritional value, hygienic and healthy as compare to the pork of others part of the country," he said.

He said that as per the



understanding reached out in the meeting, 8,000 live pigs would be supplied every month to Nagaland. "To start with, 100 live pigs would be sent to Nagaland which would be put on exhibition at different places of Nagaland to create interest among the people and to generate more demand. The health certificate of the pigs, to be sup-

plied to Nagaland, would be issued by the Punjab Government," he said.

Sidhu said that the deliberations for the supply of Punjab's chicken and fish to the Nagaland were also held during the meeting. Proposal to impart training in Punjab to the progressive farmers and veterinary doctors of Nagaland was also put forward by Sidhu before the visiting delegation.

Later, the delegation visited pig farm at Nabha and Guru Angad Dev Veterinary and Animal Sciences University at Ludhiana.

AAP demands scrapping of Zila Parishad, Panchayat polls

PNS ■ CHANDIGARH

A day after Aam Aadmi Party's (AAP) candidate for zila parishad elections was allegedly murdered, the main opposition party in the State on Tuesday demanded scrapping of impending Zila Parishad and Panchayat Samiti elections.

The party alleged the ruling Congress party for unleashing a large scale violence, especially in the wake of "blatant murder" of AAP candidate from Gill Kalan parishad zone, and subsequent failure of police to arrest the

accused.

AAP in a complaint filed by the state unit co-president Dr Balbir Singh and the leader of opposition in Vidhan Sabha Harpal Singh Cheema, also alleged "wrongful rejection of nomination papers" of its candidates, coupled with "open violation of code of conduct by the ruling party" and "failure of the State Election Commission" to take appropriate measures for conduct of free and fair elections.

"We request and demand that the impending elections to Zila Parishad and Panchayat Samiti be immediately can-

celled or suspended and fresh schedule for these elections be announced after deployment of Central Forces, such as CRPF, so that a voter can participate in elections without any fear, bias or intimidation," demanded the leaders. They submitted that in the absence of Central Forces and immediate preventive measures, free and fair elections are neither warranted nor plausible. The complaint referred to the "utter violence and blatant murders in Punjab" that led to boycott and cancellation of Punjab Assembly elections in 1991. "Ultimately the

State DGP was changed at that time, Central Security forces were deployed and only then elections were held in 1992," the complaint read while adding that Punjab was yet again starting at a similar political crisis.

AAP leaders in the complaint told the Commission that the recent murder of Harwinder Singh Hinda, AAP candidate from Gill Kalan Zila Parishad Zone, "betrays the promises by your office as well the State Government that there will be free and fair Zila Parishad and Panchayat Samiti elections".

DISCREPANCIES IN ELECTORAL FUNDING STATEMENT EC issues notice to AAP

PNS ■ NEW DELHI

Issuing a show-cause notice to the Aam Aadmi Party (AAP) after finding discrepancies in its 2014-15 electoral funding statement, the Election Commission (EC) on Tuesday said it may be forced to initiate action against the party for "prima facie failing" to follow its transparency guidelines. The EC claimed that transactions through hawala operators were "wrongly disclosed as voluntary donations".



was received by it on September 30, 2015. The party later submitted a revised report on March 20, 2017.

It directed the AAP to explain as to why action should not be taken against it for failure to follow EC's directions and instructions. "Your representation should reach the office of the commission within 20 days (by October 1) from the date of receipt of the notice, failing which the matter will be decided on merits based on information available on record," the notice read.

The notice said the AAP had submitted the original contribution report for Financial Year 2014-15, which

appeal is pending," the AAP said in its statement.

Citing the CBDT report, the EC said that the original report contains a list of 2,696 donors with the total donations amounting to ₹37,45,44,618 and the revised contribution report shows the total amount as ₹37,60,62,631 received from 8,264 donors. Referring to concealment of donations, the EC notice said the bank account of the AAP recorded total credits of ₹67.67 crore, including ₹64.44 crore from donations in excess of ₹20,001.

"However, the party has disclosed total income of ₹54.15 crore from donations in its audited accounts for the year. Therefore, it has been held by the assessing officer that ₹13.16 crore have not been accounted for by the party and these donations have been held to be from unknown sources," the notice read.

"A report was received from the office of the CBDT chairman in 2018 regarding 'concealment of donations received by the AAP' during Financial Year 2014-15," it said.

The notice also mentions transactions with hawala dealers, claiming that the party has taken "accommodation entries from hawala operators to the tune of ₹2 crore. These have also been wrongly disclosed as voluntary donations."

Referring to the CBDT report, the EC said the AAP made "wrong disclosures" on its official website and also furnished incorrect information to the poll panel under Section 29C of the Representation of the People Act. "It (CBDT letter to EC) details how the party has changed/revised its contribution report once the correctness of the same was questioned. In conclusion, it is stated that its disclosures to the Election Commission in the form of the contribution report are incorrect," the EC notice said.

Rule 16 A of the Election Symbols (Reservation and Allotment) Order allows the EC to either suspend or withdraw recognition of a recognised political party. The AAP is a recognised state party in Delhi.

'Govt spinning a web of lies on Rafale deal to save PM'

PNS ■ NEW DELHI

Charging the NDA Government with "spinning a web of lies" on Rafale fighter jet deal, BJP rebels Arun Shourie and Yashwant Sinha, besides lawyer Prashant Bhushan, said here on Tuesday the recent statements by Finance Minister Arun Jaitley defending the deal were meant to protect only one person — Prime Minister Narendra Modi — who overturned established norms for the contract with France. The trio also alleged that Reliance was given "backdoor" entry into the offsets.

They claimed that the morale of the IAF was affected and claimed that the Government was forcing senior officers to defend the ₹59,000-crore Government-to-Government contract. This assertion came in the backdrop of Vice Chief SB Deo and Deputy Chief R Nambiar stating last week that Rafale was an excellent aircraft and will enhance the combat capabilities of the IAF. Bhushan said the officers were made to say the IAF was happy with 36 jets whereas the Service needed at least 126 jets.

Addressing a news conference, the second in recent times, Bhushan, Shourie and Sinha said the deal was "unilaterally struck" by Modi compromising national security and disregarding the IAF requirements. They charged that Modi was "directly cul-



Former Union Ministers Arun Shourie and Yashwant Sinha with lawyer Prashant Bhushan during a press conference in New Delhi. Alwin Singh | Pioneer

prable" for the alleged scam and the Government was hiding behind the veil of secrecy because it knew that the Prime Minister himself is "guilty of criminal misconduct."

Elaborating upon the alleged circumventing of procedures, they said the decision to buy 36 jets in fly away condition from France was taken without taking the IAF and Defence Ministry on board. They also charged that the Defence Procurement Procedure (DPP) which guides arms con-

tract was also overlooked.

As regards the secrecy clause binding the deal, they said the Government itself in 2016 admitted in Parliament that the price of each Rafale was ₹670 crore. Claiming a whopping hike the price later on, they said the media releases of Dassault, manufacturer of Rafale, and Reliance, offset partner of Dassault, said the price was ₹1,660 crore per aircraft. They said the increase of ₹1,000 crore per plane on account of India-specific enhancements was an "outright lie."

Ballots not to carry NOTA option in council polls: EC

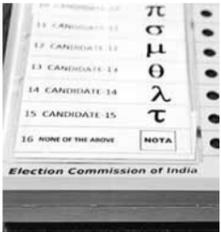
PNS ■ NEW DELHI

Following a Supreme Court's directive, the Election Commission has told all States/Union Territories that 'NOTA' option should not be printed in the ballot papers for elections to the council of States and State legislative councils.

"In pursuance of the judgement of the Supreme court, the NOTA option will no longer be applicable in Rajya Sabha elections and Legislative Council election," the EC said in its order.

The EC further directed returning officers for elections to the council of States and State legislative councils with instructions that column for 'NOTA' should not be printed on the ballot papers for these elections.

In August, the Supreme Court struck down the provision of NOTA in the Rajya Sabha polls. "The introduction of NOTA in indirect elections may on first glance tempt the



intellect but on keen scrutiny, it falls to the ground, for it completely ignores the role of an elector in such an election and destroys democratic values," ruled a bench of Chief Justice Dipak Misra and Justices A M Khanwilkar and D Y Chandrachud.

The EC had introduced NOTA option in Rajya Sabha polls in 2014, a year after the SC had ordered the commission to give the option to voters in direct polls to register their protest that none of the candidates in the fray were suitable to represent them in Lok Sabha or Assemblies.

Make Smart City blueprint disabled-friendly: Centre

PNS ■ NEW DELHI

For the first time since the launch of the Smart City Mission four years ago, the Centre has stressed on making a blueprint on how a smart city should look like from a differently-abled person's point of view.

The Modi Government on Tuesday asked the States to ensure integrating disabled-friendly measures in various projects being implemented in the smart cities under the Prime Minister Narendra Modi's pet project.

Hardeep Singh Puri, Minister of State for Housing and Urban Affairs, reminded the project managers that integrating diywang-friendly measures in various projects being implemented in the Smart Cities in the country is required at the initial project planning stage to ensure that cities are accessible to all.

He was speaking at an interactive session on "Diywang Friendly Measures and Policy Recommendations for Smart Cities in India" here on Tuesday.



He said that in conjunction with the Atal Mission for Rejuvenation and Urban Transformation (AMRUT), the Smart Cities Mission seeks to ensure that the most vulnerable sections of the society enjoy 'Ease of Living' in Indian cities.

The workshop, organised by the National Institute of Urban Affairs, had participation from the persons with disability sector from different walks of life and eminent citizens and experts, including several international sports personalities.

Addressing the participants, Puri said that the feedback emanating from such stakeholders' interactions will be sent to the CEOs and project managers of the Smart Cities to be incorporated in their plans. He said that these measures will

improve the "ease of living" for those who lacked accessibility to all facilities.

Lamenting that India particularly lacks data on disability, Puri said that "we will be looking at 25% of the population that will need universal accessibility in order to live independently and with dignity," and asserted that the Disability Act of 1995 also mandated accessibility for PwDs. He pointed out that the "Clause 40-48 of the VIIIth Chapter of the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016 also mandates making all buildings, services and products accessible giving definite timelines for implementation and retrofitting."

The Minister was categorical in saying that "the standards exist, legislation is in place, thus we now have no reason to ignore this very urgent issue of accessibility any longer." He outlined that according to the United Nations, a mere 1% additional cost is incurred for incorporating universal design and accessibility in the design and planning stage itself.

NATIONAL HERALD CASE — INSHORT Rahul, Sonia running away from taxmen: BJP

PNS ■ NEW DELHI

A day after the Delhi High Court dismissed pleas filed by Congress president Rahul Gandhi and his mother Sonia against reopening tax assessment cases in relation to the National Herald newspaper, the BJP alleged that Rahul and his party were running away from the Tax department after committing a "National Hera-feri" of tax payers' money.

Rahul Gandhi needs to answer many questions, Union Textile Minister Smriti Irani said at a press conference here. "Why is it that Rahul Gandhi, who is too quick to hug the Prime Minister, would run a mile when it comes to an Income Tax officer," Irani asked, referring to the Congress president hugging Modi in the Lok Sabha during the no-confidence debate in July.

She accused Rahul of setting up a not-for-profit company, Young Indians, which then bought a commercial company, Associated Journals Ltd, and its debts worth ₹90

crore for ₹50 lakh.

"Rahul Gandhi set up a company in 2011, professing it will not indulge in profit-loss business. Young Indian bought Associated Journals, which is commercial," she said, questioning the deal.

Associated Journals Ltd, founded by Jawaharlal Nehru, publishes three newspapers, including the National Herald. After buying the loan of Associated Journals, Rahul Gandhi, his sister Priyanka Gandhi Vadra and Sonia Gandhi become owners of a company, Irani claimed.

The BJP alleged that the family used Congress funds to pay its debts even though the publisher has real estate assets worth thousands of crores.

She said Congress top leaders were indulging in fraud and national 'hera-feri' and consolidating their own finances. On the other hand, Irani said the Prime Minister is working to empower the poor anganwadi works by increasing their emoluments as the dynasty is busy "empowering" itself.

Agri Min appeals to farmers not to burn crop residue

New Delhi: Agriculture Minister Radha Mohan Singh on Tuesday appealed to farmers not to burn crop residue and asked them to adopt new methods to manage it, including using the waste for biogas production. Highlighting the Government's support to the farmers for addressing the crop residue, he said a provision of ₹1,151.80 crore for two years has been made under a scheme for states like Punjab, Haryana, Uttar Pradesh and Delhi-NCR.

"The Central Government is providing 50-80 per cent subsidy for crop residue management machineries, which help

farmers in mixing crop residue with soil to make it more productive," the Minister said while releasing a booklet titled "N C D C - A s s i s t i n g Cooperatives. Always!" highlighting the role and activities assisted by National Cooperative Development Corporation in Krishi Bhawan.

Farmers groups are being provided financial assistance at 80 per cent of the project cost for establishing Farm Machinery Banks for custom hiring of crop residue management machinery. Under the sub mission on agricultural mechanisation, 40 per cent

subsidy is given on straw rake, straw baler, loader, etc. That apart, the Government's agri-research body ICAR's two centres, one at Ludhiana in Punjab and Anand in Gujarat, have developed and installed a plant for biogas production using paddy straw, he said.

According to the Minister, the management of crop residue in the field will help the soil become more fertile thereby resulting in the savings of ₹2,000 per hectare from the farmer's manure cost. By making palette from crop residue, the Minister said that it can be used for power generation. PNS

Vivekananda showcased Indian culture, values to world: Modi

PNS ■ NEW DELHI

Prime Minister Narendra Modi on Tuesday addressed the World Hindu Congress via video conference and said that he considers himself to be fortunate to be able to attend the 125th anniversary of Swami Vivekananda's speech in Chicago.

Addressing a valedictory function of the 125th anniversary of Swami Vivekananda's Chicago speech, PM Modi highlighted the Indian monk's role in showcasing the Indian culture, tradition, and values on the world stage. "The Philosophy of 'Ek Bharat, Sreshtha Bharat' is essence of Swami Vivekananda's

Chicago speech," he said.

"Swami Vivekananda ji firmly believes that the future of India depends on the youth and I'm happy to see that today Youth is marching ahead with a sense of mission," he added. "The scale of Swami Vivekananda's achievements look much greater if you remember the times in which he lived in," he added.

On 11 September 1893, Swami Vivekananda delivered his first speech in the Parliament of the World's Religions in Chicago. Swami Vivekananda is remembered as one of the key people who introduced philosophies such as Vedanta and Yoga to the West.

Army officer cadres may be pruned, 20-yr tenure for jawans likely

PNS ■ NEW DELHI

Army Chief General Bipin Rawat on Tuesday reviewed the reports of four study groups set up to recommend ways to restructure the force to enhance its combat effectiveness and save money for capital expenditure. Apart from a proposal to reduce the 13 lakh strong army by at least 1,50,000 over the next few years, the commanders also discussed the possibility of increasing the pensionable tenure from the existing 15 to 20 years for jawans.

At present, the jawans are eligible for full pension after a service of 15 years. Given the improvement in life expectancy and enhanced levels of fitness over the last five decades, the Army feels a jawan can now go home after 20 years of service. It will save the government money in terms of pension and expenditure incurred on training a raw recruit into a fighting soldier, officials said here.

The four study groups to review the Army Headquarters, promotion of jawans, cadre review of officers and restructuring of various arms respectively gave their presentations to the Chief besides seven commanders. A much wider group will have final review during the Army Commanders conference next month and if the recommendations are approved then the proposals will be circulated

amongst the army personnel for their feedback. The final nod will come from the Defence Ministry and officials said the proposals will be implemented early next year.

The proposed reduction in strength is expected to save at least ₹5,000-7,000 crore annually and will add at least 20% to the existing capital expenditure of the budget, they said.

The Army is facing an increasing burden of revenue expenditure and pensions leaving very little funds for new purchases and modernisation. In this year's defence budget, the Army's share was ₹1,28,076 crore for revenue stream while ₹2,68,688 crore was the capital allocation. The current revenue to capital ratio is around 83:17 which is unviable. While the ideal ratio is 60:40, the target is 65:35 which itself will be a great achievement, officials said.

Apart from reducing the strength to make the force leaner and better equipped, the Army is also mulling doing away with the rank of Brigadier and brigade headquarters as part of the officer cadre review.

This is expected to free up significant number of officers who will be available for field duties. Army headquarters too is likely to see a major churn with several departments doing overlapping functions merged or off-loaded away from the headquarters.

PM announces hike in incentives for anganwadi, health workers

PNS ■ NEW DELHI

There's good news for health workers like anganwadi workers and Accredited Social Health Activists (ASHA) and Auxiliary Nurse Midwives (ANM) working at the ground-level to improve the delivery of health and nutrition services in the society. Starting October, anganwadi workers receiving ₹3,000 so far would get ₹4,000. Similarly, those receiving ₹2,200 would get ₹3,500. The honorarium for anganwadi helpers has also been increased from ₹1,500 to ₹2,250.

This was announced by Prime Minister Narendra Modi on Tuesday while interacting with the health workers from across the nation via a live video conference. He said the revised incentive will come into effect from October and it will reflect in their salaries



PM Modi interacts with ASHA, anganwadi and ANM workers from all over the country through video conference in New Delhi on Tuesday. PTI

from November onwards, which would be a Diwali gift for them.

Besides doubling of routine incentives given by the Union Government, ASHA workers and their helpers would be provided free insurance cover under the "Pradhan Mantri Jeevan Jyoti Bima Yojana" and "Prime Minister Suraksha Bima Yojana".

Anganwadi workers and helpers using techniques such as Common Application Software (ICDS-CAS) would get additional incentives ranging from ₹250 to ₹500 which would be based on performance.

During the interaction, Modi said the Government had focussed on aspects relat-

ing to nutrition and quality healthcare. Vaccination efforts were progressing at a quick pace, helping women and children in particular. ASHAs are community health workers instituted by the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare as part of the National Rural Health Mission.

Anganwadi is a rural mother and child care centre under the Ministry of Women and Child Development. Asha and Anganwadi workers are playing a critical role in strengthening the foundation of the country, ensuring health and wellbeing of the newborn, ensuring nutritional standards and maintaining cleanliness, Modi said.

He said the Government's flagship health insurance programme Ayushman Bharat will be launched from Jharkhand on September 23, and the ben-

eficiaries have already been identified. Karishma, a newborn in Karnal district of Haryana, is the first beneficiary under this scheme, he said. During his interaction, the Prime Minister laid emphasis on redoubling efforts to reduce anaemia-related illness in the country by three times, the reduction rate of which currently stands at only one per cent.

September is being devoted to nutrition and "Poshan Maah" aims to reach every household in the country with the message of the importance of optimum nutrition. Modi appreciated their efforts to work together, to use innovative means and technology, to improve the delivery of health and nutrition services and achieve the goal of the "POSHAN Abhiyan" (nutrition mission).

INSHORT

SC NOTICE ON MEDIA BAR IN SHELTER HOME CASE

New Delhi: The Supreme Court on Tuesday issued notices to the Bihar Government and the CBI on a plea challenging a Patna High Court order restraining the media from reporting on the investigation into the Muzaffarpur shelter home case where several women were allegedly raped and sexually abused.

SC: WON'T INTERFERE WITH J&K'S DGP APPOINTMENT

New Delhi: The Supreme Court Tuesday refused to interfere with the Jammu & Kashmir government's appointing an acting director general of police (DGP) without following the process specified in an earlier order. A bench of Chief Justice Dipak Misra and Justices A M Khanwilkar and D Y Chandrachud issued notice to the Centre and sought its reply.

SC AGREES TO HEAR ARCELOR MITTAL'S PLEA

New Delhi: The Supreme Court Tuesday agreed to hear on Wednesday a plea of Arcelor Mittal seeking extension of time for payment of ₹7,000 crore as ordered by NCLAT last week for its bid to become eligible for Essar Steel. The apex court refused urgent hearing for ArcelorMittal's plea for payment of ₹7,000 crore by today for its second bid to become eligible.

'TN GUV HAS NO POWER TO RELEASE CONVICTS'

New Delhi: Tamil Nadu Governor Banwarilal Purohit has no power to release the seven convicts sentenced to life imprisonment in the Rajiv Gandhi assassination case as recommended by the state government and will have to consult the Centre as per law, MMA officials said Tuesday.

HIV, AIDS ACT NOTIFIED FOR IMPLEMENTATION

New Delhi: The Union Health Ministry has announced the implementation of the Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) and Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome (AIDS) Act, 2017 with effect from September 10. Passed by Parliament last year on April 20, the Act prohibits discrimination against people with HIV in terms of treatment, employment and workplace.

SC: SCRAP LAWS DISCRIMINATING LEPROSY

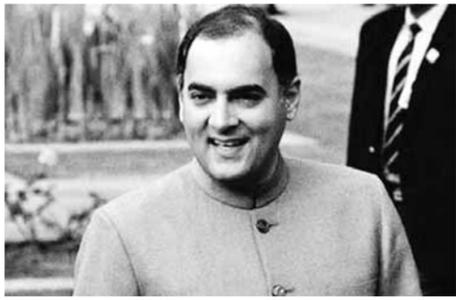
New Delhi: The Supreme Court has asked the Centre to consider framing a law to repeal all State and local laws that discriminate against those suffering from leprosy. The court also granted six weeks to the Government for taking a decision on the suggestions given by Vidhi Centre for Legal Policy (VCLP), an NGO to eradicate leprosy and on issues like rehabilitation and curbing discrimination against those affected by the disease.

RAJIV GANDHI ASSASSINATION CASE

Chances of remission break for assassins

KUMAR CHELLAPPAN ■ CHENNAI

The Tamil Nadu Government's decision to write to Governor Banwarilal Purohit asking him to release the seven assassins of former Prime Minister Rajiv Gandhi who are serving life term in a Chennai jail has not gone down well with the families of persons who perished or seriously injured in the May 21, 1991 bomb blast perpetrated by the Liberation Tigers of Tamil Eelam (LTTE) terrorists.



The Edappadi Palaniswamy Government had written to the Governor last Sunday asking him to release Nalini, Suthendraraja (Santhan), Sreeharan (Murugan, who is also the husband of Nalini), A G Perarivalan (Arivu), Robert Payas, S Jayakumar, and Ravichandran, the seven assassins accused of providing logistic and other help to the LTTE executioners Sivarajan, Dhanu and Suba.

Dhanu was the human bomb who herself got blew up during the assassination while Sivarasan and Suba committed suicide to escape from the Indian Army commandoes who were deputed to catch them from their hide out in Bangalore.

Perarivalan had approached the apex court with a plea that though he had submitted a mercy petition to the Governor in 2015 seeking remission from the life term the latter had not taken any decision. The apex court had on September 6 asked the Governor to consider the mercy petition of Perarivalan though it has not directed him to set the assassin free.

Political parties in Tamil Nadu barring the BJP and the

Congress welcomed the Supreme Court directive which led to the State Cabinet writing to the Governor invoking Article 161 of the Constitution.

All the accused were sentenced to death by the trial court which was upheld by the High Court as well as the Supreme Court. But the death sentences were commuted to life sentences following the clemency petitions filed by the assassins. It was Sonia Gandhi who gave clemency to Nalini.

Legal experts state that the advice by the Council of Ministers is binding on the Governor. But no time limit has been prescribed in the Constitution.

The Governor can also seek the opinion of the Centre with regard to the Tamil Nadu Government's advice.

The Congress in Tamil Nadu is of the view that the assassins had been given clemency in the past and they were saved from the gallows. "But the demand to release them from prison is unreasonable and unjustifiable," said Vijayadharini, Congress MLA whose mother Bagavathy Padmanabhan suffered serious injuries in the May 21, 1991 blast at Sriperumbudur which

killed Gandhi.

While the Dravidian fringe groups and pro-LTTE elements have gone gung-ho over the Supreme Court directive, the general public are reluctant to come out against the move lest they earn the wrath of extremist groups. "What should the nation think of a wife and two children who forgive killers who join with anti Indian foreign terrorist organisation to brutally blow up Rajiv Gandhi and kill him in cold blood merely for following national interests as Prime Minister?" asked Subramanian Swamy, MP.

There is a fear among the people in the State that the same modus operandi could be employed in future to set free Sasikala, Iyavarsi, and Sudhakaran serving imprisonment in the disproportionate asset case. "Many Islamist organisations have asked the Government to release convicts in murder cases who have completed 20 years of sentence. This is not a good precedent," said a legal expert who did not want his name to be quoted. He said that action of the AIADMK in writing to the governor was with an eye on the vote bank.

Nun writes scathing letter to Vatican against Bishop, seeks justice

PTI ■ KOTTAYAM/KOCHI/KANNUR/JALANDHAR

The nun, who has accused a Roman Catholic Bishop of raping her, has petitioned the Vatican representative in India to sack the clergyman, claiming he was using "political and money power" to "bury" the case even as the Kerala Government Tuesday assured "justice will be done".

Making a fervent plea for urgent intervention, the nun, in a scathing letter, also sought to explain her silence before coming out against the bishop, saying she had "tremendous fear and shame" and wondered why the church was "closing its eyes towards the truth".

As the issue snowballed with continued protests seeking action against him, Bishop Franco Mulakkal of Jalandhar diocese in Punjab rejected the charges as "baseless and concocted" and said he was open for probe.

"If I am found guilty, which I am not, I am likely to be punished...I will appear before police if I am summoned. I am a law abiding citizen," he told television channels in Jalandhar. Accusing the nun of "blackmailing" him, the Kerala priest also hit out at those protesting against him.

Senior Kerala Minister E.P Jayarajan rejected allegations of attempts to sabotage the probe and asserted it was proceeding in the "right direction".

"A very strong investigation is being carried out in the case. It is proceeding in the right direction. No accused would be allowed to escape the clutches of the law," he told reporters in Kannur.

The Minister also said there was no pressure on the government to act against the bishop.

The day also saw "Missionaries of Jesus", the congregation to which the nun belongs, coming out against the

nun and five fellow nuns, protesting in Kochi seeking justice, accusing them of "spreading blatant lies" against the Bishop.

The protesting nuns rejected the charge and said they will continue their agitation till justice was done.

In the lengthy letter to Giambattista DiQuattro, Vatican's Apostolic Nuncio (a diplomatic mission), the nun, who has accused Bishop Franco of rape and having unnatural sex with her multiple times between 2014 and 2016, said she has turned to the Church authorities for justice.

She demanded removal of the Jalandhar Bishop, alleging that while continuing in the position, Franco and his close associates "are using the wealth of the diocese to divert" the course of investigation.

"Seeking your urgent intervention in this case as the representative of the Holy See in India," the nun said, knocking at the Vatican's door.

In the September 8 letter, a copy of which was available with the media Tuesday, she alleged that the Bishop and his associates were 'luring' people to take a stand supportive of the clergyman by promising them properties and other forms of wealth.

"They are arranging people to attack us and Bishop Franco is using his political power and money to get higher authorities of the investigation and the Government to bury legal proceedings that I have filed against him," she alleged.

Noting that she had filed the complaint against the Bishop two months ago, the nun claimed even though the Special Investigation Team probing it was convinced of the proof, it was not able to arrest him because of his political and economic clout.

"I beg the church authorities to kindly make a speedy enquiry about this case and

remove Bishop Franco from his responsibilities as the spiritual leader of the diocese," the nun said.

Noting that she felt the Catholic church was still doubting her over the argument as to why she allowed him to sexually abuse her multiple times, the nun said she had tremendous "fear and shame" to bring the matter out into the open. She also feared 'threats' her family.

The nun wondered why the Church was closing its eyes to the "truth when I have mustered courage..."

"Your highness, I would like to ask: Will the Church authority—who stand to protect Bishop Franco and safeguard the dignity of the Church by hiding his wickedness—be able to give back what I have lost?" she asked in the letter.

Copies of the letter were sent to 21 others, including the Catholic Bishops Conference of India (CBCI) president Cardinal Oswald Gracias and Delhi Metropolitan Archbishop Anil Couto. The letter surfaced as the protest by various Catholic reform organisations in Kochi seeking justice for the nun entered the fourth day Tuesday.

Workers of various organisations continued to visit the protest venue to lend their support.

The protesters, including five fellow nuns of the rape survivor, said they would continue their agitation till action was taken against the Bishop.

They have alleged that top police officials were trying to sabotage the probe. The Missionaries of Jesus congregation Tuesday said it was planning to implead itself in a case being heard by the Kerala High Court.

In a statement, the congregation questioned the character of the nun and alleged she had an illicit relationship with one of her relatives.

Jalandhar diocese trashes allegations; says open for probe



PTI ■ JALANDHAR

Jalandhar diocese Bishop Franco Mulakkal, who has been accused of rape by a nun, Tuesday rejected the charges as "baseless and concocted" and said he was open for probe.

"If I am found guilty, which I am not, I am likely to be punished...I will appear before police if I am summoned. I am a law abiding citizen," he told television channels here.

The Kerala priest said he like everybody else had the right to take legal recourse. He has been accused of rape and unnatural sex with the complainant multiple times between 2014 and 2016.

Termining the allegations against him as "serious", the bishop said only three persons knew the truth.

"The complainant's sister, myself and God (know the truth)," he said.

The bishop also accused the nun of "blackmailing" him. "In the first letter she (nun) wrote to Mother Superior, she made some demands...She wanted Bihar (church) to be treated as a separate region and that she be re-instated as Superior of the House...It is a clear case of blackmailing," he asserted.

The priest also hit out at those protesting against him. "Many derogatory state-

ments are being made against me... Is anyone bothered? I am an individual and also a citizen...Though I am accused, but that does not give anyone the licence to tarnish my character," he said.

Reposing his faith in the probe, Bishop Franco Mulakkal said let the enquiry report come up.

"At this moment, whatever is going on is not justifiable. I suffered it silently. This is a time of crisis...I am going through painful agony...I tell everyone to pray to God...Let the truth prevail," he said.

Meanwhile, the complainant nun has petitioned the Vatican representative in India alleging that the clergyman was using "political and money power" to bury the case and sought his removal from the post.

In a letter to Giambattista DiQuattro, Vatican's Apostolic Nuncio (a diplomatic mission), the nun said she has turned to the Church authorities for justice. "Seeking your urgent intervention in this case as the representative of the Holy See in India," she said.

She alleged that by continuing in the position of Jalandhar diocese, Bishop Franco Mulakkal and his close associates "are using the wealth of the diocese to divert" the course of the police investigation.

RJD leadership sidelines Tej Pratap

Not invited to party's meeting

PNS ■ PATNA

The family feud in the family of RJD supremo Lalu Prasad came to fore once again on Tuesday when his younger son and heir apparent Tejashwi Prasad Yadav practically side-

lined his elder brother Tej Pratap Yadav.

While all the leaders of the party huddled together at Lalu's official residence to attend an important meeting, Tej was missing from the scene. It is not that he was not available or out of town; he was very much present at the house where the meeting was being held.

Not only that the former Health Minister was denied



space, Tejashwi refused to associate with elder brother's scheduled programme on Tuesday. Tej had organised a padyatra from Patna to Sitabdiara by students wing of the party and former Deputy CM was supposed to flag off the event.

Students continued waiting or Tejashwi for hours outside the Circular Road house but he didn't come out. Finally Tej flagged off his much publicised programme. No other leader worth name was present there to support Tej.

This family feud escalated at a time when family patriarch Lalu is struggling with his depression and high sugar level at RIMS in Ranchi while serv-

ing his jail term.

Furthermore, the RJD meeting chaired by Tejashwi with all the senior leaders, including Rabri Devi and Misa Bharti, in attendance out rightly rejected demand for reservation to poor among upper castes. Only a couple of days back Tej had supported this demand and wanted the party to back it to gain support of upper castes.

The meeting demanded from the Centre to make public the data of caste census. Tejashwi said that BJP and RSS didn't want to bring the figures in public domain. Lalu too had been demanding publication of these data. Tejashwi told newsmen that his party would continue supporting dalits rights and not tolerate any amendment in SC/ST Act.

"The Narendra Modi Government has an agenda to gradually finish reservation policy. It is also contemplating to make drastic changes in the constitution and we will oppose it tooth and nail and may start a big agitation, if needed," he declared.



Devotees participate in a 'Tirupati Kudai' rally which started from Chennai ahead of Brahmotsavam on Tuesday PTI

Karnataka to reduce tax on petroleum products

KESTUR VASUKI ■ BENGALURU

As the spiralling petroleum prices has become a major political issue, the JD(S) - Congress coalition Government in Karnataka led by Chief Minister HD Kumaraswamy to follow Rajasthan and Andhra Pradesh to reduce taxes on petrol and diesel. Addressing a press conference in Bengaluru on Tuesday Chief Minister said he would be talking to officials to cut the tax on petroleum products. This decision followed by Bharath Bandh called by Congress President Rahul Gandhi which politically attacked ruling BJP Government at the Centre led by Prime Minister Narendra Modi.

Kumaraswamy made this statement after he returned from Delhi where he met Prime Minister Narendra Modi and sought Central aid to take up rehabilitation and reconstruction of flood ravaged Kodagu in Karnataka.

"I will discuss the pros and cons on how we can bring down the State levies on the motor fuel. Anyway the Union Government has ruled out bringing the central taxes on motor fuel. BJP leader BS Yeddyurappa has also given me the advise to bring down the



state taxes. I should respect his feelings even if the Union Government is not responding. Soon I will take a decision," Kumaraswamy who also holds the Finance Portfolio, said.

Chief Minister said he had met Modi and apprised him of the devastation in Kodagu and coastal districts due to heavy rains, floods and landslides that caused huge losses to the state. "The Prime Minister has responded to send a central assessment team and the team is arriving tonight. We have asked for a Central grant of ₹2,000 crore to take up relief measures. Let us see how the centre responds," he added.

To a question about banks sending notices to farmers who are unable to return the farm loans despite the State Government announcing loan waiver scheme, he said the

Assam to replace bhut bhtis with double engine ferries

ANUP SHARMA ■ GUWAHATI

The mechanised boats in Assam will soon become a thing of the past.

Stung by the recent boat capsizing incident that claimed four lives in Assam and the criticism that followed, the Assam Government has not only decided to suspend the running of mechanised boats from the entire river system of the State but also to convert all the existing single engine ferries to double engine ones with reversible gear.

The decision was taken after the Assam Transport Minister Chandra Mohan Patowary held a review meeting with the top brass of the Inland Water Transport Directorate here.

"As per the safety norms, there must be one life jacket for each passenger in the vessel and it will be mandatory for each passenger to put on the life jacket while boarding the vessel," said Patowary on Tuesday. He also instructed that the Deputy Commissioners shall conduct safety audit of the ferry vessels within their respective districts.

At least four people died on September 5 this year after a mechanised boat capsized in Brahmaputra river near Assam capital town Guwahati. Hundreds of mechanised boats known as bhut bhtis are an integral part of the river transport system in Assam. Thousands of people in Assam use the bhut bhtis every day to commute to one place from another as well as to transport goods as part of their business. The lackadaisical attitude of the Inland Water Transport Directorate towards ensuring safety measures have, however, led to many capsizing and other tragedies in the past.

The Minister also directed that capacity building of IWT staff and other stakeholders must be enhanced on a war-footing. The Minister routed the fact that adequate attention on fleet modernisation was not given in the past for which vessels operating both under IWT and private operators turned old.

The ITW officials informed that during the last two years, work for 15 steel vessels and 3 wooden vessels has been undertaken.

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2. Mr. Kapil Kumar Agarwal S/o - Rajnarayan Agarwal, E/1-1305, ELDECO Utopia, Sector-93A, Gautam Budh Nagar, Noida UP-201304	1. Residential House measuring 899 sqft in the name of Mr Kapil Kumar Agarwal bounded as under: East: as per sub lease deed, West: as per sub lease deed, South: as per sub lease deed, North: as per sub lease deed	1. 31-Mar-17 & 14-May-18 2. 29-Aug-18 3. ₹ 10,75,257/- 4. ₹ 28,108,069/-
3. Mr. Anshuk Agrawal, R/o-Alexandra, D-704, Grand Orange, Sector-93, B, Gautam Budha Nagar UP, Noida-201304	1. Residential House measuring 825 Sq. yds. (527.57 Sq. Mts.) bearing Property No. 13, Block-L-1, E/13, Grand Orange, Hazratras Enclave, New Delhi and bounded as under: East: Plot No-L/14, 15 & 16 West: L-15 & 6, North: Road No-1109, South: L-14	1. 31-Mar-17 & 14-May-18 2. 29-Aug-18 3. ₹ 10,75,257/- 4. ₹ 28,108,069/-
4. Mrs. Lata Agarwal, E/1-1305, Eldico Utopia, Sector-93A, Gautam Budh Nagar, Noida UP - 201304	1. Residential House measuring 825 Sq. yds. (527.57 Sq. Mts.) bearing Property No. 13, Block-L-1, E/13, Grand Orange, Hazratras Enclave, New Delhi and bounded as under: East: Plot No-L/14, 15 & 16 West: L-15 & 6, North: Road No-1109, South: L-14	1. 31-Mar-17 & 14-May-18 2. 29-Aug-18 3. ₹ 10,75,257/- 4. ₹ 28,108,069/-
1. Mr. Rajnish Singh Karki S/o Sh. Johar Singh Karki Proprietor of M/s Rajnishkarki & Associates, Plot No. 23, Block No L-1/13 Hazratras Enclave New Delhi (Borrower), Guarantor: Mortgagee Also At: Mr. Rajnish Singh Karki C/o M/s Rajnish Karki & Associates (A Strategy And Organisation design Boutique) L-1/13, Hazrat Khas Enclave, New Delhi-110016	1. Residential House measuring 825 Sq. yds. (527.57 Sq. Mts.) bearing Property No. 13, Block-L-1, E/13, Grand Orange, Hazratras Enclave, New Delhi and bounded as under: East: Plot No-L/14, 15 & 16 West: L-15 & 6, North: Road No-1109, South: L-14	1. 31-Mar-17 & 14-May-18 2. 29-Aug-18 3. ₹ 10,75,257/- 4. ₹ 28,108,069/-
Also At: -Mr. Rajnish Singh Karki, B-102, Glen Gate, Hiranandani Gardens, Powai, Mumbai-400076		
2. Mrs. Manisha Rajnish Karki, W/o Sh. Rajnish Singh Karki, R/O L-1/13, Hazrat Khas Enclave, New Delhi-110016 (Guarantor/ Mortgagee) Also At: Mrs. Manisha Rajnish Karki B-102, Glen Gate, Hiranandani Gardens, Powai, Mumbai-400076 (Guarantor/ Mortgagee)		

In the circumstances as aforesaid, the notice is hereby given to the above borrowers, co-borrowers and/or their guarantors (where ever applicable) to pay the outstanding dues as mentioned above along with future interest and applicable charges within 60 days from the date of the publication of this notice failing which further steps will be taken after the expiry of 60 days of the date of this notice against the secured assets including taking possession of the secured assets of the borrowers and the mortgagees under Section 13(4) of Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and the applicable rules thereunder.

Kind attention is invited to provisions of sub-Section (8) of Section 13 of the SARFAESI Act where under you can tender the entire amount of outstanding dues together with all costs, charges and expenses incurred by the Bank only till the date of publication of the notice for sale of the secured asset(s) by public auction, by inviting quotations, tender from public or by private treaty. Please also note that if the entire amount of outstanding dues together with the costs, charges and expenses incurred by the Bank is not tendered before publication of notice for sale of the secured assets by public auction, by inviting quotations, tender from public or by private treaty, you may not be entitled to redeem the secured asset(s). Please note that under Section 13(13) of the said Act, no Borrower shall, transfer by way of sale, lease or otherwise any of his secured assets referred to in the notice, without prior written consent of the secured creditor.

Date : 12-09-2018, Place: Delhi

Sd/-, Authorized Officer, Axis Bank Ltd.

Election preparation gains pace, AIMIM renominates all its 7 MLAs in Telangana

OMER FAROOQ ■ HYDERABAD

All India Majlis-e-Ittehadul Muslimeen has re-nominated all its seven sitting MLAs for the forthcoming Assembly elections.

The first list issued by the party has only one change. Syed Ahmad Pasha Quadri, party veteran who represented Charminar constituency till now will swap the place with Mumtaz Ahmad Khan who was elected from Yakutpura in last five elections.

Others renominated include Akbaruddin Owaisi from his traditional constituency Chandrayangutta, Ahmad Balala from Malakpet, Kausar Mohiuddin from Karwan, Mohammad Moazzam Khan from Bahadurpura and Jafar Hussain Meraj from Nampally.

They were all elected from the stronghold of the party in old parts of Hyderabad. The first list was released by the party president Asaduddin Owaisi last

night. Party sources at least two more lists will be released as party was in the process of finalising their names. Party was also eyeing Assembly seats of Rajender Nagar, Jubilee Hills and Amberpet in Hyderabad and a few other seats in the districts.

Meanwhile the preparation for the Assembly elections has picked up the pace with the arrival of the team of Election Commission officials in Hyderabad to assess the situation. The team was led by the Deputy Election Commissioner Umesh Sinha. Team members will visit different parts of the State and hold discussions with the respective district collectors.

Chief Electoral Officer Rajath Kumar has also released the draft revised electoral rolls and they were kept in all the polling stations for the voters to verify their names. According to the draft rolls the total number of voters in the state was 2,61,36,776. It was 2.89 crore in 2014.

Sanjiv Bhatt sent to 10 days remand by Guj HC

PNS ■ GANDHINAGAR

Dismissed IPS officer Sanjiv Bhatt sent for 10 days remand by Gujarat High Court's order on Tuesday in connection with two decades old abduction case.

Bhatt's 14 days remand plea moved by Gujarat CID crime department was rejected by a local court of Palanpur town of Banaskantha district on Monday. Subsequently, Gujarat police approached High Court with the same 14 days remand request to interrogate former cop, but the High Court gave 10 days remand.

The 1988 batch IPS officer was arrested on September 5 by a Special Investigation Team (SIT) formed by Gujarat CID crime from his residence in Ahmedabad on the charges of abduction and framing a Rajasthan based lawyer in crime related to narcotics.

In 1996 a Rajasthan base lawyer Sumer Singh Rajpurohit



was allegedly abducted and framed in a narcotics (opium) case on the instruction of Bhatt (when he was Banaskantha SP) from a hotel in North Gujarat town Palanpur. Subsequently Rajpurohit filed a case against Bhatt and several others in Pali, Rajasthan.

Following Gujarat High Court had ordered to form a Special Investigation Team (SIT). During investigation SIT found that Bhatt had framed Rajpurohit by filing false case. The Rajasthan lawyer in his complaint claimed that he was abducted by police in civil

dress in order to oblige then sitting judge of Gujarat High Court justice RR Jain.

Rajpurohit alleged that the false case was filed against him to force his family to evict a rented commercial property belonging to Justice Jain's sister in Pali town of Rajasthan. He went on to say that he was not only abducted by implicated in a false Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances (NDPS) case after Gujarat police found nearly 1 kg opium from a hotel in Palanpur. According to him, he never booked a hotel room in Palanpur and when the police raided the hotel, he was in Pali.

Rajpurohit further alleged that after abducting him, Bhatt and his juniors pressurised him to vacate the rented property and threatened him to frame under NDPS Act. According to him, he had no other option but to vacate the property at that point of time.

'Hinduism liberal mother of all religions, not dogma'

SAUGAR SENGUPTA ■ KOLKATA

Bengal Chief Minister Mamata Banerjee once again attacked the "fundamentalist forces" for trying to usurp Hinduism and vitiate its charitable tenets by reinterpreting it in their own dogmatic way.

Stopping short of naming BJP and RSS for upholding an "intolerant ideology" in the name of Hinduism "which it is not" she said "today when someone tries to determine what others should eat and where they should live," in the name of Hindu religion "I feel ashamed," because tolerance is the essence of the Hindu religion which is the mother of all religions of the world.

Banerjee was delivering a lecture at Belur Math, the headquarter of the Ramakrishna Mission order on the 125th anniversary of Swami Vivekananda's famous speech in the world conference of religions at Chicago.

Expressing her "great pain" because "some unholy clique conspired against me and created pressure on the



Ramakrishna Mission so that I can be stopped from joining the Chicago conference this year," Banerjee reminded "Hinduism is not an imported dogma preached by a handful of people these days but a religion that has emerged from the Indian soil. It is a great religion which preaches tolerance."

Quoting Swami Vivekananda and his master Ramakrishna Paramahansa who preached unity of religions (sarva dharma samanya) Banerjee said in apparent reference to the BJP Government that "Swamiji said, you may be that 'Swamiji and I may be a cobbler

but that does not give you the license to demean me. You may recite from the Vedas with authority but I can stitch the shoes with equal proficiency," and added "a true leader is one who is dedicated to the service of the nation and not triggers division among the people."

Attacking the powers that be for trying to usurp all the seats of spiritual liberalism including the Ramakrishna Mission into submission in order to usurp this order too. But we will not allow that to happen." Referring to Vivekananda who had "once puffed from a

Didi slashes ₹1 on petrol prices

PNS ■ KOLKATA

The Bengal Government on Monday slashed petroleum prices by ₹1 in order to "provide some respite the people of the State."

Announcing the decision Chief Minister Mamata Banerjee said the Centre had on nine occasions increased excise duty on petroleum, causing the price to go up by ₹11. "We have done our bit by reducing price by ₹1. Now let them do theirs,"

place has been usurped by a particular group. I have also been told that they are trying to threaten the Ramakrishna Mission into submission in order to usurp this order too. But we will not allow that to happen."

Referring to Vivekananda who had "once puffed from a

"WE HAVE DONE OUR BIT BY REDUCING PRICE BY ₹1. NOW LET THEM DO THEIRS," BANERJEE SAID

Banerjee said. The State Government's decision comes a day after the all-India strike called by the opposition parties. Though the Trinamool Congress opposed the bandh the TMC leaders led a massive rally in Kolkata to register their protest against the continuing oil price hike.

hookah of a Muslim person to check whether that triggers a fall from the caste," her brand of Hinduism did not depend on the one preached by some handful of bigots. "My analysis of Hinduism will depend upon what Ramakrishna and Swami Vivekananda and not what some fundamentalists propagate."

2 LeT terrorists killed in Kashmir

KHURSHED WANI ■ SRINAGAR

Security forces shot dead two terrorists in north Kashmir on Tuesday claiming one of them was involved in killing of a separatist activist.

A police spokesman said that two terrorists belonging to Lashkar-e-Tayyeba outfit were killed in Galoora village of Langate in north Kashmir's Kupwara district. He said one terrorist was involved in the murder of senior Hurriyat activist Hakeem-ur-Rehman

Sultani of Sopore in Baramulla district. Sultani was killed by unknown gunmen in point blank range at Bomai area in Sopore on September 8.

The spokesman said that slain Liyaqat Lone alias Sahaba Umar Khalid along with other LeT terrorists Gani Khawaja and Majid Mir, was involved in the murder of Hakeem-ur-Rehman Sultani, a resident of Bomai on September 8, 2018. However, there is no word from the separatist Hurriyat Conference on Police statement.

IN ANOTHER INCIDENT, SUSPECTED TERRORISTS ATTACKED AN ARMY BUNKER BY HURLING A GRENADE IN SOPORE AREA OF BARAMULLA DISTRICT

Meanwhile, protests broke out in north Kashmir's Langate area of Kupwara district against the killing of two terrorists.

The authorities suspended class work in Degree College Handwara and all higher secondary schools under Mawar and Langate educational zones as a precautionary measure following the killing of militants. The authorities also suspended the mobile internet service in parts of Handwara.

The counter terrorist operation was launched on the basis of specific information about presence of terrorist group in the area. After joint forces reached the suspected spot the hiding terrorists opened fire indiscriminately triggering gunfight. It culminated into the killing of two armed terrorists. There was no report of fatal or non fatal casualties on forces.

In another incident, suspected terrorists attacked an Army bunker by hurling a grenade in Sopore area of Baramulla district.

Security sources said that the terrorists lobbed a hand grenade towards army bunker near Degree College missing the target.

They said there was no loss of life or injury reported in the

2 Lashkar-e-Taiba militants were killed in an encounter with security forces in Galoora area of Handwara in the north Kashmir's Kupwara district



incident. The blast created panic in the area and manhunt was launched to nab the attackers.

Unidentified terrorists also attacked police guard at the police station Pattan by hurling hand grenade towards the station.

They said a manhunt was launched to nab the attackers.

Man throws mother-in-law out of flat window, held

Senior citizen dies immediately after fall. She tried to prevent drunk son-in-law from assaulting her deaf-mute married daughter

TN RAGHUNATHA ■ MUMBAI

In a shocking incident, a 32-year-old inebriated man has been arrested for allegedly killing his mother-in-law by flinging her out of the window of a flat in a building at Thane after she tried to prevent him assaulting her daughter.

The incident happened at Rumah Bali Society, near Hiranandani Estates, an upmarket complex of Thane, on Monday night when 68-year-old Paramjit Kaur had gone to meet her deaf-mute daughter Tarvinder Kaur (38) who recently married the accused who is

younger than her daughter. Paramjit died instantly after she was allegedly thrown by her son-in-law from of the first-floor flat where the newly married couple stayed.

The accused son-in-law Anshuk Dhiraj Bhatti, who was arrested immediately after the incident, has been charged with murder. "We produced the accused before a local court today and he has remanded to police custody till September 15," Investigating Officer Pradeep N. Ugale of Kasarwadavali Police Station said.

A resident of Jammu in Jammu & Kashmir, Bhatti runs a logistics company. He had recently married deaf-mute Tarvinder, who is six years older to him. Kaur used to live with Bhatti at Hiranandani Estates. However, Bhatti, who is an alcoholic, moved out to the nearby Rumah Bali Society as he needed privacy.

According to Ugale, mother-in-law Paramjit used to her daughter and son-in-law every day to enquire about the well-being of her handicapped daughter, who used to be beaten up regularly by Bhatti.

The situation was no different at her son-in-law's place at 8.30 on Monday when Paramjit went to see her daughter. Paramjit witnessed her drunk son-in-law Bhatti assault her daughter-in-law. Paramjit could not hold herself. While trying to preventing Bhatti from continuing to assault her daughter, Paramjit slapped him.

Unable to stomach the ego of having been slapped by his mother-in-law, Bhatti in his

inebriated state and in a fit of rage — pushed his mother-in-law to window, lifted her and threw her out. Though it was a first floor flat, the victim fell from a height of around 20 feet and died instantly," Ugale said.

The residents in the housing society rushed badly injured Paramjit to a nearby hospital, but she was declared dead upon admission. After the incident, Bhatti had locked himself and his wife up in their flat home.

Meanwhile, Paramjit's son Manjit Singh was desperately trying to call his mother on her mobile phone. With no response from his mother, Manjit rushed to his sister Tarvinder's flat, but nobody answered the door.

SOUTH CENTRAL RAILWAY
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CORRIGENDUM No.1 dated 11-09-2018 to Tender Notice No.C/SG/C/36/5/356 Dt:27-08-2018

Name of the work: Up Gradation of Standard one of Interlocking from (I) R to II (I) at Pandurangapuram Station in Secunderabad Division.

Page/Item	Subject	Existing	To be read as
Item No.1 of Sch 'A1'	Description of Item	Supply of 'E' type locks of different wards as per requirement with key per E-type lock to Drg.No. SA.3376/MI/Latest and R D S O S p e c n. RDSO Specn. No.I.R.S. No. I.R.S.S. 30/64 (Inspection by RDSO)	Supply of 'E' type locks of different wards as per requirement with key per E-type lock to Drg.No. SA.3376/MI/Latest and R D S O S p e c n. RDSO Specn. No.I.R.S. No. I.R.S.S. 30/64 (Inspection by by Consignee)
Item No.15 of Sch 'A1'	Description of Item	"Supply of High Availability Single Section Digital Axle Counter system complete with dual sensor, as per RDSO specification No.RDSO/SPN/177/2012, Version-3 or latest. Consisting of - (i) Track side high availability Digital Axle Counter unit: DACF-720P-2Nos. (ii) High frequency Tx coil and Rx coil (AD-711) (Each set consists of web mounting type 2 nos. Tx coil and 2 Nos. Rx coil). (iii) Vital relay Nos. FRX-coil). (iv) Vital relay box Model VR-722-2 Nos. duly wired with following relays: a) Vital Relays QNA1K, 24V, 6F/6B-2Nos. QNA1K, 24V, 6F/6B-1 No. b) Reset Relays QNA1K, 24V, 6F/6B-1No. c) PPI 6F/2B (Dual)-1No. (iv) Relay QNN1, 24V, 6F/2B/Clamp with deflector plates (Dual)-1No. (v) Clamp with and hardware-4 Nos. (v) deflector plates and hardware-2Nos. (vi) Surge Voltage box Model No.259A-2 Protection Device Mounted Nos. (vi) Surge Voltage Protection Device Mounted on DIN Rail-2 Nos Ref: A g r e e m e n t No. C/S/G/C/36/5/346 DATED 23-03-2018	"Supply of High Availability Single Section Digital Axle Counter system complete with dual sensor, as per RDSO specification No.RDSO/SPN/177/2012, Version-3 or latest. Consisting of - (i) Track side high availability Digital Axle Counter unit: DACF-720P-2 Nos. (ii) High frequency Tx coil and Rx coil (AD-711) (Each set consists of web mounting type 2 nos. Tx coil and 2 Nos. Rx coil). (iii) Vital relay Nos. FRX-coil). (iv) Vital relay box Model VR-722-2 Nos. duly wired with following relays: a) Vital Relays QNA1K, 24V, 6F/6B-2Nos. QNA1K, 24V, 6F/6B-1 No. b) Reset Relays QNA1K, 24V, 6F/6B-1No. c) PPI 6F/2B (Dual)-1No. (iv) Relay QNN1, 24V, 6F/2B/Clamp with deflector plates (Dual)-1No. (v) Clamp with and hardware-4 Nos. (v) deflector plates and hardware-2Nos. (vi) Surge Voltage box Model No.259A-2 Protection Device Mounted Nos. (vi) Surge Voltage Protection Device Mounted on DIN Rail-2 Nos Ref: A g r e e m e n t No. C/S/G/C/36/5/346 DATED 23-03-2018
Item No.53 of Sch 'A1'	Description of Item	"Supply of WAGO Terminal as per RDSO Specification No.189/2004 which consists as per following: a) 2 Conductor disconnect type terminal block as per Model No.280-870-Qty: 6 No. (b) End plate type 280-374 suitable for disconnect terminal of Model No.280-870-Qty: 1 No. c) End stop terminal block type 249-117-Qty: 2 No. d) Shorting links (16A) as per model 280-402. (Inspection by RDSO)	"Supply of WAGO Terminal as per RDSO Specification No.189/2004 which consists as per following: a) 2 Conductor disconnect type terminal block as per Model No.280-870-Qty: 6 No. (b) End plate type 280-374 suitable for disconnect terminal of Model No.280-870-Qty: 1 No. c) End stop terminal block type 249-117-Qty: 2 No. d) Shorting links (16A) as per model 280-402. (Inspection by consignee).

Other things remain unaltered. Visit our website www.irps.gov.in.
Dy. Chief Signal & Telecom. Engineer, (Projects), Secunderabad
A1549

PROCLAMATION REQUIRING THE APPEARANCE OF A PERSON ACCUSED

See Section U/S 82 Cr. P.C.

Whereas complaint has been made before me that accused **Vipin, S/o Avdesh, R/o H.No. 430, Devil Village, New Delhi** has committed (or is suspected to have committed) the offence in case **FIR No. 151/17, dt. 29.03.2017 U/S 325/341/34 IPC, P.S. Neb Sarai, New Delhi** and it has been returned to a warrant of arrest thereupon issued that the said **Vipin** cannot be found and whereas it has been shown to my satisfaction that the said **Vipin** has absconded (or is concealing himself to avoid the service of the said warrant). Proclamation is hereby made that the said accused **Vipin of FIR No. 151/17, dt. 29.03.2017 U/S 325/341/34 IPC, P.S. Neb Sarai, New Delhi** are required to appear before this Court to answer the said complaint on or before **15.10.2018**.

By Order
Sh. Anuj Kumar Singh,
Metropolitan Magistrate South,
Room No. 212, Saket Court,
New Delhi

DP/4945/SD/18(Court Matter)

UNIDENTIFIED DEAD BODY

General Public is hereby informed that one person namely Unknown S/o Unknown R/o Unknown age: 50 yrs was found dead on Footpath in front of Main Gate, Kucha Chalan, Lahori Gate, Delhi on 08.09.2018. In this regard a DD No. 08-A dated 08.09.2018 has been lodged at P. S. Lahori Gate, Delhi. The description of the dead person is as under- **Age: 50 yrs., Sex: Male, Height: 5'6", Complexion: Wheatish, Wearing: Blue Colour Shirt, White and Black Colour Pant.** If any one having any information about this dead person please inform undersigned.

SHO
P.S. Lahori Gate, Delhi
DP/9139/N/18
Ph.: 011-23953776, 8750870122

SEARCH FOR MISSING MALE

General Public is hereby informed that one man (depicted in the photo) namely **Shahid Qureshi S/o Achan Qureshi R/o H. No. C-304, Gali No. 4, Chauhan Banger, Jafrabad, Delhi Aged - about 35 Years** has been reported missing since 14.07.2018 vide DD No. 14-A dated 15.07.2018 lodged at Police Station Jafrabad, Delhi. Her physical description is as under:-
Complexion: Fair, Height: 5'7", Face: Round, Built: Medium, Clothing: White coloured pajama and kathai coloured sandal in feet.
Any person having any information/Clue about this missing man, may inform SHO, Jafrabad, Delhi at E-mail : cic@cbi.gov.in or website : <http://cbi.nic.in>

Sd/-
Tele No. : 11-24368638 or 24368641 SHO, Jafrabad, Delhi.
FAX No. : 11-24368639 Tel.: 011-22560191, 22560192
DP/6464/NE/18 Mob.: 8750870723

UNIDENTIFIED DEAD BODY

General public is hereby informed that an unknown male person was found dead at Bus Stand Near Nigambodh Ghat, Yamuna Bazar, Kashmere Gate, Delhi on Dated 24.08.2018. In this regard a DD No. 27-A Dated 24.08.2018 has been lodged at P.S. Kashmere Gate, Delhi. The description of the dead body is given as under Name: Unknown S/o: Unknown R/o Unknown Age: 40 years, Height: 5'6", Complexion: Sallow, Sincere efforts have been made by local police to trace out the dead person but no clue has come to light so far. If any one having any information about this dead person please inform undersigned.

SHO
P.S. Kashmere Gate, Delhi
Ph.: 011-23967889
DP/9142/N/18 8750870123

SEARCH FOR KIDNAPPED

General public is hereby informed that one boy (depicted in the photo), **Namely: Shiv Shankar S/o Bhaiya Lal R/o H.No. N-15, Shri Ram Gali, Maujpur, Delhi** has been kidnapped from his house. In this regard a case FIR No. 403/18 dated 19.06.2018 u/s 363 IPC has been registered at PS Jafrabad, Delhi. His physical description is as under:-
Age: about 17 Years, Height: 5', Complexion: Shallow, Face: Long, Built: Thin, Wearing: Black colour lower, white colour shirt and red colour chappal in feet.
Any person is having any information/clue about this kidnapped boy, may inform SHO, Jafrabad, Delhi at E-mail : cic@cbi.gov.in or website : <http://cbi.nic.in>

SHO
P.S. Jafrabad, Delhi
Phone: 011-24368638, 24368641 North-East Distt., Delhi
FAX No. 011-24368639 Ph. No. 011-22560191, 22560192
DP/6400/NE/18

SEARCH FOR MISSING

General public is hereby informed that a girl namely **Payal D/o Ram Singh, R/o H.No. B-555, Gali No. 1, Meet Nagar, Delhi, Age: 17 yrs., Height: 4'11", Complexion: Wheatish, Face: Round, Built: Strong, Wearing: Green Colour Suit-Salwar and Chappal in Feet,** has been missing / kidnapped since 24.02.2018 from her house. In this regard a case **FIR No. 75/18 dated 24.02.2018 u/s 363 IPC** has been registered at PS. Jyoti Nagar, Delhi. Sincere efforts have been made by local Police to trace out the missing / kidnapped girl but no clue has come to light so far. If anyone have any information about this missing / kidnapped girl please inform undersigned
Website: <http://cbi.nic.in>, Email: cic@cbi.gov.in, Ph.: 011-24368638, 24368641, Fax: 011-24368639

SHO
P.S. Jyoti Nagar, Delhi
DP/6164/NE/18 Ph. No. 011-22110187, 8750870731

NEW DELHI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL
BM-PK Division, Civil Engineering Department
ROOM NO. 1615, 16th Floor, Palika Kendra, New Delhi

e-Procurement Tender Notice

e-TENDERING NOTICE

1. Name of work : Improvement to school in BM-PK Division.
Sub Head : Construction of Rainwater Harvesting Pits in Navyug School, Jor Bagh and N.P. Co. Ed. Day Boarding School at Hanuman Road.
Estimated Cost : Rs. 10,35,803/-
Tender I.D. No. : 2018_NDMC_158295_1

2. Name of work : Improvement works at Palika Kendra Building.
Sub Head : Renovation of livery store room at basement, Palika Kendra Building.
Estimated Cost : Rs. 11,51,479/-
Tender I.D. No. : 2018_NDMC_158297_1
Date of release of tenders through e-procurement solution : 11.09.2018
Date & time for pre-bid meeting is : N.A.
Last date/time for receipt of tenders through e-procurement solution : 20.09.2018 upto 04:00 P.M.
Further details can be seen at <https://govtprocurement.delhi.gov.in/ntseep> & www.ndmc.gov.in (e Tendering System Government of NCT of Delhi)
Note : To participate in a tender in NDMC, registration with e-tendering system, Government of NCT of Delhi is mandatory.
The tender shall be received only through e-Procurement procedure and this supersedes all conditions of NIT for issue/receipt of tender in normal tendering process for the purpose.

Sd/-
Executive Engineer (BM-PK)



You need to try hands at growing crops other than sugarcane. Sugar makes people fall ill. Grow other crops. Delhi market is close by to sell your produce. Cane arrears have come down to around ₹10,000 crore. We have kept a target to bring the dues to zero before the start of the new season from October 20
Yogi Adityanath, Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh

BUZZ FROM GOVT

Data indicates that 80-85 per cent of non-performing assets (NPAs) cases in the range of ₹10-20 lakh are fully secured. For their recovery, lenders can take action under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 (SARFAESI Act)
Rajiv Kumar, Secretary, Department of Financial Services, GOI



FSSAI TO AUDIT MEAT UNITS, SLAUGHTER HOUSES

New Delhi: The Food Safety and Standards Authority of India said Tuesday it will conduct audit of meat units and slaughter houses in 40 cities in the next three months via third-party auditing agencies. A mandatory food safety audit of the supply chain for e-commerce retail entities involved in retail will also be conducted, it added.

DEBT RECOVERY TRIBUNAL, DELHI 4TH FLOOR, JEEVAN TARA BUILDING, PARLIAMENT STREET, NEW DELHI-110001
PROCLAMATION OF SALE NOTICE

The under mentioned Property will be sold through auction on "AS IS WHERE IS BASIS" and "AS IS WHAT IS BASIS" for recovery of dues, in the matter of ICICI BANK LTD v/s HAMSHEERA R.C No. 225/2018 and O.A No 58/2014.

1. Description of Property: a) Make: EICHER 30.25 Reg No: HR38R9109 Manuf Yr: 2012 Reserve Price- Rs. 2,30,000/- EMD- Rs. 23,000/- b) Make: EICHER 30.25 Reg No: HR38R9108 Manuf Yr: 2012 Reserve Price- Rs. 60,000/- EMD- Rs. 6,000/-

2. Date and Time of Auction: 05.10.2018 at 3:00 PM to 4:00 PM. 3. Venue: RIDHI GODHARA, Khewat no:166/1, Near Atul Kataria chock, behind Gyan Devi School, Sec-17, SUKHRALI, GURGAON

4. Auctioneer Name: Mr. Shankar Kapoor, Contact no.9650139259. Terms of Sale

The particulars of the said asset specified herein above have been stated to the best of the information and knowledge of the undersigned, who shall however not be responsible for any error, misstatement or omission in the said particulars. The interested participant/s are therefore requested, in their own interest, to satisfy themselves/ themselves/ itself with regard to the said asset and other relevant details pertaining to it before submitting the bids.

Interested bidders shall be required to deposit an Earnest Amount mentioned above against the respective vehicle by way of pay order/ Demand Draft in favour of Recovery Officer-II, DRT-III, Delhi, immediately at the fall of hammer. The balance 75% of sale price along with poundage fees @ 2% upto Rs.1,000/- and @ 1% of the sale price exceeding Rs. 1,000/- to be paid on the next working day from date of sale of the property. The Poundage fees shall be deposited through demand draft payable in favour of the Registrar, DRT-III, Delhi.

Sensex crashes 509 pts, Nifty below 11K mark

PTI ■ MUMBAI
 Market benchmark BSE Sensex on Tuesday crashed 509 points to close at more than one-month low of 37,413.13 due to heavy selling in FMCG, metal, auto and financial stocks amid growing concerns over intensifying global trade war.

The 30-share index tanked more than 1 per cent for the second day in a row after the rupee slid to a new lifetime low of 72.73 in afternoon trade. Stock markets had opened higher but bears regained the control soon to wipe out initial gains as crude oil prices rebounded in Asian trade.

The BSE barometer closed the day with a hefty fall of 509.04 points or 1.34 per cent at 37,413.13. This is the weakest closing since August 2 when it had ended at 37,165.16. It had lost 467.65 points in the previous day. The 50-share NSE Nifty cracked below the 11,300-mark by falling 150.60 points or 1.32 per cent at 11,287.50. Intra-day,

it shuttled between 11,479.40 and 11,274. Surging crude oil prices, rupee plunging to record lows and widening trade deficit, besides negative global leads were major factors that dampened sentiments on the domestic bourses, a broker said. In Asian trade, international benchmark Brent crude again went past the \$ 78 to trade at \$78.52 a barrel, by rising 1.30 per cent amid looming US sanction against Iran's petroleum industry. Investors were cautious as trade war concerns between the US and China escalated, brokers said.

"The threat of trade tariffs, outflow of foreign funds and concern on domestic macros will influence investors to stay on a cautious note," Vinod Nair, Head of Research, Geojit Financial Services Ltd said. Moreover, expectations of a US interest rate hike this month by the Federal Reserve that may strengthen the dollar and accelerate sell-off by foreign funds in emerging markets

too negatively impacted sentiments, brokers said. Of the Sensex constituents, Tata Steel recorded the biggest fall of 3.46 per cent, followed by PowerGrid at 3.21 per cent. FMCG stocks also took a hit owing to weak market sentiment and stretched valuation. ITC dropped 2.92 per cent while Hindustan Unilever fell 1.19 per cent. Auto stocks were also down as domestic passenger vehicle sales declined for the second month in succession with 2.46 per cent drop in August. Hero MotoCorp and Tata Motors dropped more than 3 per cent. Maruti fell 1.56 per cent and Bajaj Auto by 1.24 per cent. HDFC twins also suffered losses with HDFC Bank losing more than 2 per cent and HDFC by 0.68 per cent. Bharti Airtel, Yes Bank, ICICI Bank, Adani Ports, Kotak Bank, TCS, Vedanta Ltd, RIL, Sun Pharma, SBI, L&T, ONGC, Wipro, IndusInd Bank and Axis Bank fell up to 3 per cent.

Petrol, diesel prices hit fresh highs

PTI ■ NEW DELHI

Petrol and diesel prices hit fresh highs on Tuesday as rupee plunged to an all-time low, making imports costlier. A 14 paise per litre hike in petrol and diesel prices each took the rates to an all-time high, according to price notification of state-owned fuel retailers. Petrol price in Delhi climbed to ₹80.87 per litre, while in Mumbai it inched up to ₹88.26. A litre of diesel in the national capital was priced at ₹72.97 and ₹77.47 in Mumbai. Delhi has the cheapest fuel among all metros and most state capitals because of lower taxes. Mumbai has the highest sales tax or VAT. Petrol in Chennai costs ₹84.07 per litre and ₹83.75 in Kolkata. Diesel is priced at ₹77.15 per litre in Chennai and ₹75.82 in Kolkata. According to oil compa-

nies, refinery gate price of petrol, without considering any central or state tax and dealers commission, is ₹40.45 per litre. The same for diesel is ₹44.28. Retail rates are high after adding excise duty, which is charged by the central Government, commission paid to petrol pumps dealers and VAT, charged by state governments. Dealer's commission on petrol currently is ₹3.34 per litre and that on diesel is ₹2.52. While crude oil advanced 0.4 per cent to \$ 67.78 a barrel, the relentless slide in rupee has added fuel to the fire. The currency fell to a new low of 72.7375 on Tuesday. Since mid-August, petrol price has risen by ₹3.79 a litre and diesel by ₹4.20 per litre.

Business Corner

AK BHALLA LAUDS NTPC'S WAY OF ENGAGING EMPLOYEES

AK Bhalla, Secretary Power, Govt of India said NTPC's methods of engaging employees and their family members was highly unique and appreciable. Addressing NTPC family as the Chief Guest during the National Finale of NTPC -Medha Pratiyogita on 10th September 2018. Bhalla applauded the quizzing culture amongst the NTPC family and added that the way, manner and pattern the quiz was being conducted involving all NTPC locations with topical questions was innovative. He said that at present when quiz shows are very few in the country, NTPC's efforts beyond power generation in keeping its employees and family members involved deserved praise. Bhalla presented awards in all the four categories to the winners in various rounds. Gurdeep Singh, CMD along with the Directors, employees and their families were present in large numbers to cheer the participants and enjoy the quiz.

BIS ORGANISES JEWELLERS AWARENESS PROGRAMME

Bureau of Indian Standards recently organised a jewellers' awareness programme in Delhi under chairmanship of M Sadasivam, Deputy Director General which was attended by more than 55 jewellers from Bullion Merchants Association, Kucha Mahajani. In this programme, jewellers were informed about Hallmarking scheme and hallmarking licence. The jewellers actively participated in open house discussion and intimidated BIS officials about their difficulties w.r.t. Hallmarking which were resolved by Deputy Director General (Central Region), Head (DLBO-I) and Head (DLBO-II) to the utmost satisfaction of the jewellers present.



Anoop Kumar Mittal, CMD, NBCC, has been conferred with "Amity Leadership Award" for his stupendous contribution towards nation building. The award was received by SD Sharma, Senior Executive Director, on behalf of Mittal.

ANSHULA KANT TAKES CHARGE AS MANAGING DIRECTOR OF SBI

To handle Stressed Assets, Risk and Compliance

PNS ■ NEW DELHI

Anshula Kant has taken charge as the Managing Director of State Bank of India.

Kant would be handling the areas of Stressed Assets, Risk and Compliance. Prior to this role, she was designated as the Deputy Managing Director (DMD) and Chief Financial Officer (CFO) of the bank. Kant is a graduate in Economics from Lady Shri Ram College and post-graduate from Delhi School of

Economics (DSE). She is also a Certified Associate of the Indian Institute of Bankers. Kant started her career with SBI in 1983 as a Probationary Officer. Across a career spanning three and a half decades, She has gained rich experience in retail banking, corporate credit, cross-border trade and banking in developed markets

— both retail and wholesale. She has held several key assignments in SBI including Chief General Manager (CGM) of Mumbai Circle (Maharashtra & Goa) and CEO at SBI Singapore where she was responsible for launching the retail operations, making SBI the first Indian bank to do so in that geography.

Govt policies pose biggest risk to India Inc in next 3 yrs

PTI ■ MUMBAI

Government policies pose the biggest risks for companies over the next three years, followed by cyber security and technology disruptions, a survey of over 100 top company executives has revealed. The primary reason for this trend is that CXOs are considering regulatory compliance as a critical value protector exercise, the Deloitte India Risk Survey 2018 noted. The survey showed a divide on the viewpoint of risk management amongst Indian organisations. While 44 per cent of businesses harness risks to find future opportunities and drive returns, 36 per cent use risk management with an aim to drive compliance and prevent losses.

India-Syria trade to reach \$500 million in next 3 yrs: FIEO

PTI ■ NEW DELHI

The bilateral trade between India and Syria is expected to reach \$ 500 million in next three years as there are huge exports potential for domestic players in areas, including automobile, machinery and plastics, exporters body FIEO said Tuesday.

Federation of Indian Export Organisations (FIEO) President Ganesh Kumar Gupta is leading an 84-member business delegation to Syria for discussing ways to promote trade. The bilateral trade between the countries stood at \$ 175 million in 2017 and it would reach to \$ 500 million by 2020, he said in a statement. Gupta said India should review its exports strategy depending on imports profile of Syria. He also said the import of automobiles in Syria is about \$ 293 million, with India's exports of less than \$ 1 million. Similarly, electrical machinery imports by Syria is \$ 303 million, while India's exports are \$ 4.18 million only, he said, adding that huge export potential is there in mechanical machinery and appliances, and plastics. The delegation discussed payment mechanism and banking arrangements, the two main stumbling block in trade and investment, he noted. "Trading in local currencies, offsetting of trade balance with investment were some of the options discussed with the Syrian authorities," Gupta added.

India's spending on agri R&D not far behind China: Niti Aayog member

PTI ■ NEW DELHI

India's public spending on agricultural research and development is not far behind neighbouring China, Niti Aayog member Ramesh Chand said Tuesday. He however expressed concern that private sector is investing in other places than in India's agriculture Research and Development (R&D) and this need to be changed. Chand said the food demand is set to rise with increase in population and the technology innovation will be a key driver to achieve the desired production. He was participating in a panel discussion on the report 'Fixing Asia's Food System' commissioned by Cargill India. GAIL India Tuesday said it will expand its pipeline network capacity by about 50 per cent by constructing 5,500-kilometers of new lines in the next three years. The state-owned company is also looking at setting up 400 CNG stations and giving out a record 10 lakh piped natural gas (PNG) connections to household kitchens, its Chairman and Managing Director B C Tripathi said. GAIL operates 11,000-km of pipeline network and markets two-thirds of all natural gas sold in the country. It is rapidly building infrastructure to support the government push towards a gas-based economy by raising the share of natural gas in the energy basket to 15 per cent from current 6.2 per cent, in next few years.

GAIL to expand gas pipeline network by 50% in three years

PTI ■ NEW DELHI

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 CIN No. U40101UR2001SGC025866

Tender Notice
NIT No.: (1)-05/EE/GK/2018-19

Sealed tenders are invited by the Executive Engineer (Generation), Khodri Power Station from the interested & experienced firms/bidders for the following work. Brief description of the tender is as follows:
Name of the Work:- Annual Maintenance of Generators of M/c Nos. 2 and 3 of Khodri Power Station

Estimated Cost : Rs. 5,61,750.00+ GST extra
Earnest money : Rs. 17,000.00 only.
Tender Fee : Rs. 560.00
Last Date/Time for receipt of bid : 03-10-2018 up to 17:00 Hrs.
Date of opening of bid : 05-10-2018 at 11:00 Hrs.

For pre-qualification criteria and full & further details of the tender kindly log on to our official website www.ujvn.com. This tender document can only be obtained by downloading from the website UJVN Limited. The DD for the tender fee has to be submitted at the time of bid submission.

Executive Engineer - Generation
Khodri Power Station, Khodri
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Corrigendum
 Notice No: 13/CCR/2018-19 Dated: 06-08-2018

Sr. No.	Brief Scope of work	Date/ Time of receipt / opening of tender
1	Annual Buildings maintenance and repair of 33 KV S/Stn. Under 'OP' Divn. Gohana.	Due date of submission of tenders upto 1:00 PM Dated: 18-09-2018 Date of opening of tenders at 3:30 PM Dated: 18-09-2018

Note: The detail of above NIT alongwith tender documents can be seen and download from <https://haryanaeprocurement.gov.in>

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XEN Civil Const. Divn., UHBVN, Rohtak
 RO NO. 71482 Dt. 11-09-2018

Govt. of Bihar

PATNA SMART CITY LIMITED
 (SPV formed by Government of Bihar & Patna Municipal Corporation)

NIT No.-18/MD/PSCL/2018

REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL

Dated-05.09.2018

Patna Smart City Ltd. (PSCL) is an SPV formed by Bihar Government & Patna Municipal Corporation for planning and implementation of Patna Smart City Project. PSCL invites Online Request for Proposal for "Development of 16.5 km. road network in ABD area as a Smart Roads under the Smart Cities Mission". Important dates for the RFP are as under.

Sl. #	Activity	Timeline & Address
1	Online Sale/Download date of Tender documents	From 17.09.2018 (10:00 Hrs.) Till 22.10.2018(14:00Hrs) (www.eproc.bihar.gov.in) (Under Patna Nagar Nigam)
2	Pre-bid Meeting date (Only two members per bidder are allowed).	25-09-2018 (16:00 Hrs.) (At Municipal Commissioner's Office, Patna)
4	Last date for submission of Bids (online) and hard copy.	22-10-2018 Till 15.00 Hrs.
5	Opening of Bids	22-10-2018 At 16:00 Hrs.
6	Date of opening of Commercial bids	To be informed later to technically qualified bidder.
7.	Cost of Bidding Document(Tender Fee)	Tender Fee Rs 10,000 (Non Refundable) to be paid through Demand Draft (DD) in favor of "Patna Smart City Ltd" payable at Patna.
8.	EMD	Rs 3,00,000.00(Rupees Three Crores) (Refundable) in the form of Bank Guarantee (BG) in the name of "Patna Smart City Limited".

Instructions for Online Bid Submission

- The RFP document containing the project profile, invitation for qualification and criteria for evaluation may be obtained from the website: www.eproc.bihar.gov.in (Under Patna Nagar Nigam)
- For support related to e-tendering process, bidders may contact at following address "e-Procurement HELP DESK, First Floor, Plot No.- M/22, Road No.-25, Sri Krishna Nagar, Bank of India Compound, Patna-800001, Contact No: 0612-2523006; 7542028164". Vendor may visit www.eproc.bihar.gov.in.
- PSCL will not be responsible, in case of any delay, due to any reason whatsoever, in receipt of Bid Documents by the Bidders.
- The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all Bids or cancel/withdraw the Invitation for Bids (IFB) without assigning any reason whatsoever and in such case, no Bidder/ intending Bidder shall have any claim arising out of such action.

Address: Patna Municipal Corporation, 2nd floor, Block-C, Mauryalok Complex, Budha marg, Patna-800001, Tel: 0612-2200634 Email: patnasmartcity.psc@gmail.com Website: www.patnanagarnigam.in

Managing Director
 Patna Smart City Limited, Patna

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PR No. 8215 (N.I.) 2018-19

US wants Pakistan to fully cooperate in war against terrorism: NSA

PTI ■ WASHINGTON

The US has conveyed to Pakistan that it wants Islamabad to cooperate fully in the war against terrorism as it is a matter of "extraordinary importance" to America, President Donald Trump's National Security Advisor John Bolton has said.

During his visit to Islamabad last week, Secretary of State Mike Pompeo had pressed the new Pakistani Government led by Prime Minister Imran Khan "to do more" to rein in terror groups operating from the country's soil.

The Trump administration has recently cancelled \$300 million in military aid to Islamabad after it failed to take actions against terror groups.

"He (Pompeo) wanted to convey the message that we hoped and expected that Pakistan would cooperate fully in the war against terrorism, which they had committed to do," Bolton told a Washington audience on Monday.

It (action against terrorists)



is a matter of "extraordinary importance to the US" and the one that it hopes the new Pakistani Government addresses, he said in response to a question at the Federalist Society for Law and Public Policy Studies.

"It was before my time, but the Trump administration did not take the decision to cancel a substantial part of the military aid package to Pakistan lightly."

"It was done knowing well that Pakistan is a nuclear weapons state, and the risk that the government could fall into the hands of terrorists that would get control of those nuclear weapons was particularly serious," Bolton said.

Nawaz Sharif's ailing wife Kulsoom dies in London

PTI ■ LONDON/ISLAMABAD

Begum Kulsoom Nawaz, the wife of Pakistan's jailed former Prime Minister Nawaz Sharif, died on Tuesday in London after a protracted battle with throat cancer.

Kulsoom, who was under treatment at London's Harley Street Clinic since June 2014, was placed on life support earlier on Tuesday after her health deteriorated, Geo TV reported.

The health of the 68-year-old former first lady began deteriorating Monday night as she had developed a lung problem again, the channel said.

Sharif's brother and Pakistan Muslim League-Nawaz president Shehbaz Sharif confirmed her death in a tweet.

"My sister-in-law and the wife of Nawaz Sharif sahib is no more amongst us. May God bless her soul," he tweeted in Urdu. Nawaz Sharif, his daughter Maryam and son-in-law Captain (retd) Muhammad Salfar are currently serving jail terms in Adiala Jail in

Rawalpindi after being convicted by an accountability court in a corruption case in July. Citing sources, the channel said Sharif, Maryam, and Salfar have been informed about Kulsoom's death.

The trio will be granted parole to attend the funeral of Begum Kulsoom, Geo TV reported. The three will be granted parole from the time of Kulsoom's funeral prayers till her burial, it said, citing the Interior Ministry sources.

The Sharif family has decided to bring back Kulsoom's body to Pakistan, reports said.

Pakistan Muslim League-Nawaz party leader Khawaja Imran Nazeer, speaking to the media in London, said Begum Kulsoom may be laid to rest in the family home at Raiwind, near Lahore, but clarified that all decisions will be finalised only after consultation between family members. He said in case the family decides to bury her in Pakistan, the repatriation process may take two or three days, Dawn newspaper reported.

Russia launches biggest ever war games

AFP ■ CHITA (RUSSIA)

Russia launched on Tuesday what it called its largest ever military drills, with hundreds of thousands of troops taking part along with Chinese soldiers in a show of force NATO condemned as a rehearsal for "large-scale conflict."

President Vladimir Putin is expected to attend the games after hosting an economic forum in Russia's far eastern city Vladivostok where his Chinese counterpart Xi Jinping is one of the prominent guests.

The week-long war games dubbed "Vostok-2018" (East-2018) "have kicked off" in far eastern Russia, the defence ministry said.

Taking part in the drills are around 3,00,000 soldiers, 36,000 military vehicles, 80 ships and 1,000 aircraft, helicopters and drones.

Some 3,500 Chinese troops will take part in the games.

The defence ministry released video footage of military vehicles, planes, helicopters and ships getting into position for the initial stage of

the drills. Putin praised Russia's increasingly close ties with China as he met with Xi at the economic forum in Vladivostok on Tuesday.

"We have trustworthy ties in political, security and defence spheres," the Russian leader said.

Xi for his part said the two countries' "friendship is getting stronger all the time." The drills, which also include Mongolian soldiers, have been condemned by NATO as a rehearsal for "large-scale conflict."

The military exercises come at a time of escalating tensions between Moscow and the West over accusations of Russian interference in western affairs and conflicts in Ukraine and Syria. The Russian Army has compared the show of force to the USSR's 1981 war games that saw between 1,00,000 and 1,50,000 Warsaw Pact soldiers take part in "Zapad-81" (West-81) — the largest military exercises of the Soviet era.

But Defence Minister Sergei Shoigu said these exercises are even larger. "Imagine

GLOBE TROTTER

SUICIDE BOMBER KILLS 25 IN AFGHANISTAN

Kabul: A suicide bomber detonated his explosives-filled vest among a group of people protesting a local police commander in eastern Afghanistan on Tuesday, killing 25 and wounding about 130, a provincial official said.

PUTIN, XI FLIP PANCAKES AT ECONOMIC FORUM

Vladivostok: Russian President Vladimir Putin and China's Xi Jinping on Tuesday took a break from the heavy lifting of international diplomacy to toss pancakes on the sidelines of an economic forum.

PALESTINIANS FILE NEW PLAIN AGAINST ISRAEL

Ramallah: Palestinians have raised a new submission against Israel at the International Criminal Court (ICC), Palestine Liberation Organisation (PLO) Secretary General Saeb Erekat said on Tuesday.

20 DIE IN ZIMBABWE CHOLERA OUTBREAK

Harare: Zimbabwe has declared a health emergency in its capital after a cholera outbreak claimed the lives of 20 people and infected 2,000 more, officials said on Tuesday.

ICC 'UNDETERRED' AFTER US SANCTIONS THREAT

The Hague: The International Criminal Court on Tuesday said its work would continue "undeterred" after Washington threatened to prosecute its officials if Americans are charged with war crimes committed in Afghanistan.

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EXTRACT OF STATEMENT OF STANDALONE UNAUDITED FINANCIAL RESULTS FOR THE QUARTER ENDED JUNE 30, 2018

Sl. No.	Particulars	(Rs. In lacs except earning per share)	
		Quarter Ended JUNE 30, 2018	Quarter Ended JUNE 30, 2017
		Unaudited	Unaudited
1	Total Income from Operations	81.77	16.50
2	Net Profit/(Loss) for the period (before Tax, Exceptional and/or Extraordinary items)	(25.83)	(3.77)
3	Net Profit/(Loss) before tax (after Exceptional and/or Extraordinary items)	(25.83)	(3.77)
4	Net Profit/(Loss) after tax (after Exceptional and/or Extraordinary items)	(25.83)	(3.77)
5	Total Comprehensive Income for the period [Comprising Profit / (Loss) for the period (after tax) and Other Comprehensive Income (after tax)]	(25.83)	(3.77)
6	Equity Share Capital (Face Value Rs. 10/- Per Share)	675	675
7	Reserves (Excluding Revaluation Reserves)	-	-
8	Earnings Per Share (of Rs. 10/- each) (for continuing and discontinued operations) -		
	(a) Basic	(0.38)	(0.06)
	(b) Diluted	(0.38)	(0.06)

Notes:
(1) The above results for the quarter ended June 30, 2018 have been reviewed by the Audit Committee and Approved by the Board of Directors at their Meeting held on September 10, 2018. The Statutory auditors have carried out a "Limited Review" of above results.
(2) The above is an extract of the detailed format of Quarterly Results filed with the Metropolitan Stock Exchange of India Limited (MSEI) under Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing and Other Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015. The full format of the said Quarterly Results is available on the Stock Exchange website www.msei.in and on the company's website www.ojswi.com.

For and on behalf of Board of Directors

Sd/ Sandeep Garg

Director

Place: New Delhi

Date: September 10, 2018

(DIN: 00021295)

Talks underway for second Trump-Kim meeting: US

PTI ■ WASHINGTON

North Korean leader Kim Jong-un has written a "very warm" letter to US President Donald Trump requesting him for a second meeting, the White House has said, asserting that it is open to the idea and is already in the process of preparing ground for the high-profile summit.

The first meeting between the two leaders was held in Singapore in June. Talks between the US and North Korea have stalled since the leaders shook hands at the summit hailed as "historic".

"President has received a letter from Kim Jong-un. It was a very warm, very positive letter. We won't

release the full letter unless the North Korean leader agrees that we should," White House Press Secretary Sarah Sanders told reporters on Monday.

"The primary purpose of the letter was to request and look to schedule another meeting with the President, which we are open to and are already in the process of coordinating that," she said. Last month, Trump directed his secretary of state Mike Pompeo to delay a planned trip to North Korea, saying he felt "we are not making sufficient progress with respect to the denuclearization of the Korean peninsula".

But on Monday, Sanders called the letter "further evidence of progress" in the relationship between the two leaders.

PRASAR BHARATI INDIA'S PUBLIC SERVICE BROADCASTER CIVIL CONSTRUCTION WING, ALL INDIA RADIO NOTICE INVITING E-TENDER

The Executive Engineer (E), Division-I, CCW, AIR, 8th Floor Sookhna Bhawan, New Delhi invites on behalf of President of India, online item rate tender for following work:- NIT NO. 63/2018-19/EE(E)-I/CCW-AIR/Delhi. Name of Work: R.M.O. D.G. Set at New Broadcasting House, All India Radio, New Delhi under 2018-2019 (SH: Round the clock operation of 3 X 250 KVA D.G Set). (i) Estimated cost Rs.1235136/-. (ii) Earnest Money Rs.24703/- Period of completion:- 12 months. Last date & Time of submission of bid 3.00 P.M on 20/09/18.

Note:- The bid forms and other details can be obtained from the website:- www.tenderwizard.com/AIR.

Davp22433/11/0010/1819 Executive Engineer (E)-I

BIHAR STATE POWER TRANSMISSION CO. LTD., PATNA

(Regd. Office - Viduyt Bhawan, Bailey Road, Patna) (Contact No- 0612-2504655, M No- 7763817701, Fax No- 0612-2504655, Email ID - ce.trans664@gmail.com) (GST No. :- 10AAFCB2393H1Z1, CIN - U40102BR2012SGC018889) (Department of Project-II of BSPTCL)

CORRIGENDUM Tender Extension Notice for (NIT) NO.- 41/PR/BSPTCL/2018, PR No-5843

Due date for submission & opening of Online tenders for NIT No. 41/PR/BSPTCL/2018 for Construction of 220/132/33 KV, (2x160 + 3x50) MVA, GSS Asthawan (Dist.- Nalanda) including Residential Quarters with Construction of 02 Nos. 220 KV Line Bays & 06 Nos. 132 KV Line Bays at remote ends under State Plan on turnkey basis (Published in Daily Newspaper on all India bases) is extended as follows:-

Description of work	Original Estimated Cost(Rs.)	Revised Estimated Cost(Rs.)	EMD (Rs.)	Completion period
Construction of 220/132/33 KV, (2x160 + 3x50) MVA, GSS Asthawan (Dist.- Nalanda) including Residential Quarters with Construction of 02 Nos. 220 KV Line Bays & 06 Nos. 132 KV Line Bays at remote ends on Turnkey Basis under State Plan on turnkey basis.	104.35 Cr.	109.46 Cr.	1.00 Cr.	18 Months from NOA.

Last date of online sale of Bid Document/Request of bid/bid documents: Up to 18/09/2018, 15:00 Hrs.

Last date of online submission of tender: Upto 18/09/2018, 16:00 Hrs.

Date of opening of Techno-Commercial Bid (Part-I) On 19/09/2018, 16:00Hrs. onward

1. Eligibility Criteria Tender documents, etc are available in downloadable from at websites <http://www.eproc.bihar.gov.in>
2. "Bid Processing Fee is mandatory to be paid through online mode i.e. Internet Payment Gateway (Credit/Debit Card), Net Banking, NEFT/RTGS".
3. "Bid along with necessary online payments must be submitted through e-payment portal www.eproc.bihar.gov.in before the date & time specified in the NIT. The department doesn't take responsibility for the delay/ Non submission of Tender/ Non Reconciliation of online Payment caused due to Non-availability of Internet Connection, Network Traffic/ Holidays or any other reason".

Chief Engineer (Project II)

E-tendering introduced in BSPTCL for tenders above Rs. 25 lacs. For registration logon to www.eproc.bihar.gov.in and eProcurement Help Desk First Floor, M/22, Bank Of India Building, Road No-25, Sri Krishna Nagar, Patna-800001 at 0612-2523006, Mob:+91-7542028164. While participating in e-tendering process, the contractor shall have to get them registered to get user ID, Passwords and digital signature. This will enable them to access the Website: www.eproc.bihar.gov.in only.

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PR No. 8166 (Ni.Ni.) 2018-19 "समय एवं खर्च की बचत करें"

अविध शतक एवं मादक द्रव्य के संबंध में शिकायत टॉल फ्री नं. 18003456268 या 15545 पर करें

GOVERNMENT OF MAHARASHTRA PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT PRESIDENCY DIVISION, MUMBAI Email: presidency.ee@mahapwd.com

E- TENDER NOTICE NO. 33 FOR 2018 -2019 (Re call)

Online E- Tenders in B-1 Form For the Following Work are invited by the Executive Engineer, Presidency Division, PWD, 2nd floor Bandhakam Bhavan, 25 Murzban Road, Fort, Mumbai-400 001 (Tel. No-22016975/22016977) from contractors registered in interior category appropriate class of the Public Works Department. Right to reject/accept of all or one tender is reserved.

Sr. No	Name of Work	Amount
1	Restoration of Heritage Bldf. Office of the Divisional Commissioner and Old Secretariat Annex Bldg Mumbai	89,12,617/-

Issued Date: 11.9.2018 to 25.9.2018

Opening Date: 27.9.2018

All the corrigendum/Changes pertain to notice will not published in news papers, that will published in e-tendering process.

All the detail Information is available on following websites

- 1) www.mahapwd.com
- 2) <http://mahatenders.gov.in>

EE/PD/TC/9468

Office of the Executive Engineer, Presidency Division, P.W.D., 2nd floor, Bandhakam Bhavan, 25, Murzban Road, Presidency Division, Mumbai.

Fort, Mumbai 400 001

Date: 05-09-18

Sd/-

(S.D.Indurkar)

Executive Engineer

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Presidency Division Mumbai

Govt. of Bihar BIHAR STATE POWER TRANSMISSION CO. LTD., PATNA

(Regd. Office - Viduyt Bhawan, Bailey Road, Patna) (Contact No- 0612-2504655, M No- 7763817701, Fax No- 0612-2504655, Email ID - ce.trans664@gmail.com) (GST No. :- 10AAFCB2393H1Z1, CIN - U40102BR2012SGC018889) (Department of Project-I of BSPTCL)

CORRIGENDUM Tender Extension Notice for (NIT) NO.- 34/PR/BSPTCL/2018, PR No-5987

Due date for submission & opening of Online tenders for NIT No.- 34/PR/BSPTCL/2018 for Construction of (2x160 MVA+3x50MVA), 220/132/33 KV GSS, Tajpur (complete with SAS) (District-Samastipur) and Residential Quarters under State Plan on turnkey basis (Published in Daily Newspaper on all India bases) is extended as follows:-

Description of work (Revised)	Original Estimated Cost(Rs.)	Revised Estimated Cost(Rs.)	Original EMD (Rs.)	Revised EMD (Rs.)	Completion period
Construction of (2x160 MVA+3x50MVA), 220/132/33 KV GSS, Tajpur (complete with SAS) (District-Samastipur) and Residential Quarters under State Plan on turnkey basis.	87.64 Cr.	92.55 Cr.	87.64lacs	92.55lacs	18 Months from NOA.

Last date of online sale of Bid Document/Request of bid/bid documents: Upto 19/09/2018, 15:00 Hrs.

Last date of online submission of tender: Upto 19/09/2018, 16:00 Hrs.

Date of opening of Techno-Commercial Bid (Part-I) On 20/09/2018, 16:00Hrs. onward

1. Eligibility Criteria Tender documents, etc are available in downloadable from at websites <http://www.eproc.bihar.gov.in>
2. "Bid Processing Fee is mandatory to be paid through online mode i.e. Internet Payment Gateway (Credit/Debit Card), Net Banking, NEFT/RTGS".
3. "Bid along with necessary online payments must be submitted through e-payment portal www.eproc.bihar.gov.in before the date & time specified in the NIT. The department doesn't take responsibility for the delay/ Non submission of Tender/ Non Reconciliation of online Payment caused due to Non-availability of Internet Connection, Network Traffic/ Holidays or any other reason".

Chief Engineer (Project I)

E-tendering introduced in BSPTCL for tenders above Rs. 25 lacs. For registration logon to www.eproc.bihar.gov.in and eProcurement Help Desk First Floor, M/22, Bank Of India Building, Road No-25, Sri Krishna Nagar, Patna-800001 at 0612-2523006, Mob:+91-7542028164. While participating in e-tendering process, the contractor shall have to get them registered to get user ID, Passwords and digital signature. This will enable them to access the Website: www.eproc.bihar.gov.in only.

For further details please visit website www.prdbihar.gov.in

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वेटा-वेटी एक समान। दहेज-प्रथा करें सबका अपमान।।

Govt of Bihar Bihar Sharif Smart City Limited

CIN - U93000BR2018SGC038181 Registered Office - First Floor, Administrative Building, Bihar Sharif Municipal Corporation, Nalanda

biharsharifsmartcitylimited@gmail.com +91-6112-232271

Tender No: 3/BSCL/2018-19 Date: 6th Sep 2018

INVITATION FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI) FOR SETTING UP A COMPOST PLANT OF 2.0 TONNE PER DAY CAPACITY AT BAZAAR SAMITI CAMPUS IN BIHARSHARIF MUNICIPAL AREA UNDER BIHARSHARIF SMART CITY MISSION

Bihar Sharif Smart City Limited envisages implementing a Compost Plant of 2.0 Tonne/ day capacity using pre-segregated organic waste of Bazaar Samiti and surrounding area in Municipal Area of Bihar Sharif.

Details of the EOI and the documents can be downloaded from the recent announcements section of the web-portal <https://nagarseva.bihar.gov.in/> or the Office of the undersigned.

SUBMISSION OF PROPOSAL signed with the Subject: "EOI for setting up a Compost plant of 2 Tonne per Day Capacity at Bazaar Samiti Campus in Bihar Sharif Municipal Area under Bihar Sharif Smart City Mission"

Expressions of Interest in sealed cover should be sent in the office or on email address mentioned below of under Smart City Mission" to the following address within 07 days (Short Notice) from the date of publication of this notice:

For any query/clarifications on EOI and project details, applicants may seek through mail: biharsharifsmartcitylimited@gmail.com and/or in writing on the above address.

Chief Executive Officer

PR No. 8183 (Ni.Ni.) 2018-19

Bihar Sharif Smart City Limited

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'FOSTER SELF-EMPLOYMENT WITH VOCATIONAL COURSES'

NIOS is revamping distance education with the help of technology. The institute's chairman CHANDRA BHUSHAN SHARMA discusses with ANKITA SAXENA why vocational courses should be encouraged at par with academic curriculum

The National Institute of Open Schooling (NIOS) has emerged as a unique learning platform which allows students to learn at their own pace, anywhere at any time. The on-demand examination system along with its various unique courses on offer, have made NIOS a popular choice among students who did not fit the bill of formal education structure. C B Sharma advocates the importance of vocational courses to be in tandem with academic courses, which he believes will pave the way for entrepreneurs of the future. Here are excerpts from the interview:

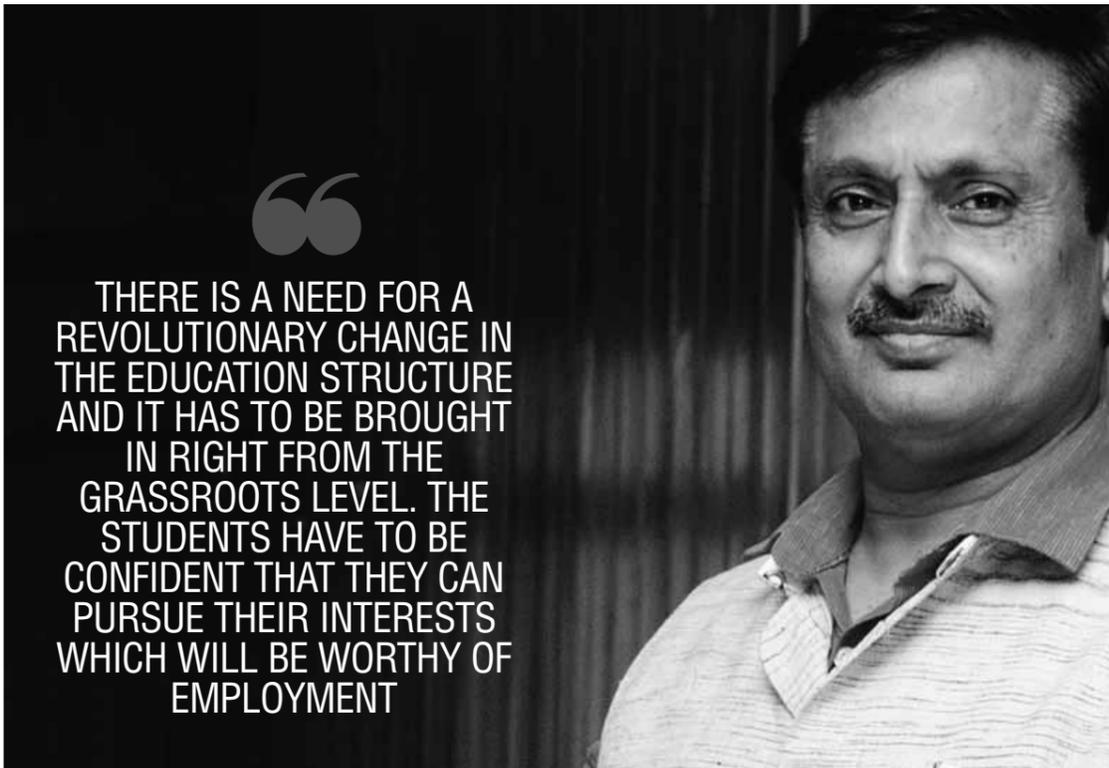
●How is NIOS different from CBSE?

The Central Government has two Boards — Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) and the National Institute of Open Schooling. As a Board, we have been given the authority to identify courses, develop the structure and also certify them. Thus, we combine both the roles of the National Council of Educational Research and Training (NCERT) and CBSE as a single organisation. We also design courses and offer proper curriculum in areas which are not offered by the CBSE.

For example, dancing, painting and Vedic studies. Our system caters to the students who could not get universal education, the drop-outs who could not keep up with the pace of the formal structure, the underprivileged and targeted groups.

●How have you used ICT to further open schooling system?

Recently, we made our admission procedure completely online where there is no currency exchange. We have used the television medium to reach the remotest areas with five channels. We are one of the largest partners with the Swayam portal with 25 lakh learners pursuing our online courses. An initiative of the Ministry of Human Resources Development, it is an effort to take the best teaching learning resources to all, including the most disadvantaged and bridge the digital divide for students who have hitherto remained untouched by the digital revolution. Most of the courses offered by the institution are available in regional languages across the country. Since India has a wide reach of smart phones, we have used mobile technology to offer distant education. Through the app for Diploma in



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Elementary Education (D.El.Ed) course, more than 10 lakh teachers have downloaded the course material. We are not only using technology to reach out, but also making sure that the students using the new ways of communication become digitally literate. We have assessed and evaluated nearly 55 lakh national digital literacy mission candidates.

●Have vocational courses been given enough importance as compared to regular academic courses?

We have not paid adequate attention to vocational courses. These courses are very lucrative and have immense job opportunities. Unfortunately, we have been looking at Government jobs as a means to sta-

bility but have not considered being self-employed.

As an institution, apart from offering academic courses, we focus on fostering entrepreneurship among students. This could also reduce the pressure on the Government to provide jobs to a large population. For example, young girls pursuing courses in the field of dance do not seek formal jobs.

They have found livelihood through their performance. Similarly, tailoring courses have helped many add a source of income to families; courses in agriculture help learners combine not only new techniques of farming but also fisheries and bee-keeping to make them more affluent and diverse.

●What changes do you envisage in the education system?

There is need for a revolutionary change in the education structure and it has to be brought in right from the grassroots. The students have to be confident that they can pursue their interests which will be worthy of employment. It is a notion that students with good academic schooling will be successful and be respected. This has to change because not everyone needs to be an engineer or a doctor. There are other avenues as well beyond the academic education. Students have to be introduced to vocational courses right from Class 1 to nurture them. Though we talk about the finished model of school-

ing and the Kothari Commission recommendations, but enough has not been done to teach life skills and the likes to students to prepare them for relevant opportunities in the future.

●Tell us about the international linkages formed by NIOS to boost its outreach globally?

We have received requests from foreign countries to introduce our centres of learning. We already have centres in eight countries. There is a demand from Nigeria, Oman, and East Asia among many others and we are devising a framework to work towards global expansion. We have signed a few memorandums of understanding with various universities to further this agenda.

QUOTE OF THE DAY
The aim of education is the knowledge not of facts but of values.
— William Ralph Inge

HOTEL MANAGEMENT

The Delhi Paramedical and management Institute (DPMI) opens admission for its one-year full time Diploma in Front Office Operations (DFO), Food & Beverage (DFB), and House Keeping (DHK).

These course provides syllabus that combines theory and practice of Hotel Industry. Hotel Management Catering Technology & Tourism is the fastest growing industry in the world, with a potential that is limitless. Larger hotels often have management teams, instead of individual managers, where each member of the group specializes in a certain area. Hotel industry is an ideal field for students having a liking for interacting with people.

Eligibility: These full-time diploma course has been thoughtfully designed for those who have recently passed 10+2 from any recognised board and wants to work in hotel management industry can enroll for these courses.

How to apply: The application forms & brochure may be obtained from admission office of Delhi Paramedical & Management Institute, New Ashok Nagar, Delhi.

Deadline: September 29, 2018. For more information, log on to www.dpmitiindia.com.

SPORTS MANAGEMENT

The Global Institute of Sports Business, Mumbai, invites application for admission in its newly launched flagship programme GISB-ISDE Certificate in Sports Management. The course is a full-time 20-unit intensive, informative and experiential higher education course specialising in the business of sports. The programme is certified by Madrid, Spain based Instituto Superior de Derecho y Economia that has extensive experience in designing and delivering Sports Management courses throughout the world. This 15-month course will enable students to understand the business of sport by combining knowledge with passion in order to contribute to the ever-growing industry.

Sports industry veterans have come together to design the exclusive course such that students not only receive the tools, knowledge and experiences required to create fulfilling careers in sport, but also gain



access to relevant platforms in order to regularly interact with industry employers. The Institute has also affiliated with some of the top global and domestic sports organisations to further the student experience through customised projects, case studies, guest lecturers and internship/placement opportunities.

Eligibility: Bachelor's degree, diploma or equivalent (exceptions for individuals with relevant sports experience). Fee: ₹12 lakh plus taxes includes ground travel and stay for international exposure trip

How to apply: Interested candidates can enroll by filling the online application form. For further information, visit <http://gisbindia.com/application-form.php>

Scholarships: GISB is also offering scholarships to select few candidates with a great track record in education and commensurate and relevant work experience.

Important dates: The deadline to apply is September 25, 2018. The course commences from October 8, 2018.

MSC AEROSPACE MATERIALS

The University of Sheffield, UK, invites applications for MSc Aerospace Materials course starting in September 2019.

Fully accredited by the IOM3, graduates will have the underpinning knowledge for later professional registration as a Chartered Engineer (CEng).

Eligibility: A good honours degree in materials, metallurgy, a physical science (chemistry or physics) or a related engineering subject. Overall IELTS grade of 6.5 with a minimum of 6.0 in each component, or equivalent.

Fee: The annual fee for overseas students starting in 2019 is yet to be confirmed. For 2018 it was £21,450.

For more information log on to a.keating@sheffield.ac.uk; <https://www.sheffield.ac.uk/materials/masters/aerospace>

PenTest+ course launched

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CompTIA has recently launched a training and certification programme — CompTIA PenTest + (Penetration Testers), to meet the rising demand for professional cyber security Penetration Testers in India. The CompTIA Pentest+ complements its already existing CySA+ course which covers defensive security strategies.

The exam contains both multiple-choice and performance-based questions employing hands-on simulations thus validating hands-on penetration testing skills. The interested candidates to take CompTIA Pentest+ certification can either undergo a 40 hour instructor led training program offered by a network of authorised partners spread across the country or can also select self-paced online learning option. It is also recommended that prospective candidates should have three to four years of hands-on experience performing penetration tests, vulnerability assessments, and vulnerability management.

CompTIA Penetration Testing training is available on both self paced as well as Instructor led programmes. For candidates who would want to study and prepare for the exam on their own, CompTIA will be launching Official CompTIA Content which has electronic and hard copy book as well as optional labs on demand for practicing the concepts.

A list of training material is provided on the link : <https://certification.comptia.org/training/self-study>.

Candidates also have the choice to enroll with one of CompTIA's Authorised Training Delivery partners. A list of our training partners can be found on the link: <https://certification.comptia.org/training/instructor-led-training>.

CompTIA certifications are delivered through our global test delivery partner, Pearson VUE (www.vue.com). Once the candidate is ready to appear for the certification exam, they can purchase the exam vouchers from our authorised training partners as well as the CompTIA online store at <https://emerging-store.comptia.org/>.

Conclave on future of work

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The IIMA organised the third edition of its HR Leadership Conclave on *The Future of Work, Workforce and Learning* in Hyderabad. The theme of this year's conclave was *Disruptions & Learning*.

Eminent panelists shared their opinion on two topics: Building a Design Thinking Culture in Organizations and Leadership Development for Successful Digital Transformations.

K Padmakar, director, HR, Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited, a panelist, shared thoughts about the conclave, "Conclaves of industry academia interface are critical in enlightening all minds. Towards this extent this conclave was very enlightening and has given me a lot to mull over," he said.

Prof Biju Varkkey, faculty chair of IIMA-HR leadership conclave elaborated and said: "The conclave focused on the emerging and latest practices in learning and development function globally and how it can be applied in the organisations. Keeping the fast changing developments globally in



mind, the conclave offered a platform for leaders of various organizations and from Government to discuss and explore options through the lively panel discussions."

The IIMA proactively connects with corporates, Government, alumni and researchers over forums like HR Leadership Conclaves to discuss the most recent and emerging trends in organisations and management, thus helping organizations to stay competitive and engaging the talent through technology.

Prof Errol D'Souza, Director, IIMA went on to speak about the history and evolution of education of busi-

ness schools and the current challenges for a modern organisation. He emphasized on the organisational requirements of — Leadership skills, Integrative/Systems thinking and Importance of Communication.

He said: "As an Institute of management, IIMA researches on these topics to help organisations to find tangible solutions. Some of these research insights come back as a part of executive education programmes."

The participants also got insights from the industry leaders on the current practices in the context of learning and development.

Literacy course

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The NSE Academy Limited, a wholly owned subsidiary of National Stock Exchange of India Limited (NSE) along with Knowledge Wharton (K@W), the online journal of research and business analysis of the Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania and Wharton Executive Education, have signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) to impart skills related to finance and investment to Indian high school students across the country.

The Class IX and X students in Tier II and III cities will get a great opportunity to have access to the courses from Wharton School. It's specialised global courses will be offered to students in smaller towns through state of art technology.

The think-tank at the NSE and Wharton are in the process of designing developmental and customised content for the course based on materials developed by Knowledge@Wharton High School and Wharton Executive Education. This course will be delivered through a digital platform and will enable students to understand intricacies of finance.

It will also launch and expand the reach of the K@W High School Investment Competition in India by taking the competition to Tier-II and III cities.

13 EduCanada MBA courses on road show

PNS ■ NEW DELHI

Thirteen of Canada's leading business schools will be on a multi-city tour in India to present MBA opportunities during the 2018 EduCanada MBA Showcase. Scheduled from September 17 to 25, 2018. The representatives from these prominent Canadian universities will visit the cities of Delhi, Hyderabad, Chennai, Bengaluru and Mumbai.

This fifth edition of the EduCanada MBA Showcase will provide an excellent opportunity for young professionals, entrepreneurs and students aspiring to obtain a globally recognised management degree, meet with representatives of Canadian institutions and learn about their MBA programmes.

Participation is free but one needs to registration at www.educanadaevents.in.

During the course of each event, attendees can take part in interactive sessions on a range of subjects such as admissions, visa procedures, and career opportunities.

The delegation will be touring as per the schedule below:

Delhi: September 17
Hyderabad: September 20

Chennai: September 21
Bengaluru: September 23
Mumbai: September 25

The EduCanada MBA Showcase is an annual marquee event organised by the High Commission of Canada in India, in association with, the Indo-Canadian Business Chamber (ICBC). The participating universities include: Lakehead University, Memorial University, Ryerson University; Ted Rogers School of Management, Saint Mary's University; Sobey School of Business, University of Alberta; Alberta School of Business, University of Calgary; Haskayne School of Business, University of Manitoba; Asper School of Business, University of New Brunswick - Fredericton, University of New Brunswick; Saint John, University of Windsor-Odette School of Business, University of Winnipeg-Professional, Applied and Continuing Education), Vancouver Island University- Faculty of Management, York University - Schulich School of Business.

Teaching methodology series

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The MindChampion Learning Systems Limited (MLSL), NIIT's subsidiary for its K-12 school learning initiative, launches My Pals Are Here, an engaging series based on Singapore teaching methodology. Introduced in association with Marshal Cavendish Education, the series has been designed to build a strong foundation of mathematics and strengthen a child's conceptual understanding of the subject.

The series will help students by providing hands-on activities and games to reinforce mathematical skills. Students hone their problem-solving skills through individual and collaborative practices. As they work through mock problems, they learn how to

apply the same problem-solving strategies to real world problems. The series also help students by providing activities to develop critical thinking skills and challenge students to solve questions based on higher order thinking skills. It's target audience is students from Classes I to V.

According to trends in international Mathematics and Science Study, over 70 per cent of Singapore students consistently performed better academically than the international average. The results of Mathematics assessments from 1995 to 2015 show consistent outstanding performance by the students of Singapore. This world-class programme has been widely adopted across the globe and has resulted in engagement among all stakeholders.

NutriScholars Awards

PNS ■ NEW DELHI

Bridging the academia with industry, fostering innovations and empowering the Indian food academicians, DuPont Nutrition and Health presents the second edition of its pan-India food science open innovation programme — DuPont NutriScholars Awards.

Following the success of Season one, DuPont provides platform and hands-on product development experience for students to innovate and solve challenges in the bakery

foods. It is calling all the young innovators and students across food science, technology and relevant interdisciplinary fields from Indian academia to solve the challenges in the "bakery" food products, using at least one or more of DuPont's Danisco range of functional and health promoting ingredients.

For the roll-out of the programme to over 200 universities and institutions in the country, DuPont Nutrition & Health India has partnered

with F1rst, a specialist business research and consultancy organisation.

The awards 2018 edition features five distinctive award categories:

- The vegetarian cake treat
- Innovation in muffins and cupcakes
- Healthy breads
- Gluten free and healthy cookies
- 'Out-of-the-box' bakery innovation

For more information, log on to www.dupontnutrischolars.com.

Think design think workshop

PNS ■ NEW DELHI

The World University of Design (WUD) in Sonapat is organising a two-day Design Thinking workshop — Global Goals Jam 2.0 (GGJ) from September 21, 2018.

Held in association with the Digital Society School of University of Applied Sciences, Amsterdam along with UNDP, GGJ is an international platform for inclusive learning where people from all around the world contribute to the 17 global goals for sustainable development by sharing their

stories and visions for the future. Speaking about the need of the workshop, Dr Sanjay Gupta, VC, WUD, said: "GGJ Delhi 2.0 provides a unique opportunity wherein human minds from various sectors can ideate and work together with industry experts, gain valuable insights and shape their ideas better to create a better future for mankind."

The workshop has a limited seats. The last day of registration is September 12, 2018. Interested individuals can visit the link: <http://worlduniversityofdesign.ac.in/ggj18.html>.

Equaliser for JEE Mains

From 2019, JEE Main exam will be conducted in two phases. RAMESH BATLISH tells aspirants what this means

From 2019, JEE Main will be conducted in two phases, the first for Admissions to BE/BTech from January 6-20, 2019 and the second phase for admissions to BArch/B Planning between April 6-20, 2019. After being taken over by National Testing Agency (NTA), there will be no major impact as far as the pattern of the exam is concerned. The exam will have the same papers as conducted by the CBSE until last year.

Except for the exam mode, the pattern remains unchanged. Paper-I will be completely held in computer based mode, and in Paper-II, Mathematics and Aptitude Test will be computer based whereas Drawing will be pen-and-paper based. All the multiple choice questions will carry 4 marks each for the right answer and negative marking of 1 mark for incorrect answer.

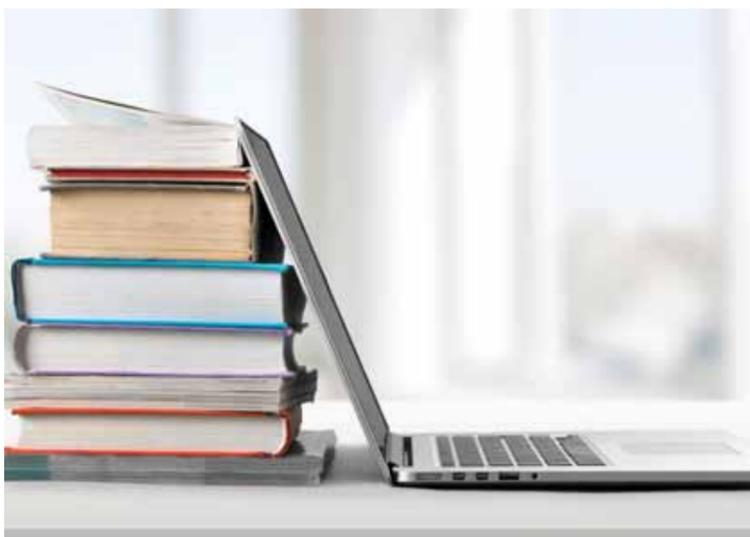
In JEE Main Paper-I, 30 MCQs will be asked from each subject (Physics, Chemistry and Mathematics) making it a total of 90 questions. The question paper will be available in English, Hindi and Gujarati (for students of Gujarat, Daman & Diu and Nagarhaveli). Paper-I will be conducted in two sessions per day and the candidates need to book their slots.

Paper-II includes a total of 82 questions. 30 MCQs in Mathematics section, 50 from Aptitude and 2 questions will be asked from drawing test. All the MCQs carry 4 marks each (with -1 negative marking) and each drawing test question carries 70 marks.

MODIFICATIONS

Early Mock Tests: The NTA has started student registration for JEE Main mock tests from September 1, 2018. Candidates will be able to practice with these tests to get a better understanding of the exam pattern, how to prepare and what to expect in the actual exam.

Common Service Centres: The authorities have set up 1.5 lakh CSCs across the country to help candidates in both urban and rural areas in application



form filling and submission.

Age limit: The criteria of age limit has been removed from JEE Main 2019. Candidates who have passed their 10+2 in 2017, 2018 or are appearing in 2019 can apply for the exam, irrespective of their age.

More than one attempt: JEE Main 2019 will be held twice a year - the first time in January and the second time in April. Candidates can choose to appear for either one or both.

Revised Application fees: The application fees have been reduced for different categories for JEE Main 2019.

Mode of Test: JEE Main 2019 will be a computer-based test for Paper-I; however, for Paper-II, Mathematics and Aptitude will be in computer-based mode and Drawing will be in pen and paper mode. Paper-I will be in two shifts per day, whereas, Paper-II will be in one shift only.

SELECTION PROCESS

The NTA will announce the qualifying cutoff of JEE Main 2019 in the first week of May after

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the announcement of the result of the April exam. The results for the first exam will be announced on January 31, 2019. The results of JEE Main will be the scores obtained by the students in the exam they have appeared in January, April or both. The results will be devoid of ranks as it will be compiled on the basis of better scores of candidates appearing in both the exams.

Common rank list: The Common Rank List for JEE Main 2019 will be available in the first week of May after the declaration of the results of the April exam. The better of the scores of candidates who have appeared in both JEE Main January and April will be considered for the ranking purposes while the scores of the candidates who have appeared for just one exam will be used as it is. The common rank lists will denote the All India and Category ranks of the candidates in addition to the details of the candidates and marks obtained. The JEE Main rank will be the basis for admissions to the NITs, IITs and GFTIs

EVALUATION PROCESS

As the JEE Main 2019 will be held on different days and sessions, maintaining the equivalence among different sets of question papers comes to the fore. To ensure that no candidate is at a disadvantage or highly benefited, normalisation of marks will be enforced for the purpose of ranking. Students will be ranked on the basis of their percentile scores which will be calculated as per a pre-determined formula.

Percentile scores: Based on the relative performance of all the appearing candidates by transforming the scores into a common scale ranging from 100 to 0 for each session. Percentile Score shows the percentage of candidates who have scored equal to or below a particular percentile in an exam. It is the normalised score and not the raw scores. After normalisation, each topper of a session will get the same percentile of 100 which is the desirable one. Also the marks between the lowest and highest scores are also converted to the respective percentiles.

In case of percentile tie: When two or more candidates obtain equal percentile scores then ranking will be sorted depending on their percentiles in Mathematics, then Physics and then Chemistry. Even if the percentiles remain same, the older candidate will be ranked higher and same rank will be allotted to the candidates for a tie after this situation.

Compilation of scores: After the JEE Main I will conclude in January, the result that will be declared on January 31 will display the four NTA scores — for each of the three subjects (Mathematics, Physics, and Chemistry) and the total NTA score for that attempt. The scores will be the percentile scores calculated as mentioned above.

Second attempt compilation of NTA scores: The scores will again be calculated for the total and that of the three subjects individually as mentioned for the first attempt. The writer is a FIITJEE Expert

MERIT LIST PREP

The ranking or merit list will be compiled as follows:

■ In case of candidates who have appeared for both the attempts the best of the two NTA scores will be used. Here the total NTA score will be used for ranking purpose and not those of the subjects.

■ In case of candidates who have appeared for only one exam, the four NTA scores of that attempt will be used for the preparation of the merit list

■ The final NTA scores will be used to rank the candidates and the JEE Main 2019 result declared. In case of any tie, the inter-se-merit guidelines mentioned above in this article will be used to resolve it.



Ramesh Batlish
FIITJEE Expert

RANK DECLARATION

The ranks derived as shown above will be used for the purpose of admissions to NITs, IITs and GFTIs.

The JEE Main 2019 All India rank and All India Category Rank will be declared on April 30 once the JEE Main II NTA scores are compiled.

Scores for Paper-II
■ Raw marks for the first attempt will be announced on January 31, 2019 for students who have appeared for the exam held in January.

■ The actual marks for the April exam will be announced on April 30 for those who have appeared for the same.

■ The JEE Main Paper-II marks will not be normalized as the exam will be held in a single shift so there will be no question of equivalence of the question papers and variation in difficulty levels

Rank List for Paper-II

■ The raw marks for both attempts will be considered for candidates who have given both the attempts and the better of the marks considered.

■ For candidates who have appeared for only one attempt, the raw marks obtained for the same will be used.

■ Rank lists will be prepared as per the marks obtained as mentioned

above

Inter-se-Merit

■ Candidates who scores more marks in Aptitude Test will be ranked higher

■ In case the tie is unresolved, Candidates who scores more marks in Drawing Test will be given the higher rank

■ The age of the candidates — the older candidate will be awarded the higher rank

If the tie is still unresolved, the candidates will be given the same rank.

KEY POINTS

■ How well you have mastered the important topics in each of Physics, Chemistry and Mathematics

■ How much practise you have done on similar levels of questions as asked in JEE Main

■ How well you have perfected on your timing of solving an objective type question

■ How much attention you have given to time management & Strategy apart from covering your syllabi.

■ How much calm & confident you are when you take up the actual exam.

Students are advised to give in the best shot as it is finally the relative performance in the actual exam that will fetch you a good rank in JEE 2019.

The aspirations of students are not limited by their geographical locations. A student based in Nagpur or Mangalore could be as aspirational as a student in Hyderabad or Delhi. However, lack of infrastructural facilities in schools, unavailability of well-trained teachers, unawareness and absence of guidance surely come in the way of their ambitions. In short, quality and access are the two roadblocks plaguing the K-12 sector. Thus, educators are trying to adopt innovative approaches to improve the learning experiences and outcomes in non-metro schools.

Unavailability of resources, — the dearth of motivated teachers, the absence of well-stocked libraries and lack

of good tutorials, come in the way of the realisation of students' dreams. Besides the inaccessibility and unavailability of resources, there is a shift in the consumer behaviour as well.

As per the study titled *Online Education in India: 2021*, jointly conducted by KPMG India and Google, students nowadays show higher interests in understanding the concepts and topics in depth than merely passing exams. Moreover, the report also suggests a rise in the purchasing power of people. Thus, parents do not mind spending extra money on their children's education.

Running a school needs expertise: Running and managing a school is a strenuous task. For instance, a book is no

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more the sole teaching-learning tool available to students and teachers. Digital tools and experiential learning components such as hands-on activity kits have been introduced to the entire school gamut. Numerous schools nowadays prefer to fully digitise their administrative operations as streamlining both administrative and academic functions is a difficult task for a single person. Different kinds of alliances: The current Indian education market portrays the following partnership models. Franchise: This model enables a school

to enter into a partnership with one of the franchises, thereby providing credibility to an aspiring school to attract student enrolment.

High-profile principal: As per this model, a person having a substantial experience of holding a strategic position in any renowned school in a metro city is appointed as the principal of a new non-metro school.

Education consultant: In this model, new schools seek the consultancy of a high-profile educator to manage their academics.

Academic partnership: This model runs on a hand-holding academic and

administrative support process. The services included in this partnership are not limited to guidance on school infrastructure, academic management and operations, staff hiring and student enrolment.

Unlike the franchise model, an academic partnership programme does not require schools to be named as a partner school. Moreover, the academic partnership model does not bind schools in any way to enter into a liaison with the present partners if they decide to scale in future, i.e., open new school branches.

In case of a high-profile principal or seeking help from an education consultant, there is a possibility that the principal or the educator may choose to leave midway,

jeopardising the academic and the administrative processes. On the other hand, a franchise model does not provide schools with an academic support or guidance, which are deemed immensely necessary, especially when a new school is trying to establish and sustain itself.

An academic partnership model is particularly useful because it helps schools with initial average resources meet global standards by providing them with academic and administrative counsel and services. Besides, the school management does not lose its autonomy, in the course of the partnership, in any way.

The writer is Beas Dev Raihan, co-founder and CEO, Next Education



The Government of Québec is offering international internship programme to study in Canada. The internship is intended for Master's or doctoral students enrolled full-time in a Québec university or in an university outside Québec who meets the requirements of their programme.

The scholarship for internship is of a maximum value of \$15,000. However, the FRQNT will allow no more than the equivalent of \$2,500 per month in living expenses.

Eligibility: The applicant must be a Canadian citizen, a permanent resident of Canada or a foreign student who has a valid study permit for the province of Québec. For foreign students enrolled in an university outside Québec. The applicant must have the valid study permits or visa for the entire duration of the internship. The applicant can't be enrolled in a co-degree from more than one institution including a Québec university. For the students enrolled in a co-degree see the rules of the Frontenac programme.

How to apply: Must file their application within their strategic cluster (see list on FRQNT's website). Validate the list of documents

required for this application with the specific cluster.

Application deadline: Internship application deadline is March 1, 2019.

The Faculty of Science at University of Sydney awards a limited number of Dean's International postgraduate research scholarships for international students. Scholarships are available to undertake a research doctorate degree (PhD) programme.

Eligibility: Currently enrolled in the final year of a four-year Bachelor's degree in Science or relevant discipline, or an equivalent degree, at an international university. The final year of the degree must include a research component which accounts for a minimum of 25% of the year. Have achieved a GPA greater than 85 or an average A grade, or have a relevant subject specific GPA of 90, or equivalent. May not be an Australian or New Zealand citizen or hold permanent residency in Australia. Be commencing full time post-graduate research study at the University for the first time. Not be in receipt of any other tuition fee scholarship. English language Requirements: Applicants must have an overall band score of 6.5 or better with no band below 6.

Application deadline: The last date to apply is November 30, 2018

STUDY CENTRES

Recently, there is a lot of talk about rural development as it impacts the economic growth. Development without inclusion of rural India would be unsustainable. Hence rural management as a career has great prospects. Colleges to study are:

- **Jiwaji University Institute of Distance Education, Gwalior.** Course: Bachelor of Rural Technology and Management
- **IPS Institute, Meerut.** Course: MBA Rural Management
- **KIIT School of Rural Management, Bhubaneswar.** Course: MBA Rural Management
- **Xavier Institute of Management, Bhubaneswar.** Course: MBA Rural Management
- **Mahatma Gandhi Chitrakoot Gramodaya Vishwavidyalaya, Satna.** Course: MBA Rural Management
- **The Gandhigram Rural Institute, Dindigul, Tamil Nadu.** Course: MBA Rural Management
- **Gujarat Vidyapith, Ahmedabad.** Course: Master of Rural Management
- **Ravenshaw University, School of Social Sciences, Cuttack.** Course: Master of Rural Management
- **Jayadev Institute of Social Science and Research, Bhubaneswar.** Course: Master of Rural Management
- **Arunachal University of Studies: Faculty of Skill Development and Vocational Studies, Lohit.** Course: PGD in Rural Management



DATA ANALYTICS AT NULL LLC

Location: Ahmedabad, Chennai, Delhi, Indore, Hyderabad, Mumbai
Stipend: ₹2,000-₹6,000 per month
Link: internshala.com/i/14239
Application deadline: September 20, 2018

BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT (SALES) AT AIREXPRTS

Location: Delhi, Gurgaon, Noida
Stipend: ₹7,000 per month
Link: internshala.com/i/14240
Application deadline: September 21, 2018

MARKETING AT ELECTROVESE SOLUTIONS

Location: Panchkula, Chandigarh, Mohali
Stipend: ₹5,000 per month
Link: internshala.com/i/14241
Application deadline: September 30, 2018

MOBILE APP DEVELOPMENT AT CRYPTIC CUP

Location: Work From Home
Stipend: ₹10,000 per month
Link: internshala.com/i/14242
Application deadline: September 21, 2018

QUALITY ASSURANCE (MEDICAL DEVICE) AT ELEXES MEDICAL CONSULTING

Location: Chennai, Kochi, Mumbai, Bangalore
Stipend: ₹2,500-₹6,000 per month
Link: internshala.com/i/14243
Application deadline: September 20, 2018

VALUE EDUCATION FACILITATION AT RAMAKRISHNA MISSION

Location: Bhubaneswar, Chennai, Delhi, Kolkata, Kochi, Hyderabad, Mumbai, Bhopal, Nagpur, Bangalore, Guwahati
Stipend: ₹10,000 per month
Link: internshala.com/i/14244
Application deadline: September 16, 2018

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QUERY: My name is Dhruv Uppal. My date of birth is December 4, 1996. Please let me know which career is best suited for me as per my planet condition in astrology?

BHATT: The 9th sign of the zodiac Sagittarius. You are spiritual. Your element is Fire, ruling planet is Jupiter. You are philosophical, optimistic and straightforward. You enjoy your freedom and self-expression. You must find a career where you can find both. You can be a great counsellor and good team leader.

Curious and energetic, you are one of the biggest travelers among all zodiac signs. Your open mind and philosophical view motivates you to travel around the world in search of the meaning of life. Sagittarius are extroverts, optimistic and enthusiastic and likes changes.

You are a person with good habits and actions. You are born with many career options and are suitable at many places with good productivity at work.

Engineer: Sun in the charts means that you can do wonders in a field related to machines or working with hands. Hence you have an option of being a teacher, a surgeon, engineer and an artist.

Writer: Sagittarius love books. A career in this field would be aligned with the goals of your sign. Whether through books, magazines, or the internet, the Archer is capable of reaching out to people and enjoys disseminating ideas and storytelling.

Business: Your zodiac sign makes you perfect for business.



Due to your need for freedom to explore and a strong independent streak. Sagittarians possess the natural flair for sales and marketing. They know how to convince the clients with eloquence. Sagittarius entrepreneur is a gifted mentor for the sales and marketing team. As you are capable to snatch a big deal or contract and know how to add more new clients.

Professor: The native of this sign is perfectly suited to a life in an academic setting. Sagittarians believe in seeking knowledge hence can be an inspirational teacher. They love to keep their students interested with stories of adventure.

Management: Sagittarius are able to conceive of special events and programmes and then take steps to pull everything together and make it work. They are wonderful facilitators and are able to multitask easily.

They are good at managing the operations as they can make people enthusiastic about projects and bring a positive energy in them. Hence, you can do well in any job related to managing administration, operations or project manager.

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— Vinayak Bhatt is a cosmic counsellor at Vedic Grace and can be reached at either pavenues@yahoo.com and/or info@vedicgrace.com

IN BRIEF

SCHOOL COMPETITION

Suncity School organised the 8th edition of their largest inter-school competition — Multiple Intelligence-MI ME. Over 160 students from 11 schools from Gurugram participated in the competition. The competition is a first of its kind initiative and has been meticulously designed in sync with Howard Gardner's Theory of Multiple Intelligence. The platform provides an opportunity to students to explore and evaluate their intelligence traits and latent talents. The annual inter school competition had an array of activities specially designed for the students of Elementary Year Programs.

The competition was organised in three groups— pre-nursery, nursery, and kindergarten participated in activities like cartoon carnival, exploring negative space, trading the spices, my grandparent's attic, balance the blazing ball among other things.

FUND RAISING

Teachers and staff of Shiv Nadar School in Noida, Faridabad and Gurugram (a not-for-profit initiative of the Shiv Nadar Foundation in K12 private education) raised a sum of ₹10 lakh for the Kerala flood victims, by donating a day's salary to the cause.

The cheque for Kerala Chief Minister's Distress Relief Fund(CMDRF) was handed over to the Resident Commissioner of Kerala, Puneet Kumar at the Kerala Bhavan, New Delhi on Teacher's day, the 5th of September.

Parents and students also voluntarily donated clothes, umbrellas and dry ration which was sent to the flood victims.

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I will thank Bumrah for that overthrow: Cook



Rishabh Pant, right, along with other centurion KL Rahul celebrates after reaching his maiden Test hundred against England during the fifth day of Oval Test

Centuries from Rahul and Pant goes in vain as India bowled out for 345, lost Oval Test by 118 runs

PTI ■ LONDON

Young Rishabh Pant made amends for his poor glove-work with a scintillating hundred as India reached 298 for 5 against England at tea in pursuit of a world record target of 464 in the fifth and final Test.

Left-handed Pant was batting 101 and added 177 runs for the sixth wicket with KL Rahul (142 batting) as India require 166 runs in 32 overs in the final session to earn a world record victory.

The second session certainly belonged to Pant, who hit 14 boundaries and three sixes including one over deep mid-wicket off Adil Rashid to complete a well-deserved hundred.

Rahul who had attacked during the first session dropped anchor allowing Pant to play a free-flowing game.

Having performed below par with the gloves, the century would certainly give him oxygen ahead of the West Indies home series. With Moeen Ali and Adil Rashid in operation for the

better part, Pant muscled the balls through the gaps with some delectable drives through off and powerful slog shots through the on-side.

This was incidentally the first ever hundred by an Indian keeper on English soil surpassing previous best of 92 by MS Dhoni.

Earlier, Rahul finally did justice to his immense talent as his belligerent century kept India in the hunt after the initial hiccups.

Rahul has hit 19 fours and a six as England were on course striking twin blows towards the end of the first session to remain on course for a 4-1 series victory.

This is Rahul's fifth Test hundred and first 50 plus score of the series after failing in nine successive innings.

Rahul added 118 runs for the fourth wicket with vice-captain Ajinkya Rahane (37, 106 balls) before an indiscreet paddle sweep off Moeen Ali brought about the latter's downfall.

Hanuma Vihari (0) didn't have the luck of the first innings as Ben Stokes got

him to nick one to Jonny Bairstow behind the stumps.

Starting from overnight 58/3, Rahul and his fourth-wicket partner Ajinkya Rahane (37) looked to play for time. Thanks to the heavy roller, the wicket wasn't doing too much again as in the first four morning sessions.

Despite a few plays and misses, the duo was able to see off the first hour of play without any trouble, adding 39 runs. Rahul reached 50 off 57 balls.

Growing in confidence, they started playing a few more shots, especially against Moeen Ali (1-47). Rahul survived a hairy moment in the 32nd over, when an lbw shout via DRS review was turned down.

They took India past 150 in the 41st over with their 100-partnership coming off 179 balls, thus raising vision of a fighting draw in overcast and gloomy conditions.

Rahul reached his hundred off 118 balls and put on 46 runs off 50 balls with Pant, as they stayed off England despite their double blows. The stand out shots from

Rahul were a slapped six over extra cover and a boundary through mid-on off Stokes' bowling.

The celebrations were predictably muted as he only kissed the crest of his helmet and acknowledged the ovation from the Indian dressing room.

PTI ■ LONDON

Retiring England batsman Alastair Cook says he has to thank Jasprit Bumrah for saving him from some "heartache" as the overthrow from the Indian pacer brought up his century in the final Test innings of his career.

Batting at 96, Cook drove Ravindra Jadeja for a single in the cover region. Bumrah aimed hard at stumps and it resulted in giving five runs to the home opener.

Cook said it would have been very embarrassing for him if Cheteshwar Pujara had stopped the overthrow and he had started celebrating since he had not noticed the latter chasing the ball, so he will thank Bumrah for the overthrow.

"I remember cutting it for 97 thinking that's three more to go. Just as he (Bumrah) let it go I thought, 'hang on a minute - he's launched that pretty hard'.

As soon as I saw Ravi (Jadeja) not anywhere near it I thought 'hang on a minute... hang on a minute'.

"Look - it (the overthrow) saved me a lot of heartache. He's (Bumrah) also caused me a lot of heartache in this series. For him to then give me that little moment there, I'll thank him for a while," said Cook.

"Then obviously it erupted. Joe (Root) didn't say anything. He was just saying 'wow'. He was just smiling. I think he was telling me to better take it in. The ovation was just incredible," he added.

'Pant needs to work lot on his keeping'

PTI ■ NEW DELHI

Rishabh Pant's glove-work has been shoddy in England and he needs to cover a lot of ground before he can be trusted as a Test-level wicket-keeper, some of the former India stumpers said on Tuesday.

The 20-year-old has conceded an unprecedented 76 byes in six innings in the ongoing Test series against England although at least 20-25 of those runs were not exactly his fault.

After watching him closely, former India keepers Nayan Mongia, Kiran More and Deep Dasgupta believe that the youngster is still a "work in progress".

But at the same time, they want the selectors to have a clear cut policy on young keepers given that Wriddhiman Saha is unlikely to start playing before another three to four months.

"He (Pant) is still very raw and I think it's a wrong policy to pick players based on their IPL

form. His basics of keeping are not correct. My concern is if he is not able to keep to spinners in England, he will have problems on fourth and fifth day tracks in the sub-continent," Mongia, who has kept wickets to the legendary Anil Kumble, said on Tuesday.

Mongia then dissected his keeping against Hanuma Vihari and Ravindra Jadeja.

"You need suppleness in shoulders. His shoulders are stiff. Now in England, at least the bounce is not uneven. But the test will be against Ashwin, Jadeja and Kuldeep on the uneven fourth and fifth day tracks in India. Against pacers, he is just diving from the spot," said the veteran of 44 Tests and 140 ODIs.

Asked about his preferred choice in the upcoming series against the West Indies, Mongia spoke about Parthiv Patel.

"I think Parthiv was the second keeper in South Africa.

How come he is not in the scheme of things? I think they should try Parthiv but it's up to the selectors. I don't know why there aren't long-term camps at NCA for young keepers," he added.

While Mongia spoke about recalling Parthiv, another former cricketer and analyst Deep Dasgupta feels that it could at best be a short-term policy.

"Look, Rishabh Pant is your long-term future and he needs to be nurtured well. Yes, there are a lot of areas in keeping that he needs to work on but I don't want to see a player being dumped after one series," Dasgupta, who has watched a lot of domestic cricket as broadcaster, opined.

Questioned on any technical flaw that he has observed, Dasgupta said: "I think against seamers, he is trying to judge the angle of the delivery from the hand. You can't do that in England. Also he needs to be sta-

ble in his position."

Asked about what will be his choice for the next Test against West Indies at Rajkot, Dasgupta termed it a tricky one.

"I guess the situation is fluid. Do the selectors want to go back to Parthiv? He recently

scored 80 in a Duleep Trophy game. Now with Parthiv or even DK (Dinesh Karthik) you know what to expect. So, if you are looking at the next six Tests (including four against Australia), I don't mind having the two veterans," said Dasgupta.

Eves thrash SL by 9 wickets

PTI ■ GALLE

India produced a clinical performance to register a convincing nine-wicket win over Sri Lanka in the first ODI of the ICC Women's Championship here Tuesday.

India women produced an incisive bowling effort to bundle out Sri Lanka women for a meagre 98 in 35.1 overs after the home side opted to bat first and then chased down the target with consummate ease, reaching 100 in 19.5 overs for the loss of just one wicket.

Medium pacer Mansi Joshi (3/16) and veteran Jhulsami Goswami (2/13) wreaked havoc at the top. Besides the duo, Poonam Yadav (2/13) picked up two wickets for India.

The spin trio of Deepti Sharma (1/16), Rajeshwari Gayakwad (1/18) and Dayalan Hemalatha (1/19) also chipped in with wickets. Skipper Chamari Atapattu top-scored for Sri Lanka women with a struggling 93-ball 33.

Chasing the paltry target, the Indian openers — Punam Raut (24) and Smriti Mandhana (73) — looked at ease as they stitched 96 runs for the first wicket to seal the match for their side.

But just when it seemed India women would reach the target unscathed with just three runs to win, Raut was dismissed.

Mandhana starred with the bat for India women, scoring her runs off 76 balls and hit 11 boundaries and two sixes in the process.

5 debutants in Aus Test squad

AFP ■ SYDNEY

Australia ushered in a fresh era on Tuesday by including five uncapped players in their first Test squad since the scandal-plagued tour of South Africa this year.

With the disgraced Steve Smith, David Warner and Cameron Bancroft all suspended for their role in the ball-tampering row that sparked one of the worst crises cricket has faced, selectors had slim pickings.

Also missing for their two-Test series against Pakistan in the United Arab Emirates next month are injured fast bowlers Josh Hazlewood and Pat Cummins, leaving Australia with one of its weakest Test squads in years.

Among the five debutants are Queensland trio Michael Neser, Brendan Doggett and Marcus Labuschagne, South Australia's Travis Head and Victoria's Aaron Finch.

"There has been significant change to our Test squad, due to the unavailability of a number of key players," said national selector Trevor Hohns.

"That said, we firmly believe the squad selected is up to the challenge ahead, and is capable of playing a brand of cricket that can perform well in this series against Pakistan.

"It's a blend of experienced players who have a significant amount of either Test or first-class cricket, and a number of younger players who we are confident are ready for the Test arena."

The aggressive Finch, better known for his exploits in the shorter form of the game, was also included and could open the batting with Renshaw.

In a relief for selectors the experienced Shaun Marsh was declared fit after recovering from a shoulder injury that forced him to return home in July from a county cricket stint with Glamorgan.

A slimmed-down Usman Khawaja, all-rounder Mitch Marsh and either Head or Labuschagne should fill out the middle-order planks.

Launch of The New Town in Kundli

Kundli: The New Town in Sector 33, Kundli has been launched with 750 habitations of decent comfortable lifestyles in the affordable segment of the market. Promoters Supermax have been inspired by Haryana Government's affordable housing scheme policy and are happy to comply with this policy in order to pass on any fiscal benefits and entitlements to its customers. The design and architecture of this project has been thoughtfully planned out to provide 2-BHK units. The super area of 880 sq ft (approx.) provides ample space for a hall, kitchen, dining area, two bedrooms, two bathrooms and a balcony with plenty of fresh air. The unique aspect of this offer is the unbelievable quality of materials and fittings that are being provided, at a revolutionary price of Rs. 21 lakhs, based on carpet area calculations and not super area. This is simply amazing and has been achieved due to the vast experience of the Directors and the professional team engaged in this project. All plans have been approved by the DGTPC, Chandigarh, Haryana.



Oriental Bank of Commerce plans Gandhigiri
Chandigarh: Oriental Bank of Commerce has planned to resort to Gandhigiri for recovering huge amounts of Non Productive Assets involving crores of rupees. The peaceful demonstrations for the same are being organised in front of offices, shops, restaurants of M/s Walias traders having Hitesh Gandhi, Prem pal Gandhi as its directors/guarantors. Similarly, peaceful demonstrations will be held in front of office of M/s Winsome yarns ltd, sector 34 CHD. Both the firm's/companies and their promoters having good businesses but not paying their dues intentionally and have already been declared willful Defaulters. Such like people are responsible for pathetic financial condition of banks and economy of the country.

ANDHRA BANK (A Govt. of India Undertaking) First Floor - Hotel Shivalik View, Sector 17-E, Chandigarh - 160017. Ph: 0172-272028, 2033, 2040, 2041, E-mail: zocnd@andhrabank.co.in

RULE 8(1) OF SECURITY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT RULES) 2002
POSSESSION NOTICE (FOR IMMOVABLE PROPERTY)

Whereas, the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the Andhra Bank, under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (Act 54 of 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(12) of the Act read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest Act (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a Demand Notice to Borrower(s) on the dates mentioned hereunder, calling upon the Borrower(s) to repay the amount(s) mentioned in the respective demand notice(s) within 60 days of the notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers and the public in general that the Authorised Officer has taken Possession of the properties described herein below in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(4) of the said Act, read with rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on the dates mentioned against each Account.

The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of Section 13(8) of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

The borrowers in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge for the amount mentioned below of the Andhra Bank.

Name of the Branch & Borrower / Guarantor & Mortgagee	Description of Immovable Properties	Date of Demand Notice & Amount	Amount Due	Date of Possession
DHANAS BRANCH- Mr. Amrik Singh S/o Mr. Gurdev Singh, Flat No. 82, Khawat No. 25/5(8-0) Kite 1 measuring 8 Kanal share 3/160	Plot No. 82 Khawat No. 25/5(8-0) Kite 1 measuring 8 Kanal share 3/160 legal expenses and other contingents charges thereon.	06.06.2018 Rs. 15,66,293/-	Rs. 15,66,293/- as on 31.08.2018 with further interest and other contingents charges thereon.	11.09.2018
ADAMPUR BRANCH- Mrs. Anju W/o Mr. Lakh Ram, H. No. 1750 A, VPO Sadulpur, Tehsil Mandi, Adampur, Distt. Hissar	Land and Building having Plot no. 3, Bhadu Colony, Khara, Barwala, Adampur, Distt. Hissar, PIN-125052 having area 107Sq.Yds. Boundaries:- North: Plot of Shri Sukhdev Singh; South: Plot of Shri Sukhdev Singh; East: 20 wide Rata; West: Plot of Shri Sukhdev Singh.	08.06.2018 Rs. 11,89,355/-	Rs. 11,89,355/- as on 31.08.2018 with further interest and other contingents charges thereon.	11.09.2018
ADAMPUR BRANCH- Mr. Jitender Kumar, College Road Jahwar Nagar, Mandi Adampur, Dist-Hissar, State-Haryana	Commercial Property measuring 761 Sq. Yds. Comprising in Khawat No. 204 legal expenses and other contingents charges thereon. i.e. 01K-05M being 25467 share out of total land measuring 23K-07M bearing Plot No. 50, adjacent dhandia pet Shop or Web World Internet & Photostate, College Road Mandi Adampur, Distt. Hissar.	06.06.2018 Rs. 29,82,214/-	Rs. 29,82,214/- as on 31.08.2018 with further interest and other contingents charges thereon.	11.09.2018
ADAMPUR BRANCH- Smt. Manju Devi W/o Sh. Ganga Ram, Plot No. 8, Balaji Colony Part-2, Near Hanuman Mandir, Mandi Adampur, Dist. Hissar-125052	Land and Residential house constructed on Plot No. 8 measuring 6 marla i.e. 173 Sq. Yds., Balaji Colony, Part-2, Near Hanuman Mandir, Maujkhara, Khara Barwala, Tehsil Mandi Adampur, Distt. Hissar-125052. Boundaries:- North: Danda 25'-0" Road; South: Danda 25'-0" Plot of Rajender Kumar; East: Danda 62'-0" Plot of Anil Kumar; West: Danda 62'-0" Plot of Rajesh Kumar.	04.05.2018 Rs. 8,41,375.80	Rs. 8,41,375.80 as on 11.09.2018 with further interest and other contingents charges thereon.	11.09.2018

Date: 11.09.2018 Place: Chandigarh AUTHORIZED OFFICER

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A notice is hereby given that following borrower's have defaulted in the repayment of principal and interest of the loans facility obtained by them from the Bank and the loans have been classified as Non Performing Assets (NPA). The notice dated were issued to them under Section 13 (2) of Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act-2002 on their last known addresses as provided to the bank by them, that in addition thereto for the purposes of information of the said borrowers enumerated below, the said borrowers are being informed by way of this public notice.

Sr. No.	Name of the Borrower/ Co-Borrower/ Guarantor/ (Loan Account Number) & Address	Description of Secured Asset to be Enforced	Date of Notice/Sent Outstanding as on Date of Notice	NPA Date
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NEERAJ LOOKS FOR CONSISTENCY

Chopra aims to consistently hit the Asiad winning distance before looking to cross 90m mark

PTI ■ NEW DELHI

Star javelin thrower Neeraj Chopra on Tuesday said he would aim to consistently hit the Asian Games Gold-winning distance of 88m next season before looking to cross the magical 90m mark in 2020 ahead of the Tokyo Olympics.

Chopra, who sent the spear to a distance of 88.06m to claim the Gold in the Asian Games last month, said a "small" adjustment in his technique — which he would work out before next season — should enable him to cross the 90m mark.

"It has been a very satisfying season, I have been consistent at 85-plus throughout and I touched 88m in Jakarta. I am now confident that crossing 90m is within my grasp, it can come anytime. But before doing that I will have to throw at around 88m consistently," Chopra said in an interaction here.

"I would be looking to be consistent at around 88m next year and then go for the 90m before 2020 Olympics. But you never know even in the biggest of events (like the World Championships and Olympics), you can win a medal at this distance (of 88m)," said the 20-year-old Haryana athlete at the sidelines of an event organised by global sports drinks company, Gatorade.

In 2016, Chopra became the first Indian junior world champion athlete with a throw of 86.48m but had an ordinary season last year.

But this season, he emerged as a truly world-class javelin thrower, winning Gold in the Commonwealth and Asian Games and finishing fourth in the prestigious Diamond League Final.

He is the only javelin thrower among the current top stars in the world to have crossed 85m while below 20 years of age. Among the active javelin throwers, six have crossed the 90m mark, including three Germans who have been consistent at around that magic mark.

Chopra is aware of the tough competition at the global level but said a readjustment in his technique should put him among the select few of 90m throwers.



Neeraj Chopra competes in the men's javelin throw event during the Weltklasse IAAF Diamond League international athletics meeting in the Letzgründ stadium in Zurich, Switzerland AP

CHOPRA, WHO SENT THE SPEAR TO A DISTANCE OF 88.06M TO CLAIM THE GOLD IN THE ASIAN GAMES LAST MONTH, SAID A "SMALL" ADJUSTMENT IN HIS TECHNIQUE -- WHICH HE WOULD WORK OUT BEFORE NEXT SEASON -- SHOULD ENABLE HIM TO CROSS THE 90M MARK

"I have to do a small change in my technique, that has been identified along with my coach (former world record holder Uwe Hohn). This will be done before the new season next year and I hope to improve my distance," he said.

"It is about the angle of release. The spear is going sideways and more towards left. I have to bring it towards the centre for a perfect angle of release so that the spear goes farther."

The youngster said that the sixth-place finish at the IAAF Continental Cup in Ostrava in Czech Republic on September 9 was a blessing in disguise as it showed he needed the adjustment in his technique.

He had a third round throw of over 85m but the spear went out of the sec-

tor, leaving Chopra out of medal contention.

"It (the spear) was over 85m but went slightly out of the sector. That shows that there is some deficiency in my technique and the angle of release. So, I have to work on these things so that I can throw farther," he added.

A few weeks before the Asian

Games, Chopra's former coach Gary Calvert, who had guided him to become a junior world champion, died in China.

"I became a junior world champion under him and I learnt a lot from him. He told me he would be with me at the Asian Games (as national coach of China) but that did not happen."

Chopra said standing at the podium

at the Asian Games flanked by a Chinese and Pakistani did not strike him immediately.

"It did not strike me at that moment but it was talked about later. But every athlete wants to do his best for his country and play with sportsmanship spirit. That is the same for me," he said.

Asked about his journey from a village near Panipat to being a nation's Olympic medal hope, he said, "I started in 2011 in the district level and broke the U-16 national record in 2013. I went up step by step and I was called for the national camp. I had never thought at that time that I will go this far."

Sindhu, Srikanth, Prannoy through to second round

PTI ■ TOKYO

Ace Indian shuttler PV Sindhu had to toil hard even as Kidambi Srikanth and HS Prannoy scored easy victories to progress to the second round of their respective events at the Japan Open, on Tuesday.

Third seed Sindhu had to sweat it out for 53 minutes before prevailing 21-17, 7-21, 21-13 over unseeded local girl Sayaka Takahashi in her women's singles opening round.

Sindhu will next play Chinese Fangjie Gao, who defeated the other Indian in fray Jukka Vaishnavi Reddy 21-10, 21-8.

Having finished second-best yet again with a historic Silver in the Asian Games, Olympic medallist Sindhu would be desperate to break the final jinx here.

Sindhu has been outstanding with Silver medals in all the major events this year — the Commonwealth Games, the World Championship and the Asian Games but the Gold has been eluding the Indian for a while now.

In men's singles, Prannoy defeated current Asian Games Gold medallist Jonathan Christie of Indonesia 21-18, 21-17 while Srikanth got the better of Chinese Yuxiang Huang 21-13, 21-15 in another first round match.

While Prannoy will be up against Anthony Sinisuka Ginting of Indonesia in the second round, Srikanth will take on Vincent Wong Wing Ki of Hong Kong.

Both Srikanth and Prannoy had suffered shock defeats in the second round of the Asian Games.

However, it was curtains for another Indian, Sameer Verma, who fought hard before going down 18-21, 22-20, 10-21 in another men's singles opening round encounter.

Meanwhile, it was a mixed outing for the Indian mixed doubles pairs as Satwiksairaj Rankireddy and Ashwini Ponappa crashed out in the opening round even as the combination of Pranaav Jerry Chopra and N Sikki Reddy sailed into the next round. Rankireddy and Ponappa were shown the door by second seeds Yilyu Wang and Dongping Huang of China 13-21, 17-21, while Chopra and Reddy stormed into the second round with a 21-9, 21-6 victory over Malaysian duo of Mathew Fogarty and Isabel Zhong.

Chopra and Reddy will face another Malaysian combination of Peng Soon Chang and Liu Ying Goh in the next round.



PV Sindhu returns a shot during Asiad match

Leclerc to replace Raikkonen in Ferrari

AFP ■ MILAN

Young Monaco driver Charles Leclerc will replace Finnish veteran Kimi Raikkonen at Ferrari next season with the former world champion returning to Sauber, both Formula One teams announced on Tuesday.

The 20-year-old Leclerc — a Ferrari Driver Academy graduate — was the 2017 Formula 2 champion, and made his debut in F1 this season with the Sauber team.

"Scuderia Ferrari announces that, at the end of the 2018 season, Kimi Raikkonen will step down from his current role," the team said in a statement. "... In the next Formula One racing season, Charles Leclerc will drive for the Team alongside Sebastian Vettel," it added.

"Dreams do come true," Leclerc posted on Twitter. "I'll be driving for @scuderiaferrari for the 2019 Formula 1 World Championship." Leclerc has had a promising start to his rookie season, finishing sixth at the Azerbaijan Grand Prix.

He has been nurtured by the Scuderia Ferrari for several years and is managed by Nicolas Todt, son of former Ferrari team principal and current FIA president Jean Todt.



Ferrari's Kimi Raikkonen (left), Charles Leclerc in a file picture



AP

"I will be eternally grateful to @scuderiaferrari for the opportunity given. To @nicolastodt for supporting me since 2011. To my family," Leclerc added.

The 38-year-old Raikkonen has started 287 Grands Prix, winning 20 since his debut in 2001 with Sauber.

Raikkonen achieved his 100th podium finish by finishing second at the Italian Grand Prix in Monza this month after claiming his 18th pole in style with F1's all-time fastest lap.

"During these years, Kimi's contribution to the team, both as a driver and on account of his human qualities, has been fundamental. He played a decisive role in the team's

growth and was, at the same time, always a great team player," the team said.

Raikkonen left F1 two years after winning the world title with Ferrari and spent two years competing in the World Rally Championship, before returning to F1 with Lotus in 2012.

RETURNS TO F1 ROOTS
Raikkonen moved back to Ferrari in 2014.

"As a World Champion for Scuderia Ferrari, he will always be part of the Team's history and family. We thank Kimi for all of this and wish him and his family a prosperous future," the team added.

Sauber later confirmed Raikkonen would return to the team he made his debut with in 2001.

"The Alfa Romeo Sauber F1 Team is delighted to announce that Kimi Raikkonen will join the team from 2019. The 2007 Formula One World Champion has signed for the next two seasons," Sauber confirmed.

Raikkonen left Sauber for McLaren in 2002 before rejoining Ferrari in 2006.

He tweeted: "Guess who's back?! Next two years with @sauberf1 team ahead! Feels extremely good to go back where it all began!"

Sauber team principal said: "Signing Kimi Raikkonen as our driver represents an important pillar of our project, and brings us closer to our target of making significant progress as a team in the near future."

"Kimi's undoubted talent and immense experience in Formula One will not only contribute to the development of our car, but will also accelerate the growth and development of our team as a whole."

"Together, we will start the 2019 season with a strong foundation, driven by the determination to fight for results that count."

Amit nominated for Arjuna award



Amit Panghal celebrates after win in Asiad



PTI ■ NEW DELHI

Asian Games Gold medal-winning Indian boxer Amit Panghal was Tuesday nominated for this year's Arjuna awards by the Boxing Federation of India.

Amit, who claimed the light flyweight (49kg) category Gold after defeating reigning Olympic champion Hasanboy Dusmatov of Uzbekistan in the Asiad final, joined Sonia Lather and Gaurav Bidhuri in the list of boxing nominees for the second highest sporting honour after the Khel Ratna.

"I am honoured to be nominated, I can't describe how happy I am. My medal is talking for me and that is what I have always wanted," the 22-year-old Amit, only the eighth Indian boxer to claim an Asiad Gold said.

There were doubts on whether he would be considered given a positive dope test back in 2012, for which he served a one-year ban.

However, given the fact that he is done with the punishment for the "inadvertent" violation and that it happened when he was competing at the youth

level, the BFI decided to send his name to the Ministry.

A Silver medal in the Commonwealth Games put him in the big league before he outshone his teammates with a Gold in the Asian Games in Jakarta.

"It has been a dream, I am still living it. Hopefully the Arjuna award will be the icing on the cake," he said.

Among the boxing nominees, he faces competition from Sonia, a world and Asian Silver-medallist and Bidhuri, only the fourth Indian boxer ever to get a World Championship medal.

Maradona seeks rebirth in Mexican club

AFP ■ CUILIAC

Argentine legend Diego Maradona described his decision to coach second-division Mexican club Dorados as a rebirth after years battling addictions, as he officially became the team's new manager on Monday.

Maradona, who has publicly struggled with drug addiction, alcoholism and obesity, raised eyebrows with the decision to accept a job in the heart of Mexican drug cartel country — the rough-and-tumble state of Sinaloa.

But in his first press conference for Dorados, he described the job as a healthy new beginning after a long "sickness," alluding to the excesses of his past. "I want to give Dorados what I lost when I was sick," he told the 200 journalists who packed the hotel conference room in Cuiliac, the state capital, where he was officially presented as the struggling club's new coach.

"I was sick for 14 years. Now I want to see the sun, I want to go to bed at night. I never even used to go to bed. I didn't even know what a pillow was. That's why I accepted the offer from Dorados," he said.

Mexico was the scene of Maradona's greatest triumph as a player: leading Argentina to the 1986 World Cup title — almost single-handedly, according to some. But he surprised the football world with his decision to coach a second-division



Diego Maradona says goodbye to the fans in stands after a training session at the Dorados de Sinaloa AP

Maradona, however, insisted his focus is on football, calling this "the best moment in my life." "I want to spend a long time" at Dorados, he said.

"People can say a lot of things, but... I was heading downhill, I was eating myself up, it was a step backward, and football is a step forward. All that changed thanks to my daughters." He recounted an oft-told story, of how his youngest daughter once spoke to him when he was in a coma, asking him to live — and convincing him to change his ways.

It is a story he has been telling for more than a decade.

SORRY EVO, SORRY NICOLAS

Maradona, 57, grinned as he accepted a Dorados jersey with his old number 10 on it, and joked with journalists that he was ready to "sing any song you want me to." Framed by two giant photos of himself during his playing days, he also said he had turned down offers from the leftist presidents of Bolivia and Venezuela, his pals Evo Morales and Nicolas Maduro, to coach their national teams.

After a 10-minute speech and 15 minutes taking questions — his speech slightly slurred and his statements sometimes fuzzy — Maradona headed to Dorados stadium to preside over his first practice.

On the way, he uploaded a video to his Instagram account in which he thanked his fans and said, "Long live the Church of Maradona."

ANDRE SILVA LIFTS PORTUGAL PAST ITALY

AFP ■ LISBON

Andre Silva scored the only goal as European champions Portugal — without superstar Cristiano Ronaldo — got their Nations League campaign off the mark with a 1-0 win over Italy in Lisbon on Monday.

Ronaldo, 33, had been left out of the squad at his own request to focus on his new Italian club Juventus.

But the Euro 2016 winners showed no sign of missing their star striker, dominating the Italians to secure their first three points in a Group 3 that also includes Poland.

Italy coach Roberto Mancini suffered his first competitive setback after being held by Poland 1-1 in their opener on Friday in Bologna, with the Azzurri on one point after two games.

"We made too many mistakes, but the lads gave everything," said Mancini. "We need to find a solution to scoring goals because you don't win games without scoring. That's our main problem right now." Silva scored three minutes into the second half with the on-loan Sevilla striker picking up a Bruma cross to beat Gianluigi Donnarumma in the Italy goal.

Italy had been fortunate to keep their goal clear in the first half, largely thanks to Donnarumma, as Portugal dictated play in the Estadio Da Luz. Bernardo Silva's effort was cleared off the line by Alessio Romagnoli with a Bruma effort deflected onto the bar.

Italy fought back with Ciro Immobile and Simone Zaza threatening just before the break.

Mancini had rang the changes with an experimental side with seven new players starting — midfielder Jorginho and Donnarumma the only pair to be retained from the draw with Poland.

SPAL's Manuel Lazzari made his international debut on the right of defense. Federico Chiesa and Andre Silva both missed chances early, while a Zaza back-heel flick for Immobile was cleared in the box.

William Carvalho fired just wide from distance and Jorginho's volley was cleared. Portugal grabbed the winner soon after the restart through Silva with Bernardo Silva coming close to a second only for Donnarumma to clear.

The four-time world champions now risk being relegated from their Nations League group after also failing to qualify for the World Cup.

"We must help the youth grow, as we don't have alternatives," said former Manchester City and Inter Milan coach Mancini.

Junior shooters add Silver, Bronze

PTI ■ CHANGWON

India's junior shooters scaled another high by delivering the country's first set of skeet medals at the ISSF World Championships — a men's team Silver and an individual Bronze by Gurnihal Singh Garcha here on Tuesday.

Before this edition of the world championship, India had won all its shotgun medals in the trap and double trap disciplines. This will be the first time that Indian skeet shooters will come back with medals from the premiere competition.

The trio of Gurnihal (119), Anantjeet Singh Naruka (117) and Ayush Rudraraju (119) combined for a score of 355 for a second-place finish in the finals. The three had topped day one of the team qualifying on Monday.

The 19-year-old Gurnihal also made the six-strong individual final, where he shot a score of 46 to claim the individual Bronze, the biggest achievement of his international career so far.

India are placed fourth in the overall medals tally with seven Gold, eight Silver and seven Bronze medals for a total of 20 at the premier International Shooting Sport Federation (ISSF) showpiece, which is also the first qualifying event for the 2020 Olympic Games.

