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PM invites American CEOs to India

IANS WASHINGTON

In the first leg of his US visit, Prime Minister Narendra Modi on Thursday met leading ČEOs American Washington.

He held one-on-one meet-ings with the CEOs of semiconductor and wireless techmanufacture Qualcomm, software major Adobe, renewable energy firm First Solar, arms manufacturer General Atomics and investment management company Blackstone. The first meeting was held with Cristiano Amon, President and Qualcomm.

"President and CEO of @Qualcomm, @cristianoamon and PM @narendramodi had a productive interaction. PM Modi highlighted the vast opportunities India offers. Mr. Amon expressed keenness to work with India in areas such as 5G and other @_DigitalIndia efforts," the PMO tweeted.

"We talked about 5G and acceleration of 5G. We talked about the incredible opportunity to advance the industry, as we think about the digital transformation enabled by 5G combined with the design in

India," Amon said. He said Qualcomm may look at India as it builds a resilient supply chain for semiconductors if necessary infrastructure are provided in the

Modi's meeting with Amon is significant as India is look-



Prime Minister Narendra Modi being received by the dignitaries, on his arrival in Washington DC on Thursday

ing at fast adoption of 5G technology in the country for which it is eyeing investment in this high technology area from credible partners who can pro-vide safe and secure

The San Diego-based company creates semiconductors, software and services related to wireless technology and is getting big into 5G technology with its range of pioneering products. It is expected that high-level meetings would pave the way for big investment in the new tech area that is required to help the country

leapfrog to providing its citizens with the next generation of networking services.

The PM also met Shantanu Narayen, Chairman, President and CEO, Adobe.

Indian diaspora has distinguished itself across the world, says Modi

Washington: Prime Minister Narendra Modi has com-mended the Indian Diaspora for distinguishing itself across the world, as he received an enthusiastic welcome from the community on his arrival here on a major visit to further

enhance Indo-US relations. Modi was warmly greeted by groups of Indian-Americans at the airport soon after his plane landed here on Wednesday and later at the hotel where he had an interaction with the members of the community.

US rules out India, Japan in **AUKUS** bloc

The US has ruled out adding India or Japan to the new trilateral security partnership with Australia and Britain to meet the challenges of the 21st century in the strategic Indo-Pacific region.

On September 15, US President Joe Biden, Australian Prime Minister Scott Morrison and British Prime Minister Boris Johnson jointly announced the formation of the trilateral security alliance AUKUS under which Australia would get a fleet of nuclearpowered submarines for the first time.

"The announcement of AUKUS last week was not meant to be an indication, and I think this is the message the President also sent to (French President Emmanuel) Macron, that there is no one else who will be involved in security in the Indo-Pacific," White House Press Secretary Jen Psaki told reporters at her daily news conference on Wednesday.

Psaki was responding to a question if countries like India

and Japan whose leaders would be in Washington this week for the first in-person Quad Summit would be made part of the new security alliance. The Quad comprises India,

the US, Japan and Australia. US President Joe Biden is hosting the first in-person Quad summit at the White House on September 24.

"On Friday... you'll have the Australians there (for the Quad summit). But then you also have India and Japan. Would you envision for them a similar kind of military role that you've now defined for with the Australians?" a journalist asked.

"AUKUS? What would it become? JAUKUS? JAIAUKUS?" Psaki said in lighter moments before giving answer to the question. The trilateral security

alliance AUKUS, seen as an effort to counter China in the Indo-Pacific, will allow the US and the UK to provide Australia with the technology to develop nuclear-powered submarines for the first

SC to set up body to probe Pegasus row

 $I_{Government, \ the \ Supreme}^{n \ a \ big \ blow \ to \ the }$ Court on Thursday observed orally that it will set up a technical expert committee to enquire into the Pegasus snooping matter and pass an interim order next week.

A bench headed by Chief

Justice NV Ramana, which was to hear some other matter, addressed senior lawyer CU Singh, one of the counsels of the petitioners in Pegasus case, that the order will be pronounced next week.

"We wanted to pass an order this week," the CJI said, adding that it had to be deferred as some members of the technical committee, which the court had in mind, expressed "personal difficulties" in becoming part of it.

"That is why it is taking time to constitute the committee," the CJI said, adding, We will be able to finalise the members of the technical expert team by next week and then pronounce orders.

The CJI told Singh that he was conveying this to him as senior advocate Kapil Sibal, who had argued for senior

Court observes orally, order next week



iournalists N Ram and Shashi Kumar, has not been seen in courts for the last few days. "I will inform Sibal," Singh told the bench which then proceeded with the hearing in other listed cases.

The SC's observations on constituting the committee assume significance in view of the Centre's statement that it would set up an expert panel on its own to look into the grievances of the alleged surveillance of certain eminent Indians by hacking their phones using Israeli firm NSO's spyware, Pegasus.

ED probes ₹21K cr Afghan heroin haul from Mundra port

 $T_{\rm Directorate~(ED)~has}^{\rm he~Enforcement}$ Enforcement probe into the recent seizure of nearly 3,000 kgs of heroin from two containers at Mundra port in Gujarat by the Directorate of Revenue Intelligence (DRI).

The Opposition Congress has raised the issue and demanded a court-monitored probe into the biggest drug haul in the country and also estimated to be one of the largest globally.

The ED is studying the details of the case gathered



from the open source and has sought the copy of the complaint filed by the DRI that unraveled the narcotic smugbid of syndicate.

The drugs haul relates to the DRI seizing a staggering 2,988.21 kg Afghan heroin, worth ₹21,000 crore, from the Mundra port in the Kutch district of Gujarat on September 15.



Restoration work in progress at the Yaas cyclone effected Udaypur beach near Digha in Midnapore district on Thursday

Unique digital health ID soon to record your health info

Modi to launch PM Digital Health Mission on Sept 27

PNS NEW DELHI

Drime Minister Narendra Modi will announce the nationwide rollout of Pradhan Mantri Digital Health Mission on September 27. Under this, a unique digital health ID will be provided to the people, which will store the details of a person's medical history like the hospitals where s/he has

been treated. All information related to the person's health will be recorded on this unique health card. This way, the patient will not have to carry the files everywhere. Seeing the unique health ID of the patient, the doctor will be able to know the health situation and continue further treatment, said an official from the Union Health Ministry here on Thursday.

This card will also tell whether the holder receives benefits from Government



schemes like Ayushman Bharat Yojana," he said.

The person's ID will be made using his mobile number and Aadhaar number. These two records will be used to create unique health cards. For this, the Government will create a health authority that will gather all the data of a person, he added.

The health authority will be allowed to raise the health records of the person whose health ID is to be made. Public hospitals, community health centre, health and wellness centre or healthcare provider, which can be connected to the National Health Infrastructure

registry, can make health ID. The National Digitial Health Mission is currently in its pilot phase across the Union Territories of Andaman & Nicobar Islands, Chandigarh, Dadra and Nagar Haveli, and Daman and Diu, Ladakh, Lakshadweep,

Puducherry.
According to the official, the mission is on track and the three basic platforms, health ID, doctor's registry, and the health facility registry have

Vaccine at home for divyangs, says Centre

PNS NEW DELHI

Days after the Supreme Court asked the Centre to provide details of its policy framework and steps taken to prioritise Covid vaccination of persons with disability, the Modi Government on Friday announced "vaccination at home" for the disabled, "in line with Covid-19 SOPs"

"I am pleased to inform that an advisory has been issued to make arrangements for 'vaccination at home' for those who have disabilities or are differently challenged, in line with Covid SOPs," NITI Aayog member (Health) Dr VK Paul said, as the panel warned that the second wave is not over vet. Thirty-three districts in the country are now reporting over 10 per cent weekly positivity rate, while 23 are recording 5-10 per cent.

Under Covid guidelines for the upcoming festival season, mass gatherings has to be avoided in containment zones and in districts with over 5 per cent positivity rate, they said. Detailed report on P4

Punjab Cabinet to be announced anytime now

Punjab Chief Minister Panjac Channi has been called by the Congress party high command to Delhi to finalise the name of the members of his Council of

With just about 100 days in hand to "perform" and fulfil all the pre-poll promises that his predecessor Capt Amarinder Singh allegedly failed to fulfil, the new Chief Minister is expected to announce his Council anytime now. As of now, Channi has two

Deputy Chief Ministers — Sukhjinder Singh Randhawa and OP Soni — as members of the Cabinet, with 15 berths set to be filled. After Capt Amarinder

raised a banner of revolt not only against Sidhu but also place in the new Cabinet.

against the party high command including Gandhi siblings, it is believed that his men and loyalists may not be given To ensure that the Cabinet expansion could not strengthen Capt Amarinder's faction, it

has been learnt that at least five

Ministers, owing allegiance to

Capt Amarinder, may be show

the door. It is believed that

Sadhu Singh Dharamsot, and Rana Gurmeet Singh Sodhi the known Capt Amarinder lovalists — will not be included in the Cabinet as the two are also embroiled in controver-

Besides, Sundar Sham Arora, Balbir Singh Sidhu, Gurpreet Singh Kangar, and Braham Mohindra are among the names of the Minister being considered to be But leaving out the senior-

most MLA and party leader Mohindra would be a major challenge for the new Chief Minister considering his political and administrative experience. Also, Mohindra's name was also finalised by the party high command to be appointed as one of the Deputy Chief Minister, but was replaced with OP Soni at the last moment. Meanwhile, Congress' Punjab party affairs in-charge Harish Rawat called on the former state unit president Sunil Jakhar seeking his cooperation for the prevailing

situation in the state amidst lat-

est attack by the former Chief

Minister Capt Amarinder

Singh against the party lead-

ership, both in the state and at

the central level.

Order for ₹7,523 crore desi Arjun tanks placed

Main battle tanks to be made in TN

PNS ■ NEW DELHI

Tn a major boost to maintain Lcombat readiness and selfreliance, the Government on Thursday placed an order for 118 Arjun Mk-1A main battle tanks (MBT) for the Indian Army. The deal is worth over ₹7,523 crore and the Heavy Vehicles Factory (HVF), Avadi, Tamil Nadu will manufacture the tanks.

The tanks are indigenously designed and manufactured by the Defence Research and Development Organisation (DRDO). Prime Minister Narendra Modi had handed over the upgraded Arjun tank in February this year to Army General Chief Naravane.

Giving details of the order, Defence Ministry officials said here on Thursday, it will provide further boost to the "Make in India" initiative in defence sector and is a big step towards achieving "Aatmanirbhar Bharat", envisioned by the Prime Minister.

par with any contemporary in The state-of-the-art MBT its class across the globe.



Mk-1A is a new variant of Arjun Tank designed to enhance fire power, mobility and survivability. Infused with 72 new features and more indigenous content from the Mk-1 variant, the tank would ensure effortless mobility in all terrains, besides precise target engagement during day and night. The DRDO has incorporated numerous upgrades on Arjun MBT, the in-service main battle tank with the Indian Army, they said.

The MK-1A is equipped with accurate and superior firepower, all-terrain mobility and an invincible multi-layered protection provided by an array of advanced technology sys-59,957.25 during the day. tems. It can take on the enemy Similarly, the broader NSE during day and night conditions and in both static and dynamic modes. By virtue of these capabilities, this indigenous MBT proves to be on a

Bajaj Finserv topped the

Sensex spikes to near record 60K

PTI MUMBAI

 $T^{\text{he BSE Sensex vaulted 958}}$ points to scale a fresh lifetime high on Thursday, propelled by across-the-board buying amid a positive trend in global equities despite hawkish comments from the US Fed. Robust gains in the rupee

further buoyed sentiment, traders said. Reversing the previous ses-

sion's lethargy, the 30-share BSE Sensex zoomed 958.03 points or 1.63 per cent to end at an all-time high of 59,885.36. It scaled a new peak of

and HDFC twins accounted for Nifty soared 276.30 points or nearly half of the benchmark's 1.57 per cent to its new closing high of 17,822.95, after touching an intra-day record of 17,843,90.

gains. Only five counters closed in the red — Dr Reddy's, ITC, Nestle India, HUL and Bharti Airtel, skidding up to 1.07 per cent. **Detailed report on P9**

Sensex gainers' chart, climbing

5.15 per cent, followed by L&T,

HDFC, Axis Bank, SBI,

Reliance Industries (RIL) and

Index heavyweights RIL

IndusInd Bank.

FREE CANCER TREATMENT TO BHOPAL GAS VICTIMS Jabalpur: The Madhya Pradesh

been made operational

CAPSULE

High Court has directed the State Government to provide free treatment to Bhopal gas tragedy victims suffering from cancer at the All India Institute of Medical Sciences in Bhopal The September 16 order was made available on Wednesday.

3 KILLED IN BLAST AT **BENGALURU GODOWN** Bengaluru: Three people were

killed and four others were injured in a blast at a storage facility in Bengaluru's New Tharagupet area on Thursday **SC PRAISES CENTRE'S**

HANDLING OF COVID New Delhi: No other country managed to do what India did in terms of its response to the coronavirus pandemic. the Supreme Court said on Thursday, in rich praise for the Government, as it reserved the order on a case involving the ₹50.000 compensation proposed for Covid-19 deaths

PUBLIC NOTICE

- I, Rameshwari W/o Satya Pal R/o 1074-A, Small Flats, Dhanas, disown my son Kirpal & his wife Yogita from my movable immovable property anybody dealing with him at their own risk.
- I, Bina Kumari W/o Vijay Kumar r/o Vill Nangal Bihalan Teh Mukerian Distt Hoshiarpur declare that in school record of my daughter Priya,my name is wrongly recorded as Veena Kumari. My correct name is
- I. Heena D/o Sarafat All R/o H. No. 685/91, Durga Garden, Jagadhri, Yamuna Nagar, Haryana, Have changed my religion from Muslim to
- I. Lalta Singh S/O Late Sh. Bhagi Rathi Singh R/O #1146, Deep Hallomajra, Chandigarh. Declare That My Son Ajit Singh & His Wife Neha Are Out Of My Control, So I Disown Them From My Moveable/Immoveable Properties. Anybody Dealing With Them At
- We, Hans Raj S/O Channa Mall & Darshna W/0 Hans Rai R/O Mubarikpur Camp, Tehsil Derabassi Distt Mohali Declared My Son Manmohan & His Wife Shivani Are Out Of Our Control. So We Disown From All Movable/Immovable Properties. Anybody Dealing With Then On Their
- I. Krishna Devi W/o late Ram Pal alias Satpal Vill saini majra declare that my son mohan lal is out of my control. I, disown them from all moveable/immovable
- I, Surjeet Kaur (D.O.B. 12.04.1984) Spouse of No. 4482512-H Hav. Kuldeep Singh, resident of Tehsil and District Jalandhar, Punjab India, have changed my name from Surjeet Kaur (D.O.B. 12.04.1984 to Surjit Kaur (D.O.B. 12.04.1985) Vide Affidavit Dated: 25.08.2021 executed before The Executive Magistrate Bhogpur, District Jalandhar. All Please
- I, Manjit Kaur W/o Gurpreet Singh R/o Vill: Argowal Teh-Dasuya (Hoshiarpur) Punjab, declare that my husband army record my name is written as Manjeet Kaur and DOB 14-03-1989 that is incorrect. My correct name is Manjit Kaur and DOB 15-03-1989. Please noted.
- I, No 4488032p Nk Kuldip Singh R/o Gali No 5 Guru Teg Bahadur Nagar Tehsil & District Tarn Taran (Pb) Declare That my Service Record My Wife Rajwinder Kaur Date of Birth Wrongly Written As 13/05/1993 But Correct Date of Birth Is 24/09/1993.
- I, Smt Kulwinder Kaur spouse of No 3409365M Ex Sep Karanbir Singh R/o VPO: Gandiwind Dhattal Tehsil Patti Distt. Tarn Tarn (Pb) declare that as per my husband service records my Date of Birth wrongly written as 22.03.1989 but my DOB is

ਅਸੀਂ ਚੰਦਰ ਭਾਨ ਪੱਤਰ ਰਾਮ ਸਿੰਘ ਅਤੇ ਇਸਵੰਤੀ ਪਤਨੀ ਚੰਦਰ ਭਾਨ ਵਾਸੀਆਨ ਕੁਆਟਰ ਨੂੰ 1009 , ਟਾਈਪ -2, ਰੇਲ ਕੋਚ ਫੈਕਟਰੀ ਐਸ਼ .ਓ. ਕਪੂਰਥਲਾ ਦੇ ਰਹਿਣ ਵਾਲੇ ਲੈ ਰਹੀ ਹੈ। ਇਹ ਕਿ ਅੱਜ ਤੋਂ ਆਪਣੀ ਉਕਤ 15.09.2021 Before Ambala Cantt. ਲੜਕੀ ਪੂਜਾ ਦੇਵੀ ਨੂੰ ਆਪਣੀ ਚੱਲ ਅਤੇ ਅਚੱਲ

CHANGE OF NAME

माया देवी पत्नी धर्मपाल निवासी हंगौला (पंचकूला) ब्यान करती हूं कि शादी से पहले मेरा नाम बिन्द्रों था बदलकर माया देवी रख लिया है। singh To Gurcharan Singh Walia. बिन्द्रों और माया देवी नाम की मैं एक ही महिला हूँ।

- I, Sagar S/o Shamsher Singh r/o VPO Bagthala, Tehsil Thanesar, District Kurukshetra have changed my name Sagar to Sagar Singh Gure.
- I, Manoj S/o Birbhan R/o #435 Kharak Mangoli old Panchkula my father name Veer Bhan wrongly entered in my Education Certificate. his correct name is Birbhan
- I, Anju Bala W/o Ranjit Singh R/o Village-Jyoli, SAS Nagar, Mohali (Punjab) have changed name from Anju Bala to Anju Devi.
- I, Inderjit Kaur W/o Mr. Gurlal Singh Sidhu r/o Village Patti Warich Sirah, Gurdaspur changed my name as Inderjit Kaur Sidhu after marriage. In future my name will be considered as Inderjit Kaur Sidhu.
- name from Suman to Sweety. Concerned note.
- I, Neha Pathania W/o Amit Salaria R/o V.P.O-. Gurah Kalan Teh. & Distt.- Pathankot, hereby declare in school document of my son my name incorrect. My correct name is Neha Pathania please correct it.
- I, Krishan Kumar Gupta S/o Om Parkash R/o H.No. 1874 HBC, All concerned please note. Sector-15, Sonepat declare that I have Kumar to Krishan Kumar Gupta. For
- I. Renu Gupta W/o Krishan Sector-15, Sonepat declare that I have changed my name from Renu to Renu
- Gupta. For all future purposes.

- Kumar Gupta R/o H.No. 1874 HBC, Sector-15, Sonepat declare that I have changed my name from Nilansh to Nilansh Gupta. For all future
- I, Pranjal Gupta D/o Krishan Kumar Gupta R/o H.No. 1874 HBC, Sector-15, Sonepat declare that I have changed my name from Pranjal to Pranjal Gupta. For all future purposes.
- I. Sukhieet Singh S/o Balbir Singh R/o H.No. 0245/2Ward No. 7, Tohana Road, Ratia, Tehsil Ratia, Distt. Fatehabad declares that in my DMC my Father's and Mother's name wrongly mentioned as Balbeer Singh and Balwinder Kaur while their correct names are Balbir Singh and
- I, Divya Rani D/o Naresh Kumar R/o Flat Number 122B. Second Floor, Blue Ridge 2, Peer Muchalla, Distt. SAS Nager Mohali, Punjab, have changed my name to Divya Singla.
- I, Sanjay Kumar S/o Sain Dass R/o H.No. 43 Indira Colony, Vikram Marg, Distt. Karnal have changed my name from Sanjay Kumar to Sanjay Arora. Please note for future.
- I, Shallu Batra W/o Sanjay Arora R/o H.No. 43 Indira Colony, Vikram Marg, Distt. Karnal have changed my name from Shallu Batra to Shalu Arora. Please note for future
- I, Bhupinder Singh S/o Nirmal Singh R/o Village Margain, Distt. Karnal have changed my son name from Tanveer Dillo to Tanveer Dhillon. Please note for future.
- I, Rehana Naaz Khan W/o nanam Khait Fareed Khan, # 772. DMC, Sector 38 West Chandigarh Transactions from this in future, have changed my Minor Daughter causing mutual quarrels, will be itself name from Khanam Khait Rida Khan to Sarah Khan.
- I, Service No. 15125948K Rank Hav Shailendra Singh S/o Tehsildar Singh Unit 158 Med Regt C/o 56 Village and Post Office Kala Bakra, APO, Ambala Cantt. Have Changed my Wife Name from Abha To Abha I, Service No. 15203738Y Rank
 - Hav Birendra Ram R/o Unit 158 Med Regt C/o 56 APO. Have Changed my Son Name from Auyash Raj To Ayush Raj Vide affidavit dated 23.09.2021 Before Ambala Cantt.
 - I. Nitasha D/o Service No. NTR 16785Y Rank LT COL Desh Raj Chandel (Unit MH Ambala) R/o Vill Hirapur, Distt. Bilashpur, Himachal Pradesh -174024. Have Changed my Name from Nitasha To Nitasha Chandel Vide affidavit dated 15.09.2021 Before Ambala Cantt.
 - I, Nisha D/o Service No. NTR 16785Y Rank LT COL Desh Raj Chandel (Unit MH Ambala) R/o Vill Hirapur, Distt. Bilashpur, Himachal Pradesh -174024. Have Changed my Name from Nisha To Nisha Chandel Vide affidavit dated 15.09.2021 Before Ambala Cantt.
 - I, Iyush S/o Service No. NTR 16785Y Rank LT COL Desh Raj Chandel (Unit MH Ambala) R/o Vill Hirapur, Distt. Bilashpur, Himachal Pradesh -174024. Have Changed my Name from Ivush To Ivush Chandel Before Ambala Cantt.
- L Aniali Devi W/o Service No. NTR 16785Y Rank LT COL Desh Rai Chandel (Unit MH Ambala) R/o Vill Hirapur, Distt. Bilashpur, Himachal ਹਾਂ ਇਹ ਕਿ ਸਾਡੀ ਲੜਕੀ ਪੂਜਾ ਦੇਵੀ ਉਮਰ Pradesh -174024.Have Changed my ਕਰੀਬ 29 ਸਾਲ ਜੋ ਕਿ ਸਾਡੇ ਕਹਿਣੇ ਕਾਰ ਤੋਂ Name from Anjali Devi To Anjali ਬਾਹਰ ਹੈ ਅਤੇ ਆਪਣੀ ਮਰਜ਼ੀ ਨਾਲ ਸਾਰੇ ਫੈਸਲੇ Chandel Vide affidavit dated
- I, Arun Kumar Sharma S/o Shri ਜਾਇਦਾਦ ਤੋਂ ਬੇਦਖ਼ਲ ਕਰਦੇ ਹਾਂ ਜੋ ਵੀ ਇਸ Satya Parkash R/o 206/2, Toofani ਨਾਲ ਲੈਣ ਦੇਣ ਕਰੇਗਾ ਉਹ ਖੁਦ ਜ਼ਿੰਮੇਵਾਰ Enclave, Air Force Station, Ambala Cantt.Have Changed my Name from Arun Kumar Sharma To Arun Kumar Vide affidavit dated 23.09.2021 Before Tehsil, Ambala Cantt.
- I, Gurcharan Singh S/O Tirath Singh Walia R/O H. No. 1348/29/5 Block-19 ward 55 Near Kali Mata Mandir Haibowal Khurd Ludhiana I और शादी के बाद मैंने अपना नाम Have Change My Name Gurcharan
 - I, Ishwar Singh S/o Sabar Singh R/o 400G-Z, Rishi Nagar, Ludhiana. My Son Yuvraj Singh Correct DOB is 9/12/2009. But Garhwal Rifles office record Incorrect DOB is 11/12/2009.
 - I, Sangeeta Negi W/o Ishwar Singh My Correct DOB is 23.01.1985.But Garhwal Rifles office record Incorrect DOB is 1984 R/o 400G-Z Rishi Nagar, Ludhiana
 - I, Sachin Wadhawan S/o Subhash Chand r/o 1278 Sec-13 Urban State Karnal declare Plakshi Wadhawan and Plakshi both are my daughter name and in future her name
- I, Rajinder Kumar S/o Rulia Ram R/o Village Mohna, Tehsil Pundri, District Kaithal declare that in DMC of my minor son his name written as Ayush, Father name written I, Suman W/o Rakesh Kumar as Rajinder and mother name written R/o 175, Multani Mohalla, Batala as Kiran that is wrong. The correct Dist.Gurdaspur have changed my name of my son is Ayush Choudhary, Father Name is Rajinder Kumar and Mother name is Kiran Bala. All concerned please note.
- I, Jasbeer Kaur W/o Charan Singh R/o House No 773, Near Gurudwara, Dera Gadla, Kaithal, is written as Neha Salaria which is Distt. Kaithal declare that I have changed my name from Jasveer Kaur to Jasbeer Kaur. In future, I shall be known by the name of Jasbeer Kaur.
- I. No JC-245950L Rank RIS changed my name from Krishan Name M. Ponnuchamy R/O VILL Somaiyapuram, PO Rajapalayam, Teh Rajapalayam, Distt Virudhunagar, State Tamilnadu, PIN 626117 hereby Kumar Gupta R/o H.No. 1874 HBC, declare that I have changed the name of my daughter from Rethanyaa Sp to Rithanya P. vide affidavit before

RIS Name Balbir Singh posted at 14 HORSE C/O 56 APO hereby declare that I have changed the name of my daughter from Navepreet Kaur to Navpreet Kaur vide affidavit dated 23/09/2021 before Session Court,

Classifieds

- I, Jasbir Kaur W/o Biney Badyal, R/o Delhi Eye Hospital, Freedom Fighter Road, Fazilka, have changed my name from Jasbir Kaur to Jasbir Badyal.
- I. Paramiit Kaur W/o Kuldeep Singh, Vill, Ramthali Tehsil Guhla (Kaithal) declare that Paramjit Given Name and Kaur Surname. I, Kuldeep Singh S/o Sajjan
- Singh, Vill. Ramthali Tehsil Guhla (Kaithal) changed my minor son name Gurpreet and Singh Surname. I, Yadwinder Singh S/o msher Singh, Vill. Ratta Khera
- I, Satkartar S/o Bachan Singh, V.P.O Kakralabinayat Tehsil Guhla (Kaithal) given Satkartar as name
- I, Paramjeet Kaur W/o Mahaveer, Vill. Dhandota Tehsil Guhla (Kaithal), have changed my name to Parmjeet Kaur.

and Singh Surname.

- I, Pawanpreet Kaur Gill W/o Hardeep Singh, Vill Faridpur Khurd Bahadargarh, Teh & Distt Malerkotla, changed my name to
- I, Deepanshi alias Deepanshi Singh D/o Sh. Brhamjit Singh R/o H.No. 173/28, Garhi Ghasita, Gopal Nagar, Sonipat declare that my date of birth is 10.02.1997 and I have changed my name from Deepanshi to Deepanshi Singh for all future
- I. Suman Rani W/o Bharat Bhushan Wasan R/o 70-E, Rishi Nagar, Ludhiana declare that Suman Rani, Suman Rani Kamboj and Suman Rani Kapoor one and the same person. Concerned please note. I, Renu Malhotra W/o Pawan
- Malhotra R/o 51-B. Rishi Nagar. Ludhiana declare that Renu Malhotra, Renu, Renu Rani and Renu Bala one and the same person Concerned please note. I, Anita Malhotra W/o Rajiv Kumar R/o 50-B, Rishi Nagar,
- Ludhiana declare that Anita Malhotra, Anita Rani, Anita Rani Sehgal and Anita Rani Sharma one and the same person. Concerned I, Jasmine W/o Jaspreet Singh
- R/o #1, Venus Colony Dukhniwaran Sahib Road Patiala have changed my name from Jasmine to Neha Rani. I. Preeti Bhatnagar W/o
- Abhishek Saxena R/o H.No. 1129, Chapar Banda Mohalla, Patiala have changed my name from Preeti Bhatnagar to Preeti Saxena.
- I, Satpal Singh S/o Bagel Singh r/o House No. 31/30 Street Ganda Ram Basti Balochan Wali Ferozepur City and District Ferozepur declare that my daughter Education Transfer Certificate (School Record) in mention my daughter name is Saijalpreet Kaur but actual correct name is my daughter Sejalpreet Kaur mention in my daughter birth certificate.
- I, Reena Rani W/o Harjit kumar r/o H.no.202 Vill. Jhoke hari har Pin code 152003 distt. Ferozepur inform that I am known all of names Reena Rani and Reena Mehta. But my actual names is Reena Rani which may be amended accordingly.
- Parkash r/o H. no. 202 vill. Jhoke hari har, Pin code-152003 Distt. Ferozepur inform that i am known both of names Harjeet kumar and Harjit kumar. But my actual name is Harjit Kumar which may be amended accordingly.
- I, Army No. JC-406102A Nb/SUB Nem Singh resident of Railway Road, Near Block, Kaimganj, Farrukhabad (UP) in my service record my Son name wrongly recorded as Dhurav Yadav instead of Dhruv Yadav vide affidavit No. AT682360 dated 17 Sep 2021 before
- I Rama Spouse of No. 15618194A Hav N Prasad Resident of VPO Jangapally Tehsil Mirdoddi District Siddipet (Telangana) in my husband service record my name wrongly recorded as Rama instead of Narravula Rama Vide affidavit No. AT682201 dated 21 Sep 2021 before notary public Pathankot.

Notary Public Pathankot.

- I, No. 15500214L ALD Ashok Kumar Saini resident of Ajabpura Tehsil Thanagazi, District Alwar (Rajasthan). In my service record my son name wrongly recorded as Harsh No. AT682195 dated 20 Sep 2021 before Notary Public Pathankot.
- I. Iragdao Baro resident of Unit 47 Armd Regt C/o 56 APO. In my service record my Son name wrongly recorded as Chitradip Baro instead of Chitradeep Baro vide affidavit No. 28 AA 753398 dated 23 July 2021 before Notary Udalguri Govt of Assam.
- Gaurav S/O Govind Singh Rawat R/O House No. 23, Gali No.2, Shere Punjab Avenue, Majitha Road, Amritsar- Punjab have changed my name to Gaurav Singh Rawat all please note.
- I, Ikbinder Jeet Kaur Randhawa D/O Surinder Pal Singh R/O V.P.O. Mandaur District Patiala have changed my name to Ikbinder Jit Kaur Randhawa

- I, Sandeep Singh Rathor S/O Satnam Singh R/O H. No.157 Sanaur, Moh. Kasabian wala, Teh. & District Patiala declare that I have changed my name to Sandeep Single and my address to H. No. 37, Ward No.2. Sanaur District Patiala. Al concern may please note.
- I, No.33986201 Ex Hav Jang Bhadur Singh S/O Inderjit Singl Resident Of Village Chhina Railway Post Office Naushera Majja Singh Tehsil And Distt Gurdaspur (Punjab) Have Changed The Name Of My Wife From Sharnjit Kaur To Sharanjit Kaur Correct Date Of Birth Of My Wife Is 04-04-1984 Instead Of 01-04-1984.
- I, No.14426521p Ex Hav Pankaj Kumar S/O Sh Sat Pal Sharma Resident Of Village And Post Office Mirthal Tehsil And Distt Pathanko (Punjab), Have Change The Name Of My Wife From Monica Sharma To Monika Sharma Vide Affidavit Dated Lukman Tehsil Guhla (Kaithal), 23.09.2021 Before given name Yadwinder and Singh Magistrate Pathankot.
 - I Harpreet Kaur Khattra D/O Nirbhai Singh R/O Village Khattra Chuharam Distt. Ludhiana Have Changed My Name To Harpreet Kaur.
 - I. Mukesh Taneia S/o Ramesh Chand taneja R/o HN. 438, Sec. 14 U.E Distt. Karnal declare that Mukesh Kumar Taneja & Mukesh Taneja is One And same person.
 - I. Jaswinder Kaur D/o Mohinder Singh W/o Balwinder Singh R/o Vill. Raju Bela, PO. Chak Sharif, Distt. Gurdaspur-143528, Punjab have changed my name from Jaswinder Kaur to Gurleen Kaur. I. Mohamad Javed S/c
 - 144039, Punjab have changed my name from Mohamad Javed to Mohamad Javir. I Priya W/O Harpreet Singh Mishal R/O Vpo. Mahalon Tehsil Nawanshahr Distt, S.B.S. Nagar Have

Mohammad Hadis R/o Mohalla

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Priya Mishal, After Marriage. I Charanjeet Singh S/O Manjit Singh R/O Vpo. Mahawa Tehsil & District Amritsar Have Changed My Name From Charanieet Singh To Surname Singh, Given Name

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- I Kuldip Singh S/O Jagtar Singh R/O Vpo. Mahawa Tehsil & District Amritsar Have Changed My Name From Kuldip Singh To Surname Singh, Given Name Kuldip.
- I Daliit Kaur W/O Manjit Singh Kailey R/O Vpo. Kailey Tehsil Raikot Distt. Ludhiana Have Changed My Name To Daljit Kaur Kailey.
- Singh R/O Vpo. Kailey Tehsil Raikot Distt. Ludhiana Have Changed My Name To Manjit Singh Kailey. I Harjit Singh S/O Gurbakhsh Singh R/O Vill. Kot Sadar Khan Tehsil

I Manjit Singh S/O Balwan

- Dharamkot Distt. Moga Have Changed My Name To Harjeet Singh I, Gurmit Singh S/O Kabal Singh R/O VPO Tera Kalan, Tehsil Ajnala District Amritsar Have
- Changed My Name To Gurmee I, AnterPal Singh Dhaliwal S/o rmail Singh R/o Vill Jagjitpura (ugoke) Distt. Barnala have changed
- my minor Son name Jashanjit Singh to Jashanjit Singh Dhaliwal. I, Harmeet Singh Benipal S/ Mohinder Singh R/o Vpo Rohno Kalan Tehsil Khanna (Ludhiana)
- changed my name to Harmeet Singh. I, Harjit Singh S/o Bawa Singh R/o Green Field Enclave H.No. 373 Malout (Sri Muktsar Sahib) change my name to Harjit Singh Sandhu.
- I, Jasbir Kaur W/o Harjit Singh Sandhu R/o Green Field Enclave I, Harjit kumar S/o Sh. Ved H.No. 373 Malout (Sri Muktsar Sahib) changed my name to Jasbir Kaur
 - I Dev Ankur S/O Raghukul Bhushan Garg R/O Street Ramanand Manohar Lal Ferozepur City Have Changed My Name To Dev Ankur
 - I, Dilbag Singh S/O Iqbal Singh R/O Vpo. Lakhewali District Sr Muktsar Sahib Have Changed My Name To Dilbagh Singh Brar.
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 - I Parveen Bala W/O Sunil Kumar R/O House No. 582, Ward No. 14 Inder Nagari Street No. 1 Jalalabad Distt Fazilka Have Changed My Name To Parveen.
 - I, Vijay Paul S/O Kharaiti Ram R/O Navi Abadi, Guruharsahai, Distt. Ferozepur Have Changed My Minor's Son Name From Jashua To Joshua V
 - I, Muskan Garg D/o Sh Sushil Kumar R/o Garh Mohalla, Samana, Distt. Patiala changed my name to
 - I, Kiran Rani W/o Sh Sushil Kumar R/o Garh Mohalla, Samana, Distt. Patiala changed my name to

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Khattar launches Haryana bee keeping policy-2021

PNS CHANDIGARH

o promote beekeeping in L the State, Haryana Chief Minister Manohar Lal Khattar on Thursday launched the Harvana Bee Keeping Policy-2021 and action plan 2021-2030.

On the occasion, the Chief Minister directed the officers to aim to enhance the production of honey by

directed officers to motivate the farmers to start bee keeping and get 5000 new farmers to take up the initiative for which the State will provide help. He said that with the

farmers involved in beekeeping, they will be encouraged to sow alternative crops like sunflower and mustard. The sale of honey and its bvproducts like Royal Jelly, Beewax, Propolis, Bee Pollen 10 times by 2030. He also and Bee Venom will enhance

the income of the farmers many times over, he said.

Khattar also directed the officers to ensure focus on small farmers to help increase their income through beekeeping.

He said that private entrepreneurs should be encouraged to start businesses for manufacturing bee boxes and the department to monitor the qualiof

Secretary, Agriculture and Farmers Department, Sumita Mishra said that if we focus on byproducts of beekeeping there will be significant growth in the income of farmers. She also informed that Integrated Bee Development Centre (IBDC), Ramnagar, Kurukshetra is the one-of-akind institute and the government aims to make it a centre of excellence.

Hooda announces to launch 'Vipaksh Aapke Samaksh' from Karnal on October 10

PNS ■ CHANDIGARH

ormer Haryana Chief $oldsymbol{\Gamma}$ Minister and Leader of Opposition Bhupinder Singh Hooda on Thursday announced the launch party's outreach programme 'Vipaksh Aapke Samaksh' on outreach October 10 from Karnal, the assembly constituency represented by Chief Minister Manohar Lal Khattar.

"We will meet people and party workers in every district to listen to their problems and raise their issues. After covering all districts, we will visit all Vidhan Sabha constituencies to connect with the people of the state," Hooda said while talking to the mediapersons here.

The decision to launch an outreach programme was taken at the Congress Legislature Party meeting held under Hooda on Wednesday. Interestingly, the decision has been taken amid the ongoing political upheaval in neighboring Punjab, where veteran Congress leader Capt Amarinder Singh was forced to quit as Punjab Chief

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reach programmes across the state is seen as Hooda's attempt to remain 'visible' and 'active' in the field and not lose his grip over the Haryana state party unit.

When asked whether the CLP meeting was convened in view of major developments in Punjab, Hooda claimed that it was decided to hold the meeting a week ago and it has nothing to do with the political scenario in Punjab. On a question that the

outreach programme is planned despite the fact that there is no organizational structure of Congress in Haryana, the former Chief Minister said that it is the responsibility of the opposition to raise the voice of the people and we will continue

Congress central leadership is yet to announce the district party presidents and other office bearers in the state party unit. Reacting to the removal of

Capt Amarinder from the top post in Punjab, Hooda said that the CMs have been changed in other states too.

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Three Khalistan Tiger Force operatives held in Tarn Taran

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Three operatives of the **I** radical Khalistan Tiger Force (KTF) outfit have been arrested in Punjab"s Tarn Taran, and weapons and explosives seized from their possession, police said on Thursday.

They were identified as Kanwarpal Singh, Kulwinder Singh and Kamalpreet Singh, all residents of Moga. Two hand grenades and three 9mm pistols were found in their possession, along with two boxes packed in foam which the police suspect to be tiffin bombs. Kanwarpal Singh has dis-

closed that he had returned from Canada two weeks ago, the police said. Four months back, the Punjab Police had arrested three KTF operatives involved in several heinous crimes, including the murder of a Dera Premi and firing on a priest. The trio had been acting on the directions of KTF's Canada-based chief Hardeep Singh Nijjar.

Additional Director General of Police (ADGP), Internal Security, R N Dhoke said the latest arrests were made near Bhagwanpur village in Bhikhiwind during a police check. Preliminary investigations revealed that the trio had reached Tarn Taran to retrieve a dumped militant hardware consignment on the directions of Canada-based Arshdeep Dalla, a close aide of Nijjar, the police said.

Delhi HC to hear Google's plea against leak of CCI probe info to media

PTI ■ NEW DELHI

he Delhi High Court The Delni riigii Con Thursday agreed to hear a plea by Internet giant Google protesting against alleged leak of information to media relating to an ongoing investigation by the Competition Commission of India (CCI) into Google's Android smartphone agreements.

The petition was mentioned before a bench of Chief Justice D N Patel and Justice Jyoti Singh for an urgent listing and the court allowed it for hearing on Friday. Google in a statement said

confidential interim fact-finding report submitted by the Director General's office to the CCI relating to an ongoing investigation into Google's Android smartphone agreements, was leaked to the media. It said Google has not yet received or reviewed this confidential report.

The company said it has filed the petition in the court seeking redress in this matter, specifically protesting against the breach of confidence which impairs Google's ability to defend itself and harms it and its partners. A Google spokesperson said, "We are deeply concerned that the Director General's report, which contains our confidential information in an ongoing case,

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was leaked to the media while in the CCI's custody. Protecting confidential information is fundamental to any governmental investigation, and we are pursuing our legal right to seek redress and prevent any further unlawful disclosures. "We cooperated fully and maintained confidentiality throughout the investigative process, and we hope and expect the same level of confidentiality from the institutions we engage with."

DG's findings do not reflect the final decision of the CCI and the submission of the investigation report is an interim procedural step, it said, had the opportunity to review them, much less submit its defence of any allegations.

According to reports, the CCI probe has found Google allegedly abusing its dominant position with respect to mobile operating system Android.

On this, Google has said that Android has led to more competition and innovation.

The reports said it has been found that Google indulged in unfair business practices in relation to Android. After prima-facie finding alleged violation of competition norms, the watchdog, in early 2019, had ordered a detailed probe against Google in this regard.

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Punjab SC panel takes suo-motu notice of casteist remarks against CM on social media

PNS ■ CHANDIGARH

Punjab State Commission for Scheduled Castes, on Thursday, has taken suo-moto notice of the casteist remarks against the Chief Minister of the state on social media. "On a Facebook account,

the handler had posted the most abusive and casteist remarks about Punjab Chief Minister which went viral on the social media," said the Commission chairperson Tejinder Kaur. Taking suomotu notice of these remarks. the chairperson has instructed the Puniab's Bureau of Investigation director to take action under Section 3 (1) of the Prevention of Atrocities Act, 1989, and submit a report by September 29, 2021.

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Anirudh Tiwari takes over as new Chief Secy

In just about three days after the change of guard in Punjab, the party has been bringing major administrative changes in the government which has been facing the allegations of being run by the state's bureaucracy.

After Charanjit Singh Channi took over the state's reins on Monday, the Government has not only changed the state's Chief Secretary by appointing 1990-batch IAS officer Anirudh Tiwari in place of Vini Mahajan, but also several senior bureaucrats, top police officials, along with removing the Chief Minister's team of OSDs (officer on special duty).

The state Director General of Police (DGP) Dinkar Gupta is also expected to be replaced anytime now. Another DGPlevel officer Siddharth Chattopadhyaya is among the frontrunners for the post along with VK Bhawra and Iqbal Preet Singh Sahota.

Besides, the Government will also be replacing the state's Vigilance Bureau chief BK Uppal, who is considered close to Capt Amarinder's aide Bharat Inder Singh Chahal. For the post, the name of Additional DGP Harpreet Singh Sidhu, who is currently heading the Special Task Force

against drugs, is being

Besides, the appointment of a new Advocate-General is also on the cards. It has been learnt that the name of senior advocate DS Patwalia has been approved for the coveted post, which was earlier held by Capt Amarinder's confidant Atul Nanda. Notably, Nanda resigned as the state's top law officer soon after Capt Amarinder.

In the ongoing major reshuffles in the civil administration, Chief Minister Channi has appointed 1995-batch IAS officer Hussan Lal as

his principal secretary and Rahul Tiwari as his chief principal secretary, replacing Capt Amarinder's blue-eyed officers - Tejveer Singh and Gurkirat Kirpal Singh, respec-

Ón the police administration side, the head of the three Police Commissionerates have been transferred. Naunihal Singh has been appointed Jalandhar's Commissioner of Police, Sukhchain Singh Gill Amritsar Commissioner of Police, and Gurpreet Singh Bhullar is Ludhiana Commissioner of Police.

Only a day before, the



Government had replaced a set of one loyalist, the political appointees, with another at the districts level also.

Channi, during his maiden visit to Amritsar after becoming the Chief Minister on Wednesday, had ordered to replace Capt Amarinder's loyalist Dinesh Bassi, who did not enjoy good relations with Punjab Congress president Navjot Singh Sidhu, from the post of Amritsar Improvement Trust chairman with Sidhu's close aide, Damandeep Singh

including Capt Amarinder's Besides, a close confidant chosen-one Girish Dayalan of senior Congress leader Tript only

Commissioner to be trans-

TIWARI SUPERSEDES FIVE OFFICERS

With the appointment of 1990-batch IAS officer Anirudh Tewari as Punjab's new Chief Secretary, he has superseded his five senior officers, including the outgoing Chief Secretary Vini Mahajan, who is of the 1987-batch.

All the five officers Mahajan, Ravneet Kaur (1988 batch), Sanjay Kumar (1988), VK Janjua (1989), and Kirpa Shankar Saroj (1989) — have been made "special chief secretaries" to the Punjab Government.

Currently the Additional Chief Secretary and Financial Commissioner (Development), Tewari is considered among the brightest officers in the

He is considered close to former Finance Minister Manpreet Singh Badal as he had served him as the Principal Secretary (Finance). It is believed that Manpreet has played a major role in his appointment as the state's administrative head.

Interestingly, Tewari has served on several key posts not only under the ruling Congress Government, but also during the previous SAD-BJP

plan for deployment of manpower in its Depts NISHU MAHAJAN and other government under-

With a focus on transparency in engaging manpower and stopping exploitation of contractual employees in the state, Haryana Government has decided to prepare an action plan for deployment of the manpower against contractual posts and outsourced services for its Departments and other government undertakings. Haryana Kaushal Rozgar

Nigam Limited, which has been established recently by the State Government with an aim to stop the practice of hiring contractual employees through outsourcing and deploying manpower as per the demand of all the government entities, will prepare the said action plan. For this, the Nigam has begun the process to collect details of Group C and D posts and other contractual posts, outsourcing services and vacancies in various Departments in the state.

A letter has been sent by the Haryana Kaushal Rozgar Nigam Limited to all Head of the Departments, Divisional Commissioners, Managing Directors/Chief Administrator/Chief Executive Officer of Boards/Corporations/Nigams

takings, Secretary of all Statutory entities, Registrars of all Universities, all Deputy Commissioners in this regard.

Eye on transparency, Haryana Govt to prepare action

"A detailed action plan will be prepared by the Nigam for deployment of required manpower in government departments. Thus, all the Departments and other undertakings have been directed to send details of name of posts, number of all contractual employees (under part I and II of contractual/outsourcing policy) with their job role and name of contracting agency as well," said a senior officer of Haryana Government while talking to The Pioneer.

"Sīmilarly, details of contractual posts and the number of contractual employees working against these posts and the details of part-time posts and number of all contractual employees working against these posts with their job roles have also been sought. The Departments and other government undertakings have also been directed to appoint a nodal officer in their respective organizations to facilitate the collection of this data and for liasoning with the Nigam," the officer said.

Notably, the Haryana Cabinet had last month approved the establishment of

Nigam Limited to carry out the business of deployment of skilled, semi - skilled and other manpower in government departments and other organizations owned and controlled by the State Government for meeting their requirements.

The Nigam set up under the

administrative control of the Haryana Skill Development and Industrial Training Department has been constituted in view of lack of transparency while engaging manpower at present; exploitation of contractual manpower by private contractors or service providers by way of delayed payment, non-payment, or less payment of salary and benefits, non-compliance of the provisions of Employees Provident Fund and Miscellaneous Provisions Act, 1952 and non-compliance of government's instructions on the reservation policy in deployment of manpower by private contractors or service providers.

Earlier this year, the State Government had also announced a common eligibility test for all group C and D posts doing away with the interview system to bring more transparency in the recruitment process. The rules in this regard were notified recently by the State Government.

Foundation Stone of Baba Sahib Bhim Rao Ambedkar

ENDING VIP CULTURE

Punjab CM Charanjit Singh Channi curtails his security cover

Terms it 'sheer wastage of Government resources'

CHANDIGARH/KAPURTHALA

 $P^{\text{unjab's new Chief Minister}}_{\text{Charanjit Singh Channi, in}}$ a clear contrast to his predecessor Capt Amarinder Singh who was 'Maharaja of Patiala', on Thursday set the wheels in motion to end the VIP culture in government functioning to facilitate the common masses "I am a common man and brother of every Punjabi," he declared.

security cover, Channi said: "I

am one of you and I don't need an army of 1000 security personnel to protect me from my own brethren?

The Chief Minister, during his address at IK Gujral Punjab Technical University, said that he was surprised to learn that after assuming charge of my office suddenly, I have 1000 security personnel to guard me.

Terming that it is "sheer wastage of government resources", he said: "This cannot be allowed as what harm my own Punjabis will do to me as I too am a common man like them...I have asked the Police to reduce my security overruling the rationale given by intelligence agencies regarding threat to my life."

The Chief Minister also quipped that he was surprised to learn that being the head of the State, he is also entitled for Announcing to curtail his car as big as room for the comis available for serving the fortable travel. "However, what people 24X7.

peeved me is that Rs two crore was spent from tax payer's money to purchase this car...This luxury is unwarranted and undesirable as these funds could have been well utilised for the welfare of the public, especially those from weaker and underprivileged sections," he said.

The Chief unequivocally said that he is votary of simple living and high thinking, so this VIP culture has to go at all cost.

"I am not fond of luxurious lifestyle, rather I am there to serve the Punjabis," he said adding that he has also asked the officers to ensure reduction in vehicles constituting his cav-

Channi also said that he was not a VIP rather a normal Punjabi and anyone can call him anytime on his phone as he

Channi lays foundation stone of state-of-the-art Dr Ambedkar museum PNS KAPURTHALA

Deputy

Punjab Chief Minister Charanjit Singh Channi on Thursday said that the state-ofthe-art museum, to be named after Bharat Ratna Baba Sahib Dr BR Ambedkar, will act as a beacon for perpetuating the glorious legacy of Baba sahib amongst our coming genera-Channi, addressing the

Rajinder Singh Bajwa, Kasturi

Lal Seth, is also back as the

Batala Improvement Trust

chairman few days after he was

replaced with his bête noire

and Rajya Sabha MP Partap

Singh Bajwa's aide Pawan

Kumar Panna. Tript Bajwa's

another close aide Rajinder

Singh has again been appoint-

ed Batala Marketing

Committee chairman, who

was also removed and replaced

with Partap Bajwa's aide.
Nine IAS and two PCS

officers were also transferred,

gathering after laying the foundation stone of Museum and handing over job letters to youth in a state-level Mega Job Fair at IK Gujral Punjab Technical University, the Chief Minister said that the State Government will spend Rs 150 crore on this prestigious project which will be a humble but befitting tribute to the iconic

He said that this Museum will go a long way in perpetuating the life and philosophy of the great leader who played a great role in the welfare of the poorest of poor. Channi said that this project will be a unique amalgamation of facts in the subjects pertaining to the

life, work and philosophy of Dr Ambedkar.

Describing Dr Ambedkar as a great scholar, jurist, economist, reformer, and a statesman, the Chief Minister said that he was one of the most towering personalities in the entire world history. "I am here just because Ambedkar's philosophy which, coupled with hard work, has guided my destiny," he said.

Complementing the newly-employed youngsters, the Chief Minister said that it is good for them that they have got these jobs but this shall not be their final destination and they have to

strive hard for achieving more success in future. Also soliciting youth's support to make Punjab a corruption-free state, Channi

Government is laying major thrust on strengthening education infrastructure in State," he

Photo Caption: Punjab Chief Minister breaks into Bhangra and grooves on the dhol beats along with the performers during an event to lay the foundation stone of a Baba Bhim Rao BR Ambedkar Museum and handing over job letters to the youth in a state-level Mega Job Fair at IK Gujral Punjab Technical University, Kapurthala said that the State Government role. "Education is the only key will adopt a zero tolerance polto uplift the living standard of icy towards corruption for which weaker and underprivileged secyouth needs to play a proactive tions due to which the

JJP announces to install biggest statue of Devi Lal on his birth anniversary on September 25

PNS CHANDIGARH

 $F_{\text{National Lok Dal for the}}^{\text{ighting a battle with Indian}}$ legacy of former Deputy Prime Minister Chaudhary Devi Lal, Jannayak Janata Party has announced to install the biggest statue of the leader on the Delhi-Mumbai highway at village Hilalpur in Nuh district on September 25.

statue is 42 feet. The statue of former Deputy Prime Minister Chaudhary Devi Lal will be installed on his birth anniversary on September 25," said Jannayak Janata Party's princi-

"The total height of the

pal general secretary Digvijay Singh Chautala while talking to the mediapersons here.

Digvijay, younger brother of Haryana Deputy Chief Minister Dushyant Chautala said that programmes will also be organized on September 25 by the party at district, light and block level, where party officials and workers will remember Tau Devi Lal and will also do social work.

Notably, Ajay Chautala, who is INLD's chief OP Chautala's elder son had parted ways with the INLD in 2019 forming his own political out-

Punjab Police to conduct exams on Sept 25, 26 to recruit 4,358 constables

With over 4.71 lakh candidates expected to appear for the written examination for the posts of constable in District and Armed cadres, the Punjab Police is all set to facilitate seamless conduct of the examination process under this mammoth recruitment drive. Additional Director General of Police (ADGP)cum-Central Recruitment Board for Constables' chairperson Gurpreet Kaur Deo said that admit cards have been issued to as many as 4,71,007 candidates, who have applied for 4,358 posts of

Armed cadres. The written test, to be held on September 25 and 26, is being conducted in two shifts including 10 am to 12 noon, and 3 pm to 5 pm, she added. "To ensure smooth and hassle-free conduct of examinations, 187 examination centres have been earmarked across the State and elaborate security arrangements have been made by the concerned districts," said ADGP Deo.

She said that the candidates, who will clear the written test will be called by the Board to appear for the physical trial and documents verification. To ensure that all examinations are being held in an absolute fair and transparent manner, the Punjab Police has appointed a renowned IT consultancy firm to conduct these exams, said ADGP Deo, adding that the entrusted company has been ensuring stringent security measures for maintaining fairness and integrity of the written examination.

Although, 'Dos and Don'ts' regarding the written examinations are being widely circulated via official pages of Punjab Police on various social media platforms, said the ADGP reiterating that all candidates should reach their concerned Examination Centre well in time.

Haryana orders special girdawari to assess crop loss due to rainfall

PNS CHANDIGARH

Haryana Agriculture and Farmers' Welfare Minister JP Dalal on Thursday said that the State Government has directed the concerned Department to conduct special girdawari to assess the crop damage caused due to heavy rainfall in some parts of the State.

To compensate the farmers on time, the officials have been directed to complete the process of girdawari at the earliest, Dalal said while talking to the mediapersons here. He said that the Chief

Minister Manohar Lal Khattar

has issued directions to complete the process of girdawari at the earliest. The rainfall has damaged the crops in various parts of the State in the last 48 hours, he said.

Speaking about the Mukhyamantri Bagwani Bima Yojana scheme approved by the state cabinet on Wednesday, Dalal said that it is the first scheme across the country which will provide insurance cover for horticulture crops in the state. The insurance scheme is currently applicable only for apple farmers in Himachal Pradesh, he added.

He said that 8 to 10 percent

of the area is under cultivation of horticulture crops in the State and earlier there was no insurance scheme for horticulture crops. A total of 21 vegetables, fruits and spice crops will be covered under the scheme. Sometimes, farmers growing horticulture crops have to bear huge financial losses due to various factors. This scheme will compensate the farmer who will suffer the crop damage caused due to sudden outbreak of crop diseases, insect-pests infestation, unseasonal rainfall, hailstorms, drought and frost etc, Dalal

Centre lauds steps taken by Haryana for improving air quality

PNS CHANDIGARH

Haryana Chief Minister Manohar Lal Khattar on Thursday said that the state is fully geared up to handle the issue of agricultural crop residue burning and air pollution issues ahead of the winter season.

The Chief Minister was speaking during a high-level meeting chaired by Union Minister of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Bhupender Yadav to discuss the implementation of an action plan for improvement of air quality in NCR ahead of the approaching winter season, when the incidents of stubble burning tend to increase leading to dangerous rise in levels of air pollution.

The meeting which was held through video conferencing was attended by Ministers and higher officials of various departments from Delhi, Punjab, Rajasthan and Uttar

Lauding the dedicated steps taken by Haryana for improving air quality, Bhupender Yadav said that the Haryana Government's decision to use bio-decomposer technology on one lakh acres of area is certainly a pivotal step for stubble burning management. He also appreciated the work done by State Government for switching industries to CNG and PNG. "Harvana Government has done remarkable work in the field of stubble management as a result of which decline has been seen in the number of stubble burning incidents in the state," Yadav said.

During the meeting, the Chief Minister urged the Centre Government for the re-opening of formaldehyde industries in Yamunanagar. Urging the Union Minister, Khattar said that due to some objection, these industries were closed but then later the regis-

tration for their refunctioning was started but then again these units were closed due to court orders. "I urge the Centre to intervene in this matter so as to give some relief to the industrialists running these units,"

> The Chief Minister while urging the Union Minister to expedite the work of laying CNG and PNG pipelines in the pending areas of the state said that because of the non-availability of these pipelines, many industries might shut down. At the places where the pipelines are available, switching the industrial units to CNG and PNG has already been done in a phased manner, he informed.

> Khattar also urged the Union Minister to allow the implementation of pollution control provisions as district specified rather than entire NCR specified as sometimes difficulty is being faced while implementing these provisions. "At present, around 47 per

comes under the NCR region. Therefore, it is requested that all such provisions should be implemented within the radius of 10 km of NCT and Delhi or within the 10 km radius of cities having 10 lakh population or these provisions should be implemented as per district specified, not as NCR," he

cent of the area of Haryana

As many as 34,372 machines (besides 19,353 rotavators which are removed from the list of crop residue management (CRM) implements by the Government of India are available in Harvana with individual farmers in 4,224 Custom Hiring Centers, the Chief Minister said.

RED, YELLOW AND **GREEN ZONES FOR CROP** RESIDUE BURNING

To ensure efficient management of stubble burning, the

villages of the state have been

categorized into red, yellow and

green zones in terms of incidents of crop residue burning based on the data provided by Haryana Applications Centre (HARSAC) to the Agriculture and Farmers' Welfare and Farmers' Welfare Department. The Chief Minister said that a detailed action plan has been prepared for the prevention of crop

residue burning in the current season and the same has been discussed at length with the Commission for Air Quality Management in NCR and Adjoining Areas (CAQM). It was further informed that Haryana is providing assistance on Crop Residue Management (CRM) machines

that is 50 percent for individuals and 80 percent for Custom Hiring Centers. An amount of Rs 198.53 crore is available under the scheme. Further, the funds released under the Sub Mission on Agricultural Mechanization (SMAM)

scheme will also be utilized for

providing CRM machinery. The applications invited in the first phase have been processed by Deputy Commissioners concerned, and all the applicants in red and yellow zone villages have been allowed to purchase the machines.

In the second phase, applications from red and yellow zone villages have been invited till September 25, and the same will be processed on September 28, by Deputy Commissioners who are the Chairmen of the Committee constituted for the purpose. Besides this, an app called FARM has been developed for the booking of equipment by farmers.

Apart from this, Haryana is implementing a state scheme for providing an incentive rate of rs. 1000 per acre on paddy straw by product for the management of crop residue for baled paddy. A provision of rate of Rs 200 crore has been made during the current year.

SAD to hold protest march to Punjab CM residence on Sept 29 Pradesh Road Kisan Sangharsh

PNS ■ CHANDIGARH

Chiromani Akali Dal (SAD) on Thursday decided to launch a vigorous agitation "to save the future of Punjab's two lakh farmers across 19 districts whose lands are being unjustly acquired for peanuts" by the Congress Government for various roads being constructed under the Bharat Mala project.

As a part of the same, the party has decided to hold a massive protest march from Mohali to the Chief Minister's residence in Chandigarh on September 29 to secure justice for the affected farmer families.

A party delegation will also meet the Punjab Governor on this issue on Friday and submit a memorandum to demand fair compensation for the affected farmers. The decisions were taken after the SAD's senior leadership, led by party president Sukhbir Singh Badal, met the representatives of the Punjab

secure a fair compensation for the affected farmers, to understand the problems being faced by them. Briefing the SAD leadership, the Committee president Sukhdev Singh Dhillon said that the farmers had been shortchanged by the Congress Government and were being offered ridiculously low awards averaging Rs 30 to Ks 70 lakh per acre for rural and urban land respectively. They demanded an enhanced compensation of Rs one crore per acre for rural land and Rs three to Rs five crore per acre for urban land being acquired for the road projects. The Committee also high-

Committee, which has been

spearheading the campaign to

lighted how 25,000 acres of land were being acquired for the project but another 75,000 acres were rendered useless being small pockets which were left without access and irrigation

Govt brings guidelines to help Covid survivors

With most of the Covid survivors facing long-term health issues, Union Health Minister Mansukh Mandaviya on Thursday released guidelines on the treatment of sequelae of Covid-19 which will help in building the capacity of doctors, nurses, paramedics and community health workers across India to deal with long-term effects of the coronavirus infection.

The modules have been prepared to provide guidance to doctors and healthcare workers to deal with the issue of longterm effects of Covid-19, the Health Ministry said in a state-

Mandaviya said that proactive and comprehensive treatment of Covid-19 is required to ensure minimum side effects and no negative effect of the treatment.

"We have witnessed the consequences of post-Covid effect in patients due to taking of higher doses of steroids like cases of Mucormycosis. It is important to take medicines, with less or negligible side



effects. If we are alert beforehand, it will be fruitful in tackling the future consequences of Covid," he said.

"The perceptions related to post-Covid that are perpetuating in our society like fears, mental health issues resulting due to Covid are important to be tackled. So, it's important to understand these post-Covid issues and resolve them," Mandaviya stated. Efforts have been made by the resource persons across the country for the management of these post-Covid-19 complications to prepare the sequelae modules. These are very specialised modules prepared keeping in mind various fields of healthcare professionals, he said.

Speaking on the occasion, Union Minister of State for

Health Bharati Pravin Pawar emphasised on the need to tackle mental health issues and to reach the last mile. This pandemic has put an unprecedented challenge on our health and healthcare system. Mental health care is a big challenge for a country with such a large population. We need to build our capacity to tackle this challenge of mental health," Pawar

If the frontline workers are equipped with proper knowledge and training, they can become a valuable resource in the fight against these post-Covid-19 challenges. "When we are trying to equip ourselves to fight against post-Covid consequences, it's also important to take these to the last mile. The training modules for mental

India logs 31,293 fresh Covid cases in 24 hours

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With 31,923 new Covid cases in the last 24 hours — which is an increase of 18.4 per cent from a day ago—the country's total case-load now stands at 3,35,63,421. The top five states which have registered maximum cases are Kerala with 19,675 cases, followed by Maharashtra with 3,608 cases, Tamil Nadu with 1,682 cases, Andhra Pradesh with 1,365 cases and Mizoram with 1,294 cases. India reported 282 in the last 24 hours, taking the total death toll to 4,46,050.

Cautioning that the second Covid-19 wave is yet not over, the Government warned the people to avoid mass gatherings during festivities. Dr Balram Bhargava, Director

health and other issues have

been prepared based on the

needs expressed by state health

experts," she said, adding that all

should work together to ensure

that Covid-19 becomes the last

ers prepare for post-Covid

"This will help health work-

human pandemic.

containment zones and in districts reporting more than 5% case positivity. Though India is showing decline in new Covid-19 numbers, the surge isn't over, Union Health Secretary Rajesh Bhushan too reiterated at the Health Ministry

mass gatherings should be

avoided in areas identified as

press conference. "We have to continue adhering to norms. We have to ensure that people should take their vacci-The ministry recommended that relaxations and

restrictions can be imposed based on weekly case positivity. The states have been asked to allow gatherings with advance permissions and lim-

health complications in advance

and give suitable treatment to

patients," Mandaviya said, adding, "The perceptions relat-

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General of the Indian Council ited people (as per the state's of Medical Research said, cap) to be allowed in districts with a positivity rate of 5% and below. "Kerala and Mizoram remain states of concern.

Dr Bhargava said that a detailed SOP has been issued by the centre to states and UTs regarding precautions to be taken during festive season. 33 districts in the country have over 10% test positivity rate, according to data presented by the ministry.

Weekly positivity rate is less than 3% for the 12th consecutive week, he said.

Six states and UTs -Chandigarh, Himachal Pradesh, Goa, Sikkim, Andaman and Nicobar Islands, and Lakshwadeep have vaccinated 100% of their population with one dose.

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The Minister said the advisories were the first such series of seven modules released in India, and they provide extensive guidelines for the medical

UK-based company booked for cheating BOI of ₹192.48 cr



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The CBI has booked UK-based firm Molinare Limited and its Indian directors for cheating the Bank of India's London branch to the tune of ₹192.48 crore.

The agency also conducted searches at two locations in the national capital at the premises of the accused after registering a case on a complaint from Bank of India against the borrower company and others including Managing Director Prabodh Kumar Tewari, Directors/Guarantors Abhishek Tewari and Anand Tewari and unknown public servants for causing an alleged loss of ₹192.48 crore to the public sector lender.

"The accused private company was said to have been engaged in activities relating to post production services in entertainment and media industry. It was alleged in the complaint that the said accused had cheated the Bank of India by submitting fabricated / inflated / bogus invoices without having any genuine business transactions for availing the loan funds and thereafter diverting the same, the CBI said in a statement.

PM CARES Fund not a Govt of India fund, Delhi HC informed

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 $T^{
m he\ PM\ CARES}$ Fund is not a Government of India fund and the amount collected by it does not go to the Consolidated Fund of India, the Delhi High Court has been informed. An affidavit filed by an Under Secretary at the Prime Minister's Office (PMO) who is discharging his functions in the PM Cares Trust on honorary basis, has said the trust functions with transparency and its funds are audited by an auditor a chartered accountant drawn from the panel prepared by the Comptroller and Auditor General of India.

The affidavit was filed in response to a petition seeking a direction to declare the PM CARES Fund a 'State' under the Constitution to ensure transparency in its functioning. A bench of Chief Justice D N Patel and Justice Amit Bansal has fixed the matter for further

"To ensure transparency, the audited report is put on the official website of the trust along with the details of utili-



sation of funds received by the trust," says the affidavit filed by Pradeep Kumar Srivastava, Under Secretary at the PMO. "I state that when the petitioner is claiming to be a public-spirited person and seeking to pray for various reliefs only for transparency, it does not mat-ter whether PM Cares is a 'State' within the meaning of Article 12 of the Constitution of India," the officer said in the affidavit.

Irrespective of whether the trust is a 'State' or other authorauthority' within the meaning of provisions of the Right to Information Act (RTI), it is not

permissible to disclose third party information, it added. It said that all donations received by the trust are received via online payments, cheques or Demand Drafts and the amount received is audited with the audited report and the expenditure of trust fund displayed on the website.

'The trust functions on the principles of transparency and public good in larger public interest like any other charitable trust and, therefore, cannot have any objection in uploadity within the meaning of ing all its resolutions on its cy," it said, while reiterating that "the trust's fund is not a fund of Government of India and the amount does not go in the

Consolidated Fund of India." The officer said he is discharging his functions in the

PM Cares Trust on honorary basis which is a charitable trust not created by or under the Constitution or by any law made by the Parliament or by any State legislature. "Despite being an officer of the Central government, I am permitted to discharge my functions in PM Care Trust on an honorary basis," he said.

The court was hearing a petition filed by Samyak Gangwal who has said that the PM CARES Fund is a 'State' as it was formed by the Prime Minister on March 27, 2020 to extend assistance to the citizens of India in the wake of the public health emergency -- the ongoing COVID-19 Pandemic. His counsel had told the court that if it is found that the PM CARES Fund is not 'State' under the Constitution, usage of the domain name 'gov', the Prime Minister's photograph, state emblem etc has to be stopped.

The petition said that the Trustees of the fund are the Prime Minister, Defence Minister, Home Minister and the Finance Minister and immediately after the formation of the fund, the Centre through its high goveriii functionaries represented that the fund was set up and operated by the Government of

Govt committed to providing affordable healthcare facilities to citizens: Modi

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Prime Minister Narendra Modi on Thursday said it is the Government's commitment to ensure affordable healthcare

The importance of healthcare has been even more clearly understood in the year gone by. It is our commitment to ensure top quality and affordable healthcare for our citizens. Ayushman Bharat PM-JAY is key to realising this vision," he

The Prime Minister commented as the Pradhan Mantri Jan Arogya Yojana, also known as Ayushman Bharat scheme, completed three years which is also being described as the world's largest health scheme. The scheme provides health insurance of up to ₹5 lakh to the poor households.

Modi will also be launch-

ing nationwide rollout of Pradhan Mantri Digital Health Mission on Monday. Under unique digital health ID will be provided to people which will contain all their health records, Health Minister Mansukh Mandaviya said.

Govt should mark Moplah rebellion as Malabar Hindu Genocide Day: RSS-affiliated think tank

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 $\Gamma^{ ext{he Moplah rebellion of}}_{ ext{1921 against British and}}$ local landlords in Kerala's Malappuram has come under controversy with the RSS seeking to see it as against Hindus in the region. An RSS-affiliated think tank demanded on Wednesday that the Moplah Rebellion of 1921 be termed as a "genocide and a memorial be

The Government should build a "genocide memorial" to mark the 1921 Malabar killings that took place 100 years ago in Kerala's Malappuram and mark September 25 as the "Malabar Hindu Genocide Day", the all-India convenor of Praina Pravah, J Nandakumar, was quoted as saying by News agency Press Trust of India (PTI).

He maintained that the Sangh had been opposing the recognition of the Malabar killings as part of an uprising against the British or landlords, of Hindus".

"Annie Besant and C Sankaran Nair, who was the president of the Indian



The Moplah rebellion of 1921 was an uprising by poor peasants

National Congress, called it a genocide. But after 1975, it was illegally deemed as part of the freedom struggle," Nandakumar was quoted as saying by agency.

He said the Kerala gov-

ernment has not considered their demand, but they are hopeful that the Centre will look into it. The Indian Council of

Historical Research (ICHR) mittee recently to study the Moplah Rebellion.

The panel reportedly recommended removal of severof the victims. The RSS-backed organisa-

tion will be organising an exhibition and a memorial programme for the victims in Delhi as well as in every block in Kerala on September 26. A set of historians, most of

them from the left, have studied The Moplah rebellion of 1921 was an uprising by poor peasants against 'crushing revenue burden' imposed against them by British and landlords majority of them being Hindus.

The RSS is now wanting to study the 'rebellion' from not tax revolt by the peasants and favours a fresh assessment of the famous incident in the

Centre, States step up efforts to prevent stubble fire for clean air

As the season of stubble burning sets in along with winters in the North, the Centre along with its several agencies and the five key agriculture States stepped up efforts to prevent any largescale burning and avoid dangerous air quality. The central government on Thursday held a key meeting with Delhi and its neighbouring states of Haryana, Punjab, Uttar Pradesh and Rajasthan on the action plan to mitigate air pollution caused by stubble

Discussions were held over implementation of action plans by states to mitigate pollution due to agriculture stubble burning, dust, construc-

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tion and demolition waste, biomass burning and vehicupollution, Environment Minister Bhupender Yadav said, briefing the media about the meet-

The minister said coordination and synergy reflected in the action plan by each

state under the overall framework prepared by the Commission for Air Quality Union Management (CAQM). "Outcome of the action

> ment and implementation by the states," Yadav said. Tweeting about the meeting later, the minister said, Chaired a meeting with Haryana CM Shri @mlkhattar ji and Environment Ministers senior officials from neighbouring states on the preparedness and taking ahead the multi-pronged action plan on air quality. Addressed issues requiring inter-state &

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"It was heartening to note that the spirit with which the Commission for Air Quality Management was conceived is reflected in the action plan of states. The outcome of the action plan will significantly depend on the efficacy of the enforcement and implementation by states," he said.

Vaccination at home for Divyangs announced

PNS ■ NEW DELHI

Days after the Supreme Court asked the Centre to provide details of its policy framework and steps taken to prioritise Covid vaccination of persons with disability, the Modi Government on Friday announced 'vaccination at home' for the disabled, 'in line with Covid-19 SOPs'.

"I am pleased to inform that an advisory has been issued to make arrangements for 'vaccination at home' for those who have disabilities or are differently challenged, in line with Covid NITI Aayog member (Health) Dr VK Paul said, as the panel warned that the second wave is not over yet.

In May this year, the National Éxpert Group on Vaccine Administration for Covid-19 (NEGVAC) had recommended the proposal by a Technical Expert Committee of the Union Ministry on the guidelines for Near to Home COVID Vaccination Centres (NHCVC) for elderly and differently-abled citizens. The NHCVC for elderly

inter-ministerial coordinaand differently-abled citizens followed a community-based flexible and people-centric approach, bringing the vaccination centres nearer to homes. The Technical Expert Committee's recommendations were aimed to ensure vaccina-

tion of senior citizens and dif-

ferently-abled populations hav-

ing limited mobility due to their

physical condition. The recom-



the need to increase access by bringing vaccination services closer to the community while maintaining all necessary precautions and safety measures.

In the Supreme Court on September 21, petitioner Evara Foundation, an NGO, argued before a bench of justices DY Chandrachud and BV Nagarathna that the IMA has recommended door-to-door vaccination of persons with disability but only Jharkhand and Kerala have implemented this. The bench issued notice to the Centre and sought its reply affidavit in two weeks.

The Government also warned the people to avoid mass gatherings during festivities. Dr Balram Bhargava, Director General of the Indian Council of Medical Research said, mass gatherings should be avoided in areas identified as containment zones and in districts reporting more than 5% case positivity.

The ministry recommended that relaxations and restrictions can be imposed based on weekly case positivity. The states have been asked to allow gatherings with advance permissions and limited people (as per the state's cap) to be allowed in districts with a positivity rate of 5% and below

SC lauds Centre's stand of providing financial help to kin of Covid victims

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The Supreme Court on Thursday appreciated the Centre's step to grant ex-gratia assistance to the kin of those who died due to Covid-19 saying it has to take judicial notice of the fact that what India has done, no other country has been able to do. "We are happy that something has been done to wipe the tears of many families," apex court bench of Justices M

R Shah and A S Bopanna. Solicitor General Tushar Mehta, appearing for Centre said, "We cannot repair the loss of life but whatever the country could do for the families who have suffered, is being done." The which took on record two affidavits filed by the Centre, said it will pass orders on October 4 with some directions, authorising the grievance redressal committees at district level to call for hospital records of the deceased, in case of any dispute over issuance of death certificate.

"We are happy that there will be some solace to the persons who have suffered. It will wipe the tears of many families. We must take judicial notice of the fact despite so many problems of population and overpopulation, something has been done. What India has done, no other country has been able to do," the bench said. The top court was hearing a batch of pleas filed by advocate Gaurav Kumar Bansal and some intervenors who lost their family members to COVID-19.

Cong's posting of Manmohan's pic to counter Modi's narrative sparks row on Twitter



PNS NEW DELHI

Hours after Prime Minister Narendra Modi shared a photo from Air India One on his way to the US, talking about working on a long flight, the Congress posted a counter, featuring former PM Manmohan Singh.

Sharing images of the former PM addressing the media in-flight, the Congress quipped: "Some photographs are harder to copy. Former PM, Dr. Manmohan Singh addressing Press Conferences on board Air India One?

On Thursday morning, Modi's post showed him going through files on his flight to Washington, where he has a packed three-day schedule, including a Quad meeting and an address to the UN General

Assembly. "A long flight also means opportunities to go through

papers and some file work," the PM captioned it. Several BJP leaders shared the Prime Minister's tweet. "Always in the service of

the country without stopping, tirelessly," Railway Minister Ashwini Vaishnaw, replied to tweet. #SevaSamarpan. During the visit, Modi will

participate in the first in-person Quad meeting, address the UN General Assembly and meet a number of top executives of major American com-

The Congress's photo retort triggered a row on Twitter with the rival parties posting images and memes.

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Army kills 3 ultras along LoC in Uri

oinciding with the three day long visit of the Prime Minister Narendra Modi to the United States of America, the Indian Army early Thursday morning eliminated three heavily armed infiltrators along the Line of Control (LoC) in Uri sector of North Kashmir's Baramulla district.

According to the Indian army, at least one of them was a Pakistani national while the identity of the two other infiltrators could not be established till the time of filing the

The Indian army also claimed the infiltration bid could not have taken place without the active connivance of the local Pakistan army

The Indian army has also recovered a huge cache of arms and ammunition which included five AK rifles, seven pistols, one Revolver, 24 UBGL grenades, 38 Chinese grenades, 7 Pakistani grenades, 5 AK magazines, eatables, Indian and Pak currency etc.

Briefing media in Srinagar, Lt Gen DP Pandey, General Officer Commanding (GOC), Srinagar's Chinar Corps(15



Corps) said, "a movement was observed in Hathlanga forest area for an infiltration bid. In a very short brief operation this attempt was eliminated by alert troops along the LoC. A similar attempt was made on (September) 18, which was

The Commanding Officer of the Battalion which conducted the operation on ground zero told reporters via video conferencing, "We have been receiving various inputs about Pakistan's attempt to carry out infiltration on LoC.

Necessary counter measures on the loc had been taken which included enhancing surveillance and carryout some precautionary deployment". The Commanding said, "On September 23, during early hours at around 6.00 a.m our troops deployed on LoC spotted three individuals crossing over to our own side of the line of control followed by two more which were slightly behind. On being challenged there was a fire fight in which three terrorists were neu-

Commenting on the prevailing security situation along the LoC, Lt-Gen DP Pandey said, "We have been appreciating this in the last few months that while the infiltration is not ongoing the launch pads were filled up and before the winter months there will be concentrated efforts to push in the terrorists before the snowfall stops the possible routes".

"In the last few weeks we have been getting credible inputs of a lot of activities in the launch pad areas and plans to carry out infiltration, the man-

in Uri and second today morn ing", Lt-Gen Pandey added.

Commenting on the role of Pakistan behind supporting the infiltration bid, Lt-Gen DP Pandey claimed, "It is just not possible that such a number of activities can take place without complicity or connivance of local Pak military comman-

Either they have adopted the approach of 'live and let live' or definitely they are complic-it in allowing such activities to enable infiltration of terrosist groups . So this is definitely a change in behaviour in about a month's time".

He said, the current level of peace and stability, the increase in tourist footfall, visits of large number of members of Parliament to nook and corner of the kashmir valley where they have interacted with every possible level of people of kashmiri is wrankling the elements across and the intent of sending small weapons in terms of pistols and grenades is to ensure you are arming so called 'hybrid' terrorists. He said, the 'youth who work or study during the day in the evening are given a task to carry out a hit.

My defeat means you lose me as CM: Didi to voters

country she said "look howthey

are performing in UP ... the

Government there suppressed

coronadeaths and threw the

bodies in the river and I had to

fish the bodiesout in Malda and

cremate them ... this is how the

Attacking the BJP-led Government in Tripura she

said "they areattacking the

TMC for imposing curbs but what is happening in Tripura... there they are not even allow-

BJP works."

SAUGAR SENGUPTA ■ KOLKATA

 $B_{\text{Mamata Banerjee once}}^{\text{engal Chief Minister}}$ again staked her own imageasking for people's sup-port in the Bhawanipore Assembly by-electionseven as she told an audience from an election rally that if theywanted her to continue as their Chief Minister then they should comeout in hordes to vote for her.

Do not think that Didi will win on her own ... even one vote matters ...even one vote is important for me to win this election ... if you do notvote I will not be able to continue as the Chief Minister ... someoneelse will then be

sworn in ... so if you want me to continue you willhave to come out of your houses and vote for me," Banerjee who lost toOpposition Leader Suvendu Adhikari in the April-May Assembly elections requiring her to contest the by-elections

"A person cannot remain a Chief Minister if one is not elected withinsix months ... And it is not ethical to contin-

ing Abhishek (Banerjee) to ue on the post if onecannot get elected ... so I will request you hold a rally... and in order to all to come out and vote,"she do so they have imposed said attacking the BJP for "try-Section 144 in that State ing to put spanners in the path ofdevelopment of Bengal." Attacking the BJP Governments all over the till Dipawali which means

Durga Puja and Kali Puja to be celebrated

that they will not allow the

in that State ... so much to remain inpower."

On the farm movement she said that the central government was so"ruthless" that they were ignoring the farmers who were agitating nearDelhi for their rights. "The farmers are staging protests for the past8 months but this ruthless Government is not talking to them becausethey want to please their coporate bosses," Banerjee said.

Political row as BJP worker booked for molestation

PNS ■ MUMBAI

mid the ongoing war of Awords between the Opposition Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP) and the Shiv Senaled Maha Vikas Aghadi (MVA) Government over the Sakinaka rape and murder incident, the BJP on Thursday found itself in an embarrassing situation on Thursday, as the Mumbai police booked one of its party workers who had allegedly molesting a woman in a municipal corporator's office on Îndependence Day last year.

In a development that has given fresh ammunition to the ruling MVA to take on the principal Opposition party which is demanding convening of a special session of the State Legislature to discuss Sakinaka rape and murder incident, the Borivili police on Wednesday registered a First Information Report (FIR) in connection with an incident that allegedly took in the Vazira Naka office of the BJP Municipal Corporator Ánjali Khedekar.

According to the complaint lodged by the victim woman with the Borivli police station, the accused -a local BJP promised to help her join the party, called her to corportor Khedekar's office and then allegedly molested her inside the premises late on the evening of August 15,2020.

The victim woman told the police that after she went to the office, the accuse2d BJP workers downed the shutters, switched off the lights, molesther, by saying that she would have to compromise if she wanted to work in the

The victim woman said that she somehow managed to walk out of the corporator's office. Five days later, she complained verbally to the local BJP MLA Sunil Rane.

When there was no response, the victim womanr gave a written complaint to the Mumbai North BJP MP Gopal Shetty. Both Rane and Shetty ignored her complaint

Finally, the victim woman approached the Borivali Police Station on Wednesday lodged a complaint with the Borivli police under section 354 (Assault or criminal force to woman with an intent to outrage her modesty – in other words modesty) Indian Penal Code (IPC). "We have not made any arrest so far," Senior Police Inspector Sudhir Kalekar said on Thursday.

ingly, the ruling Shiv Sena and Congress swiftly made an issue of the alleged incident and sought to "expose" the "double

speak" of the BJP and demanded action against the BJP worker who has been accused of outraging the modesty of a woman on the pretext of help-

ing her join the party. Reacting to the registration of an FIR against a BJP worker, Mumbai Mayor Kishori Pednekar of the Shiv Sena said that she would meet the victim

woman and police officers dealing with the alleged molestation incident. "Where are all those BJP

leaders now? Why are they speaking up? We are now learning that after the incident, the victim woman had approached BJP MLAs and MPs of the BJP for help But, no one helped her," Pednekar said.

DOMBIVLI RAPE CASE 23 held for gangrape of 15-year-old girl

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The Dombivli police have arrested 23 youngsters and detained two minor boys for allegedly repeatedly gangraping a 15-year-old girl at various places for eight months. Those arrested and detained are among the 29 people booked in connection with the alleged gangrape of the girl at Thane.

The arrested people were on Thursday produced before a magistrate's court in Thane custody till September 29. Quoting the complaint by the victim, the police said that in January, the victim's boyfriend

had indulged in forcible sex with her and video-graphed the act. Later on, the accused boy-

friend showed and shared the video with his friends who allegedly used the clip to blackmail and sexually assault the girl for over eight months.

The perpetrators, some of them said to be politically connected, compelled the girl to accompany them to various locations at Dombivli, other nearby towns like Rabale, Badlapur, Thane and also at a repeatedly raped her. The police got wind of the heinous incident through a tip-off received by

ATS grilling father-son duo in Bijnor over terror link; gun found

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The sleuths of the Anti-Terrorist Squad (ATS) conducted raids at several houses in Bijnor and detained a fatherson duo on the suspicion of their alleged links with subversive forces.

The ATS also reportedly recovered a pistol from the possession of the duo.

Sources said that acting on the inputs provided by the sleuths of the Army Intelligence, the ATS team conducted raids on Wednesday and picked up the father-son duo. Both are being interrogated by the ATS as well as members of both state and

Central intelligence agencies.

To keep the operation
'secret' the local police have been kept away from the entire

The accused were identified as Parvez and his father Salmani, residents of village Noor Alipur. The initial probe back, Parvez's brother Javed, who works at a barber saloon in Srinagar, Jammu and

police for supplying arms to terrorists. Following his interrogation by the members of Army Intelligence, the inputs were shared with ATS after which the father-son duo was picked up for interrogation.

It may be mentioned here that last week, the officials of the special crime branch of Delhi Police and the sleuths of Uttar Pradesh Anti-Terrorist Squad (ATS) had busted an ISI module by arresting half-adozen people and seizing an improvised explosive device (IED) from them.

On Wednesday also, the ATS claimed to have made a major breakthrough in the country's 'largest conversion racket" when they arrested Islamic scholar Maulana Kaleem Siddiqui from Meerut. According to the UP ATS, Siddiqui was arrested on charges of facilitating religious conversations. His name cropped up during the investigation into the Umar Gautam in June after the Uttar Pradesh Police rounded him up for allegedly running a conversion

10-day quarantine rule for those vaccinated in India is discriminatory: Govt tells UK ellers are not exempt from the

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Amid controversy over Britain's new rules to quarantine travelers from India who are vaccinated with two doses of Covishield because of vaccination" certification issues", United Kingdom high commissioner to India Alex Ellis and National Health Authority chairman RS Sharma on Thursday discussed vaccine certification for Indian travellers. The government has main-

tained the UK's decision of 10day quarantine for those vaccinated with Covishield is "discriminatory" and New Delhi do reserve the right to reciprocate in a similar manner.

Meanwhile, after the discussions here, Ellis said India and the UK held an "excellent" technical discussion on the issue of vaccine certification and neither side raised technical concerns with each other's certification process. The discussions came a day after the Covishield to its list of approved Covid-19 vaccines.

However, despite the inclusion of Covishield, Indian trav-

Singapore investors

willing to invest in

quarantine rules under the ŪK's new international travel

The talks between India and UK indicates that the UK may soon announce recognition to Covishield certificates which means Indian travellers will be exempted from the quarantine after arrival.

"Excellent technical discussions with @rssharma3 @AyushmanNHA. Neither side raised technical concerns with each other's certification

An important step forward in our joint aim to facilitate travel and fully protect public health of UK and India," Ellis tweeted on Thursday. His statement was welcomed by National Health Authority CEO Dr RS Sharma. "Echoing his excellency @AlexWEllis's views, this will be instrumental in resuming socio-economic activities between India and UK. We also look forward to deepening ties between @NHSX, as we collaborate to

build a digital continuum of

healthcare services", Sharma

Skeletons of

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Aminor girls, reported miss-

ing for the last one month, were

recovered from a forest in Harra area of Mirzapur, their

mother mysteriously abscond-

The girls had left their home with their mother in

Belahi village of Halia area a

month back and were missing

three girls

Mirzapur

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Petition challenging Asthana's appointment as Delhi CP copy-paste of similar plea in SC: HC warns

The Delhi High Court on Thursday termed as "copypaste" a petition filed before it challenging the appointment of IPS officer Rakesh Asthana as Delhi Police Commissioner and warned the petitioner that such activity shall not be repeated in the future. The high court also expressed anguish that the lawyer for the petitioner was unable to explain the averments made in the petition. Noted lawyer Prashant Bhushan who first filed petition in Supreme Court alleged the petitioner Sadre Alam had copy and pasted his petition and filed in High Court.

A bench of Chief Justice D N Patel and Justice Jyoti Singh said Alam's petition is entirely copied, including full stop and comma, from Bhushan's plea filed with similar prayers before the Supreme Court and added that if the petitioner wants to file something he shall do it independently.
"All these things you have

copied from the memo of the senior advocate (referring to Bhushan). If you are copying, you do it 5 per cent and write 95 per cent of your own. Here, 97 to 99 per cent is copied even with all the full stops and commas. Don't do this in the future we have tolerated it this time," the bench said. To this, advocate BS Bagga, appearing for the petitioner, said "I don't know from where these allegations have come from".

Solicitor General Tushar Mehta, who was representing



the Centre, was also in agreement with Bhushan and had said this practice of copy-paste must be deprecated. During the day's hearing, when Bagga started his argument on inter cadre transfer, the Chief Justice asked him what he meant by "super time scale". The court repeatedly asked the same question which he was unable to explain and sought time to check and come back.

"We are asking you for the last time, we will dismiss the petition with costs. You have copied from his memo that is the problem. Without understanding, you are reading. Now we want an additional explanation. What is the super time scale," the bench said.

While addressing Bhushan, the bench said, "you people are also distributing your copies everywhere.

Don't do this. He does not know what is super time scale is. You are doing it in good faith but it becomes a weapon. I have asked the question deliberately. What assistance we will get? This is how in the Delhi High Court we are getting the assistance." The counsel sought time and the court listed the matter for further hearing on

Naidu pushes for attendance at Standing Committee meetings

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head of the reconstitution Anead of the 24 Department-Related Standing Committees (DRSC), Rajya Sabha Chairman M. Venkaiah Naidu has sent a detailed record of participation by the members in committee meetings over the past year to the political parties, calling them to nominate members only based on their participation and interest.

Only 16 members of the Rajya Sabha (out of 243 MPs) attended all the scheduled 361 meetings held in 2020.

Six of these 16 members are Chairpersons of their committees. Opposition parties have rouslammed the Government for bypassing Parliamentary scrutiny by not sending key legislations to the Standing Committees.

On direction from Naidu, the Raiva Sabha Secretariat collated details on the participation by 243 members of the Rajya Sabha from 32 political parties, as well as Independents and nominated members, in 361 meetings of these Committees held in the period of September 2020-August

The report notes 115 other members clocked attendance of 50% or more. In all, 131 members, accounting for 54% of the House, reported attendance of 50% or more in the meetings of DRSCs. The attendance of about one third members of the

House has been below 30%. The data shows that the average attendance of 92 Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP) members of the Rajya Sabha in these meetings has been 56%

while the same for 38 Congress members is 42%. For the parties with 5 to 13 members, the average attendance of the YSR Congress has been 66%; the Biju Janata Dal is a close second at 62%. The attendance of Trinamool Congress MPs, who have been at the forefront of the protests by the Opposition on the Pegasus spyware and other issues, is only 24%. Janta Dal (United), though, has the lowest tally with just 16% atten-

UP, says Wong

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ingaporean Commissioner in India, Simon Wong, said that there was a favourable environment for investment in Uttar Pradesh and a large number of Singapore investors were willing to invest in different projects of the state, including in the defence industrial corridor and MSME sector.

Wong expressed these views during his meeting with Chief Secretary Rajendra Kumar Tiwari in Lucknow on After the high-profile

meeting, the chief secretary

said that due to the development of infrastructure facilities in Uttar Pradesh, it was being successful in attracting investors from across the

"Uttar Pradesh is providing an investor-friendly and fearfree environment. Besides, 21 new investment-friendly policies have been implemented in the state.

New expressways, including Purvanchal Expressway, Bundelkhand Expressway, Gorakhpur Link Expressway, Ballia Link Expressway and Ganga Expressway, are being developed making commuting by roads easy and safe.

The skeletons were sent for autopsy and forensic examina-As per reports, some local

ever since.

shepherds spotted the skeletons in the jungles of Harra on Wednesday afternoon and alerted the father and brother of the victims who later reached there and identified them with the help of the clothes lying there. The police were subse-

reached the spot and sent the skeletons for autopsy and forensic examination.

mother.

Kole of Belahi village had three sons and a daughter from his first wife Falguni who died a few years ago. Later, he married Sima, who had two daughters from her first marriage. After marriage, Sima's daughters also started living with Kole's fam-

A lot needs to be done to boost UP's economy

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Arecent report on Uttar Pradesh's economy released by State Planning Institute (Economic and Statistics Division) does not paint a rosy picture of the state and claims that the state's economy has grown at less than 5 per cent of Gross State Domestic Product (GSDP) in the last four-and-a-half years of the Yogi Raj. The survey report does not augur well as Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath had earlier set the target of taking Uttar Pradesh to a one-trilliondollar economy in the next five years. At present, the nominal

GDP of the state for the year 2020-21 is Rs 17.05 lakh crore (US\$ 240 billion). There is no denying the

fact that the Covid-19 pandemic has impacted the state's economy as UP's Gross State Domestic Product (GSDP) has shrunk by 5.9 per cent in 2020-2021. But the worrying sign is that the state's economy grew at less than 5 per cent in the last four-and-half-year tenure of the Yogi Adityanath regime. The revised data released for 2018-19 (revised provisional), 2019-20 (revised quick) and 2020-21 (revised advance) also indicate that the economy of Uttar Pradesh grew at a lesser

rate than expected. The revised estimates of

the state's income that the State Planning Institute (Economics and Statistics Division) released last week show a systemic decline in the health of the economy.

The GSDP growth in 2017-18 was 4.9 per cent. However in 2018-19 and 2019-20 fiscals, it remained at about 4.3 per cent only. As per these estimates, the rate of economic growth was less than 5 per cent during 2017-20 and -5.9 per cent in the COVID-19 affected 2020-21.

The advance estimates for 2020-21 (released in March

of about 6.4 per cent in the GSDP. The UP government can take solace because the national economy too contracted by 7.3 per cent in the 2020-21 fiscal, as per GDP statistics released by National Statistical Office (NSO) of the Union government on May 31, 2021. The worrisome fact is that

2021) indicated a contraction

sectors like manufacturing registered negative rates of growth over the last four years and its share in GSDP is also declining and is less than 15 per cent. For a state which is yearning for industrialisation, this is not a good sign. On the contrary, the performance of the agriculture

even during the pandemicaffected 2020-21, the sector showed a positive growth of 2.7 per cent. Services, or tertiary, sector has done well except in 2020-21 wherein it shrunk to 7.9 per cent. The data shows that UP's GSDP (at current prices) is esti-

mated to have reached Rs 15.82 lakh crore in 2018-19, Rs 17.25 lakh crore in 2019-20, and Rs 17.39 lakh crore in 2020-21. The state government had recently claimed that the GSDP had peaked from Rs 17.91 lakh crore to Rs 19.40 lakh crore (revised estimates) on March 31, 2021.

sector has been encouraging as quently informed and the cops

Efforts were now being made to trace the absconding

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Breathing death

WHO's revised air quality levels are in tune with the times. India must implement these quickly

The World Health Organisation (WHO) has revised air quality levels for six pollutants, including the particulate matter (PM). Coming after 2005, they cut down the existing acceptable threshold limits by half, prodding countries like India to improve their air quality without losing time. Pollution in Indian cities is far above even the existing limits at present. The new rules render the situation worse. Of particular interest are the PM guidelines. The average PM 2.5 (respirable pollution particles) concentration cannot be higher than five micrograms per cubic metre. However, the existing level is 10. For PM10, the threshold is brought down from 20 to 15. The world organisation said the revision was necessary as pollution is growing in developing countries engaged in large-scale urbanisation and economic development. The guidelines are welcome and need to be implemented. Recent studies show air pollution is reduc-



ing life expectancy in Indian cities by six to 10 years. It is time for India to implement big-ticket anti-pollution reforms. A national pollution survey is called for, to assess the meteorological and geographical changes impacting polluting levels. In cities situated in valleys, emissions tend to stay longer, adding to pollution problems. In cities like Delhi with flat terrains, the meteorology impacts in dispersing air pollution. Studies of air movement over urban areas help authorities know about pollution patterns necessary for anti-pollution planning. In the time since 2005, Delhi, for example, grew from being a city to the National Capital Region of Delhi, covering an area of over 55,000 square km.

Townships, satellite centres and industrial zones have come up with IT and industrial clusters. The population and number of vehicles have grown several times. Adding to the city's pollution is the new element of trans-boundary pollution with emissions originating outside the city by way of traffic from Gurgaon and Noida. Industries in the northeast and northwest sectors contribute to the problem. The expansion of Delhi has increased demand for energy from domestic, industrial and transport sectors. Air pollution emissions naturally increased along with those of sulphur dioxide, carbon monoxide and hydrocarbons. Over one-third of Delhi suffers from respiratory problems. The last time was 1998 when Delhi implemented low-emission reforms. The public transport vehicles switched to CNG and that alone made a difference. Hundreds of heavy industries were either shut down or relocated, their energy systems upgraded. India's national ambient air quality standards (NAAQS), revised last in 2009, are up for another revision in 2022. The study being conducted for updating the standards should take into account the latest WHO thresholds. Common sense measures are also called for. Vote bank politics cannot encourage stubble burning by farmers in Punjab and western Uttar Pradesh. Similarly, motorists should

be made to realise that apart from exhaust fumes, brake dust also causes pollution.



Clouds hover over the Old City area in Delhi

Marching on

The SC insists that females be given the chance in Nov itself to take the NDA entrance exam

The National Defence Academy (NDA), the cradle for grooming boys to become officers in the three Services since 1954, will for the first time welcome women cadets. The Supreme Court has prodded the Government to allow female candidates to appear for the NDA exam in November this year. The Government had told the apex court that women can take the examination in May next year. However, the



court, saying women's hopes cannot be belied, ordered that they be allowed to take the test in November. Determined to have gender parity, the only tri-Services training institute in the world, the NDA, was engaged in creating suitable infrastructure for women cadets since early this year. While there is no issue with academic curriculum, the authorities are taking meticulous care in finalising the outdoor training and physical fitness parameters for the females. Physical training includes basic combat drills besides endurance, so far customised for only male cadets. Then there is the issue of fixing standards for

physical and medical criteria for females. The male candidates who clear the written exam and interview have to pass the medical test to become eligible for joining the NDA. The test also comprises specified weight and height.

Aiming to induct women cadets in a short time, the NDA is working overtime to fix these standards regarding outdoor training and medical exam. The effort is to ensure that training standards remain top class while formulating parameters for them. The Government had submitted in the apex court that any dilution of physical training and service subjects of firing, endurance, field craft and living off the land for women cadets would impact the battle worthiness of the armed forces. The three Services chiefs had visited the NDA in August to review the infra creation progress. With changing times, female officers are serving with distinction in various wings of the IAF, Navy and Army. In fact, at least four women IAF officers are currently undergoing the final stage of their fighter jet flying training. Similarly, women officers are flying helicopters and transport planes. The Navy has also allowed women to serve on warships when they are seaward-bound. It means they will sail like their male colleagues for months together. Of course, the Navy has created suitable living bunks and other related infrastructure on the warships.

US probing Pak's role in Afghanistan-



Ever since it became a sovereign nation, Pakistan has been ostensibly 'helping' the US to actually further its own interests in the region

he US is keenly looking into the role Pakistan played in Afghanistan after its war against Taliban and terrorism following the attacks on the World Trade Centre and Pentagon on September 11, 2001. This was revealed by US Secretary of State Tony Blinken to angry US lawmakers who were protesting against Pakistan's "duplicitous" role in Afghanistan. Among others, Congressman Bill Keating, Chair, House Foreign Affairs Sub-Committee, said that apart from the ISI's strong ties with the Haqqani network, Pakistan crethe Taliban and helped it regroup in 2010. He bemoaned that the Pakistan PM celebrated the Taliban's takeover of Kabul. Pakistan started following a

duplicitous policy towards the US soon after it came into existence in August 1947. In 1952, when the West was engaged in its efforts to contain Communism, Pakistan opted for the American bloc (and arms) purportedly to fight the expansion Communism but actually to strengthen its muscle against India. Some years later, then Pakistan President Gen Ayub Khan said that the arms were "not to be kept wrapped". These were actually used against India in the 1965 and 1971 wars even though given only to fight the expansion of Communism, if the need arose.

The erstwhile Soviet occupation of Afghanistan in 1979 had added to Pakistan's strategic importance. It exploited the development dexterously to continue its special relationship with the US despite clear signs of duplicity and formal breakup of the Soviet Union in 1993. The US had turned Pakistan into a ground for Mujahideen fighting against the Soviet occupation of Afghanistan and a conduit for arms and funds to equip them with weaponry. Pakistan diverted a part of these arms to perpetrate terror in Kashmir and to train, equip and indoctrinate Pashtun students from Afghan refugees in Pakistan. The radicalisation programme started under then Pakistan President Gen Ziaul Haq and was meant to address the ethnic divide because of terrorism. India continued to which Pakistan had failed to



The Soviet forces withdrew from Afghanistan in 1989 and the US too faded from the scene after ensuring that Pakistan had established its influence on the Mujahideen. After Soviet withdrawal, a civil war ensued in Afghanistan. Interspersed by its army, Pakistan introduced the Taliban militia in this civil war in November 1994. After wreaking havoc on hapless Afghans, the militia gained power in September 1996. With Saudi fugitive Osama bin Laden already present there and declaring jihad against the West, Afghanistan turned into a bastion of terrorism. Pakistan, with calculated use of terrorism as a tool of its State policy, had already become the epicentre of caution the world, both in the



FOMENTING TERROR IN KASHMIR, PAKISTAN'S MAIN AIM WAS TO **CREATE THE** TALIBAN ISLAMIC **MOVEMENT TO** ACQUIRE LEVERAGE IN AFGHANISTAN AND TO ESTABLISH A COMMANDING POSITION, **ESPECIALLY** VIS-A-VIS INDIA

UN and outside, about these dangers to world peace. In an article on October 2, 1999, titled "International Drive To Fight Terrorism", the writer criticised the narrow American approach towards the Pak-Taliban nexus but the US did not heed the warning. Obviously, the ground had been laid for the September 11, 2001, terror attacks.

Following the horrifying attacks, the US waged a war against the Taliban. The public opinion in Pakistan was that its Government shouldn't join this effort. When criticised for aligning with the West, then Pakistan President Gen Pervez Musharraf reportedly stated that had he not done so, America might have taken action against Pakistan, too. He was aware that their duplicity had begun to be noticed. The Taliban was soon removed from power. But, years later, Pakistan resumed helping the Taliban regroup. It turned into a haven for terror attacks on Afghanistan. Pakistan's duplicitous attitude prompted former US President Donald Trump to say in 2019: "The US has foolishly given Pakistan more than \$33 bn in aid over the last 15 years and they have given us

nothing but lies and deceit thinking of our leaders as fools."

Obviously, now the inevitable has happened. Despite a positive sign or two, the Taliban's resurgence poses a serious threat to peace. Radicalisation has been the main factor behind the Taliban's rise. The challenge can be met by promotion of liberal Islam and Sufism. Though this section is a miniscule minority, Sufism has an eternal appeal and, with the passage of time and through encouragement, it can turn into a potential challenge to radicalism and extremism. As mentioned by this writer on October 8, 2016, in the article, "Islamic Radicalism and Sufi Islam", Russia, like India, too was hit hard by Jihadi terrorism in Chechnya. But after dealing with the situation strongly, it encouraged liberal and Sufi Islam to root out the remnants of Jihadi terrorism. If Russia could do it, the rest of the world can also do it. For survival and the betterment of mankind, the world powers

(The writer is a journalist, former IIS officer and producer. The views expressed are personal.)

must desist from turning ter-

rorism into a geopolitical issue.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

ARMY 'BIRD' GOES DOWN

Sir — The fatal crash of a *Cheetah* helicopter has highlighted the urgency to focus on re-examining the safety of these helicopters, which are being operated by the Indian armed forces. These choppers need to be grounded immediately till a comprehensive safety audit is completed about airworthiness. Two young pilots from Army Aviation corps, Major Rohit Kumar (35) and Major Anui Rajput (28) who lost their lives in this crash, were on training sorties and were extremely passionate about joining the armed forces and serving the nation.

The Hindustan Aeronautical Ltd (HAL) should go into an in-depth investigation to see if there is any design flaw in the Cheetah helicopter and take corrective measures. If this helicopter had crashed in a civilian area, casualties could have been way more. Therefore, any fault or technical glitch must be investigated at the earliest to avoid any such future crashes. It would be unjust to neglect the safety of those who protect us at all times. Major Kumar and Major Rajput were brave officers who made the supreme sacrifice in the line of duty. Tragically, they leave behind their grieving parents. The nation will always remain indebted to them. Our hearts go out to the family members of these young pilots.

Ramesh Jethwani | Bengaluru

NOT JUST ANOTHER SHEET OF CLOTH Sir — Who believes that saree is not a smart outfit? A restaurant in the Capital seems to have a perverted view and pointed out that saree does not qualify as a smart dress and it is a lopsided view. In the fashion world, saree has assumed a prominent place with the womenfolk preferring the six-yard wonder as the best dress for all seasons. It is worth mentioning here that the women in Pakistan prefer sarees, too. By draping the saree around your body with a proper matching blouse, you get the feeling of security and the posh look.

The symbolism of saree goes a long way in developing the personality of a

'Narcotics jihad' busted



ow that Kerala Chief Minister Pinarayi Vijayan has exposed the falsehood of the claim of Pala Bishop Mar Joseph Kallarangatt that there is the phenomenon of 'narcotics jihad' in the State, the Bishop should show the basic decency to admit to having made a mistake and withdraw his remark. The remark made by the Bishop of Syro-Malabar Church with an intent to malign a particular community was unworthy of a spiritual leader. It led us to have a down on him. The false narrative that Christian girls

woman in the office as a professional. It is a wrap worth wearing with all glamour and style. There is nothing like a saree to make you look most elegant all the time. Saree not only has cultural significance in India but, over the years, has also been seen a touch of modern fashion. In recent times, actors like Vidya Balan are diehard saree lovers and their success on the big screen is counted based on the saree culture. The present generation go for pattu and chiffon of different colours and designs. Thus, by far, the saree is the most flexible garment available in the fashion world.

MR Jayanthi | Mumbai

KOHLI LEFT ON A HIGH NOTE

Sir — Even if the team lifts the upcoming T20 World Cup at the United Arab Emirates (UAE), the crown of success will most probably be laid at the door of MS Dhoni. Ironically, Kohli had a stupendous success rate as captain in the shortest format of the game. He has led India to victory in the last five T20 series

are befriended and lured by Muslim men into marriage in order to rope them into religious

wars should end here and now. Women, irrespective of their religions. cannot be denied autonomy in their lives. They are entirely free to choose their partners; they don't need a Bishop's nod. Putting religion above humanity should be anathema to educated people in its true sense. The Vatican should take a serious note of the utterances of the likes of Pala Bishop to drive a wedge between religious communities and discipline them to watch their language and behave properly and responsibly in a multi-religious society in which people of different faiths live cheek by jowl. The laity or congregation must also raise their voice against Bishops who by word or deed do harm or hurt a sense of wider secular community and neighbourliness they all cherish and share.

G David Milton | *Maruthancode*

though not a World Cup trophy as yet. At the same time, the presence of Dhoni at the T20 world cup can be a blessing in disguise for Kohli who can solely concentrate on batting, knowing well that the calming presence of Dhoni is more than

enough for the team's prospects. Kohli's record as the ODI captain is mixed, so is Test skipper's. But there is no denying that he has provided a new dimension to India's test match-winning ability abroad. The recent win in the truncated series against England is an example. Most international players enjoy captaining their sides in white ball cricket. Kohli is one captain who seems to relish guiding his men in the traditional form of cricket — the Tests. Therefore, it looks just a matter of time before the star batsman relinquishes the captain's responsibilities in one-day internationals, too.

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is to initiate actions that return the economy to a highgrowth track and create gainful jobs by 2030.

> Vice-President — M Venkaiah Naidu

I express gratitude



for the warm welcome Canada has shown Tibetan refugees since the time your (Justin Trudeau) late father was the Prime Minister.

> Tibetan spiritual leader Dalai Lama

If the youth, in any way, can create or propagate an inclusive space by working with the deaf community, please do.



- Ranveer Singh Started off my time



Was able to introduce my medal to its elder sibling from Beijing.

> Olympics gold medalist — Neerai Chopra

I personally believe that Ramayana is an imaginary book and I don't think Rama was a great person or that



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India has a range of bilateral discussions lined up on current issues of interest



KUMARDEEP BANERJEE

he United States is hosting the first in-person summit of QUAD leaders in Washington and perhaps beginning of a new era of cooperation on what the White House termed as "demonstration of the priority of engaging in the Indo-Pacific, including through new multilateral configurations designed to focus on 21st century challenges". The centrality is the realigning of the partners' foreign policies to Indo-Pacific coordination on shared targets. This roughly translates into keeping a sharp eye on Chinawhich is trying to defy international legal orders; therefore, a global consensus on the South China Sea is emerging. India's focus during the QUAD summit will be tackling the Covid-19 pandemic and future cooperation, climate change issues, and an open Indo-Pacific region that allows equal and fair access for nations to prosper. During the first, virtual meeting of the QUAD leaders in March, 2021, a commitment of one billion vaccines by 2022 was made. The leaders may also talk about additional relief and assistance measures for poor countries as a goodwill



gesture. On the QUAD sidelines, a working group of senior representatives from member countries will focus on cyber security, secure supply chains infrastructure, and work towards finding a common language on emerging technologies including artificial intelligence. The global pandemic has ensured all digital economies around the globe, not to mention the QUAD members, need to find a common thread on defining paradigms for next-generation technology growth and collateral threats. The world industry facing acute shortage of semiconductor chips and other critical digital hardware components understand the importance of working with reliable trusted partners. United States, Australia, Japan and India are critical levers of the huge digital engine driving this technology towards a prosperity dream. One of the best outcomes from the QUAD summit could be for the leaders to come out with a paper on destinations and targets for this digital highway. This in itself could be one the key suc-

The last aspect on which most of the countries from the quadrilateral can make announcements would be on securing clean targets and achieving goals on climate change. The US envoy on climate John Kerry's visitto India a few days back was a firm commitment towards achieving time bound targets. The US offered assistanceto India for quickly reaching its renewable energy targets of 450 GW by 2030. Currently India's environment and climate change portfolio is held by ruling party heavy weight Bhupendra Yadav, who enjoysthe blessings of the senior leadership. The only challenge for India on this green path could be about assuming more green responsibilities at international forums while trying to attract investments. That is where the will of the domestic government and the organizational skills of the current minister will come for test. Finally on the sidelines of QUAD. Prime Minister Modi and his external affairs minister will hold a whole range of bilateral talks on current issues of interest. The India-US discussions and theoutcome notes would the most watched as this would be first in-person meeting between the President of the US and the Indian Prime Minister. Narendra Modi shared a visible sense of bonhomie with Joe Biden's predecessor Donald Trump. The same optics may not be repeated but Biden is unlikely to disappoint his counterpart. Afghanistan's safety, security and upholding of human rights in central Asia would definitely feature as key topics during the bilateral. The hurried exit of the US from Afghanistan has placed many fringe players such as India in a spot in the Central Asian theatre. Every major player in the region including China, Russia and Iranis trying to recalibrate its position with regard to Afghanistan.

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Role of cooperatives in Indian economy



BANDYOPADHYAY

The NCAER recently undertook a study on cooperative agro-processing and identification of institutional financial lacunae in the cooperative movement

he cooperative movement in India has regained focus after the Union Government recently created a Ministry of Cooperation to provide a separate administrative legal and policy framework for streamlining the cooperatives. The move is expected to cascade the movement down to the grassroots level for facilitating the growth of a people-based economic development model. It envisages an environment that would enable 'sahkar se samriddhi' (prosperity through cooperation) and promote 'ease of doing business' for cooperatives through various proactive measures, including the development of Multi-State Cooperatives (MSCs).

The genesis of the current movement can be traced to the enactment of the Cooperative Credit Societies Act by the British in 1904. Subsequently, Prime Minister Jawaharlal Nehru gave it a fillip by integrating cooperatives into the Five-Year Plans. His vision of "convulsing India with the cooperative movement...to make it, broadly speaking, the basic activity of India, in every village as well as elsewhere, indeed to make the cooperative approach the common thinking of India" was a precursor for the establishment of cooperative societies especially in rural India, thus laying the foundation for the largest cooperative movement in the world.

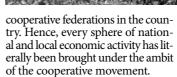
The institution of cooperative marketing societies by the National Development Council (NDC), coupled with the passage of the Multi-State Cooperative Societies Act by the Parliament in 1984 enhanced the importance of the movement. By definition, therefore, cooperative societies were envisioned as a combined agglomerate of persons voluntarily coming together to meet their common economic, social, and cultural needs through a jointly-owned and democratically-controlled enterprise.

It was anticipated that the cooperative movement would largely be concentrated in the agricultural sector, playing a significant role across operations spanning production, distribution, and consumption. Two of the most conspicuous success stories emerging from the implementation of this model were the White Revolutionand the Green Revolution. As per data from the National Dairy Development Board, in 2019-20, dairy cooperatives had procured 4.80 crore litres of milk from 1.7 crore members, while selling 3.7 crore litres of liquid milk per day. Farm sector experts point out that cooperatives nave aiso positively impacted post-nai vest processing, storage, transportation, trade, and input procurement for a range of

activities in the agricultural sector. The movement has reportedly fostered 5.03 lakh cooperatives, a membership of 210 million, and a network stretching through the entire breadth of rural India, while accounting for 46.31 per cent of the total agricultural creditand 23.5 per cent of the total fertiliser production across the country. These milestones have been achieved through the institution of 21 national-level, 361 State-level, and 2,572 district-level



THEREFORE. THE IMMEDIATE PRIORITY BEFORE THE NEW MINISTRY IS TO **REVAMP THE NATIONWIDE COOPERATIVE** STRATEGY TO ENSURE ACCESS TO COST-EFFECTIVE INSTITUTIONAL infrastructure. SOURCES OF CREDIT, CAPITAL **EQUIPMENT AND** STATE-OF-THE-ART TECHNOLOGY FOR PRODUCERS.



But is the picture as rosy as these statistics apparently indicate? Rumblings of discontent among farmers, in particular, and the farm sector, in general, suggest that the contribution of cooperatives to actual growth in the agricultural sector is significantly lower than expectations. Despite the need for substantial investments in the form of plant, machinery, tools, and equipment in farming, the outcomes reflect low capital and low productivity linkages, along with the need for augmenting an under-performing marketing

In order to identify the groundlevel roadblocks and suggest measures to overcome them, the National Council of Applied Economic Research (NCAER) recently undertook a study on cooperative agro-processing and identification of institutional financial lacunae in the cooperative movement with special attention on the role of the National Cooperative Development Corporation (NCDC). The NCAER study, covering 304 cooperative units in Assam, Chhattisgarh, Gujarat, Himachal Pradesh, Kerala, Maharashtra, and West Bengal, found that marginal and small atives at competitive rates, which has a deterrent impact on post-harvest agricultural commodities to private agricultural activities. traders, which prevents them from reaping the profits of their produce even during a bumper harvest. Their small quantity transactions translate into meagre cooperative shares and weak bargaining power in the market. Lack of adequate storage facilities also compromises the processing of paddy, grains, and fruits and vegetables, which, in turn, adversely impacts the shelf life

of products and compromises employment outcomes. Further, the study showed a decadal decline in the share of agro-processing in the total value of the manufacturing output from 32.31 per cent in 2000-001 to 22.9 per cent in 2011-12.

The NCAER estimations, based on analysis of the 70th Round unitlevel data from the National Sample Survey Office (NSSO), also highlight the need for providing cooperative support for marketing penetration and storage to smallholders, who constituted 86 per cent of the total share of landholdings in 2015-16, according to the Tenth Agricultural Census. In this context, NCDC, which has been at the forefront of the cooperative movement in the country, can offer pivotal support to the agriculture sector through the development of sustainable supply chains linking farmers to processing centres and markets. Critical funding from NCDC towards cooperative sector schemes comprising fisheries, dairy and livestock, water conservation, micro irrigation, agricultural insurance and credit, among others, constitutedover 49 per cent of the cumulative lending for the period 2008-13. Yet the corporation is not being offered concessional finance under priority sector lending. Compelled to source its funds from the market, NCDC faces constraints in offering loans to cooper-

An assessment of the capacity utilisation of the surveyed units revealed that nearly 34 per cent of them were under-utilising their capacities in the range of 25 to 75 per cent, due to various reasons, such as inadequate supply of products for processing, shortage of skilled manpower, funds crunch, lack of demand, and non-availability of advanced machinery. In addition, most States exhibit poor urban and rural representation of self-help groups and cooperatives in the sphere of foodgrain disbursal under the Public Distribution System (PDS) through the network of Fair Price Shops (FPS). Notwithstanding the policy for issuance of FPS licences to women's self-help groups, village panchayats, urban local bodies, and cooperatives, the combined percentage of their FPS presence in India is merely about 26 per cent, with the rest going to pri-

vate individual ownership.

It is obvious that despite its monumental potential, the cooperative model in the country is facing numerous policy hurdles. Since the administration of cooperatives has traditionally fallen under the purview of the respective State governments, the establishment of a Central Ministry to oversee their functioning may also have certain political repercussions and revive the national debate on collaborative federalism. The immediate priority before the new Ministry, therefore, is to revamp the nation-wide cooperative strategy to ensure access to cost-effective institutional sources of credit, capital equipment, and state-of-the-art technology for producers, especially in agriculture. Another vital mandate for it would be fulfilment of the fundamental objective of cooperatives of lifting the of poverty by providing them comprehensive infrastructural and marketing support for livelihood. There is no denying the fact that cooperatives have always signified viable solutions even in a failing market. It remains to be seen if the renewed political and economic focus on cooperatives can actually metamorphose into a truly people-based movement at the grassroots level, to usher in prosperity through people's participation.



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A DEFEATED CHIEF MINISTER IS MAKING DESPERATE EFFORTS. SHE DID NOT LEARN FROM THE NANDIGRAM LESSON. - BJP LEADER **SUVENDU ADHIKARI**

The misuse of law — a challenge to Indian judiciary

Public Interest Litigations have ensured against derailment of the rule of law and benefited the socially vulnerable sections

→ fficient implementation of law is a pre-requisite for a stable and peaceful society and democracy is the torch bearer for a vibrant people-centric governance. The democratic fabric of a nation compliments the jurisprudence in ensuring the lawful governance. Over the years judicial activism through the Public Interest Litigation (PIL) has ensured that the derailment of the rule of law is prevented and the socially vulnerable sections of the society have immensely benefited.

The PIL concept was introduced by Justice PN Bhagwati. It refers to litigation undertaken to secure public interest and created an opportunity of justice to socially-disadvantaged



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groups and provided relaxation on the traditional rule of locus standi. Ever since its enunciation in 1980s, the judiciary has used it for the course correction of executive's functions and several landmark judgements have provided reliefs to affected citizens.

However, in India of late a serious problem of misuse of law is cropping up and threatening the jurispru-dence. This writer has been a witness to such misuse of law both by the common citizens as well as people in power. He has recently written a book "Quest for Civility-an insight into Indian Babudom" on the misuse of power by people in

authority. The trigger for this arti-



cle came from a newspaper report about challenging the appointment of Rakesh Asthana as the Delhi Police Commissioner under a PIL filed by a few non- government organizations opposed to the present dispensation at the Centre. Asthana has challenged it as misuse of law.

Now let us discuss it how his appointment was made and under what rule. The AllIndia Service officers IAS, IPS and IFS (forests) are recruited by the Union

the sweet will of the government to utilize them anywhere in the country or abroad in public interest. They can be granted extension in service or transferred from one cadre to the other if need be, depending upon their service records and the opinion of the government. Such action of the Central is absolutely within its power and cannot be challenged. The government will have its reasons for the appointment. Some officers may have their reasons to be disappointed with the decision. If affected officers had gone to the Central Administrative Tribunal it would have been justified and the case could have been decided on merit. However, how could an unaf-

power of the government? If the country allows such wastage of time on things based purely on ulterior motives or at the instigation of political leaders to regularly bring such matters in courts it would put the entire country's administration as well as security to peril.

There are many other instances of misuse of powers, however, which need the attention of Supreme Court, High Courts and lower courts as well as legislatures. Crimes against women are attracting the attention of the judiciary with stringent provisions but surveys had shown that most of the provisions of section 354 of IPC and the Dowry Prevention Law (Section 498A/ 406 of

Government and it is up to fected party challenge the IPC) are the most misused provisions of law in India and yet no modifications seem to have been made in it. The provision, enacted to protect the dignity of a woman, has become a widely misused weapon by them and is used to harass and blackmail their husband and his family. Once an FIR is filed under 498A/406 (IPC) it becomes a tool in the hands of the police to harass the husband and all his relatives named in

> the FIR without even preliminary investigation. According to a survey conducted by Fight against Misuse of Dowry law, 98 per cent of the cases filed under section 498A are false. One senior officer of Ladakh is facing a false dowry case and his father, a retired senior

from pillar to post. Similarly, section 354 is routinely used to harass men deliberately to settle property and other disputes. More than half of such cases ultimately prove false and no real punitive action is taken against the complainant. The country needs to

officer of 71 years, is running

bring in a law to prevent misuse of law. If a case is dismissed, the complainant and others involved in the investigation and tendering of false witnesses must be punished. Only then the country's judiciary as well as the police and other agencies would be spared such wastage of time and at the same time the law protecting citizens would be implemented well.



7 DEAD AS BOAT CAPSIZES IN LAKE VICTORIA

Nairobi: A local official in Kenya says seven people are dead after their boat capsized in Lake Victoria. Homa Bay County Commissioner Moses Lilan says the seven bodies pulled from the lake after the accident include one of a child. Officials say four people are still missing.

ANCIENT CLAY TABLET GOING BACK TO IRAQ

Washington: A 3,500-year-old clay tablet discovered in the ruins of the library of an ancient Middle Eastern king, then looted from a museum 30 years ago, is finally headed back to Iraq.

LAVA RAISES FEARS OF DAMAGE ON ISLAND

Todoque: The advance of lava from a volcanic eruption in Spain's Canary Islands has slowed significantly, raising doubts Thursday about whether it will fan out across the land and destroy more homes instead of flowing into the sea.A giant river of lava slowed to four metres (13 feet) per hour after reaching a plain on Wednesday. On Monday, a day after the eruption on the island of La Palma, it was moving at 700 metres per hour.

Af power transition without negotiation, in non-inclusive manner: India at UN

New York: India on Thursday said that the transition of power in Afghanistan has been without negotiation and in a noninclusive manner, raising questions on its acceptability.

India's Secretary (West) in the Ministry of External Affairs Reenat Sandhu, speaking at the Community of Democracies 10th Ministerial Conference 'Democracy and Resilience: Shared Goals', said it is important that the new government in Afghanistan is broad-based and inclusive, representing all sections of Afghan society, including women and minorities.

The Taliban took control of Kabul on August 15 and have put in place a hardline interim 33-member Cabinet that has no woman and includes UNdesignated terrorists.

Over the past month, we have witnessed dramatic changes in Afghanistan. PTI

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Taliban unlikely to participate in UNGA

Diplomats of ousted Govt still in office

PTI ■ UNITED NATIONS

The Taliban, which now rule Afghanis-tan after overthrowing the elected-Government of President Ashraf Ghani, are unlikely to represent their country at the high-level United Nations General Assembly session as representatives of the ousted dispensation still occupy the office at the UN, a Pakistani media report said on Thursday.

Afghanistan is scheduled to address the ongoing UN General Assembly session on

United Nations: The US has

called on fellow permanent

members of the UN Security

Council to remain "united" on

Afghanistan, to hold the

Taliban accountable to its com-

mitments and to work togeth-

er to ensure humanitarian

access and availability of funds

to meet humanitarian needs in

the war-torn country.
The US, the UK, France,

China and Russia, known as

P5, are the five permanent and

veto-wielding members of the

15-nation powerful UN organ.

Truss chaired a meeting of the Foreign Ministers of the P5 and

United Nations Secretary

General Antonio Guterres on

Wednesday on the margins of

the high-level 76th session of

US State Department

CAPRI GLOBAL HOUSING FINANCE LIMITED

the UN General Assembly.

APPENDIX IV POSSESSION NOTICE (for immovable property)

Whereas, the undersigned being the Authorized Officer of Capri Global Housing Finance Limited (CGHFL

Rules 2002, Demand Notice(s) issued by the Authorised Officer of the company to the Borrower(s)

Guarantor(s) mentioned herein below to repay the amount mentioned in the notice within 60 days from the dat

of receipt of the said notice. The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the

Borrower(s)/Guarantor(s) and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the propert

escribed herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under Sub-Section (4) of the Section 13 of th

said Act read with Rule 8 of the Security Interest Enforcement rules, 2002. The borrower's attention is invited to

The borrower in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of CGHFL for an amount as mentioned herein

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Sq Yds out of Khasra Nos. 148/1/1, 2/1, 10, 12/1, 149//6/2, 125//11/2, 20, 21, 22/1 situated in the area of Village Parasram Colony, Tehsil & Distt

Palwal, Haryana Alongwith Construction Thereor present and future Both.

All Piece and Parcel of Entire Third floor with roof Rights built up on Part of Plot No. 2 (Old), New Municipal No. 49, area admeasuring 115 Sq. Yds. Situated in the Old Lal Dora of Village Singerpur, now known as Singhal Pur, Delhi-110088.

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Property of Mr. Jeet Singh, North:- Rasta, South: Open Space

All Piece and Parcel of House No. E-171-B, Second

floor, Block-E, Govindpuram, Ghaziabad, Uttar Pradesh Alongwith Construction Thereon present and future Both.

All Piece and Parcel of LHS, Rear Side Flat no. GF-04 MIG, Ground floor, Built up on Plot No. B-76, Khasra No. 410, SLF Ved Vihar, Ghaziabad, Uttar Pradesh

All Piece and Parcel of Part of Plot No. E-3, area

admeasuring 41.69 Sq Yds, Khasra No. 652 (Min), K.J.S. Dham, Jangjeet Nagar Phase-I, Tajgan Ward, Tehsil and District Agra, Uttar Pradesh

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All Piece and Parcel of Flat at Second floor Built Up

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nder the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under section13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement

UK Foreign Secretary Liz

US calls on UNSC P5

united on Afghanistan

members to remain



Afghan children collect water from a public water pump in Kabul on Thursday

On September 20, the Taliban-controlled Afghan Ministry of Foreign Affairs sent a letter to UN Secretary General Antonio Guterres, requesting him to participate in the 76th UNGA session in New York.

It was signed by Taliban leader Ameer Khan Muttaqi as the new Afghan Foreign Minister. A week ago on

spokesperson Ned Price said

that in the meeting, Secretary

of State Antony Blinken

emphasised the importance of

a constructive P5 action to

maintain international peace

Secretary called for P5 coordi-

nation to mitigate the emerg-

ing humanitarian crisis and

prevent an economic collapse.

He noted the shared expecta-

tions for an inclusive and rep-

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Price said in a statement. PTI

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received a letter from the currently accredited Afghan ambassador, Ghulam Isaczai, stating that he and other members of his team, still occupying the Afghan mission at the Jnited Nations, will represent Afghanistan in UNGA. On Tuesday, they attended

the UNGA session addressed by US President Joe Biden. "They will continue to

September 15, Guterres had

occupy the mission until the credentials committee takes a decision," a diplomatic source was quoted as saying by the Dawn newspaper.

Afghan Taliban's new UN envov urges recognition

Kabul: The Taliban's newly appointed envoy to the United Nations on Wednesday urged quick world recognition of Åfghanistan's new rulers even as the World Health Organisation raised the alarm of an impending health care disaster in the war-wracked country.

The humanitarian crisis is one of the many challenges the Taliban face since their takeover of Afghanistan last month, including renewed threats from the militant Islamic State group, which recently stepped up its attacks, targeting members of the Taliban in its stronghold in the country's east.

In an emergency measure, the UN aid coordinator Martin Griffiths released USD45 million in life-saving support Wednesday for Afghanistan from the world body's emergency fund.

Turabi: Strict punishment, executions will return

AP ■ KABUL

One of the founders of the Taliban and the chief enforcer of its harsh interpretation of Islamic law when they last ruled Afghanistan said the hard-line movement will once again carry out executions and amputations of hands, though perhaps not in

In an interview with The Associated Press, Mullah Nooruddin Turabi dismissed outrage over the Taliban's executions in the past, which sometimes took place in front of crowds at a stadium, and he warned the world against interfering with Afghanistan's new

"Everyone criticized us for the punishments in the stadium, but we have never said anything about their laws and

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Taliban leader Mullah Nooruddin Turabi poses for a photo in Kabul

their punishments," Turabi told The Associated Press, speaking in Kabul. "No one will tell us what our laws should be. We will follow Islam and we will make our laws on the Quran." Since the Taliban overran

Kabul on Aug. 15 and seized control of the country, Afghans and the world have been watching to see whether they will recreate their harsh rule of the

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Lagos (Nigeria): The director of Africa CDC has criticised Britain's decision to subject some travellers who had been fully vaccinated to quarantine

upon their arrival in England. the Africa CDC will call for a review of the policy that "doesn't speak to solidarity and cooperation" and are "the cornerstone" to defeat the pandemic. Britain had pledged to share 100 million vaccines with the to various countries in 2021,

But its new policy taking effect October 4 means some are still not recognized as fully vaccinated. That is because the UK government recognises those fully vaccinated against Covid-19 based on certain terms, including that travellers must have received a UKauthorised shot from an

deepen Indo-Pacific involvement It comes a week after the

War or a world divided into rigid blocs," and Xi telling the With increasingly strong talk in support of Taiwan, forum that "China has never,

a new deal to supply Australia with nuclear submarines, and others or seek hegemony." But the underlying issues the launch of a European strathave not changed, with China building up its military out-posts as it presses its maritime claims over critical sea lanes, egy for greater engagement in the Indo-Pacific, the US and its allies are becoming more and the US and its allies growing louder in their support of assertive in their approach toward a rising China. China has bristled at the Taiwan, which China claims as part of its territory, and deepmoves, and the growing tensions between Beijing and Washington prompted UN ening military cooperation in

and will never invade or bully

Tensions grow as US, allies

the Indo-Pacific.
On Friday, Biden hosts the Secretary-General Antonio Guterres on the weekend to leaders of Japan, India and implore US President Joe Biden Australia for an in-person and Chinese leader Xi Jinping Quadrilateral Dialogue for broad talks to repair their "completely dysfunctional" relationship, warnincluding the Covid-19 paning they risk dividing the demic and climate change, but world. As the UN General also how to keep the Indo-Assembly opened on Tuesday, Pacific, a vast region spanning both leaders chose calming from India to Australia, "free language, with Biden insisting "we are not seeking a new Cold and open," according to the

dramatic announcement that Australia would be dropping a contract for conventional French submarines in favour of an Anglo-American offer for nuclear-powered vessels, a bombshell that overshadowed the unveiling of the European Union's strategy to boost political and defense ties in the Indo-Pacific

"One thing is certain, that everyone is pivoting toward the Indo-Pacific," said Garima Mohan, an Asia program fellow with the German Marshall Fund think tank. As partners pursue moves that play to their own strengths and needs, however, the past week has underscored the lack of coordination as a networked security strategy develops, she said.

"Not everyone has the same threat assessment of China," she said in a telephone interview from Berlin.

US envoy to **Haiti resigns** over migrant **expulsions**

Port-au-Prince: The Biden administration's special envoy to Haiti has resigned, protesting "inhumane" large-scale expulsions of Haitian migrants to their homeland wracked by to their homeland wracked by civil strife and natural disaster, US officials said on Thursday.

Daniel Foote was appointed to the position only in July, following the assassination of Haiti's president. Even before the migrant expulsions from the small Texas border town of Del Rio, the career diplomat was known to be deeply frustrated with what he considered a lack of urgency in Washington and a glacial pace on efforts to improve

jets towards Taiwan in show of force **AP** ■ TAIPEI

China sends 19 fighter

China sent 19 fighter jets toward Taiwan in a large display of force on Thursday, after the self-governing island announced its intention to join an 11-nation Pacific trade group that China has also applied to join.

Taiwan deployed air patrol forces in response to the Chinese jets and tracked them on their air defense systems, the island's Defense Ministry said in a statement.

Among the various jets, some of which flew in a long Lshaped path, were 12 J-16 and two J-11s, as well as bombers and an anti-submarine aircraft. China has sent fighter jets toward Taiwan on an almost daily basis this past year. It stepped up its military harassment of the selfruled island and has sent large displays of fighter jets after political events in which it views as interfering with its sovereignty.

Taiwan and China split during a civil war in 1949, but China continues to claim Taiwan as part of its territory. Beijing opposes Taiwan's involvement in international bodies. Taiwan announce Thursday that it applied to join the Comprehensive and Progressive Agreement for Trans-Pacific Partnership, setting up another potential clash with Beijing.

Africa CDC slams UK's decision to subject some fully vaccinated travellers to quarantine

rest of the world by June 2022, with 30 million doses to be sent including in Nigeria where it donated 1.2 million doses of the AstraZeneca vaccine in August.

approved health body.

Highest stakes in repatriating displaced people from Myanmar: India

United Nations: As the only country sharing a long border with Bangladesh and Myanmar, India has one of the "highest stakes" in resolving the issue of repatriation of displaced persons from the New Delhi's envoy here said.

Permanent Representative of India to the United Nations Ambassador TS Tirumurti told the UN General Assembly High-Level Side Event Rohingya Crisis: Imperatives for a Sustainable Solution' that India commends the Government of Bangladesh for hosting a million displaced persons in its territory.

He voiced concern that the international community has been unable to help resolve the repatriation of displaced persons from the Rakhine State in an expeditious manner.

"It is important for us to recognise and understand the humanitarian burden that Bangladesh continues to bear and support the efforts it has undertaken to ensure the wellbeing of the displaced persons,"

Tirumurti said.

"It is indeed a matter of concern that the international community has been unable to help resolve this issue in an expeditious and sustainable manner," he said, adding that a collaborative and consensus-based approach is key to arriving at a meaningful outcome.

SEARCH FOR MISSING PERSON



General public is here by informed that this person Namely: Ramlal Panthi, S/o Hemlal Panthi, R/o D-2/64, First Floor Andrews Ganj, New, Delhi, Age: 51 Years, Height: 5'3", Face: Round, Complexion: Wheatish. Injury Mark: Marks on Upper side of Right Hand, has been missing since 07.12.2009 from the area of P.S. Defence Colony, Delhi.

In this regard a DD No. 16A, dated 08.12.2009 has been lodged at P.S. Defence Colony, Delhi.

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

Any person having any information or clue about this person kindly inform to the following.

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the mortgaged properties will be sold on the expiry of 30 days from the date of publication of this Notice, as per the provisions under the Rules 8 and 9 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002.

Date: September 24, 2021 Place: Delhi/NCR

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Market at fresh peak: Sensex zooms to 958 pts

Nifty tops 17,800

PTI ■ MUMBAI

Equity benchmark Sensex Ezoomed 958 points to end at a fresh lifetime high on Thursday, tracking gains in index majors Reliance Industries, HDFC twins and ICICI Bank amid a positive trend in global markets.

Similarly, the broader NSE Nifty soared 276.30 points or 1.57 per cent to its new closing peak of 17,822.95. It touched an intra-day record of

After scaling a new peak of 59,957.25 during the day, the 30-share Sensex settled 958.03 points or 1.63 per cent up at an all-time high of 59,885.36.

Bajaj Finserv was the top gainer in the Sensex pack, rising over 4 per cent, followed by L&T, HDFC, Axis Bank, SBI, Reliance Industries and IndusInd Bank.

On the other hand, Dr Reddy's, ITC, Nestle and HUL were the laggards.

Domestic equities wit-

nessed sharp recovery with benchmarks Nifty and Sensex both recording fresh all-time highs, said Binod Modi, Head-Strategy at Reliance Securities.

Favourable FOMC meeting outcome and ease of concerns from possible default of Evergrande aided market rally. Financials and Reliance Industries have dominated market rally, followed by metals, IT and auto, he added.

US Federal Reserve Chair Jerome Powell said the Fed plans to announce as early as November that it will start to taper its monthly bond purchases, should the job market maintain its steady improve-

Elsewhere in Asia, bourses in Shanghai and Hong Kong ended with gains, while Seoul was in the red. Japanese market was closed for holidays. Stock exchanges in Europe were also trading on a positive

note in mid-session deals. Meanwhile, international oil benchmark Brent crude slipped 0.12 per cent to USD

Mcap of BSE-listed firms touches all-time high of ₹ 261.73 lakh cr

The market capitalisation of BSE-listed companies reached an all-time high of ₹ 261.73 lakh crore on Thursday, helped by a massive rally in the equities where the benchmark Sensex zoomed 958 points to end at a fresh lifetime peak.

The 30-share BSE benchmark jumped 958.03 points or 1.63 per cent to settle at its new closing peak of 59,885.36. During the day, it gained 1,029.92 points to touch an intra-day record high of

Driven by the rally in the equities, the market capitalisation of BSE-listed companies jumped Rs 3,16,778.1 crore to reach Rs 2,61,73,374.32 crore.

The market took the US Fed statement of starting tapering as soon as November in its stride. Encouraging news on Evergrande crisis also helped to clear some uncertainty on the global front. Indian markets have been on a roll and the rally today was symbolic of the prevailing strong sentiment locally on the back of reduction in covid cases and the strong vaccination numbers," Devang Mehta, Head of Equity Advisory at Centrum Broking, said.

On Wednesday, US Federal Reserve Chair Jerome Powell said the Fed plans to announce as early as November that it will start to taper its monthly bond purchases, should the job market maintain its steady improvement.

"Amidst a strong start, bulls showed no signs of weakness to soar higher boosted by strong global cues and broadbased buying led by realty, metal and banking stocks. Global markets tempered optimism despite a slightly hawkish tilt by the Fed Reserve intimating that the US Central Bank will begin reducing its asset purchases in November and conclude the tapering process around mid-2022, Vinod Nair, Head of Research at Geojit Financial Services,

Bajaj Finserv was the biggest gainer among the 30share BSE benchmark frontline companies pack, gaining over 5 per cent, followed by L&T, HDFC, Axis Bank, SBI and Reliance Industries.

In contrast, Dr Reddy's, ITC, Nestle, HUL and Bharti Airtel were the laggards.

The BSE midcap and smallcap gained up to 1.28 per

Reliance Industries mcap goes past ₹ 16 lakh cr mark in intra-day trade

PTI ■ NEW DELHI

The market valuation of Reliance Industries Limited ¬he market valuation of went past the ₹16 lakh crore mark in intra-day trade on Thursday following a rally in its share price. The index heavyweight

stock jumped 2.43 per cent to settle at ₹2,489.65 on the BSE. Investors globally took the US Fed statement of starting During the day, it gained 2.72 per cent to its record high of ₹2,496.95 On the NSE, it rose by 2.36 per cent to settle at ₹2,488.10.

In intra-day, the company's market valuation rose to analysts said. At the interbank forex mar-₹16,88,455 crore. At closing, its market capitalisation (m-cap) at ₹15,78,299.46 RIL was the biggest contributor to the overall market

rally on Thursday, where the 30-share BSE benchmark zoomed 958.03 points or 1.63 per cent to its new closing peak of 59,885.36. cent to 93.19.

Earlier on September 3, the market valuation of Reliance Industries Limited jumped to Rs 15 lakh crore.
On June 3 this year,

Reliance Industries market valuation crossed the Rs 14 lakh crore mark.

Shares of Reliance Industries have gained over 25 per cent so far this year.

Rupee rebounds 23 paise to close at 73.64 against US dollar

PTI ■ MUMBAI

The rupee rebounded by 23 paise to close at 73.64 against the US dollar on Thursday following an improved risk appetite among investors triggered by positive investors triggered by positive global cues.

tapering as soon as November in their stride and encouraging news on China's Evergrande crisis also helped to clear some uncertainty on the global front,

ket, the local unit opened flat at 73.85 against the greenback. During the session, it witnessed an intra-day high of 73.61 and finally settled at 73.64.

Meanwhile, the dollar index, which gauges the green-back's strength against a basket of six currencies, fell 0.29 per The Indian rupee erased

Wednesday's loss tracking cues from regional currencies and a surge in global equities after the US Federal Reserve's meeting. Globally risk is looking fairly balanced with two large events of the week FOMC and Evergrande chaos seem to be behind," said Dilip Parmar, Research Analyst, HDFC

Digital cos' data hegemony may lead to 'attention economy', says Competition Comm chief

PTI ■ NEW DELHI

ompetition Commission Chief Ashok Kumar Gupta on Thursday flagged that data hegemony by some digital companies may lead to "attention economy" in which big tech players work to capture users" attention, build profiles of their choices and sell the profiles to advertisers.

The remarks from the Chairperson of the country"s fair trade regulator assumes significance against the backdrop of concerns in certain quarters about the business ways of big tech entities and also some digital players coming under the lens of the While noting that rapid

changes are happening in markets, which are increasingly shifting towards a digital platform-centric configuration, Gupta also pointed out that these platform markets are by their very nature "winnertakes-all or winner-takesmost".

"Network effects, access to large amounts of data, economies of scale and scope, induced behavioural biases among consumers etc., in digital markets, may heighten market concentration and result in the creation of impermeable entry barriers," he

Addressing a conference on competition law organised by industry body Assocham, Gupta said that data hegemony by some digital companies may lead to an "attention econ-

In an "attention economy", big tech players work to capture users" attention, build profiles of their choices and habits, then sell those profiles to advertisers, he added.

"Moreover, since these digital platforms are the ones who make the rules about how different users would interact on their platform, it gives them an incentive to engage in conduct that may not only impede competition in the market but may also strengthen their incumbency advantage," Gupta

According to him, the reg-ulator has a very important role in ensuring that these platforms remain neutral, offer a level playing field and allow enterprises, big and small, that access consumers through these platforms to compete on the basis of merits.

The Chairperson of the Competition Commission of India (CCI) acknowledged that in these fast-evolving and dvnamic markets, a regulator"s task is much like hitting at moving targets.

E-commerce cos to log 23% rise in gross GMV at over \$9 bn this year: RedSeer

New Delhi: E-commerce platforms are expected to potential ly clock over USD 9 billion gross ĠMV (Gross Merchandise Value) during the festive season this year as against USD 7.4 billion last year - a growth of 23 per cent, consulting firm RedSeer said on Thursday. For the full year, the overall online gross GMV is expected to touch \$49-52 billion, which is around 37 per cent higher than last year (USD 38.2 billion), primarily driven by strong consumer funnel expansion and the high adoption of online shopping post-Covid across the categories, RedSeer said in its eCommerce Festive Season

PARADIP PORT TRUST e-TENDER CALL NOTICE

Name of the work : "Allotment of 09 (Nine) nos. of Manual Iron Ore/Iron Ore Pellet plots". License Fees Rs.6,17,041/-. Last date & time of submission of bid: Dt.06.10.2021 up to 15:00 hrs. Date and time of opening (technical bid) Dt.06.10.2021 up to 16:00 hrs. Referour website for details https://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app

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My clients Daulat Singh S/o Sh. Aar Daulat Singh both R/o C 460, New Seemapuri, Delhi-95, debarred their so: Ghanshyam & his wife Soni Khatr from their all movable-immovable properties and severed all relations with them due to their disobedience and quarrelsome nature. My clients shall no responsible for their any ac whatsoever in future.

Mohit Bansal (Advocate)

Ch.No.F-303, Karkardooma Cour

PUBLIC NOTICE My clients Mr. Ashok Kumar S/o Sł

Pheru Singh and his wife Mrs. Ush both R/o H. No. 181, Shyam Gali No. 1 Moujpur, Delhi110053 have debarre their son Rahul and his wife Divya froi their all movable and immovable properties and also severed their relations from them due to their deplorable behaviour. If any person deals with them in future, my client shall not be responsible for the same. Jogesh Gupta (Advocate Ch. No. G-210, Karkardoom:

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NRIDA to explore smart solutions to improve rural road construction pace

PNS ■ NEW DELHI

76.10 per barrel.

The National Rural Infrastructure Development Agency (NRIDA) is set to pilot smart solutions backed by digital innovations to modernise existing performance monitoring mechanisms and improve the service delivery capacity of Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY), which aims to expand India's rural road network by 125,000 km in its third phase by 2025. The envisaged solutions will introduce smart payments and micro services-based architecture. This move will help improve the pace of construction, reduce delays, prevent underutilization of funds, avoid cost overruns, and strengthen the accountability of government officials and contractors.

Upper middle class to revive consumption cycle again soon: Report

PTI ■ MUMBAI

With higher consumer confidence following the rise in vaccination levels and sitting on already-built-up-savings through the pandemic months, the top 20 per cent of upperincome consumers will help recover the near-term consumption demand, as per a

These consumers account for the bulk of the rural and urban demand.

While the economy fared the worst last year, contracting a record 7.3 per cent due to the pandemic, the problem with the economy had begun much earlier in FY16 when consumption demand began to disappear from the economy. The pandemic only added to the contraction.

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Sign Language Day celebrated by ISLRTC

New Delhi: Indian Sign Language Research and Training Centre (ISLRTC), New Delhi, an autonomous body under the Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities (Divyangjan), Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment celebrated 'Sign Language Day' on Thursday at Dr. Ambedkar **INDIAN RAILWAYS**

International Centre, New Delhi. Minister of Social Justice & Empowerment, Dr. Virendra Kumar was the Chief Guest and Ministers of State for Social Justice and Empowerment, Km. PratimaBhoumik and Shri A. Narayanswami were Guests of

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4 sets of microprocessor based static excitation equipment along wit ccessories (including dismantling of existing panels, equipment, cables etc) for 4X15 MW Machine of Shanan Power House, PSPCL, Joginder Nagar, Disti detailed NIT & tender specification please refer

https://eproc.punjab.gov.in from 24-09-2021 onwards NOTE: Corrigendum and Addendum, if any will be published online https://eproc.punjab.gov.in

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SEARCH FOR MISSING



General Public is hereby informed that person namely Ramshankar Saket S/o Lt. Sh. Kemla Saket R/o VPO Sarai Unmulan Tehsil: Sirmour, Distt: Rewa Madya Pradesh has been missing from ISBT Kashmere Gate, Delhi since 07.01.2021 In this regard a DD No. 61A Dated 22.01.2021 has been lodged at PS, Kashmere Gate, Delhi.

The description of missing person is as under: Ramshankar Saket

Name: Ramshankar Saket, Father's Name: Lt. Sh. Kemla Saket, Age: 24 years, Height: 5'5", Face: Round, Complexion: Shallow, Built: Thin, Wearing: Red Colour Jearsy, Jeans and white colour shoes in feet. If anyone having any clue/information, kindly inform the

undersigned. SHO

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SEARCH FOR MISSING/KIDNAPPED



General Public is hereby informed that one girl Namely: Babita, D/o: Sh. Lakhan, R/o: B-1236, Gali No. 4, Sangam Vihar, Tigri, New Delhi, Age: 14 Years, Height: 4'3", Complexion: Shallow, Face: Round, Built: Medium, Mental Status: Mentally ill, Wearing: Orange Colour Suit and Green Colour Duppta and Slipper in feet has been missing/kidnapped from her house. In this regard FIR No. 145/21, U/s 363 IPC, Dated 25.04.2021, has been lodged at P.S. Tigri, New 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.

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P.S. Tigri, New Delhi Ph.: 8375801422, 8750870834

N Railway GM meets U'khand Chief Secy in Dehradun

New Delhi: Ashutosh Gangal, General Manager, Northern Railway, held a meeting with the Chief Secretary of Uttarakhand on Thursday in Dehradun. The Officials dis-

cussed the status of the various ongoing Railway projects in the State. The Chief Secretary requested the GM to complete the projects on time so that the people can benefit

from the new facilities. He also assured that all cooperation will be provided from the state administration for expeditious completion of these

कार्यालय अधिशासी अभियन्ता

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Sr. No.	Name of the Borrower/ Loan Account Number	Description of Property/ Date of Symbolic Possession	Date of Demand Notice/ Amount in Demand Notice (Rs.)	Name of Branci
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2.	Dhanalakshmi Behera/ Flumech Engineering Pvt Ltd/ Gara Rajanikanta Rao/ LBDEL00002282447	Plot No-10, Block No. F, Vikas Puri, New Delhi / September 18, 2021	June 25, 2021/ Rs. 20,42,392/-	Delhi/ Ncr
3.	Manju/ Hansa Dutt/ Nishant Bawari/ LBDEL00004927987/ LBDEL00003009480	DDA LIG Flat No-81, Block- D, Third Floor, Pocket 6, Site 2, Nasirpur Road Sector- 1A, Dwarka, Delhi/ September 18, 2021	June 19, 2021/ Rs. 40,72,421/-	Delhi Ncr
4.	Mandeep Singh Narula/ Jasmeet Kaur Narula/ LBDEL00003459681	Plot No-60, 2nd Floor Without Roof Rights, Block-A Bagdolla, Dwarka, Delhi Haryana/ September 18, 2021	June 23, 2021 / Rs. 1,07,57,549/-	Delhi Ncr
5.	Sharda Devi & Sandeep Kumar/ LBDEL00004899286	Flat No:- 207, Third Floor, Pocket- 7 Sector- 21 Rohini, Delhi/ September 18, 2021	June 23, 2021 / Rs. 51,88,285/-	Delhi Ncr
6.	Simranjeet Singh/ Kawaljeet Kaur Arora/ Manjeet Singh Arora/ LBDEL00004931196/ LBDEL00005341290	DDA CSA, Shop- 45, Ground Floor, Pocket- B, Ashok Vihar, Phase- III, Delhi/ September 20, 2021	June 19, 2021/ Rs. 31,05,965/-	Delhi Ncr
7.	Anirudh Kishanlal Datta/ Patel Sonalben Ramanbhai/ LBDEL00002006912	Flat No- C-114, 1st Floor, The Rashtrapati Bhavan Cabinate Affairs Co- operative GRP, Housing Society, Situated at Plot No-3, Sector-10, Dwarka Phase 1, Delhi/ September 18, 2021	June 23, 2021/ Rs. 78,61,237/-	Delhi Ncr
8.	Mukesh Kumar/ Sushma/ LBFDB00004386336	House No-118, Ground Floor, Bhai Parmanand, Colony, Delhi 110009/ September 18, 2021	June 23, 2021/ Rs. 55,39,430/-	Delhi Ncr
9.	Rakesh Kumar Manocha/ Seema Manocha/ Raman Manocha/ LBFDB00005176759	Plot No-71, Block-A-1 Third Floor, With The Roof/ Terrace Rights Along With One Fourth Share In Stilt Parking With Common Usage Right, Paschim Vihar, Delhi,/ September 18, 2021	June 16, 2021 / Rs. 50,20,607/-	Delhi Ncr
10.	Samir C Minz/ Neelam Carls/ LBDEL00004581385/ LBDEL00001804300	DDA MIG Flat 28-A, Ground Floor Block Ba Ashok Vihar Phase-1, Delhi, Delhi/ September 20, 2021	March 25, 2021/ Rs. 42,73,987/-	Delhi Ncr
	Gaurav Dhall/ Shyam Sunder Dhall/ LBDEL00001091578/ LBDEL00001358021	Plot No - 3, PKT= 2, BLK- H, Sec- 11, Rohini, New Delhi, Delhi/ September 20, 2021	June 19,2021/ Rs. 21,49,265/-	Delhi Ncr
	Kuldeep Solanki/ Neelam/ LBDEL00001802840	Flat No- 220, Second Floor, MIG Flat, Pocket-7, Sector-21, Rohini, Delhi Delhi/ September 20, 2021	June 19,2021/ Rs. 15,95,759/-	Delhi Ncr
	Lalit Kumar/ Reeva/ LBDEL00004288417	Plot No 336, 3rd Floor Pocket-09, Sector- 21, Rohini, Delhi/ September 20, 2021	June 19,2021/ Rs. 19,89,663/-	Delhi Ncr
	Narender Kumar/ Geeta/ LBDEL00004969156	LIG Flat No 1346, 1st Floor, Pocket GH 4 Sector 28 Pocket GH 04 Rohini Delhi/ September 20, 2021	June 19,2021/ Rs. 22,18,061/-	Delhi Ncr
15.	Kapil Bhatia / Ashima Bhatia / Bharat Bhushan Bhatia / LBDEL00004091666 / LBDEL00002334912	DDA LIG, Flat No-Cc-8/275A, Block-C 8, First Floor, Lawrence Road, Delhi / September 18, 2021	June 19, 2021 / Rs. 41,18,895/-	Delhi Ncr

The above-mentioned borrowers(s)/ guarantors(s) are hereby given a 30 day notice to repay the amount, else the mortgaged properties will be sold on the expiry of 30 days from the date of publication of this Notice, as per the provisions under the Rules 8 and 9 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002.

Date: September 24, 2021 Place: Delhi/NCR Authorized Officer ICICI Bank Limited

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SEARCH FOR MISSING FEMALE

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09.07.2021 from the area of P.S. Baba Hari Das Nagar, New Delhi In this regard a DD No. 92-A, dated 09.07.2021, has been lodged at

P.S. Baba Hari Das Nagar, New Delhi. Sincere efforts have been made by local police to trace out information about this female but no clue has come to light so far. Any person having any information or clue about this female kindly

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Chief Engineer, URRDA, Dehradun. Non Registered bidders may submit bids, however, the successful bidders must get registered in appropriate class with appropriate authorities before signing the contract.

Fax: 011-23011334 Note: For e-Procurement for any sort of queries 0135-2608125 number DP/691/SD/2021 may be contacted 10:00 AM to 05:00 PM

LEADING THE WAY

CHRISTY VARGHESE talks with AKSHAT BHATT, the brains behind the novel, 'portable' Mohalla Clinics

hen the Aam Aadmi Party (AAP) rose to prominence and formed the Delhi government in 2015, building 1,000 clinics was one of its primary promises. However, acquiring land for the Aam Aadmi Mohalla Clinics programme, in a congested Delhi, was one significant roadblock that came in the way of achieving such a promise. Only 500 Mohalla Clinics have been developed in the last six years, courting mixed reviews along the way.

While prestigious institutions such as the Stanford University, in its Social Innovation Review, and The Lancet, the renowned medical journal, expressed their appreciation at the Delhi government's move to offer free primary medical facilities through the neighbourhood clinics, there were others who criticised the capital territory's government for not being able to keep up with their pre-poll promises.

To address such criticism, and administer the services that fall within their purview as best as they can, the Delhi government announced last month that two new 'portable' Mohalla Clinics would be inaugurated shortly. And when these modular clinics were set up, in Shakur Basti and Rani Bagh, everyone had a lot of questions. The already innovative concept of Mohalla Clinics had received an ingenious twist — these were made out of what seemed like shipping

containers at first glance, armed with air conditioning and other amenities.

Keeping aside the political shade of the event, while the government courted a let of positive feedback for each approximate the conditional statement of the condition of the event of the condition of ed a lot of positive feedback for such an out-of-the-box initiative, little has been said about the brains behind this ingenuity. The clinic's design was developed by Architecture Discipline, a multi-disciplinary architectural practice founded

by Akshat Bhatt in 2007, and set up with the support of Tata Power-DDL. Based in New Delhi, Architecture Discipline repurposed shipping container," shared Bhatt animatedly. He explained that such experiences used upcycled shipping containers to provide a compact, portable, and sleek twist to the concept of

Mohalla Clinics.

Salvaged from various container yards in Delhi and Haryana, two 20-foot-long containers were joined together to form a single clinic that includes an examination room, a reception and waiting area, a pharmacy that is accessible from outside, and a washroom. The clinic is fully equipped to support routine health checks, testing, and medicine purchasing, as per the state's Health minister, Satender Jain. These newage Mohalla Clinics aspire to

dense residential clusters that are hardpressed for space and have limited access to healthcare facilities. When we called in on Bhatt, the principal architect at Architecture Discipline,

provide an affordable, space-efficient, and high-quality model of healthcare to all

neighbourhoods in Delhi, especially in

he offered to walk us through the thought-process behind the designing of these new models of the mohalla clinic, and the facilities provided. "We have been experimenting with the use of shipping containers as a

building material for a long time now, in typologies ranging from hotels to workspaces. Our own studio has an extension created out of a

had made the firm fairly proficient in the art of converting repurposed shipping containers into high-quality, usable spaces.
"Ever since the pan-

demic hit, we have been exploring the potential of containers in creating healthcare facilities. We designed the Life Community Medical Facility (LifeCMF), a concept for a modular healthcare facility built out of shipping containers that was presented at

the London Design Biennale 2021. The Mohalla Clinics which have come up at Shakur Basti and Rani Bagh are a scaled-down version of LifeCMF, drawing on its central ideas of prefabrication, rapid deployability, and economic feasibility," revealed Bhatt.

He pointed out that the clinics' interiors are oriented towards creating a hygienic and optimistic patient friendly environment, with air-conditioning that is fitted with anti-viral filters and insulated walls that protect visitors from Delhi's searing heat. Features such as the anti-microbial vinyl flooring and medical-grade stainless steel countertops are designed to be easy to maintain, he further shared.

"The clinic's design capitalises on the structural strength of a

discarded shipping container and works with it as a module, reducing the need for costly modifications or custom-built additions. In this manner, it redefines post-industrial waste as a medium for universal primary healthcare," observed

With respect to the design related process, Bhatt explained that what they had in mind was that the end product should be capable of relocation at short notice. "Bearing in mind the congestion in a city like Delhi, we designed something which could be quickly deployed. In case of any emergencies or urgent requirement of a clinic at a location, we can relocate these clinics at short notice. The typical Mohalla Clinic occupies an area of about 720 square feet, our rendition of the clinic has everything that features in a typical clinic, within 350 square feet. And we haven't achieved this in an haphazard manner, mind you. We have assigned dedicated spaces for doctorpatient interaction, waiting room etc while making allowances for acoustic comfort. Even though we toned it down to the bare-minimum, there are provisions for making the clinic disabledfriendly with a grated-ramp facility that can be installed. An ad-hoc ramp solution has also been built-in to each unit," he said, to our wide-eyed wonder.

With the steadily increasing population, are modular spaces here to stay? Or are such instances just another novelty that will be less relevant with time? Only time can tell. However, in the meanwhile,

the new clinics are something that would be welcomed by all Delhiites.

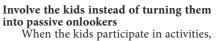


Strange times, novel solutions

RAJESH BHATIA shares some ways by which educators can counter the challenges posed by the pandemic

The education sector has been hit hard ■ by the unexpected and unprecedented challenges posed by the ongoing pandemic. The biggest question has been how to address the absence of the chalk and talk model in education or do without the brick and mortar structures where young children once stepped in to experience the world outside their homes, for the first time? For preschoolers especially, not being able to step outside their homes to play and learn with peers has been hard because a big milestone from their lives has gone amiss in a blink.

As an educator, it is important to focus on the children. Here are some tips that helped teachers to transition from conventional teaching methods to virtual ones:



whether in real or virtual classrooms, they feel more connected with the learning process. When they are encouraged to become the characters they are learning about, they take ownership of a lesson.

It is important to keep preschool kids

engaged in particular, because their attention spans are very small. With aids like sound effects, dance sets, music, interactive games that engage all their faculties, children enjoy their lessons far more.

Provide alternatives to screen time

When most of the education is being imparted virtually, it is important to give children a break from screen time. Giving them projects that involve creativity, the use of imagination, planting something, painting or building a scrapbook, completing a puzzle, learning a poem or a song, gives them the pleasure of exercising their faculties actively and energises them to come back to learn with renewed zest.

Teach teachers to adapt to the new normal Teaching during the pandemic is not something any educator was prepared for and adds wherever possible, teachers should update their skills to adapt to the new nor-



mal; be it with animated and interactive PowerPoints or the delivery of concepts in a new way

Enhance student-teacher interaction

What teachers and students miss the most is actual interaction with each other and this gap can be bridged innovatively with simultaneous experiments that teachers and students can conduct, apart from daily interac-

We should encourage all students to answer questions in class and to approach teachers to solve their queries. It is absolutely important that all kids get opportunities to be heard, read aloud or recite a poem so that they develop confidence along with reading and speaking skills respectively.

Teachers must employ the scaffolding method where students are supported in such a way that they eventually learn to work independently, and this happens only with consistent communication.

Celebrate life together

In an increasingly virtual world, children miss being part of festivities, functions and connecting with peers and schools are learning to create alternatives to even such experiences. We should encourage students and teachers to dress up, put up skits and share the essence of a festival together with music and

(The author is an educator, as well as the founder and CEO of TreeHouse, a borderless online initiative for preschoolers.)

goes without saying that travelling is If goes without say in a state of the people and try out different food cuisines el nerd. But thanks to Covid-19, the tourism industry has taken a hit. The UN's World Tourism Organisation stated that export revenues from international tourism have registered a loss of \$ 935 billion. This amount is only going to go up, as several countries have still not opened their doors to foreigners. Amid the strict international travel restrictions in place, what can Indians do to satisfy their travel needs? Well, the safest bet is to travel within the country.

While many might consider heading to the beaches or opting for a road trip to the mountains, how about a lazy train ride? You get to relax, enjoy the view and spend quality time with your friends and family while on the move. Read on for five train journeys that are worth your time and money.

(The author is the co-journe. CEO of Confirmtkt, the official partner of IRCTC.)

KALKA-SHIMLA TOY TRAIN

There are two reasons why people travel to Shimla — to capture the mesmerising view of the mountains and to enjoy the toy train ride. Built in 1903, the route is renowned for its engineering masterpiece, which covers 102 tunnels, 919 stunning curves and 864 bridges. The journey starts from Kalka, taking you through amazing views of the waterfalls, lush forests and rugged mountains. Till the time it reaches Shimla, you will be awestruck by the beauty of the city, which retains the title, 'Queen of hills'. This ride is so special that

ed your travel bu

DINESH KUMAR KOTHA points out five train journeys in India that will satiate your wanderlust



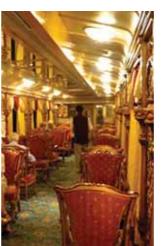
it is listed as a UNESCO site. Generally, five trains cover the distance between Kalka and Shimla - Shivalik Deluxe, Himalayan Queen, Rail Motor, Shimla Kalka passenger and Shimla Express, with the fare starting from ₹70.



Started in 1999, the Mandovi Express has been in service for over 21 years. It has been named after the Mandovi River, which is known as the lifeline of Goa. The train operates between Chhatrapati Shivaji Terminus and Madgaon Junction, which is the primary railway station in Goa. The train covers 581 kms with an average journey time of 11hr 50min and is known for its tasty food that includes a mixture of regional cuisines like Gujarati dabelis, methi vadas, soups, idlivadas and more. With the help of comfortable seats, great hospitality and delicious food, your journey with Mandovi Express promises to deliver an enjoyable experience to the passengers, with the fares starting at ₹210.

THE DECCAN ODYSSEY

If you want to feel like a true king, then the Deccan Odyssey is your way towards it. The train is built to mimic the traditions of the various royal-eras of Maharashtra. It operates between Delhi and Mumbai with 21 coaches. The entire train is stocked with top-of-the-range facilities like internet connectivity and air-conditioning, among other things, to provide optimum comfort to passengers. Once you get on the Deccan Odyssey by paying the minimum fare of ₹5,12,400, luxurious provisions like a well-stocked bar, multi-cuisine menu, conference cart and spa are sure to give you an unforgettable experience.



When people want to travel in style, they hop on the Golden Chariot. This train covers the territories of Kerala, Karnataka and Tamil Nadu along with Pondicherry and Goa. Once inside, the passengers are greeted with alluring hospitality and bombarded with a 360-degree view of the age-old royal traditions. The decor of the train creates an elegant atmosphere, which makes the passing landscapes more magical. With a starting price of ₹53,355, passengers get the best of suites, dining experience, spa and more at their service.

'Since I started my career in



Hopping aboard the Darjeeling toy train is an opportunity that one would rarely want to miss. It's recognised by UNESCO as a World Heritage Site and rightly so. The train functions between New Jalpaiguri and Darjeeling with the help of a small steam engine. As most of the train components are close to 100 years old, it runs at a slow pace, allowing passengers to absorb the surrounding beauty of the hills. The toy train takes you through the villages and local



shops with children waving at you, a moment a photographer will cherish forever. By paying a minimum of ₹1420, you can get the ride of your life and enjoy the view of Batasia Loop, covered in the lap of the hills.

TREND B



When Juhi Chawla shared a story of Shah Rukh Khan coming extremely late for a party, on *Zee Comedy Show,* **FARAH KHAN** shared what she had learnt in her time with the star.

call time, Shah Rukh will come at 2 pm, and that's fine. However, when he suddenly turns up at 11 am, things go for a toss. I feel that if you are coming late, the least you can do is be consistently late," expressed Farah.

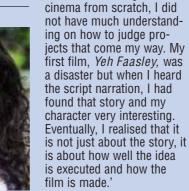
'We all know that when we have a 9 am

Juhi is all set to feature as the special guest during this weekend's episode of the Zee Comedy Show.



'While filming for the forthcoming film, Bhavai, I received two phone calls which have changed my life forever. When we were shooting in Bhuj, I got a call from Hansal Mehta saying 'let us meet whenever you are back in Bombay', that's how Scam 1992 happened. The other call came from my home to inform me about my dad's ill health and eventually, in six months, I lost him.

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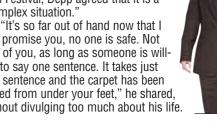


'CANCEL CULTURE IS OUT OF OUR HANDS'

Actor JOHNNY DEPP talked about 'cancel culture' and how social media can affect you.

Seen addressing the issues during a press conference at the San Sebastian Film Festival, Depp agreed that it is a "complex situation."

"İt's so far out of hand now that I can promise you, no one is safe. Not one of you, as long as someone is willing to say one sentence. It takes just one sentence and the carpet has been pulled from under your feet," he shared, without divulging too much about his life.



Pepper

Lemon

Garlic

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Green chili

JUNGLE FISH

WHAT YOU NEED

- Salmon: 200 gm
- Mushroom: 100 gm
- Asparagus: 25 gm Avocado: 20 gm
- Butter: 10 gm
- Salt
- Take the salmon and wash the fillet pieces properly. Use a paper

towel or clean kitchen towel to pat each fillet dry on the top and bottom to prevent them from sticking to the pan. Rub salt, pepper and lemon juice all over the fillet pieces.

 Place over medium-high heat and let the pan heat up for a

couple minutes

 Add and spread the butter over the pan. Carefully place the fillets skin-side down into the pan. Cook the salmon undisturbed until the

lighter coloured flesh has moved about three-fourth of the way up the fillets. This will come to a total time of eight to nine minutes for thick fillets and six to seven minutes for thinner fillets. Use a fish or flat spatula to

flip the salmon fillets, turning the fish away from you to prevent any oil splatter. Cook for two minutes more for thicker fillets and one to two minutes more for thinner fillets.

In the same pan put mushroom, asparagus and garlic.

Add salt, pepper and lemon juice

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neasuring 1800 sq. meter was allotted by the corporation to Sh. Vinod Kumar Jain (now deceased)

No Block B-3, House No. 60, Phase-II, Ashok Vihai

orporation has been informed that the original

ottee Sh. Vinod Kumar had expired on 06.05.2021

The legal heir of the deceased allottee Sh. Same

Jain (real son of deceased allottee Sh. Vinod Kuma Jain) have approached the Corporation for transfer of

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- In a blender, make avocado sauce with coriander, green chili, garlic, lemon juice and salt.
- Put the vegetables and fish on a plate along with avocado sauce

Courtesy: Chirag Barjatya

USP

SJVN signed MoU with University Institute of Technology, HPU, Shimla for Skill Development

Shimla: In line with the vision of Hon'ble Prime Minister of India, Sh. Narendra Modi for Skill Development, a Memorandum of Understanding has been signed between SJVN and University Institute of Technology, Himachal Pradesh University, Shimla. Sh Nand Lal Sharma, Chairman & Managing Director SJVN stated that this agreement is testimony to SJVN's commitment towards holistic growth and development of the society by providing opportunities to the students of the State for Skill Development.



With an objective of capacity building and providing relevant Industry exposure to the students of UIT, MoU was signed by Sh. D.P. Kaushal, Executive Director HR, SJVN, for SJVN and by Professor P.L Sharma, Director UIT, HPU, Shimla for University Institute of Technology, Himachal Pradesh University at SJVN Corporate Headquarter, Shanan, Shimla. Sh. Sharma further informed that this MoU will not only go a long way in capacity building and skill development of the budding technology graduates but will also promote joint research, innovation and exploration in the latest trends and various streams of Engineering & Technology.

HP State Pollution Control Board

Whereas, the State Board vide office order no. PCB/Consent Branch/Review meeting NOCs/2020-25783-25805 dated 24.02.2021 had classified 86 nos. of industrial sectors in Red, 107 nos. in Orange, 69 nos. in Green and 137 nos. in White categories of Industries as per the revised criteria and guidelines of Central Pollution Control Board (CPCB) of 2016 based on the pollution potential.

Whereas subsequent directions from time to time were received from CPCB for adoption of newly categorized

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sectors and addition of any new or left over industrial sectors for categorization which is not listed in the categorization done by CPCB. As per the aforesaid direction the categorization of any new or left out sectors shall be done by a committee at the level of concerned SPCB/PCCs in accordance with the revised criteria and guidelines formulated by CPCB.

Whereas, information from the Regional Offices of State Pollution Control Board was received informing that there are industrial sectors with relative pollution potential which are still unidentified for categorization in Red, Orange and Green. Consequently an inter departmental committee was constituted by the State Board to conduct an extensive exercise to ensure that all the left out industrial sectors may be categorized as per the revised criteria and guidelines of CPCB.

And whereas, pursuant to the guidelines of CPCB an exercise was conducted and the aforesaid committee submitted its report including the details of the identified left out industrial sectors to be classified in Red/Orange/Green category as per the revised criteria and guidelines of CPCB.

Now, therefore after careful consideration, the State Pollution Control Board, Himachal Pradesh hereby notifies the following additional sectors into the classification of Red/Orange/Green done earlier on 24-02-2021 (in addition to 86 nos. of industrial sectors in Red, 107 nos. in Orange, 69 nos. in Green and 137 nos. in White categories of Industries notified earlier):

ADMISSION NOTICE (2021-2022) R.S. MEMORIAL COLLEGE OF PHARMACY

Applications against open/Management/Vacant/Left over Seats/EWS/TFW:

10+2 passed (Medical/Non-Medical) from Board of School Education, Harvai D.Pharmacy or examination from a recognized board/ university (Subject to change by Sta Govt. decision) Or Any other qualification approved by Pharmacy Council of

25 /09/2021 to 27/09/2021
28/09/2021
29/09/2021
30/09/2021
01/10/2021
12/10/2021

*Application forms are available in the college's office/website Admission shall be made as per the guidelines of HSBTE Board/PCI/HSTES

*For Next Counselling/ Admission visit College Website For further details visit our website http://rsmpc.co.in/ or Email principalrsmc@gmail.con

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Helpline No.-8803948000, 8803937000

Name Change Mr. Ranjeet Chandel nushkaa Chandel R/o Vinay Rao Chouhar Ridge Road Jabalpur have his daughter name from Ridhi Colony. Chandel to Anushkaa Chandel in service documents and produced an affidavit duly verified by Notary public Leh with E Stamp Certificate No: IN-LA02070294554740T to this office for making necessary correction Hence the notice is hereby served through press to file objection if any in this office LSRC Record Office Phyang Leh Ladakh within 7 days from date of publication failing which necessary correction will be made. Deponent: Mr. Ranjeet Chandel

PUBLIC NOTICE I hereby informed the general blic that Narinder Kumar s/o Mool Chand R/o Durga Nagar, Krurikshetra has lost my Sale Deed No. 15331 Dt04.11.2011, Sale Deed No. 7016 Dt 07.12.2009 & Sale Deed No. 6874 Dt 04.01.2008. A Police report has also been got registered in this respect having details: DDR App. 0. 132320732101403, 132320732101404 8 132320732101406, 132320732101404 of 132320732101406 respectively at Police Station (urukshetra. If anybody found the said los cuments then may contact to undersigned and nybody having claim or claiming any prior rights or nterest in any manner in this property or has raised pan by depositing the aforesaid documents to any erson/bank/corporation/financial institution nay approach the undersigned and may submit bjections within 3 days from the date of this public ofections within 3 days from the date of this public of otice. After the expiry of the period of this notice, o claim shall be entertained and such claim shall e deemed to be false, fake, frivolous, fraudulent nd baseless claim and shall have no value in the For PNB Housing Finance Ltd. through Adv. Vineet Rathore

LOST / FOUND Gargi Gambhir W/o Sh. Rahul Batra R/o House No. 238, Sector 32-A, Chandigarh have declare that I have lost original documents of Flat No. 8061. Tower 8 "ATS CASA ESPANA, Village Badmajra, Sector 121, District SAS Nagar Mohali Punjab, C/o owned by Simmi Sharma and Vijay Sharma Booking No. is REGQA/00284/16-17. I had also lodged the DDR No. 257424 dated 24-09-2021 with Police Station, Sector 34, Chandigarh Against Application No. APCAS/00112/14-15. If anybody found return to the above address.

Public Notice The public at large hereby informed that m clientess Smt. Phoolwati W/o Sh. Jagpal Singt R/o H. No. 271, Near Girls High School, Nangs Kalan (43), Sonipat, Haryana has disowned he daughter-in-low Sarita Devi W/o Sh. Sun numar and her grandson Vevek Kumar and pranddaughter Himani from all her movable and movable properties, assets etc. and severed all her relations with them. Any person of persons dealing in any kind whatsoever with the daughter-in-low and grandsons and granddaughter of my clientess, shall be doing so entirely at his/her/their risk, costs and lity. My clientess shall not be liable esponsible for any act done by her daughte aw and grandsons and granddaughter.

Parveen Kumar, Advocate CH.No.103A, Western Wing, Tis Hazari Court, Delhi-110054 Mobile No. 9999768044

सार्वजनिक सूचना

जन साधारण को सचित किया जाता है की Kamal Kumar

रिकार्ड में प्रोपर्टी आई. डी. नं. 68सी217यू89, वार्ड Sharma S/o Late Vrindavan ने जायदाद न 165/72 Moti Dass Nagar अम्बाला छावनी जो कि नं० १४, श्री/ श्रीमती गुलशन पुत्र रामदित्ता नंद के Sumitra Devi के नाम झका रिकॉर्ड में दर्ज है अब क्लेबर / जन्म नाम से दर्ज हैं। अब नगर निगम के रिकार्ड मे इस य के आधार पर अपने नाम करवाने बारे. नगर परिवाद अन्वाला सदर बीन में आवेदन वि आई०डी० नं. में प्रार्थी जिसका नाम श्री/श्रीमती है अप किसी भी व्यक्ति को व्यानम तब्दील को किसी भी तरह का ऐतरब हो तो । मुलशन, ओमप्रकाश पुत्र रामस्वरूप, नीलम, दिन के भीतर ऐतराव सहित इस कायार्लय में किसी भी कार्य दिवस में प्रस्तत कर सकत बबली (कमलेश), मंजू, वीना पुत्री रामस्वरूप सचिव नगर परिषद अम्बाला अपने नाम तबदील करवाना चाहते है, यदि किसी भी जनसाधारण को इनके नाम तबदील करने मे कोई भी आपति है तो 30 दिन के अन्दर-२ नगर

OSBI STATE BANK

BRANCH: PHUL TOWN, DISTT, BATHINDA

PUBLIC NOTICE

State Bank of India, Phul Town Branch has sanctioned a Home Loan of Rs 15.00 Lacs in favour of Mr. Sanjeev Kumar Bansal S/o Madho Prasad Bansal and Smt. Meenu Bansal W/o Sanjeev Kumar Bansal and for security of the loan, the Borrower, Mr. Sanjeeev Kumar Bansal S/o Madho Prasad Bansal has provided the property Residential House measuring 104 Sq. Yards situated at Gali No. 6 Janta Colony Rampura Phul within Municipal Committee Limits having MC Limits of Rampura Phul, Punjab - 151103 standing in the name of Sanjeev Kumar Bansal S/o Madho Prasad Bansal vide Sale Deed No. 1481 dated 19.10.2015, Bounded as:- East: 18' H/o Gora Lal; West: 18' Street No. 6; North: 52' H/o Vinod Jethi South: 52' Arsham, in favour of bank which is already mortgage with State Bank of India Phul Town from dated 27.02.2017 for housing loan of Rs. 15.00 Lakhs.

BRANCH MANAGER

Public Notice

Barinder Singh S/o Naib singh R/o

Subhash colony, Amargarh, Teh.- Maler-kotla, Distt.- sangrur inform that sale

deed no. 621 dated 28-08-2000 in the

name of Mohan Singh s/o Gurnam

Singh has been lost, police reported

vide LR no. 169751 date 15.09.2021. If

Lost & Found Nagar, Fatehabad, Tehsil & Distt. Fatehabad declares that I am the owner of land situated a Shiv Nagar Fatehabad throgh Sale Deed no. 2357 dated 04.07.2017. And the previous original sale deed (No. 5971, dated 09.01.2006) of the above land has been actually lost somewhere in Fatehabad. Now, I want to issue duplicate copy of above sale deed. If, in future, will find this sale deed, I will not misuse it.

PUBLIC NOTICE It is informed to the General Public through this notice that Sh. Madan Lal Arora son of Sh. Dhar Chand Arora R/o H. No. 176, Sharma Garder Yamuna Nagar, Distt. Yamuna Nagar, Haryan has approached the J&K Bank Ltd. BU Yamuna Nagar for loan against property, a term loan facility in his favour and the bank has sanctioned the said loan facility in his favour for purpose of busines need against the mortgage of the property bein residential house situated at H. No.176, Sham Garden under property No. 400C219U138 measuring 128 Sq. Yards situated at Mouja Majra, presently known as Madhu Colony, Sharm Garden, Yamuna Nagar, Distt. Yamuna Nagar Harvana bounded as North: Rasta 10' wide. South: House of others East: House of Mr. Sethi, West: Property of Ashok Thapar, standing in the name of Sh. Madan Lal Arora son of Sh. Dharm Chand Arora R/o H.No. 176, Sharma Garder Yamuna Nagar, Distt. Yamuna Nagar, Haryana for availing of loan against Property.

Any person including agency, semi agency housing board having objection regarding the said property he/she/it may file his/her/its objection with Head, BU Yamuna Nagar, Haryana within 07 days from the date of publication of this notice failing which no objection shall be entertained in this regard & it shall be presumed that nobody has any objection to the mortgage of the said house to the bank and same is free from all mbrances, charges, lien & litigation etc

PUBLIC NOTICE Satyashila Kolhe, I have

Changed my date of birth from 14/08/1986 to 14/09/1984. Spouse of JC No 385751P Rank-Rub (OPCOM) Name: Kolhe Mahadeo Kisan Unit: HQ, 759 Border Road Task Force (GREF) C/o APO-VIllage and Post Sarola (Bk) Tehsil Osmanabad, Distt Osmanabad State Maharshtra Pin - 413501, Ihave Chnaged my Date of Birth my Husband Service Record correct date of birth is 14/09/1984 Affi Dated 16/09/2021 Distt Court Osmanabad (Maharashtra)

Public Notice

It is informed to General Public that Smt. Sumandeep W/o Sh. Tara Chand & Sh. Tara Chand S/o Sh. Jagan Nath resident of Village Ganga Tehsil Dabwali Distt. Sirsa have lost their nal two previous Sale Deed No. 10089 dated 21.12.2010 in favour of Smt. Rubal Arora W/o Sh. Virnal Arora resident of Sirsa and Sale Deed No. 1145 dated 24.05.1989 in favour of Sh. Vinod Kumar Gupta S/o Sh. Hari Kishan Gupta resident of Sirsa for Plot property ID No. SRS/B-13/2139 Plot No. 291 measuring 30 Feet x 60 Feet area 200 Sq. yards, Situated it Village Khairpur, Area Khanna Colony, Sirsa Tehsil & Distt. Sirsa. If any person has objection then file replies along with proof of ownership within 15 days before the undersigned. After lapsation of stipulated period no claim will be accepted regarding the above said property.

For J & K Bank Branch Head BU: Yamuna Nagar Anil Kumar Gupta, Advocate, Sirsa | M. 9416253429

Public Notice

mala Devi w/o Roshan Lal r/o H.No 1850, Gali No. 6, Kalyan Nagar, Thanesar Sukhbir lost his previous Original Sale Dee Curukshetra, declare that my Sale Deed No No.1991/1 dated 31.10.2019 favouring Smt 5697 dtd. 28.08.2012 in the name of Kusur Sahbo W/o Sh. Raiender regarding the proper w/o Ram Singh r/o Thanesar District situated at mouja Bharan Tehsil Meham Disl Kurukshetra, and presently I am owner have been lost some where at Kalyan Nagar Rohtak Haryana between in Rohtak City and i any person has found/information/ Possession Kurukshetra on dated 02.09.2021. Its owledge for above said documents sha submit/intimate within 07 days to Sh. M. L. Anybody found, please return us at ou Dhingra Advocate, Office/Shop No.13 Nea Ram Panwari Chhottu Ram Chowk Rohtak o Chamber No.148 Distt. Court Complex Rohtak **DOCUMENT LOST** M.No.9416380702. Thereafter any kind of clair will not be accepted. Robin Dahiya S/o Rajinder Singh M. L. Dhingra Advoca

NOTICE All the members of National Insurance Employees Cooperative USETC Society Limited Chandigarh are hereby informed that General Body Meeting will be held on 14-10-2021 at 5:40 pm at SCO No. 332-334 Sector 34-A Chandigarh to discuss the Agenda items

संजीव कुमार पुत्र श्री शिशपाल निवासी मकान नं 301 पुन्दर नगर निकट नई अनाज मण्डी हिसार तहसील व जेला हिसार का हूं अपने हल्फ से ब्यान करता हूं कि मेर पुत्र आदित्य सैनी व मेरी पत्नी सुशीला रानी मेरे व मेरे रवार के कहने व सुनने से बाहर है मैं मेरे पुत्र आदित ोनी व मेरी पत्नी सुशीला रानी को अपनी चल व अचर यति से बेदखल करता हूं भविष्य में इनसे कोई किसी तर का लेन देन करता है तो वह स्वयं जिम्मेवार होगा मेर । मेरे परिवार की कोई जिम्मेवारी नहीं होगी।

बेदखली सूचना

Document Lost

Kailasho w/o Lt. Vijay R/o VPO-Mayyar, Hisar declare that lost of allotment Letter Memo No. 894 Dt. 19/01/95 and Conveyance Deed No. 19049 Dt. 29/03/12 of H.No. 312, Sector - PLA, Hisar in the name of Anuradha Ray w/o Jaidev Ray missing on dated 19/09/2021 at the place of near Jat college to state bank of India, Hisar, Distt. Hisar.

PUBLICATION

That My Sh. Vijay Kumar S/o Sh Sat Naryan declare that I am Owner of Property Land/Plot, Comprised in Khewat no. 236, Kitte-12. Rakba 35 Kanal 2 Marla its 4/702 share i.e 4 Marla, Situated at Village Assandh Tehsil Assandh and District Kama Measuring 4 Marla//42-1/2'-26-7 X // 120 Sq. yards being owne Vide Vasika no. 3229/1 dated Now raising loan 25-02-2008. from MAGMA Housing Finance Ltd against it, Original Sale deed No.1825/1 dated 21-09-2007 as executed by Sh. Madan Lal S/o Sh. Ganga Bishan in respect of the property in question measuring 4 Marla in favour of Smt. Roshn W/o Sh. Mahinder is missing it any individual/Institution is having any information/charge/lien then contact undersigned within 15 days. Hemant Sharma' Advocate (for MAGMA Housing Finance Ltd.) #1581, Sector-7, U.E. Karnal 9896260977

HEMANT SHARMA Advocate

Lost and Found

is to notified to the General Public that my plot Registry (Wasika No.6134) Khasra No. 19R/22/2(1-4) 23 (8-0) Rakba 9 Kanal 4 Marle 3/92 Rakba 0-6 Marle Bakya Gosaipur Pathankot dated 13-01-2020 has peen lost in January 2021 in main Bazaar Pathankot, if anybody finds please contact at below Address Divya Sharma W/o Narinder Sharma R/o HNo.40 /BNo 43, Mohalla Nandian Pathankot

PUBLIC NOTICE

BEFORE SH. HARJEET SINGH SANDHI CS, ASSISTANT ESTATE OFFFICER EXERCISING THE POWERS OF ESTATE OFFICER, U.T., CHANDIGARH_ ownership Rights of louse No. 2348, Sector 23-C. Chandigarh to the extent of 100% Share RPL-18872) in the name

of Sh. Navneet Batra S/o Late Sh. Surendra Mohan Batra on the basis of Un- Regd. Will executed by Late Sh. Surendra Mohan Batra S/o Ladha Ram Batra to the extent of 50% share and Regd. Will executed by Late Smt. Nilam Kumari W/o Late Sh. Surendra Mohan Batra to the extent of 50% share. t is notified for the information of the

general public and all concerned that residential **House No. 2348**, Sector 23-C, Chandigarh, which as per record of this office 100% share stands Late Smt. Nilam Kumari. It has been reported by Sh. Navnee Batra S/o Late Sh. Surendra Mohar Batra that Sh. Surendra Mohan Batra expired on 04-01-2017 and Smt. Nilam Kumari has also expired

on 09-04-2020 leaving behind the following legal heirs. Sr. Name of all No. Legal heirs(s)

No. Legal heirs(s) deceased

1 Sh. Navneet Batra Son 2 Smt. Sunanda Mukhija Daughter Now. Sh. Navneet Batra S/c

Late Sh. Surendra Mohan Batra has applied for transfer of ownership to he extent of 100% share (i.e. 50%+50% share) of aforesaid House in his favour from the name of Smt. Nilam Kumari W/o Sh. Surendra Mohan Batra on the basis of Regd. Will of Smt. Nilam Kumari and Un-Regd. Will of Sh. Surendra Mohan Batra as informed by the applicant. If anybody has any nformation about any more lega neirs of the deceased owner other then mentioned above the same may be intimated to the estate Office, Town Hall Building, Sector 17, U.T., Chandigarh immediately. f any body, has any objection upor the mutation of above said property in favour of above applicant ne/she/they may furnish in writing in the office of undersigned within 30 days from the date of publication of this notice in the shape of affidavit duly attested by the Executive magistrate/ notary Public undertaking the genuineness of their objection beings so raised, so that this office does not have to deal with frivolous anonymous complaints and the said property shall be mutated accordingly and no further claim what so ever shall

be entertained later on. SH. HARJEET SINGH SANDHU, PCS Assistant Estate Officer, Exercising the power of Estate Officer, U.T., Chandigarh.

SYMBOLIC POSSESSION NOTICE

Registered office: ICICI Bank Towers, Bandra-Kurla Complex, PICICI Home Finance Bandra (East), Mumbai- 400051

Corporate Office: ICICI HFC Tower, JB Nagar, Andheri Kurla Road, Andheri East, Mumbai- 400059 Branch Office: 1st Floor, Shop No. 132, above SBI, GT Road, Bhatinda - 15100

होगा ।

The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of ICICI Home Finance Company Limited under the Securitisation, Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) rules 2002, issued demand notices upon the borrowers mentioned below, to repay the amount mentioned in the notice within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

As the borrower 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 of the said rules on the below-mentioned dates. 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 ICICI Home Finance Company Limited. Date of Demand Name

Sr. No.	Co bornoused	Description of property/ Date of Possession	Date of Demand Notice/ Amount in Demand Notice (Rs.)	
1.	Suresh Kumar (Borrower), Madhu (Co- Borrower), Naresh Kumar (Co- Borrower), Saroj Rani (Co- Borrower), Honey Goyal (Co- Borrower), NHBTN00001262418	House No- B-III-312, Ward No-12, B0300722, Mc No- B-3-312, Vakya G, Nai Basti Backside Govt Girls School, Goniana Mandi Bhatinda Punjab (Admeasuring an area of 215 Sq yards) Date of Possession- 20/09/2021	30-11-2019 Rs. 23,72,779/-	Bhatinda-B
2.	Suresh Kumar (Borrower), Madhu (Co- Borrower), Naresh Kumar (Co- Borrower), Saroj Rani (Co- Borrower), Honey Goyal (Co- Borrower), NHBTN00001262419	House No- B-311, Ward No-5-B0300723 Mc No B-3 311 Vakya, Backside Govt Girls School, Gonlana Mandi, Bhatinda Punjab (Admeasuring an area of 215 Sq Yards) Date of Possession- 20/09/2021	31-12-2019 Rs. 18,07,420/-	Bhatinda-B
3.	Suresh Kumar (Borrower), Madhu (Co- Borrower), Naresh Kumar (Co- Borrower), Saroj Rani (Co- Borrower), Honey Goyal (Co- Borrower), NHBTN00001262421	House No- B-III-312, Ward No-12, B0300722, Mc No -B-3-312, Vakya G, Nai Basti Backside Govt Girls School, Goniana Mandi Bhatinda Punjab (Admeasuring an area of 215 Sq yards) Date of Possession- 20/09/2021	30-11-2019 Rs. 43,25,088/-	Bhatinda-B
4.	Suresh Kumar (Borrower), Madhu (Co- Borrower), Naresh Kumar (Co- Borrower), Saroj Rani (Co- Borrower), Honey Goyal (Co- Borrower), NHBTN00001262422	House No-B-312, Ward No-5-B0300722 Mc No B-3 312 Vakya, Backside Govt Girls School, Goniana Mandi, Bhatinda Punjab (Admeasuring an area of 215 Sq Yards) Date of Possession- 20/09/2021	31-12-2019 Rs. 8,47,101/-	Bhatinda-B

The above-mentioned borrowers(s)/ guarantors(s) are hereby given a 30 day notice to repay the amount, else the mortgaged properties will be sold on the expiry of 30 days from the date of publication of this Notice, as per the provisions under the Rules 8 and 9 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002.

Date: September 24, 2021 Authorized Officer ICICI Home Finance Company Limited Place: Bhatinda

The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of ICICI Bank Limited under the Securitisation, Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under

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Sr. No.	Name of the Borrower/ Loan Account Number	Description of Property/ Date of Symbolic Possession	Date of Demand Notice/ Amount in Demand Notice (Rs.)	Name of Branch
1.	Navdeep Kaur/ Tamanna Pujara/ Sucharu Bedi/ Vikram Singh Bedi/ LBZMO00002146759/ LBZMO00003897456	House No.130, Khewat/ Khatoni No.233/240, Comprised In Khasra No.1180/884 (3-7), 885(4-0), 1273/886(2-8), 1275/1182/887 (1-19), Kite 4, Village Khanpur, Hadbast No.183, M.C. Kharar, The. Kharar, Distt. Mohali Punjab/ September 20, 2021	March 25, 2021 Rs. 39,46,144/-	Mohali. Solan
2.	Navdeep Kaur/ Tamanna Pujara/ Sucharu Bedi/ Vikram Singh Bedi/ LBZMO00003897455/ LBZMO00003944820	Plot No.3085, Sunny Enclave, Bearing Khewat/ khatoni No.14/17, Comprised in Khasra No.11/25(8- 0), 14//5(8-0), 6(8-0), Kite 3, Village Desumajra, Hadbast No.31, Tehsil Kharar, Distt. Sas Nagar, Mohali Punjab/ September 20, 2021	March 25, 2021 RS. 88,46,389/-	Mohali, Solan
3.	Ritu Rani/ Nulif Sanito/ Naveen Singla/ Puneet Singla/ LBPAT00002359235/ LBPAT00002359237/ LBPAT00002359243/ LBPAT00002359236	House No. 277-C, Urban Estate, Phase-2, Near Atwal Petrol Pump, Patiala, Punjab, Patiala/ September 18, 2021	March 31, 2021 Rs. 35,03,663/-	Patiala
4.	Ajay Kumar/ Pyare Lal/ LBPAT00001495337	House Situated At Mohalla Ripudaman Pura, Darzian Street, Nabha Patiala, Punjab/ September 18, 2021	March 26, 2021 Rs. 1,81,370/-	Patiala

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Date: September 24, 2021

Authorized Officer ICICI Bank Limited

RCB seek return to winning ways against resilient CSK | I respect team's decision to let Pant stay as captain: Iyer

tar-studded Royal Challengers Bangalore would look to shrug off the crushing defeat in the previous outing and get their mojo back when they take on Mahendra Singh Dhoni's resilient Chennai Super Kings in an Indian Premier League (IPL) match, here on Friday. While RCB will look to start

afresh, CSK got a confidenceboosting 20-run win against defending champions Mumbai Indians on Sunday night. It is imperative for RCB to improve upon their batting as they seek to keep their place in the top half of the points table. It will be important that the openers -- Devdutt Padikkal (217 runs) and skipper Virat Kohli (203 runs) -- provide a solid start. But the opening duo would also need support from the middle-order, which crumbled against Kolkata Knight Riders.

The likes of Glenn Maxwell (233 runs) and AB de Villiers (207 runs) will have to perform in unison against a strong CSK attack. Australian Maxwell did justify his high price tag during the first leg, becoming the side's top scorer. He would be raring to go once again as will the ever-reliant De Villiers. CSK could have suffered the

reversal in their tie against Mumbai had it not been for youngster Ruturaj Gaikwad's mature unbeaten knock of 88 off

The team's leading run-getter Faf du Plessis (320 runs), Moeen



Ali were out for ducks while Ambati Rayudu was retired hurt on nought. Veterans Suresh Raina and Dhoni also failed to reach double digit scores and the side was reeling at 24 for 4. But Gaikwad was not ruffled and kept

his calm, steering the three-time champions to a respectable 156 for 6. He stitched crucial partnerships with all-rounders Ravindra Jadeja and Dwavne Bravo, who smashed 23 runs off eight deliveries, taking the team over the 150-run mark

Defending a modest total, CSK showed immense resilience as the bowlers led by pacer Deepak Chahar and Dwayne Bravo handed the "Yellow Army" their sixth win of the season.

A win on Friday will take

them back to the top of the table. CSK will also have the option to choose young England all-rounder Sam Curran, who had been one of the breakout stars of last year's IPL, shining with both the bat and

Shreyas Iyer says he relished cap-taining the Delhi Capitals in the IPL but completely respects the team management's decision to let Rishabh Pant stay as leader of the pack till the end of the 2021 season.

Iyer had led the Capitals to the summit clash of the 2020 season but he missed the first phase of this year's season due to a shoulder injury and the management asked Pant to captain the side.

The 26-year-old returned to the side before IPL's resumption after the COVID-19 forced break but the Capitals chose not to change the leader again, keeping Pant in the cap-

The young Mumbai batsman, who hit a blistering 47 in team's win on Wednesday night, said he understands team's policy and has no

When I was given the captaincy, I was in a different frame of mind and my decision-making and temperament level was very good and I benefited from it in the last two years," Iyer said at the post-match press conference.

This is part of the decision-making from the franchise or whatever decision they took, I respect the fact and Rishabh is leading the side well from the start of the season and they thought that he should be continued till the season end and I completely

respect the decision," he added.

The 26-year-old said he continues to enjoy the pressure situation as he thrives in such circumstances.



"And no drastic change has come that my focus has increased in batting. When I was captain, I like to soak in the pressure, when there is pressure, there are more challenges and, in such situations, I perform, that is my

"Even today (Wednesday) when I went in, there was pressure to win the game. The wicket was playing uneven, so the mind-set is the same that being a main part of the team, you have to finish the match and whenever I play, my mindset is that I play till the last ball and see to it that I make the team win.

The aggressive batsman it is a "really good feeling" to contribute in team's win in his first match post

"I wouldn't say that I'm satisfied because the hunger has just gone up and the appetite keeps on increasing every match you play, so yeah, not satisfied or not contained," he said after DC demolished Sunrisers Hyderabad by eight wickets.

> Abhishek Verma elected to World

Archery's athletes

You have to be best on that day: Rohit on match against KKR



IANS ABU DHABI

Mumbai Indians skipper Rohit Sharma believes that T20 is a format in which one has to be at his best on the day. He added that the match against Kolkata Knight Riders in the Thursday will not be a cakewalk for his team.

"I honestly don't believe in past records because T20 is game of?on that particular day what happens. It's a game of that. You have to be best on that day," said Sharma in a video posted by the franchise on social media. Mumbai vs Kolkata matchup in the IPL presents a very one-sided story. In 28 matches between the two teams, Mumbai, IPL winners for five times, have the dominant hand, winning 22 times against Kolkata, the two-time champions.

"They (KKR)are a good opposition. They play cricket really well as a team and they will be obviously coming off from some confidence after their last win. So, it's not going to be a cakewalk for us.I know we've had a very handy record against them. But it's important we turn up really well on that particular day and do the job," added Sharma.

Sharma missed Mumbai's first match of the UAE leg of IPL 2021, the 20-run defeat to Chennai Super Kings in Dubai on Sunday. Chasing 157, Mumbai were hurt by lack of partnerships by their batsmen.

"When you are chasing a score like 157, you need to build those partnerships. Small partnerships and make sure that you are keeping yourself in the game as long as possible,' observed Sharma.

The 34-year-old praised New Zealand pacer Adam Milne, who took two wickets for Chennai. "Adam Milne, especially, is coming from a very good tournament in UK. He's a good bowler, bowls really fast. It's all about getting that confidence and he got the confidence in the first game. So, I just hope that he builds on it.

Sharma concluded by saying that the defending champions are capable of making a fightback in the tournament. "We just have to come back and comeback really strong and tick those small boxes. I think, if you look at the potential in this squad, we have got all bases covered.'

Army Red withdraws from quarterfinal due to Covid

IANS KOLKATA

he Durand Cup quarter-fina I match between Army Red and FC Bengaluru United (FCBU), scheduled for Friday at the Kalyani stadium, has been called off after a Army Red player tested positive for Covid-19 virus on Thursday. As the player had come into

contact with other teammates during Thursday's training session, the Army Red squad decided to withdraw from the tournament as a result and



Odisha will host the International Hockey Federation's (FIH) Men's Junior Hockey World Cup December 5 at the Kalinga Stadium in Bhubaneswar, Chief Minister Naveen Patnaik announced on Thursday.

Addressing a special event organised here for this purpose, Patnaik said that recently the Hockey India had approached the state government to support it for the Men's Junior Hockey World Cup, which is to be held in two months' time.

"It is a short notice for making arrangements for such an event, especially during the pandemic period. But since the country's prestige is at stake, we readily agreed to support," he



said. Stating that the junior India team had won the last hockey World Cup, he said, "As a defending champion, I am sure that our team will emerge victorious again on home turf.'

The Chief Minister further said that hockey has a special place in the minds of the people of Odisha and hockey players from the state have led the country in many international tournaments.

It is learned that one player of Army Red tested positive in the mandatory Rapid Antigen

semi-finals.

Local Organizing Committee (LOC) of 130th Durand Cup informed in a release on

FCBU received a bye into the

taken, keeping in mind the health

and safety of players and officials

primarily and the continuity and

success of the tournament, , the

All decisions have been

Test conducted in the morning. He was asymptomatic while the has decided to go ahead with committee other matches as they are being

held at other venues and there has not been any contact between the players since the last Covid test which had come negative for the said player. Meanwhile, the LOC has

other players have tested negative.
The organising committee

also decided to shift the quarterfinal match between FC Goa and Delhi FC from the Mohun Bagan ground to the Kalyani Stadium because of heavy rains

PTI ■ YANKTON India's three-time World Cup gold medal-winning compound archer Abhishek Verma has been elected to World Archery's athletes' committee for a four-year term. The 32year-old was elected alongside

reigning women's world cham-

pion Natalia Avdeeva of Russia

after participants voted during

the ongoing World Championships. Compound archers were polled for their new representatives here. Verma, a former Asian Games gold-medallist, was the only male candidate but had to earn a majority while Avdeeva and Janine Meissner of Germany

were the female candidates. The

Russian received 69 per cent of

The duo will serve for four Folkard, and members Sjef van den Berg and Crystal Gauvin on the committee. Terms are staggered to ensure continuity and transfer of knowledge. Verma, an

...I think I can competentimprove interaction with committees and contribute to competitions," Avdeeva was quoted as saying by the World Archery

Paralympics bronze winner Sharad diagnosed with heart inflammation

PTI ■ NEW DELHI

Tokyo Paralympics bronze medal-winning high jumper Sharad Kumar has been diagnosed with heart inflammation and has underare still awaited.

Kumar, who won a bronze in the T-42 high jump event in the Tokyo Paralympics on August 31, was admitted to the All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS) after experiencing chest congestion last week.

The earlier reports showed that I have an inflammation in my heart,' Kumar told PTI on Thursday. The-29 year-old Patna-born athlete, who stays in Chhatarpur, was discharged from the medical facility earlier this week but had to come back for some more tests. "I have come

back here for more tests. Since I live just 10 minutes away, I had asked the hospital authorities to allow me to go home," he added. Kumar, whose left leg was paralysed after he was administered a spurious polio vaccine

> knee injury while training before his event. He later revealed he was on the verge of pulling out of the competition. Kumar had jumped 1.83m to win the bronze. He is a double Asian Para Games (2014 and 2018) high jump champion and also a world silver

Tokyo last month despite suffering a

The T-42 classification is for athletes with a leg deficiency, leg length difference, impaired muscle power or impaired passive range of movement

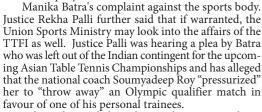
in the legs. The athletes compete in a standing position.

Arjuna awardee, has won gold medals in the World Cups in Poland (2015) and Paris earlier this year. He also bagged the yellow metal in the team event in World Cup in Shanghai in 2018. ly defend the rights of athletes,

HC asks Centre to conduct inquiry into allegations against TT body

PTI ■ NEW DELHI

¬he Delhi High Court on Thursday stayed the Table Tennis Federation of India's mandate on compulsory attendance at the National Coaching Camp in order to be selected for any upcoming international event and asked the Centre to conduct an inquiry into



The judge said the rule mandating compulsory attendance at the national camp has been enforced "at a point when there was a complaint pending against the national coach" and the same "does not inspire confidence". "They are overreaching the court. I will issue a notice of contempt. I pass an order and you appoint a new person. This is shocking... I am expressing my anguish," the judge stated. "I am of the view that the operation of the rule is required to the stayed till the next date of hearing. Respondent no. 2 (Sports Ministry)...Is itself inclined to hold an inquiry into the serious allegations by the petitioner. There is no reason why respondent no 1 (federation) should continue with its rule," she ordered.

Liga: Asensio, Benzema star as Real beat Mallorca 6-1

Marco Asensio scored a hat-trick and Karim Benzema struck a brace of goals as Real Madrid soared on their goalscoring prowess to thrash Mallorca 6-1 and rose to the top of the table in the Spanish La

Asensio scored in the 24th, 29th, and 55th minute while Benzema struck in the third and 78th minute as Real Madrid produced another goalfest for the Santiago Bernabeu

faithful. Isco scored the sixth

goal in the 82nd minute while

Lee Kang-In got the lone goal for Mallorca in the 25th minute.

The game was a lively affair and was played at a high intensity throughout. The Real got off to an electrifying start when Benzema latched onto a missed controlled ball by Gaya and fired it past goalkeeper Manolo



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the notice within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

Reina to net his seventh goal of Reina was once again beaten in the league campaign after with just three minutes on the clock. In the 7th minute, the hosts almost doubled their lead when Marco Asensio's in-swinging corner kick was cleared off the

line by the defence. The visiting goalkeeper

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Housing Finance Ltd.) in relation to the enforcement of security in respect of a housing loan facility granted pursuant to a loan agreement entered into between DHFL and the borrower, to repay the amount mentioned in

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the 229th minute. Rodrygo picked up the ball inside the box with his back to goal, turned, and crossed. The ball deflected off both Valjant and Reina falling kindly for Asensio who slammed in the rebound for his first goal of the evening.

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As the borrower failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken symbolic 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 of the said rules on the belowmentioned dates. 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 ICICI Bank Limited.

Sr. No.	Name of the Borrower/ Loan Account Number	Description of Property/ Date of Symbolic Possession	Date of Demand Notice/ Amount in Demand Notice (Rs.)	Name of Branch
1.	Navdeep Kaur/ Tamanna Pujara/ Sucharu Bedi/ Vikram Singh Bedi/ LBZMO00002146759/ LBZMO00003897456	House No.130, Khewat/ Khatoni No.233/240, Comprised In Khasra No.1180/884 (3-7), 885(4-0), 1273/886(2-8), 1275/1182/887 (1-19), Kite 4, Village Khanpur, Hadbast No.183, M.C. Kharar, The. Kharar, Distt. Mohali Punjab/ September 20, 2021	March 25, 2021 Rs. 39,46,144/-	Mohali
2.	Navdeep Kaur/ Tamanna Pujara/ Sucharu Bedi/ Vikram Singh Bedi/ LBZMO00003897455/ LBZMO00003944820	Plot No.3085, Sunny Enclave, Bearing Khewat/ khatoni No.14/17, Comprised in Khasra No.11/25(8- 0), 14//5(8-0), 6(8-0), Kite 3, Village Desumajra, Hadbast No.31, Tehsil Kharar, Distt. Sas Nagar, Mohali Punjab/ September 20, 2021	March 25, 2021 RS. 88,46,389/-	Mohali

The above-mentioned borrowers(s)/ guarantors(s) are hereby given a 30 day notice to repay the amount, else the mortgaged properties will be sold on the expiry of 30 days from the date of publication of this Notice, as per the provisions under the Rules 8 and 9 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002. Date: September 24, 2021 Place: Solan

Authorized Officer ICICI Bank Limited

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House No-121, Street-4, Sundar Nagar, Near Gupta Karyana Store, Patiala, Punjab/ June 03, 2021 Patiala Ravi Narang/ Khwaish Sachdeva (17800003829 & OZPAT00005022873) & Nagar, Near Gupta K House No-121, Street-4, Sundar Nagar, Near Gupta Karyana Store, Patiala, Punjab September 18, 2021 The above-mentioned borrowers(s)/ guarantors(s) are hereby given a 30 day notice to repay the amount, else the mortgaged properties will be sold on the expiry of 30 days from the date of publication of this Notice, as per

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