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## Axe on 16 MLAs! Dy Speaker sets June 27 for show-cause

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Rebels say they are part of Sena, name self 'Shiv Sena Balasaheb'

TN RAGHUNATHA MUMBAI

 $F^{\rm ive\; days\; after\; they\; rebelled}_{\rm against\; Shiv\; Sena\; president}$ and Maharashtra Chief Minister Uddhav Thackeray's leadership, the Sena rebel faction, led by senior minister Eknath Shinde, began to face the heat on Saturday as Deputy Speaker Narhari Zhirwal issued notices to 16 Sena rebel MLAs, including Shinde.
The Deputy Speaker has

sought explanations from them by the evening of June 27 on the representation made by the parent party seeking their disqualification for violating the party discipline.

Acting on the basis of a letter written by Shiv Sena's chief whip Sunil Prabhu seeking their disqualification under The Members of Maharashtra Legislative Assembly (Disqualification on Ground of Defection) Rules, 1986, principal secretary of the Maharashtra Rajendra Bhagwat issued notices to 16 Sena rebel MLAs asked them to submit written response before 5.30 pm on June 27 (Monday) supported by all the necessary doc-

"If the written response to the summons is not submitted in a given period, it would be considered as you have no say over it. The office will initiate necessary action based on the complaint filed by Shiv Sena's chip whip against you," the notice stated.

outfit Shiv Sena passed five resolutions, including the ones reaffirming confidence in the leadership of Uddhav Thackeray and asking the rebel MLAs not to use the name of late Shiv Sena chief Bal Thackeray, the rebel Sena group — which claims to have the support of 37 Sena MLAs out of the total 55 Sena MLAs in the State Assembly — floated a parallel Sena group named



Shiv Sena leader Sanjay Raut interacts with the media outside Sena Bhavan after Shiv Sena's meeting at Dadar in Mumbai on Saturday

as "Shiv Sena Balasaheb". Apart from their leader Eknath Shinde, 15 other rebel Sena MLAs who have been issued show-cause notices by the office of Deputy Speaker are: Abdul Satar, Sandeep Bomre, Prakash Surve, Tanaji Sawant, Mahesh Shinde, Anil Babar, Yamini Jadhay, Sanjay Shirsat, Bharat Gogavale, Balaji Kinikaer, Lata Sonawane, Sadasarvankar, Prakash Ambedkar, Sanjay Raimulkar and Ramesh Bornare.

These 16 MLAs are among the 37 rebel Sena MLAs who have given a letter to the Deputy Speaker, Governor Bhagat Singh Koshyari, and secretary to the Maharashtra Legislature, re-affirming their confidence in the leadership of he would continue as the leader of the Shiv Sena Legislature Party till 2024.

The 37 Sena rebel MLAs (who account for more than the requisite two-third strength i.e, 36 MLAs out of total 55 Sena MLAs in the State Assembly) if they move out of the Shiv Sena en block will attract penal action under the anti-defection law.

However, if the Deputy

Speaker disqualifies 16 Sena rebel MLAs, including Eknath Shinde, the development will result in the rebel Sena camp – the strength of which will be reduced to 21 MLAs against the earlier 37 MLAs, attracting action under the anti-defection

On its part, the rebel Sena camp played down the import of the notices issued to 16 rebel Sena MLAs.

Yes, we have received notices from the office of Deputy Speaker. There is nothing to worry about. We will not be disqualified. We will respond to the notices. If need be, we will move the court against the notices issued by the Deputy Speaker," rebel Sena MLA Bharat Gogawale

Rebel Sena MLA Deepak Kesarkar, speaking on behalf of the Shinde camp, said that the rebel Sena MLAs were very much part of the Shiv Sena and that they would set up a separate block of the party in the State Assembly.

"We are not going to merge with any political party. We will be setting up a separate block of the Shiv Sena in the State Assembly," Kesarkar said.

## My fight is to rescue Sena from clutches of python' MVA: Shinde

Mumbai: Rebel Shiv Sena leader Eknath Shinde late on Saturday evening said Shiv Sena workers should under-stand that he was fighting to save the party from the clutch-es of the Maha Vikas Aghadi (MVA).

Shinde's appeal came after Sena workers loyal to party president and Maharashtra chief minister Uddhav against the rebel MLAs led by him by defacing their banners hurling stones in some places and vandalising the office of an MLA in Pune. In a tweet in Marathi, Shinde, who is camping in Guwahati with his group of MLAs, said, "My dear Shiv Sena workers, try to understand the machinations of the MVA. I am fighting for rescuing the Shiv Sena and Sena

workers from the clutches of



the python of the MVA." "I dedicate this fight to the interest of Shiv Sena workers," he

Shinde and his supporters have said earlier that they want the Sena to pull out of the "unnatural" Maha Vikas Aghadi coalition with the Congress and NCP, and revive the alliance with BJP.

## Like Shiva, Modi swallowed poison of riot charge: Shah

#### **HM cites SC** verdict, says charges were **'politically** motivated'

PIONEER NEWS SERVICE

Aday after the Supreme Court upheld the Special Investigation Team's (SIT) clean chit to 64 people, including Prime Minister Narendra Modi, in the 2002 Gujarat riot case, Union Home Minister Amit Shah on Saturday said Modi endured pain for the last so many years without speaking a word and followed Lord Shiva, who swallowed poison and held it in his throat.

Shah said that allegations against the PM were "politically motivated" and that the truth had come out, "shining more than the gold".

He said "a trio of Opposition parties, ideologically-driven certain journalists, and an NGO was behind false allegations" against the Prime Minister aimed to "tarnish his image" and keep the case going

as long as it is possible."
"They had a strong ecosys tem so everyone started believing lies to be truth," he said.

Speaking at length in an interview with ANI, Shah said the Supreme Court verdict described the charges as "politically motivated" and "cleared a blot on BJP".

He said the court said the then Chief Minister "did best efforts to control riots" in 2002.

Asked how does it feel Home Minister said "Satya jab itni lambi ladayi ke baad bahar ata hai, uski chamak sone se bhi zyada hoti hain, bahut achha lagta hain...", he said.

He named civil rights activist and journalist Teesta Setalvad as a person fuelling charges against Modi. Shah her had given baseless information about the riots to the

"I have read the judgment very carefully. The judgment clearly mentions the name of Teesta Setalvad. The NGO that was being run by her — I don't remember the name of the NGO — had given baseless information about the riots to the police," he was quoted as **PTI** saying in the interview.



Union Minister for Home Affairs Amit Shah chairs the meeting of the Parliamentary Consultative Committee of Ministry of Home Affairs in New Delhi

## Gujarat ATS arrests Teesta, ex-DGP **RB** Sreekumar

Setalvad taken to Ahmedabad day after SC dismissed plea against SIT clean chit to Modi in Gui riots

PTI ■ MUMBAI/ AHMEDABAD

Activist Teesta Setalvad was Aon Saturday detained by the Gujarat Anti-Terrorist Squad (ATS) from Mumbai, and taken to Ahmedabad in connection with an FIR registered against her at the Ahmedabad city crime branch, Gujarat former DGP RB Sreekumar too was arrested.

Setalvad, on her part, lodged a complaint with Santacruz police station in Mumbai claiming that the "arrest" was illegal and she apprehended a threat to her life. Teesta Setalvad has been picked up by the Gujarat ATS Gujarat ATS said.

A day earlier, the Supreme Court had dismissed a petition challenging the clean chit given by the SIT to then Gujarat Ćhief Minister Narendra Modi and others in the 2002 post-Godhra riots cases.

Bringing the curtains down on the bid to reopen the probe into the 2002 riots, a bench headed by Justice AM Khanwilkar on Friday had also



Activist Teesta Setalvad at Santacruz police station after being arrested by Gujarat Police ATS, in Mumbai, on

spoken of "the devious stratagem to keep the pot boiling, obviously, for ulterior design" and said disgruntled officers of the Gujarat Government need ceeded with in accordance with law for creating a sensation by making false revela-

Setalvad's NGO had supported Zakia Jafri, who had filed the petition alleging a larger conspiracy behind the riots, throughout her legal battle. Jafri's husband and former Congress MP Ehsan Jafri was killed during the

## Counter-terrorism, food security, energy on Modi's agenda at G7

PIONEER NEWS SERVICE **NEW DELHI** 

 $P^{\text{rime Minister Narendra}}_{\text{Modi will discuss a range of}}$ issues, including counter-terrorism, energy, food security, and the environment with world leaders during his visit to Germany to attend the G7 summit. The ongoing conflict in Ukraine and the situation in the strategically important Indo-Pacific may also come up for discussion.

Ahead of his visit to Germany starting Saturday, the Prime Minister said he will exchange views with the leaders of the G7 grouping and its partners on issues such as energy, food security, counterterrorism, environment, and democracy

He is visiting Schloss Elmau in southern Germany on June 26 and 27 for the summit of the G7. It is a combination of the world's seven richest nations, including the USA, the UK, France, Italy, Germany, Japan, Canada, and the European Union. The G7 leaders are expect-

ed to focus on the Ukraine crisis that has triggered geopolitical turmoil besides fuelling a global food and energy crisis.



summit following an invitation by German Chancellor Olaf Scholz. The summit is being hosted by Germany in its capacity as the chair of

"In an effort to strengthen international collaboration on important global issues impacting humanity, Germany has also invited other democracies such as Argentina, Indonesia, Senegal and South Africa to the G7 Summit," Modi said in a statement

ahead of his visit. "During the sessions of the Summit, I will be exchanging views with the G7 counties, G7 Modi is attending the G7

international organisations on topical issues such as environment, energy, climate, food security, health, counter-terrorism, gender equality and democracy," he added. Modi said he was looking

forward to meeting leaders of some of the participating G7 and guest countries on the sidelines of the summit.

The Prime Minister said he was also looking forward to meeting Chancellor Scholz again after the "productive" India-Germany Inter-Governmental Consultations (IGC) last month.

## Maya backs Murmu, JMM likely to support NDA presidential candidate

PIONEER NEWS SERVICE NEW DEI HI

iving a further boost to the Typresidential nominee of the National Democratic Alliance (NDA) Draupadi Murmu, BSP supremo Mayawati on Saturday extended her party's support to Murmu, giving her a decisive edge against the Opposition candidate and former Union Minister Yashwant Sinha.

Murmu is also expected to gain support from Iharkhand Mukti Morcha, which is under pressure to break ranks from the Opposition and back a tribal leader.

Murmu, a Santhal tribal leader herself, also called up the Jharkhand Mukti Morcha (JMM) chief and Jharkhand Chief Minister Hemant Soren seeking his support for her candidature, sources said.

JMM — a constituent of the Congress-led UPA — is in power in Jharkhand in alliance with it. A meeting of JMM parliamentarians and legislators was held on Saturday under the chairmanship of party supremo Shibu Soren, sources said. The Chief Minister will soon visit New Delhi and meet Union Home Minister Amit Shah before



tribute to Bhimrao Ambedkar at Parliament House, before filing her nomination papers, in New Delhi on Friday

the party takes a final call on

Thereafter, we will take deci-

sion on supporting a presi-

support to Murmu. "We have some grievances the meeting. to be discussed with him.

dential candidate," JMM MLA Nalin Soren told reporters after

spokesperson Supriyo Bhattacharya said var-

ious issues, including the pres-

idential election and the political situation in the country were discussed in the meeting. "The decision in regard with extending support to a presidential candidate has not been taken yet. When the time comes, we will declare it," Bhattacharya told PTI.

However, well-placed sources said that JMM will finally have no option but to support Murmu. Other Regional parties like the JD(U), the BJD, the YSR Congress have already extended support to the NDA pick.

The BSP's backing to Murmu has further bright-

Murmu has further bright-ened her winning prospect vis-a-vis Sinha as the BJP is still making effort for an unopposed victory for its NDA nominee.

Speaking to reporters at Lucknow, Mayawati, while clarifying that her party's decision to support Murmu is not a support to the BJP, attacked the Opposition for "ignoring" the BSP while deciding their candidate for the presidential polls. "Our decision is neither in support to the BJP nor against the opposition.....it has been taken after having kept in view the ideology of the BSP, which is to support the dalits and tribals," she said.

### Biden signs landmark gun bill, says 'lives will be saved'

Dresident Joe Biden on Saturday signed the most sweeping gun violence bill in decades, a bipartisan compro-mise that seemed unimaginable until a recent series of mass shootings, including the massacre of 19 students and two teachers at a Texas elementary school.

"Lives will be saved," he said at the White House. Citing the families of shooting victims, the President said, "Their message to us was to do something. Well today, we did."

The House gave final

approval on Friday, following Senate passage on Thursday, and Biden acted just before leaving Washington for two summits in Europe. The legislation will toughen background checks for the youngest gun buyers, keep firearms from more domestic violence offenders and help states put in place red flag laws that make it easier for authorities to take weapons from people adjudged to be dangerous. Most of its \$13 billion cost

will help bolster mental health programs and aid schools targeted in in mass shootings.

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Amount

Outstanding

10,08,099/38

as on 31-03-2021

+ interest, other

charges and less

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15,72,009/26

as on 31-03-2021

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as on 31-03-2021

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as on 28-02-2022

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Sd/- Authorised Officer

19,49,864/65

## Classifieds

#### PUBLIC NOTICE

- I, Rajender Kumar S/o Roshan Lal, R/o 626/5, Rajender Nagar, Patiala Chowk, Jind, have disown my daughter Kirti Sharma from my movable and immovable property. The person doing the transaction with Kirti Sharma himself will be responsible because Kirti Sharma is out of my & my family control. I and my family have not responsibility.
- I, Suman Aggarwal W/o Heera Lal R/o Opp.Malik Petrol Pump, Near ABC Hospital, Sanoli Road Panipat Have my name from Suman to Suman Aggarwall and my Husband Name from Hira Lal to Heera Lal & my address is from house no. 1230 Sector Huda, Panipat to Opp.Malik Petrol Pump. Near ABC Hospital, Sanoli Road
- Panipat should be done. I Ram Lal S/o Kundan Lal R/o 628/2, Ram kishan Colony, Tehsil Ambala Cantt, Distt. Ambala declare that my Son Hemant Death Date 15.02.2021 and my daughter in law Pinki is out of my Control. So I Disown her from my all Movable Immovable Properties.
- We Karnail Singh S/o Sadhu Ram & Lajwanti W/o Karnail Singh R/o 324B, Model Town, Kansi Nagar, Ambala City, Distt. Ambala declare that my Son Amandeep Singh is out of my Control. So i disown him from my all Movable Immovable Properties.
- I, Manju Sharma W/o Kuldeep Sharma R/o #129/B. Nalagarh Road Piniore, Distt. Panchkula declare that my daughter Priya is out of my control. So, I Disown her from my all movable/immovable property. If anybody deals with her shall do their own risk in future.
- I. Kiran Devi W/o Ram Niwas R/o 64, Valmiki Mohlla Village Karsa Dod, Tehsil Nilokheri Distt Karnal. Haryana inform that I belong to Hindu Religion by Birth. Now I have converted from Hindu Religion to Christian Religion without any inducement, threat or under influence or pressure. I shall be following all the Chrisitian rituals and ceremonies.
- I, Sanjeev Kumar S/o Sh. Pala Ram V.O.P Kharu Khera Ambala. Declare that my Daughter Saloni are out of my control. So I disown them from my movable and immovable property. anybody dealing with them will do so at his / her own risk. In Future my Entire Family will not be responsible
- I, Jeney Shibu W/o Shibu Mamachan, permanent resident of Kanjiramvilla Thumpassery, Karavaloor, PO Karavaloor (Part) Distt. Kolam (Kerala), declare that in school record of my son Shijin S.Maman . my name written as Jeney.S.Maman, Jeney Shibu and Jeney.S.Maman one of the same person.
- I, Tejo Devi wife Mauji Ram village Bakhali Pehowa (Kurukshetra) my son Rajesh Kumar and his wife Ramandeep Kaur out of My control. I, disown them from all my moveable and immoveable properties. Anybody deal with him at their own risk. That his No Right My Properties.

Borrower

Sh. Ravinder Singh S/o Sh.

- I. Channo Devi w/o late Ronki Ram r/o village Maandi Tehsil Pehowa, Distt Kurukshetra declare that my son Mahabir Singh & his wife Manjeet Kaur both are out of my control. I disown them from all my moveable/immovable properties, anybody deals with them shall do their own risk in
- It Is For General Information That I Akshay Manhaas S/O Ranbir Singh, Village Maan, Tehsil Mukerian Distt Hoshiarpur Declare That Name Of Mine Has Been Wrongly Written As Akshay In Cbse Matriculation Certificate. The Actual Name Of Mine Is Akshay Manhas Which May Be Amended Accordingly.
- ਮੈ ਬਲਕਾਰ ਸਿੰਘ ਪੱਤਰ ਸਲਵਿੰਦਰ ਸਿੰਘ ਵਾਸੀ ਚੋਗਾਵਾਂ ਤਹਿਸੀਲ ਅਜਨਾਲਾ ਜਿਲਾ ਅੰਮਿਤਸਰ ਬਿਆਨ ਕਰਦਾ ਹਾਂ ਕਿ ਮੇਰਾ ਲੜਕਾ ਗੁਰਪ੍ਰੀਤ ਸਿੰਘ ਤੇ ਨੂੰਹ ਮਹਿਕਪੀਤ ਕੋਰ ਮੇਰੇ ਕਹਿਣੇ ਤੋਂ ਬਾਹਰ ਹਨ ਤੇ ਬੂਰੀ ਸੰਗਤ ਵਿਚ ਪਏ ਹਨ। ਇਸ ਲਈ ਮੈ ਇਨ੍ਹਾ ਨੂੰ ਆਪਣੀ ਚੱਲ ਅੱਚਲ ਜਾਇਦਾਦ ਤੋਂ ਬੇਦਖਲ ਕਰਦਾ ਹਾਂ।ਇਨ੍ਹਾ ਨਾਲ ਕਿਸੇ ਵੀ ਤਰ੍ਹਾ ਦਾ ਲੈਣ ਦੇਣ, ਕਰਨ ਵਾਲਾ ਖੁਦ ਜਿੰਮੇਵਾਰ ਹੋਵੇਗਾ।ਮੇਰਾ ਇਨਾਂ ਨਾਲ ਕੋਈ ਤਲਕ ਵਾਸਤਾ ਨਹੀ ਰਿਹਾ।

#### CHANGE OF NAME

- I, Tejpal Puri S/o Hardeep Puri R/O Village, Kansal, Distt. SAS Nagar, Mohali, have changed my minor daughter's name from Kartika to Kritika.
- I, No. 11021029K NK Gurnam Singh (Retd.) S/o Late Sardara Singh R/o Village Chammukalan. Ismailabad, Tehsil Pehowa, District Kurukshetra declares that in my service documents my wife's name is wrongly written as Narender Kaur instead of Navinder Kaur & D.O.B. 20 years at the time of marriage instead 01.01.1945. Note all concerns.
- I, Pranav Gupta S/o Sh. Atul Gupta R/o H.No.2243, Sector 13, Urban Estate, Karnal have changed my name from Parnav Gupta to Pranav Gupta
- I, Gaurav Abrol S/o Ravinder Abrol Flat No. C-503, Mona Green VIP Road, Zirakpur (Mohali ) Pb. have Changed my name Gaurav Abrol to Gaurav Kumar.
- I, Ram Pher Chohan S/o Sh. Ram Sawan Roy Chohan C/o Ram Stall Near Arva Samai Mandir Vakilan Hoshiarpur Punjab have changed my name from Ram Pher Chohan to Ramfer. Concerned Note.
- I, Munish s/o Gulab Singh r/o Bazida Roran, Karnal have changed my name from Munish Kumar to Munish. In future I may be known as Munish. I, Parveen Gupta Son of
- Raj Kumar Gupta Resident H.No.14, Housing Board Colony, Kalka Tehsil Kalka Panchkula Haryana Distt. have changed my name from Parveen Kumar to Parveen Gupta.
- I. Monika Rani Wife of Parveen Gupta Resident H.No.14, Housing Board Colony, Kalka Tehsil Kalka Distt. Panchkula Haryana have changed my name from Monika Rani to Yogita Gupta.
- I, Charanjit S/o Shri Shadi Ram, # 2811, Sector 125, Sunny Enclave, Kharar, Mohali have changed my name from Charanjit to I Pardeep Bhardwaj S/o Sh. R.P. Bhardwaj R/o House No.207 Sector- 6, U.E. Karnal have changed my minor son's name Jai Raj Bhardwaj to Jairaj Bhardwaj and his date of birth 05.01.2011. Charanjit Manku.

- Sh. R.P. Bhardwaj R/o House No.207 Sector- 6, U.E. Karnal have changed my minor son's name Jai Raj Bhardwaj to Jairaj Bhardwaj and his date of birth is 05.01.2011.
- I, Service No.14684549K HMT Bhanu Partap Singh S/o Hardyal Singh Unit 7 Armd WKSP C/o 56 APO. In my service record my father name is Hardval Singh. Which is incorrect. Correct name is Hardayal Singh.
- I, Varinder Sharma S/o Inderiit Sharma R/o 205. Darshani Bagh, Manimajra, Chandigarh do have change my Name from Varinder Sharma to Varinder Kumar.
- I, Rajni Bala W/o Amit Kumar R/o 12-A, VPO Udaypur, Distt. Ambala. Have Changed my Name from Rajni Devi To Rajni Bala.
- I, Payal Puri D/o Naval Kihore Puri W/o Raj Kumar 1786. Bhandari R/o Bhushanpura Amritsar have changed my name from Paval Puri to Komal Bhandari After
- I, Sapna Arora Alias Neena W/o Sunil Arora R/o H.No.301-A, Shastri Nagar, Majitha Road Amritsar have changed my name from Sapna Arora Alias Neena to Sapna
- I, Yodhraj S/o Bau Ram R/o 876, Fatehgarh Churian Road, Sanjay Gandhi Colony Amritsar have changed my name from Yodhraj to Yodh Raj.
- I. Davinder Kumar S/o Om Parkash Bhatia R/o H.No.1283, Lane No. 5-A, Vijay Nagar Batala Road District Amritsar have changed my name from Davinder Kumar to Davinder Bhatia
- I, Ashwani Kumar S/o Om Parkash Bhatia R/o H.No.1283, Lane No. 5-A, Vijay Nagar Batala Road District Amritsar have changed my name from Ashwani Kumar to Ashwani Kumar Bhatia.
- I, Rimpy Arora W/o Ashwani Kumar Bhatia R/o H.No.1283, Lane No. 5-A, Vijav Nagar Batala Road District Amritsar have changed my name from Rimpy Arora to Meenakshi Bhatia
- I, Sandhya Khanna W/o Davinder Bhatia H.No.1283, Lane No. 5-A, Vijay Nagar Batala Road District Amritsar have changed my name from Sandhya Khanna to
- I Surbhi Vadhera Alias Reena Kundra Wife Of Rajesh Vadhera R/O 269 Golden City Near Meerankot Chowk Ajnala Road Amritsar Have Changed My Name To Surbhi Vadhera. I. Hitherto Known As Parb
- Kaur Wife Of Satnam Singh Residing At V.P.O Balia Manjpur Tehsil And District Amritsar-143149 Punjab Have Hereafter Be Known As Ramanpreet.
- I, Hitherto Known As Rajesh Kumar Son Of Jawahar Lal Residing At H.No.63-B, Basant Avenue, District Amritsar-143001 Punjab Have Changed My Name And Shall Hereafter Be Known As Rajesh Kumar Saggar.
- I. Hitherto Known As Himani Kandhari D/O Jugal Kishore W/O Deepak Kandhari Residing At H.No.156, Avtar Avenue, Majitha Road, Amritsar-143001 Punjab Have Changed My Name And Shall Hereafter Be Known As Leena Kandhari.

- I. Hitherto Known As Gursharanbir Singh Son Of Parkash Singh Residing H.No.357, Village Machiwind, Tehsil Ajnala, District Amritsar-Puniab Have 143108 Changed My Name And Shall Hereafter Be Known As Gursharnbir Singh.
- I, Hitherto Known As Rachna Wife Judge Pal Malhotra Esiding H.No.202, Patti Road, Near Hdfc Bank Harike Tarn Taran, Punjab Have Changed My Name And Shall Hereafter Be Known As Rachna Malhotra.
- I, Hitherto Known As Joginder Pal Son Of Ram Parkash Residing Village Khemkaran, Patti, Tarn Taran, Punjab-143419 Changed My Name And Shall Hereafter Be Known As Joginder Pal Bawa.
- I, Hitherto Known As Rajn Bala Wife Of Joginder Pal Village Bawa Residing Khemkaran, Patti, Tarn Taran, Puniab-143419 Have Changed My Name And Shall Hereafter Be Known As Rajn Bawa.
- Sunita W/o Dharmendr R/o H.No. 437 old Bus stand, opp. Bank Gohana, Tehsil Gohana, Distt. Sonipat, declare that I have changed my name from Sunita to Sunita Chehal for all future
- I, Parson Kaur W/o Jasvir Singh R/o. Village Ghallu Fazilka Punjab-152122 have Changed my name to Parsan Kaur I. Jasveer Singh S/o
- Gurnam Singh R/o. Village Ghallu Fazilka Punjab-152122 have Changed my name to Jasvir Singh I. Parwinder W/o Mohan
- Singh R/o.L-7/922, G.No.1, Uttam Nagar T.T. Road, Amritsar-143001 Changed my name to Parwinder Kaur. I, Gurmeet Kaur W/O Major Singh R/O Village-Thriyewal, Po- Marari Kalan,
- Have Changed My Name Gurmeet Kaur To Gurmeet I. Chander Prabha Alias Chanda Sharma, R/o 18-B. Jawahar Market, Nangal, (Ropar), have changed my

name Chanda Sharma, after

Tehsil Majitha, Distt-Amritsar,

- I, Poonam W/o Tarun Arora R/o H.No.151, Phase-1, Lane No.2, Rishi Vihar Road, Amritsar, Punjab have changed my name from Poonam to Tanisha.
- I, No. 15574425H Hav Bikram Kumar S/o Sh. Dharam Pal R/o VPO Ajrana Tehsil Thanesar Kalan. District Kurukshetra declares that in my service documents my wife's name is wrongly written as Roshani Dev instead of Roshni Devi & D.O. B. 30.10.1987 instead of 02.03.1981. Note all concerns.
- I, Tarun S/o Rajbir Jain, R/o H .No 109/5 Gandhi Nagar Scheme No 5 Jind Haryana I have change My Name from Tarun to Tarun Jain.
- I, Subhash Kumar Paul S/o Tarsem Lal R/o VPO. Sal Khurd, S.B.S Nagara (PB) have changed my name to Subash Kumar Paul.
- I. Ravi Kumar S/o Late Sh. Atlar Ram R/o H.No. 2413 DMC Chandigarh declare that my document my father name is wrongly mentioned as Attar Singh correct name is Attar

#### Whereas, the Undersigned being the "Authorised Officer" of Puniab & Sind Bank, under the Securitization & Reconstruction I. Ashok Kumar s/o Sh of Financial Assets and Enforcement of the Security Interest Act 2002 in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(2) read

Name of the NPA

(1) Sh. Sajan Kumar S/o Sh.

Ramesh Kumar (ii) Smt.

Manju W/o Sh. Sajan Kumar

- Sham Lal, R/o House No. 44-A Sector 522/3, Chandigarh have changed my name from Ashok Kumar to Ashok Kumar Bhatti. Both the names are one and the same
- I, Raj Kumar S/O Ayodhia Parshad, R/O Mcb-Z-6-01932, Gali No.21, Surkhpeer Road Sas Nagar Bathinda Have Changed My Name From Rai Kumar Thakur To Raj Kumar.
- I, Jagtar Singh S/O Bahadur Singh R/O Shambhoo Kalan, Distt Patiala Have Changed My Name From Jagtar Singh Jangla To Jagtar Singh.
- I, Shekhar S/O Rakesh Kumar R/O Village Bhateri, Pehowa, Kurukshetra Haryana Changed Name From Shekhar to Shekhar Kumar.
- I, Ranjan Preet W/o Komal Singh Vill Majri, Tehsil Guhla, Kaithal Changed Given Name Ranian Surname Preet
- I. Ranian Preet W/o Komal Singh Vill Mairi, Tehsil Guhla, Kaithal, I Changed My Minor Daughter Name From Gurnoor Kaur to Gurnoor Name)Kau (Given (Surname).
- I, Sandip Kaur W/o Manpreet Singh , Village Bunga, P/o Khanpur Mandian Distt Malerkotla have changed my name to Sandeep Kaur.
- I, Raj Kumar S/o Shri Koora Ram R/o Village Reona Bhola, Tehsil and District Fatehgarh Sahib have changed my name to Jaginder Singh. Concerned note.
- I. Shriva Mehta D/O Raiinder Mehta Changed My Name After Marriage To Shriya Aggarwal Wife Of Ishu Aggarwal Resident Of Hig 149, Sector 48 C, Mohali I No.14448603X Rank
- HAV (Gnr) Patil Suresh Anna Resident Of Vpo. Supatre Tehsil Shahuwadi District Kolhapur State Maharashtra, Pin 416213 Have Changed The Name Of My Son From Sancheet To Sanchit Vide Affidavit No.AV320754 Dated 25-06-2022, Before Notary Public. I Nikki Thakur Is Real
- Wife Of No.15580854A HAV Ajit Kumar Thakur Resident Of Maniyar Devapur Maniyar Tehsil Bansdih District Ballia State Uttar Pradesh Pin 277207 Have Changed My Name From Nikki Thakur To Nikee Thakur Vide Affidavit No.AV320753 Date 25-6-2022 Before Notary Public.
- I Bimla Devi W/O Vijay Kumar R/O L-12/918. Gali No.2. Sultanwind Road Sarvar Pura Amritsar 143001, Puniab Have Changed My Name From Bimla Devi To Bimla I Harkamal Singh Son Of

Giganwal Tehsil And District Hoshiarpur Punjab Have Changed My Name To Harkamal Singh Gidda.

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### f PUNJAB & SIND BANK

SYMBOLIC POSSESSION NOTICE (FOR IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES)

with security interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued a demand notice on the date mentioned against account calling upon the respective borrowers / guarantors to repay the amount as mentioned against account within 60 days from the date of notice / date

The borrowers / guarantors having failed to repay the amount, notice hereby given to the borrowers / guarantors and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the Properties described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on

im / her under section 13(4) of said Act read with Rule 9 of the said rule on the date mentioned against each account. The borrowers / guarantors in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the Properties and any dealing with the Properties will be subject to the charge of the **Punjab and Sind Bank**, for the amounts, other charges costs and interest thereon. The borrowers attention is invited to provisions of Sub Section (8) of the Section 13 of Act. in respect of time available to them, to redeem the secured assets.

2033/1-22 and New no. 2163/1-22 Rakba, Amritsar urban, Gali Dabkada,

Description of the Immovable

**Properties** 

Property i.e. One Residential area of 75 sq.

yards bearing Khana Shumari Old no.

Date of the Demand Notice Possession

03-04-2021

Guarantors Salil Aggarwal S/o Sh. Naresh Aggarwal Branch: Durgiana Mandir, Amritsar	Inside Man Singh Gate, Amritsar, owned by Sh Kumar and Smt. Manju W/o Sh. Sajan Kumar a East: Other Property, West: Gali, North: Gali,	+ interest, other charges and less recovery if any, till date affected			
(2) M/s Salil Textile Mills, (1) Sh. Salil Aggarwal S/o	Property i.e. One Plot Private no. 48, having measurement towards North 80' 9", South	09-04-2021	20-06-2022	Rs.	
Sh. Narain Aggarwal (2) Sh. Narash Aggarwal S/o Laxmi Narain Guarantor: (died) Smt. Anita Aggarwal W/o Sh. Naresh Aggarwal,	75', East 13' and West 42' 9", area measuring 232.2 sq. yards, bearing Khasra no. 3098/2119/294 to 251 Min situated at Tungpai Sub urban, Gali Banke Bihari, Mustafabad, Amritsar owned by Sh. Naresh Aggarwal S/o Sh. Laxmi Narain and bounded as per sale deed North: Ownership of Other, South: in some Part Road 15' wide and in some Part Plot no. 47, East: Plot no. 25 A, West: Ownership of Other			15,88,560/56 as on 31-03-2021 + interest, other charges and less recovery if any, till date affected	
(3) M/s Arsh Shuttering		07-04-2022	20-06-2022	Rs.	
Store through its Proprietor Sarabijt Kaur Wio Sh. Gurdip Singh & Guarantors Gurdip Singh S/o Sh. Harnam Singh and Sh. Hira Singh S/o Sh. Niranjan Singh Branch: Jandiala Guru, Amritsar	5.5 ft Karam Private Plot no. 39 bearing Khasra no. 147/13, 14/2, 14/3, 14/4, 14/5, 14/6, 14/7, 14/8, 14/9, 14/12, Khata Khatoni no. 1986/2554 as per Jamabandi year 2010-11, Hadbast no. 136 belongs to Sh. Gurdip Singh S/o Sh. Harnim Singh situated at area Jandiala Guru Verowal Road, Near Sikka Petrol Pump, Tehsil and Distt Amritsar.			as on 31-03-2021 + interest, other charges and less recovery if any,till date affected	
(4) M/s Harman Caters	Equitable mortgage of Property Built up	07-04-2022	20-06-2022	Rs.	
through its <b>Proprietor</b> Sh. Simranjit Singh S/o Joginder	measuring 05 Marlas being 5/29 share, bearing Khasra no. 64//5(1-9) Khata Khatoni no. 212/249 as per Jamabandi			12,06,007/06 as on 31-03-2022	

Singh & Guarantor: (i) Smt. | 2010-11 Situated at Vakia Rakba Jandiala Guru, Tehsil and Distt Amritsar Kulwinder Kaur W/o Simranjit Registered vide Deed no. 697 dated 10-04-1984 owned by Sh. Simranjit Singh Singh (iii) Sh. Gurinder Singh S/o Sh.Joginder Singh S/o Sh. Mukhtar Singh Branch: Jandiala Guru (5) M/s Punjab Trading co. Equitable Mortgage of Property measuring 20 07-04-2021 20-06-2022 through its Prop. Sukhdev Marlas (20/1689 share of Rakba 84-9 bearing Singh S/o Sh. Piara Singh Khata Khatauni no. 35/75 to 83/1. Khasra no. Kitte 19 as per Jamabandi year and Guarantors: (i) Ninder 2013-14, situated at Village Palasor, Shahbaipur Road Back side Army

Mal Branch: Chohla Sahib, Registered with Sub Registrar Tarn Taran & bounded as North : Road, South Tarn Taran Dera Radha Swami, East : House of Kandiale Wale, West : Ninder Kaur (6) M/s Sukh Commission Property measuring 20 Marlas (20/1689) Agent through its Prop. Sh. share of Rakba 84 Kanal 9 Marla) bearing Sukhbir Singh S/o Sukhdev Khata Khatauni no. 35/75 to 83/1, Khasra no. Kitte 19 as per Jamabandi year Singh S/o Sh. Piara Singh & 2013-14, situated at Village Palasor Kalan, Shahbajpur Road, Tarn Taran Guarantors (i) Smt. Ninder owned by Sh. Sukhbir Singh S/o Sh. Sukhdev Singh Transfer deed vide Document no. 713, Book no. 1, Volume no. 0, Page no. 0 dated 01-06-2017 Kaur W/o Sh. Sukhdev Singh (ii) Gurwinder Singh S/o Sh. Jarnail Singh Branch

(7) Sh. Sukhdev Singh S/o Piara Singh and Guarantor (i) Smt. Ninder Kaur W/o Sh. Sukhdev Singh (ii) Sh. Chanchal Singh S/o Jassa Singh Branch : Chohla Sahib, Tarn Taran

Chohla Sahib, Tam Taran

Kaur W/o Sh. Sukhdev Singh

(ii) Kulwant Rai S/o Lahor

(8) Amandeep Singh S/o One Residential Property i.e House / Plot no. 17-03-2022 20-06-2022 Kaur W/o Amandeep Singh S/o Suriit Singh Branch :

Registered with Sub Registrar Tarn Taran and bounded as North: Property of Kulwinder Singh, South: Street, East: House of Jagtar Singh West: Property any.till date affected Property area measuring 6 Marlas 110 sq. feet | 13-08-2021 | 20-06-2022 (bearing Khata Khatauni no. 35/75 to 83/1. Khasra no. Kitte 19 as per Jamabandi 2013-14) situated at Village Palasor, Shahbajpur Road, Tehsil and Distt Tarn Taran owned by Sh. Sukhdev Singh S/o Sh. Piara Singh Transfer Deed Document no. 3003, Book no. 1, Volume no. 0 page no. 0 dated 27-01-2017 registered with sub Registrar Tarn Taran and bounded as North: Street, South: Other property agricultural, East: Open Plot of Sukhdev Singh, West: Open Plot of Ninder Kaur

Canteen Tehsil and Distt Tarn Taran owned by Sukhdev Singh S/o Sh. Piara

Singh Transfer Deed Vide Document no. 1368, Book no. 1, dated 18-07-2016

07-04-2021 | 20-06-2022

Amarpal Singh (2) Paramjit 47, Khasra no. 2244, 2251 min. (2251 min as per Jamabandi) situated at Sultanwind Sub Urban, Taraf Behniwal, Abad Guarantor: Manjit Singh East Gobind Nagar, Gali no. 06, Sultanwind Road, Amritsar, Punjab-143001 having total area measuring 100 Sq. yards in the name of Ms. Paramjit Kaur Gohalwarh, Distt Tarn Taran W/o Amandeep Singh Vide Document no. 1301, Book no. 1, Volume no. 11879, Page no. 19-20 dated 29.04.2013 and bounded as per Sale Deed East: Street 16' wide, West: Other House, North: House of Narinder Singh, South: House of Tarsem Singh Place : Amritsar

Date: 26-06-2022 PUBLIC NOTICE

No.HBH/EM/PKL/2022/2010 DATE: 09/06/2022 Notice is hereby given to the genera Sub:- Transfer of EWS, H.No. 68-FF Housing Board

Colony, Sector-3-4-4A,Pinjore Kalka Panchkula in the name of Sh. Iqbal Mohmmad S/o Sh. Sultan AliKhosia (R/o H.No.304-A, Ramgarh Tehsil & Distr Panchkula) due to death of Late Sh. Dila Ram S/o ate. Sh. Nanda Ram intestate property. It is notified for the Information of the general public and all concerned with the property No. EWS, H.No. 68-FF, Housing Board Colony, Kalka, Panchkula, which stands in the name of Late Sh. Dila Ram S/o Late Sh. Nanda Ram as per record of this office. It has been reported by the applicant (s) that of Late Sh. Dila Ram S/o Late Sh. Nanda Ram who was the owner of this property died on 24.08.2020 have claimed /applied for the transfer for the said property in his name on the basis of intestate death

property in nis name on the basis of intestate death of Late Sh. Dila Ram 5/o Late Sh. Nanda Ram & Registered Will No.104 Dated-30.06.2017. If anybody have any objection for the transfer of the said property in favour of the applicant, Sh. Iqbal Mohmmad 5/o Sh. Sultan Ali (R/O H. No.304A, Ramgath Tehsil & Distr. Panchkula) they may furnish their polacific in withing in the state. namgati lensi & Distt. Panchkula) they may furnish their objection in writing in the office of the undersigned within 30 days from the date of publication of this notice, falling which, this property shall be transferred accordingly and no further claim whatsoever shall be entertained letter on.

#### PUBLIC NOTICE This is to bring in kind notice to

public that Our One Original Sale Deed No. 5507 dated 04.12.2017 in favour of Sameer Gupta S/o H.P. Gupta, Plot No. 1222, Sector 82, JLPL Mohali, The Sale Deed is lost somewhere in House No. 73, Khurdban (17), Yamunanagar Haryana Dated 26.05.2022. KUDRAT MANDHAN W/o

DALJEET SINGH MANDHAN. #73, Khurdban, Khurdban (17) Yamunanagar, Haryana - 135133

Public Notice hereby informs to general public at large that Sh arat Bhushan s/o Sh. Raghbir Singh R/o VPO hrana, Purana Pana, Near Baba Sadh Mandir, Tehsi

Distt. Jhajjar, Haryana, have availed Secured loar om AU SMALL FINANCE BANK LIMITED for Rs. 00,000/-, vide HFT- No. 300768 having its branch ffice at Rohtak, Haryana on his Property Khewa o.1227/1056 Khata No.1381 Khasra No.775(0-7), tota

No.1227/J056 Khata No.1381 Khasra No.775(0-7), total measuring 7 Marias Share: ~57 measuring 5 Marias & Khewat No.1229/1057 Khata No.1383 Khasra No.776/1(0-4) measuring 4 Marias total measuring in both Khewats 9 Marias situated at mouja Mehrana febili & Distr. Jnajiar, through Transfer Deed No.5170/1 dated 15.02.2021. That the previous Sale Deed No.1841/L dated 30.07.2008 as executed by Sh. Baiwan singls x/o Sh. Singh Ram in favour of Smt. Laxmi Devi Wo Sh. Raghbi Singh, (Property measuring 9 Marias), have been lost. A Police Report/DDR has also been engistered in this reparal vide No.1323/056/201968 in engistered in this control vide No.1323/056/201968 in engistered in this control vide No.1323/05/201968 in engis

#### PUBLIC NOTICE

public that Original First Allotment Letter No.9489 dated 22/02/1956 and Conveyance Deed File No. RP-8876 dated 22/11/1960 of House No. 583 Sector-20A, CHD standing in the name of Tulsi Dass S/o Barkat Ram has been lost/misplaced. The present owner intend to create Mortgage on said property for a loan raised from State Bank of India, Sector 68, Mohali Punjab. In case anyone has any claim towards ne said relevant property, the same should be lodged with the intending party and also with the above stated branch of State Bank of India, within 15 days from the publication of this notice. Jagdish Kumar, 9888629597

**PUBLIC NOTICE** I SUSHMA DEVI W/O SAHIB SINGH R/O VILLAGE SUBHRI TEHSIL

BARARA (AMBALA) declared part of registry bayanama no. 2539, dated 22-3-2010, tadadi 05 marla, moja Barara in favor of Sushma devi by Raj kumar kaur, the stamp paper worth 500 rupees somewhere. If anyone finds it, return i

LOST NOTICE

I, Jagmchan S/o Sh. Subhash Chander in respect of Property i.e., House having Nagar Nigam ID No. 13C45UTZA, measuring 80 sq. yards, situated at Shastri Nagar, Near Adarsh School Tehsil & district Rohtak as per sale deed no. 14994 dated 09.02.2002. I Have Lost Sale Deed No. 2156 Dated 05.06.2009. Any Where in Rohtak: A Ddr. No. 132370612200844 also registered At Rohtak. Also Declare That I have not taken any type of Loan, Cc Limit Or od Limit on said Property. If anybody found and any Concern in this property. Please contact Advocate Bhupander Kumar #1591, Sector 16-17, Hisar within 3 day of this publication. Public Notice
Smt. Suman Rani w/o Late Sh. Sunil lost his previous Original Sale Deed No.1391/1 dated 11.05.2006 favouring Sh. Suresh Chander Sharma and Sale Deed

Chander Sharma and Sale Deed No.10629/1 dated 16.02.2006 favouring

Smt. Sushila regarding the property situated at mouja Bhiwani Jonepal Tehsil & Distt Bhiwani Haryana between in Rohtak City

I Naveen Kumar S/o Bharat Bhushan R/o 414/1,Subhash Gali Near Do Khamba howk Ambala City declare that I lost my Chowk Ambala City deciare that Floss hy Registry Copy with name Charanjeet Singh Sharanjeet Kaur Reg no.66 2019-2020 Shivalik colony P No 21 200 Sq yard ,Jail Kumar Vaid parlak no. 8563 16/02/2015 and other old Registry Copy this plo on dated 23/06/2022 at Lost Reg Copies Near by Do NAME CHANGE

#### ame of the Air Warrior as per the service docu

nents) R/o Flat No. B-10, Vaishnav Sparsh Society, Sansari, Bhervnat Nagar, Devlali Camp NASIK, (Maharashtra)-422401, have change ny son's name from DEEP SUGANDH (existing name of son as per POR/Service Documents) t DEEP CHANDRAKANT SUGANDH (proposed/adopted new name) vide affi davit dated 21/06/2022 (date of the affidavi in DDMMYYYY formet) before District Court Sirsa. (Name and place of the Court).

#### Public Notice

Public is informed that Sushii Rumar so Ranbir Singh has lost her Previous origina Document i.e. Sale deed dated 31.03.201 Document I.e. Sale deed dated 31.03.2011
no. 17047 in favour of Rajbala w/o Ajit
regarding the property House bearing
property ID no. 30C1189U520/A on Plot
no. 07 in Khasra no. 11559/773
11560/7733, 11562/7735, 7734 Mouja
Rohtak Measuring 182 sq yards. IF any
person has found/ Information /
Possession / Knowledge for above said
missing documents then Submit/ Intimate
within 15 days to Panka Sharma,
Advocate, Chamber 392, Distt. Courts
Rohtak Ph.No.9896553019. Thereafter
any kind of claim will not be accepted. Pankaj Sharma, Advocate

Public Notice

Public is informed that Parteek, Ritiesh Kumar ss/o Ramesh Kumar has lost her Previous original Document I.e Sale deed dated 06/03/81 no. 5218 in favour of Mangal Sain s/o Brij Lal and Sale deed dated 06/03/1981 no. 5217 in favour of Neeraj Kumar s/o Kuldeep Kumar regarding the property House no. 1413B-02 MC no. 206/7, Gali Dini Masjid, Dairy Mohalla, Rohtak. IF any person has found/ Information / Possession / Knowledge for above said missing documents then Submid Infitmate within 15 days to Pankaj Sharma, Advocate, Chamber 392, Distt. Courts Rohtak Ph.No. 9896553019. Thereafter any kind of claim will not be accepted.

Pankaj Sharma, Advocate Pankaj Sharma, Advocate

#### नगर निगम रोहतक

हतक की कर शाखा के सम्पत्तिकर के रिकार्ड में प्रोपटी आई.डी. 136C224U746 वार्ड नंबर 10 श्रीमती सरला वी पत्नी जगदीश के नाम से दर्ज है, अब नगर निगम वे रिकार्ड में इस आई.डी. नंबर में प्रार्थी जिसका नाम श्री/श्रीमती जगदीश, अमित, गौरव, दीप्ति अपने नाम तबदील करवाना चाहते हैं, यदि किसी भी जनसाधारण व हनके नाम तबदील करवाने में कोई भी आपत्ति है तो 30 दिन के अंदर-अंदर नगर निगम कार्यालय में अपनी आपित दर्ज करवाये, अन्यथा यह मलकियत उसके नाम तबदील कर दी जायेगी। जिसके लिए नगर निगम रोहतक को: उत्तरदायी नहीं होगा। क्रमांकः MCR/ZTO/2022/865

कराचान अधिकारी, नगर निषम रोहतक

Bhiwani Haryana between in Rohtak City and if any person has found/information/ Possession/ Knowledge for above said documents shall submit/intimate within 07 days to Sh. M. L. Dhingra Advocate, Office/Shop No.13 Near Ram Panwari Chhotu Ram Chowk Rohtak or Chamber No.148 Distt. Court Complex Rohtak M.No. 9416380702. Thereafter any kind of claim 9416380702. Thereafter any kind of claim 9416380702. Thereafter any kind of clain will not be accepted. **PUBLIC NOTICE** 

#### singh S/o harcharn singh i a chownk h. No 941 Ma

fansa had approached Equitas Small Financiank Limited, having its Branch Office adarsa, for availing loan against the mortgag of the below mentioned immovable proper of the below mentioned immovable property purchased by me vide Sale Deed date 22/11/2019 registered as Doc. No: 4147 Sub Registrar, Mansa. Anybody having any claim over the said property or objection in my creating mortgage over the said property in favour of the above Bank shall do so within seven days of this publication failing which it shall be presumed that there is no objection oclaim in respect of the said property and shall proceed further in availing the loan by the mortgage of the said property from the said Bank. Further, any objection or claim made by anybody after the expiry of the said period shall not bind me or the Bank. **सार्वजनिक सूचना** सर्व साधारण को सूचित किया जाता है कि नगर निग

दिनांक:24/06/22

#### A notice is hereby given that the following borrower(s) have defaulted in the repayment of Principal and payment of interest of credit facilities obtained by them from the bank and said facilities have turned Non Performing Assets. The notice under Section 13(2) of Securitization and reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 were issued to Borrower(s) / Guarantor(s on their last known addresses by registered post. However the notices have been returned un-served and the Authorised Officer has reasons to believe that the borrower(s) / guarantor(s) are avoiding the service of notice, as such they are hereby informed by way of public notice about the same. Name of NPA Account / Date of the Amount Outstanding

Rs. 13,62,904/50 as on

16-06-2022 + Interest, other charges

Gursewak Singh, E2 20 M, Ward no. 36, Shri Guru Gobind Singh Nagar, and less recovery if any, till date affected Amritsar 143105 Brief Details of the Security: Residential Property upon Plot total area 110.11 sq. yards bearing Khasra no. 28//6/2, 28//6/3, 28//6/1/2 min, situated at Wadali Guru, Sub Urban, Abadi San Sahib Road, Amritsar, Punjab, standing in the name of Sh. Ravinder Singh S/o Sh. Gursewak Singh and bounded as North: Gali, South Property of Others, East: Ownership of Others, West: Open Plot of others

17-06-2022

केनरा बैंक 🕸 CANARA BANK

**DEMAND NOTICE** | RAH, COURT ROAD, AMRITSAR Demand Notice under Section 13(2) of Securitization & Reconstruction

of Financial and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002

The above borrower / guarantor are advised to pay the amount mentioned in notice within 60 days form the date of the publication of this notice failing which further steps will be taken after the expiry of 60 days of the date of this notice as per provisions of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002. Moreover the borrower(s) / guarantor(s) are hereby restrained from dealing with any of the above secured asset mentioned above in an manner whatsoever, without our prior consent. This is without prejudice to any other rights available to us under the subject Act and / or any other law in force. Date: 26-06-2022 Sd/- Authorised Officer Place : Amritsar



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CONTACT: 9417419351

PUBLIC NOTICE I, Basant Kumar S/o Balak Ram R/o House No.1623, First Floor, HBC, Sector-26,

conveyance deed No.1770, Dated 27/11/2007 Executed between Housin Board Haryana Panchkula and Harish Chitkara son of Sh. C.R. Chitkara of House No.1623, First Floor, HBC, Sector-26, Panchkula, Haryana has been lost somewhere and DDR No.18 dated 22.09.2013 has also been lodged at Police Post Dhanas UT Chandigarh by Seema Singla wife of Sh. Ashish Singla. If anybody found please send the same on my above address. My Contact Number 9216464222.

NAME CHANGE I, MANORMA VERMA (existing name of spouse) as per change of Next of Kir POR/Service Documents), Spouse of RAMKISHOR VERMA (Name of Air Warrior) R/o Vill. GULALPUR, P.O. HAIDERGARH, Distt. BARA BANKI, UttarPardesh-227301 have changed by Name from MANORMA VERMA (existing name of spouse as per change of nest of POR/Service Documents) to MANORAMA VERMA (proposed/adopted new Name) vide affidavit dated 21.06.2022

before District Court Sirsa. Deponent

#### NAME CHANGE ABHISEKH VERMA (existing nam

as per POR/Service Documents) S/o RAMKISHOR VERMA (existing name of the Air Warrior as per the Service Documents). R/o Vill. GULALPUR. P.O. HAIDERGARH, Distt. BARA BANKI UttarPardesh-227301 have changed my Name from ABHISEKH VERMA (exist ing name of son as per POR/Service Documents) to ABHISHEK VERMA proposed/adopted new Name) vide affi davit dated 21.06.2022 before District Court Sirsa. Deponent

#### KUMARI SALONI VERMA (existing

name as per POR/Service Documents D/o RAMKISHOR VERMA (existing name of the Air Warrior as per the Service Documents), R/o Vill. GULALPUR, P.O. HAIDERGARH, Distt. BARA BANKI UttarPardesh-227301 have changed my Name from KUMARI SALONI VERMA (existing name of daughter as per POR/Service Documents) to SALONI VERMA (proposed/adopted new Name vide affidavit dated 21.06.2022 before District Court Sirsa. Deponent

## NAME CHANGE

To Sh. Kaghoir Singh. (Property Measuring 9 Marias we been lost. A Police Report/DDR has also bee gistered in this regard vide No.132370652200363 is incerned Police Station. If anybody found the said los ucument, then may contact to undersigned an yobody having claim or claiming any prior rights of terest in any manner in this property or has raise specifion by depositing the aforesaid document to an erson/bank/ corporation/ financial institution may concach the undersigned and submit objection within

and such claim shall be entertained and such claim shal be deemed to be false, fake, frivolous, fraudulent an baseless claim and shall have no value in the eyes of law M. L. Dhingra Advocate, Office/Shop No.13 Near Ran Panwari Chhotu Ram Chowk Rohtak or Chambe No.148 Distt. Court Complex Rohtak M.No 94.5830702

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## Punjab CM announces to introduce law and order reforms in the state

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 $R^{\text{eiterating the commitment}} \\$  for the state government to eliminate gangster culture from the state, Punjab Chief Minister Bhagwant Mann on Saturday announced plans to introduce comprehensive law and order reforms in the state.

Winding up the discussion on the Governor's address at the floor of Punjab Vidhan Sabha, the Chief Minister said that the state government is duty bound to curb gangster activities in the state. He said that the need of the hour is to bring comprehensive law and order reforms. He said that the state government will soon introduce witness protection bill and modify jails of state into high security jails.

The Chief Minister said that the state Government has already set up an Anti-Gangster Task Force headed by an ADGP Rank officer. He said that this task force has been directed to adopt zero tolerance towards gangsters and work without any fear and prejudice adding that the force is being equipped with advanced facilities and resources for this purpose. Mann said that STF in coordination with district police, Intelligence wing, BSF, NCB and other agencies is launching need based operations to check cross border smuggling of narcotics and

weapons.
The Chief Minister, while highlighting the achievements of the state government so far and laying down the roadmap for future, said that delivering these dreams will not be a smooth task and there will be challenges at every step as they will be tested on this mission l. But, Mann said that he is confident that they will pass every test with flying colors. Soliciting support and cooperation of all members of the house across party lines, he said that they should work tirelessly to rebuild the Punjab of our Dreams.



maintaining law and order in India's democracy lambasting the state at every cost, adding that a peaceful atmosphere will always prevail in the state and severest of severe action will be taken against anyone trying to disturb the hard earned peace of the state. Mann said that his government is according top most priority to maintain peace and prosperi-

Announcing a war against drugs, he said that Police has been directed not to spare anyone conniving with the Drug Mafia. He said that SSPs/CPs have been asked to work in close coordination with STF to catch big sharks involved in the supply of Drugs adding that every Police officer will be held accountable for laxity in dealing with the drug menace within their jurisdiction. Bhagwant Mann also said that the state government has increased the number of OOAT clinics from 280 to 500 to ensure ease of accessibility of treatment to recovering drug

Referring to the emergency imposed by the then Prime strict curbs. He said that the state government is committed for termed it as a "big blot" on address, Mann announced

it as a period when people's voice was suppressed. He mentioned the emergency during his address in the state Assembly, winding up the discussion on the governor's address, on the day the special powers measure completed its 47th year since it was first imposed in the country.

....Today, there was such a day in India's history, which was a big blot on India's democracy. On this day in 1975, Emergency was imposed in the country when people's voice was suppressed," he said.

As Mann began his address, Congress members started to protest over not being given adequate time to speak and staged a walkout. Call it a coincidence, those who muzzled people's voice then, their own voices cannot be heard here today," he said. The Emergency was imposed by Indira Gandhi, the then Prime Minister, for a 21-month period from 1975 to 1977, when the fundamental rights of the people were put under

bringing of comprehensive law and order reforms as he reiterated his will to eliminate gangster culture from the state.

As the Congress members started to protest over not being given adequate time to speak, the Speaker said that the opposition members had in fact been given more time to speak during discussion on the governor's address. Alleging that they were being short-changed, Leader of Opposition Partap Singh Bajwa and other Congress members rushed to the well of the house, while the Chief Minister was on his legs, before marching out.

As they were staging a walkout, Mann quipped "Congress' problem is that people don't listen to them outside and over here they don't want to listen." The CM, meanwhile, said that the Special Task Force in coordination with district police, Intelligence wing, BSF, Narcotics Control Bureau and other agencies is launching need-based operations to check cross-border smuggling of narcotics and weapons.

Thanking the people of Punjab for giving a big mandate

to AAP in the Assembly polls, he said, "Let us ensure this revolution of change and good governance reaches every household and every person of Punjab." Discussing the law and order, for which the AAP government has come under fire from the opposition parties, the Chief Minister said that the state government is committed to maintaining law and order at every cost.

Having capped the pension to one term for former MLAS, Mann said a bill in this regard will be brought in the ongoing budget session of the assembly. The CM had last month announced that former MLAs will now get pension for only one term, doing away with the earlier practice of drawing the benefit for each term served by them, Mann said, "corruption-free governance is at the core of the ethos of our government, which has been duly proved in its actions in the last 100 days".

He said that an anti-corruption helpline was launched within the first few days of his government's formation, with 29 cases so far been registered and 47 arrests made.

## **Arrested Punjab IAS officer's son** dies of bullet wound, cops say suicide; family alleges foul play

In a tragic incident, the Itwenty-seven year-old son of IAS officer Sanjay Popli, of IAS officer Sanjay Popli, currently under arrest in a graft case, died of bullet wounds here on Saturday. While the police claimed that he committed suicide, the family members alleged foul

play.
The Punjab Vigilance
Bureau had earlier this week arrested IAS officer Sanjay Popli in a graft case for allegedly demanding a bribe in exchange for clearing tenders for laying a sewerage pipeline in Nawanshahr.

Chandigarh's Senior Superintendent of Police Kuldeep Singh Chahal said after verifying things it has come to the fore that the 27year-old "has shot himself". Further investigations are on, the SSP said, adding a licensed pistol was used in the incident.

In connection with the investigation of the case, a Vigilance team had come to Popli's house and was present at the time of the incident, a neighbor and family friend told reporters.

On June 21, the Punjab Vigilance Bureau had arrest-ed Popli for allegedly demanding a one percent commission as a bribe for clearance of tenders for laying a sewerage pipeline at Nawanshahr.

An inconsolable Sanjay Popli's wife told reporters, "The Vigilance officials were pressuring us and they were even torturing my domestic help to give false statements in support of the case they have registered. My 27-year-old son is gone. He was a brilliant lawyer. They have snatched

"To build a false case, they snatched my son--Kartik Popli is gone," said Sanjay Popli's wife showing blood spots of his son on her hands.
"I want justice. I will move court," said the wailing

woman, repeatedly crying "my while adding "even our son has been killed". "(Punjab Chief Minister) Bhagwant Mann should answer," she died...," she alleged.

She said her husband Sanjay was due to appear before the court and a Vigilance team had visited their house.

"The Vigilance people took Kartik upstairs and when I went up they were mentally torturing my son," she said

mobile phones were snatched". "My son has

A 51-year-old woman, a neighbor and family friend of the Popli family, alleged that 'Sanjay Popli was being pressured by the Vigilance that he should agree to the allegations leveled by them". Kartik Popli too was detained for hours," said the

#### **Vigilance Bureau recovers** 12kg gold, 3 kg silver from IAS officer Popli's house

 $F_{({\rm IAS})}$  officer Sanjay Popli in corruption case, the Vigilance Bureau on Saturday recovered over 12Kg Gold, 3Kg Silver, four Apple iPhones, one Samsung Fold Phone and two Samsung Smartwatches from storeroom of his house at Sector 11, Chandigarh. The 12 Kg Gold includes 9 Gold Bricks (each 1kg), 49 Gold biscuits and 12 Gold coins, while 3Kg silver includes 3 Silver bricks (each 1kg) and 18 silver coins (each 10 grams).

Popli was arrested on June 20, for allegedly demanding a 1% commission as a bribe of Rs 7 lakhs for clearance of tenders for laying of sewerage pipeline at Nawanshahr. His accomplice identified as Sandeep Wats was also arrested from Jalandhar. AN official Spokesperson of Vigilance Bureau said that based on the statement of Popli, the team of Vigilance Bureau conducted a raid at his residence and recovered the gold, silver and mobile phones concealed in the storeroom of his house.

## Punjab CM announces measures to reform education sector

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Describing education as the bedrock for building a bedrock for build Minister Bhagwant Mann on Saturday announced the introduction of multipronged improvements in the sector. He said government schools in the state will be transformed into 'schools of eminence'.

To ensure that students get quality and affordable education, the government is committed not only to building state-of-the-art government schools but also regulating fees in private schools, he said. "The NoC (No Objection Certificate) of schools found violating the Fee Act, 2016, will be cancelled and a fine of Rs 1 lakh will be imposed," he said.

Mann was speaking in the state assembly, winding up discussion on the Governor's address. He said focus will also be laid on quality education in colleges and universities and that lecturers in colleges and universities will be granted UGC pay scales. The chief minister also said the govern-

industry, 44 new courses are under consideration to be introduced in various Industrial Training Institutes, he added. Mann said the state government has already started the process to fill vacant posts and the recruitment of 5,994 Elementary Trained Teachers and 8,393 Pre-Primary teachers is under process. He said henceforth, teachers will be deployed for core-teaching tasks and that a separate cadre for non-teaching works will be created.

Underscoring the need for revamping teacher training practices, the chief minister said best practices will be considered from across the country and the world. The state's department of school education, in collaboration with Regional English Language Office of the US Embassy, New Delhi, will train the faculty members, he mentioned. On the health sector, Mann said quality and accessibility are a subsidy of Rs 1,500 per acre

For this, he said Mohalla tiative". clinics in rural areas are being introduced to provide affordable and quality treatment. During the first phase, 75 Mohalla clinics will be opened to mark the 75th year of Independence and these facilities will cover the remote areas within the state. Laying out his plans in the agriculture sector, Mann said the government has already promoted a third crop in the form of moong, which is being procured at a Minimum Support Price of Rs 7,275 per quintal.

"It will yield our farmers an additional income of Rs 30,000 per acre. The area under summer moong has been enhanced from 54,363 acres to 1,28,495 acres. Diversification of more crops will be encouraged and areas under pulses, maize, cotton and oilseeds will be increased as it will save our precious groundwater and improve the soil health as well," he said. The chief minister said

ment is setting up 19 new the two key elements of an is being provided for direct industrial training institutes effective healthcare system at seeding of rice, which he dubbed "another landmark ini-

> modernisation and digitisation in agriculture and said farmers' database is being integrated along with land records so that subsidies and other benefits can reach the peasants in a transparent manner. Mann said a portal for tracking seeds, fertilisers and pesticides from manufacturing to the end user has been developed to provide quality inputs to farmers. Soliciting support of Non-Resident Indians for restoring the pristine glory of the state, the chief minister called upon them to set up industrial hubs to partner in developing model schools and hospitals in their villages.

> He said NRIs can contribute 50 per cent to the construction of infrastructure such as school buildings, community services, hospitals, drinking water, sewerage, latrine, streetlights, sports stadiums and other projects and that the state government will invest the remaining 50 per cent.

#### **Experience**, training as necessary as being literate, says Haryana CM

Haryana Chief Minister Manohar Lal Khattar on Saturday emphasised the training in life calling them "as necessary as being literate". He was speaking at a training programme organised at Gurugram mini secretariat.

Khattar said that life is all about learning and we should try to learn throughout life, however, training and hard work are two essential ingredients which ensure growth. The chief minister said that during the last 34 years of his life, spanning from 1980 to 2014, training has been an interesting subject for him. "Knowledge gained from books is not sufficient and does not make one successful, however, training is necessary to get maximum output in minimum time with limited resources, adding that training is a continuous process, Khattar said. He elaborated that a person who lives with the misconception that he knows everything misses out on opportunities to move ahead in life.

PNS GURUGRAM

Chess Marathon for Chess promotion in Himachal Pradesh called on the Chief Minister Jai Ram Thakur on Saturday. The member apprised the Chief Minister regarding the continuously playing chess for over 72 hours on digital chess board with digital live broadcast broadwide. Thakur appreciated the efforts of the team and wished them grand success for their future endeavors. Hitesh Azad, Sanjeev Vekta, Anil Shoshta, Vikky Kumar, Akshay

Chandigarh: The members of



Shoshta, Dalip Singh and other chess players were present on the occasion.

#### **CAPT AMARINDER UNDERGOES SUCCESSFUL SURGERY**

Chandigarh: Former Chief Minister Capt Amarinder Singh underwent a successful spinal surgery in a London hospital on Saturday. According to his wife and Patiala MP Preneet Kaur, who is with him in London, the surgery was successful and he was shifted to a private room in the hospital. He will be discharged on Monday, she said.

**BRIEFS** 

#### ROBUST TRANSMISSION NETWORK OF P.S.T.C.L. HELPS MEET WITH POWER **DEMAND OF 15000 MW, SAYS CMD**

Chandigarh: Punjab state transmission corporation limited CMD, A.Venu Prasad on Saturday said that due to the robust transmission network of PSTCL, Punjab met the power demand of 15000 MW during the ongoing paddy season. He said that in the recent past power system operating corporation limited has enhanced the ATC/TTC (available transfer capability/total transfer capability) limits from 7100/7700 MW to 8500/9000 MW of PSTCL . He said that with the hike in transmission capacity of PSTCL is strengthening power system of Punjab to provide regular 8 hours power to around 14 lacs tubewell consumers during ongoing paddy season even without imposing any restrictions on industries. He said that Punjab state load dispatch centre (SLDC), is a unique separate accounting unit of PSTCL, which ensures integrated operation of the power system of Punjab with the northern region load dispatch cen-

#### HIMACHAL CM EXPRESSES GRATITUDE TOWARDS CENTRE FOR APPROVING TWO INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS

Shimla: Chief Minister Jai Ram Thakur on Saturday thanked the entral Government for approving two Infrastructure Development Projects under Micro & Small Enterprises - Cluster Development Programme (MSE-CDP) for Himachal Pradesh in National Level Steering Committee (NLSC) meeting. The total cost of these two projects is Rs. 22.29 crore, out of which, the Central Government Grant will be Rs.15.92 crore and State contribution will be Rs. 6.37 crore. The approved projects include Up-gradation of Industrial Estate at Jeetpur Behri, Tehsil Ghanri in District Una and Upgradation of Industrial Estate at Khadeen near Parwanoo in district Solan. Thakur said that Himachal Pradesh is emerging as one of the fastest-growing industrial States in India and looks forward to contributing the aim of building India's economy to 5 trillion. He said that the State has received final approval for three out of the four Infrastructure Development Projects submitted under the scheme. These projects consisted of infrastructure development of existing industrial areas providing basic amenities such as upgradation of road, street lighting and drainage. These projects will enhance the efficiency of manufacturing units

#### MC CHANDIGARH LAUNCHES "HAR GADI BIN, HAR GADI BAG" PLAN

Chandigarh: The Municipal Corporation Chandigarh has launched "Har Gadi Bin, Har Gadi Bag" plan to sensitise citizens towards littering and ban on single use plastic. Anindita Mitra, Commissioner, said that If every citizen keeps a shopping bag in his/her car, plastic bags can be completely eliminated from market areas. She said If every car has a dustbin, and citizens put their trash in the same, littering can be greatly reduced. The Commissioner said that MCC and RLA have tied up with all the car dealers that both at the time of sale of new car, and at the time of servicing, the car dealer shall provide the customer with a dustbin and a shopping bag to try and inculcate these habits in citizens. She further said that RLA shall make it compulsory for citizens who come to renew their registrations, to install dustbins and keep cloth/jute shopping bags in the vehicles. This is an important step as Chandigarh has the highest vehicular density anywhere in the country at 878 registered vehicles per 1000 persons. Mitra said that MCC has also started a selfie with shopping bag/selfie with bottle(to reduce the use of plastic disposable water bottles) in which citizens have been asked to tag the MCC social media handles. She said MCC has been taking several steps to curb the plastic menace.

### Punjab in deep economic crisis, debt trap, says White Paper

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Punjab is in an economic morass and debt trap, said the White Paper on state finances presented in the state Assembly here on Saturday. The document presented by Finance Minister Harpal Singh Cheema blamed previous governments for the fiscal mess.

According to the document tabled ahead of the presentation of the state budget in the House, "Today, Punjab is in an economic morass and debt trap." "The previous governments, instead of applying necessary correctives, continued to slip into fiscal profligacy, as evident from unchecked increase in unproductive revenue expenditure, freebies and unmerited subsidies, virtual collapse in the capital and social sector investments vital for future growth and non-realisation of its potential tax and non-tax revenues," it said. The White Paper said the

current effective outstanding debt of Punjab stands at Rs 2.63 lakh crore, which is 45.88 per cent of the SGDP. "The current debt indicators of the state are probably the worst in the country, pushing it deeper into a debt trap," it said.

The previous government professed to bring fiscal prudence in management of state finances while discreetly choosing not to discharge the pending liabilities of the state government, it said. Sadly, they have also followed their predecessors and while demitting office, handed over immediate and medium-term staggering liability of Rs 24,351.29 crore that the new government has to discharge over the coming years, said the document. In the last five years, the debt of the state has grown by 44.23 per cent translating into a com-

pounded growth rate of 7.60 per cent per annum.

The state is in a classical debt trap--a significant portion of the annual gross debt/borrowings contracted by the government is being applied towards repayment of the old debt and interest payments and not for the future development and prosperity of the state, as per the document. It pointed out that the outstanding debt of state has increased from Rs 1,009 crore in 1980-81 to Rs 83,099 crore in 2011-12 and further to Rs 2,63,265

crore in 2021-22. The 6th Punjab Pay Commission, which was otherwise due from January 2016 was implemented in July 2021, with quite a delay and in haste with just six months before the State Assembly elections, according to the White Paper. "The previous government

could not pay the arrears of

revised pay with effect from January 1, 2016 to June 30, 2021 on account of implementation of 6th Punjab Pay Commission. The pending liability on this account alone is expected to be around Rs 13,759 crore," it said.

The amount of arrears of power subsidy and interest thereon that has been indicated by Punjab State Power Corporation Limited (PSPCL) to be payable to it for agriculture, domestic and industry is Rs 7.117.86 crore. The state's tax revenue as percentage of total revenue receipts decreased from 72 per cent to 48 per cent in 2021-22, indicating a perceptible decline in the state's ability to raise resources internally and higher reliance of state finances on transfers from the Union government. The previ-

ous governments being unable

to evolve with the changing

indirect tax framework could

not consolidate state's own tax revenues and became overdependent upon GST compensation and revenue deficit grant by the 15th Finance Commission. The GST compensation regime is ending in June and based on the trends of previous years, the state government would be staring down a big hole left in its finances to the tune of Rs 14,000 crore to Rs 15,000 crore in 2022-23 itself. To revive Punjab to its old glory days, serious relook into the expenditure commitments coupled with direct revenue enhancement measures needs to be done. To consolidate the state

finances, economic revival and growth and reduce reliance on debt, structural and policy initiatives are required with unheard levels of ground-level enforcement, the document suggests among the corrective

## **Cong announces 'Agnipath Ki Baat,** Yuvaon Ke Saath Vishwasghath'

The Congress on Saturday announced a mega public outreach imitative coinciding with Prime Minister's monthly radio programme, Mann ki

Baat, scheduled for Sunday.
The party had dubbed its imitative as "Agnipath Ki Baat, Yuvaon Ke Saath Vishwasghath'.

The party would hold simultaneous Press conferences at 20 top cities. The pressers would be addressed by party spokespersons, including for-mer Union Ministers Ajay Maken, MM Pallam Raju, Manvendra Singh amongst others like Pawan Khera and Kanhaiya Kumar.

The party had earlier said it will be doing a satyagraha on June 27 over the same issue. It said the Agnipath scheme will create two categories of soldiers, which will impact the cohesion of combat units and government of playing around with national security.

Former Lok Sabha member Lt. Col. (Retd) Manvendra Singh said, having soldiers with different privileges fight-ing in the same unit could be a potentially "dangerous" situ-

When there is difference of status, difference in pay, perks, allowances between two soldiers doing the same duties, it is a very dangerous situation and sure shot disaster," Manvendra said at AICC press

Congress has alleged the biggest impact would be on the scale of recruitment in terms of sheer numbers and the principle of regional balance that was usually followed by the armed forces in national interest.

The grand old party also questioned the effectiveness as well as motivation of a combat soldier with just a six-month



"Has the government given any thought to the risks of releasing a large number of trained military personnel into an environment of scarce jobs and temptations from criminal quarters, or worse?" asked the

The party has also strongly countered the government's assertion that Agniveers would be absorbed in Central armed police forces (CAPF), Coast Guards, public sector undertakings (PSUs) and Assam Rifles, among others, with cur-

rent data on re-employment. The party said that according to 2021 Ministry of Defence data, ex-servicemen were entitled to 10% of Group C and 20% of Group D jobs in the Central government, but the actual numbers were 1.29% and 1.66%. The CAPF had a 10% quota, but ex-servicement accounted for 0.47% in Group C, 0.87% in Group B and 2.20% in Group A posts, said

a Congress statement and

pointed to an identical situation

for Central PSUs

## NIA raids 5 locations in Mizoram in recent EXPLOSIVES SEIZURE CASE PNS NEW DELHI Sistered as FIR No. 1/2022

The National Investigation Agency (NIA) has conducted searches at five locations in Mizoram's Aizawl, Champai and Kolasib districts in a recent case of explosives seizures allegedly for destabilizing the cross-border Government in Myanmar.

The case relates to the recovery of a massive 2,421.12 kg of explosives including 1,000 detonators, 4,500 metres of detonating fuse, and Indian and Myanmar currency from a vehicle in the Zawnling area under Tipa police station in Saiha district.

'This consignment was meant for a Myanmar-based outfit Chin National Front (CNF) which is in the process of accumulating arms and ammunition for resisting the government of Myanmar," the NIA said in a statement.

The case was initially reg-

January 21, at Tipa police station, Saiha which was re-registered by NIA on March 21.

During the searches, digi tal devices and incriminating documents were seized and further investigation in the case is continuing.

The probe in the seizures

assumes significance in the wake of the bilateral cooperation between India and Myanmar against anti-India insurgents operating out of that country, officials said. Myanmar government has

in the past assisted Indian agencies in checking the activities of the anti-India insurgent groups which is a key for maintaining the security posregion.A number of insurgent outfits active in the Northeast seek to find safe haven in Myanmar for carrying out the nefarious activities from there, they added.

## of 2 flying schools citing serious safety concerns

DGCA halts operations

**PIONEER NEWS SERVICE** ■

he Directorate General of Civil Aviation (DGCA) has stopped operations of two flying training schools in Madhya Pradesh and Maharashtra-Chimes and Shirpur from flying for three weeks because of serious safety concerns.

According to a statement issued on Saturday, the DGCA said that in one case, it has been stopped till such time the runway is suitable for flying operations. During the inspection, it was observed that it had loose gravel and an uneven surface and was unsafe for fly-

In the second case, it was observed that three aircraft of a flying school had dysfunctional fuel gauge indicators and they were still being operated, it said. "The flying operations at this school (the second case) have been stopped for three weeks. It will be allowed to operate only when things are in order," it noted.

The DGCA said it has stopped "flying operations" at these two schools, which are located in Madhya Pradesh and Gujarat, respectively, due to the aforementioned "serious safety concerns". The regulator's statement did not mention the names of the two training

Sources said reworking the runway has already started in the case of Madhya Pradesh. "For two years operations were on halt due to which state government didn't carry out maintenance work of strip The airstrip is owned by the MP government," said the sources.

The DGCA had on June 26 had said it has audited 30 out of the total 32 flying training organisations (FTOs) in India since March 21 and found them violating multiple safety regulations.

## India's Covid surge dips 8% in 24 hrs, logs15,940 cases

PIONEER NEWS SERVICE ■

India's tally of Covid infections dipped by 8 per cent on Saturday from a day ago to touch 15,940. The active caseload increased to 91,779, according to the updated Union health ministry data. The death toll climbed to 5,24,974 with 20 more fatalities.

Active cases rose by 3,495 in a day and now comprise 0.21 percent of the total infections, while the national Covid-19 recovery rate was recorded at 98.58 percent, the health min-

istry said.

The daily positivity rate was recorded at 4.39 percent while the weekly positivity rate was 3.30 percent, according to the health ministry.

The number of people who have recuperated from the disease surged to 4,27,61,481, while the case fatality rate was 1.21 percent.

According to an official



from the Ministry, as states register a spike in Covid-19 cases, the rise and fall in infections from time to time is a common phenomenon when an infectious disease transitions from pandemic to endemic phase. Underlining the current rise in coronavirus cases is so far limited to certain districts of the country, they attributed it to people not wearing masks, increased travel and social interactions and low uptake of booster doses of Covid vaccine.

According to official sources, 51 districts in India, including 12 from Kerala, seven

from Mizoram, and five each from Maharashtra and Assam, are reporting a weekly Covid positivity rate of over 10 percent. In 53 districts, including 10 from Rajasthan and five from Delhi, the weekly positivity is between five and 10

According to the ministry 196.94 crore doses of the Covid vaccine have been administered in the country so far. India's Covid-19 tally had crossed the 20-lakh mark on August 7, 2020, 30 lakh on August 23, 40 lakh on September 5, and 50 lakh on September 16. It went past 60 lakh on September 28, 70 lakh on October 11, crossed 80 lakh on October 29, 90 lakh on November 20, and surpassed the one-crore mark on December 19.

The country crossed the grim milestone of two crores on May 4, three crore on June 23 and four crores on January

### Climate change likely to impact omega 3 fatty acids production PIONEER NEWS SERVICE ■

Climate change is likely to impact the production of omega-3 fatty acids produced by plankton at the base of the food web in the ocean bed, according to a study.

This means less omega-3 fatty acids available for fish and for people. Omega-3 fatty acid is an essential fat that the human body cannot produce on its own, and is widely regarded as a "good" fat that links seafood consumption to

The first-ever survey of planktonic lipids in the global ocean predicts a temperaturelinked decrease in the production of essential omega-3 fatty acids, an important subset of lipid molecules. The survey analyzed 930

lipid samples across the global ocean using a uniform highresolution accurate mass spectrometry analytical workflow. "revealing heretofore unknown characteristics of ocean planktonic lipidomes," which is the

Survey of planktonic lipids in the global ocean predicts a temperature-linked decrease in the production of essential omega-3 fatty acids, an important subset of lipid molecules

entirety of hundreds to thousands of lipid species in a sample, according to a new paper led by authors from the Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution (WHOI).

"Focusing on ten molecularly diverse glycerolipid classes we identified 1,151 distinct lipid species, finding that fatty acid unsaturation (i.e., number of carbon to carbon double bonds) is fundamentally constrained by temperature. We predict significant declines in the essential fatty acid eicosapentaenoic acid [EPA] over the next century, which are likely to have serious deleterious effects on economically critical fisheries," states the paper, Global ocean lipidomes show a universal relationship between temperature and lipid unsaturation, published in EPA is one of the most

nutritious omega-3 fatty acids, has been linked to numerous health benefits, and is widely available as a dietary supple ment. "The lipids in the ocean affect your life," says journal article co-author Benjamin Van Mooy, senior scientist in WHOI's Marine Chemistry Geochemistry Department. "We found that the composition of lipids in the ocean is going to change as the ocean warms. That is a cause for concern. We need those lipids that are in the ocean because they influence the

'All organisms in the ocean have to contend with water temperatures. With this study, we have revealed one of

quality of the food that the

ocean produces for humanity."



ways cells are doing that," says Henry C. Holm, a doctoral student in the Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT) -- WHOI Joint Program in Oceanography/Applied Ocean Science and Engineering. "These findings about EPA were made possible by

using a method that gives us a very complete picture of the gylcerolipids in each sample. We saw that temperature was linked with the saturation of cell membranes everywhere

we looked in the ocean. 'These trends are also evi-

dent in all the other glycerolipid classes as well as the total aggregated lipidomes of all glycerolipid classes," the paper states. "Indeed, it is striking that the relationship between temperature and unsaturation emerges from our dataset despite spanning such diverse and disparate planktonic communities, from the nutrient-depleted subtropical gyres to the highlyproductive Antarctic coastal shelf," says the study.

## DGCA orders probe after fuselage door Mantri Developers' director held in warnings light up on SpiceJet planes

PIONEER NEWS SERVICE ■ **NEW DELH** 

The Directorate General of ■ Civil Aviation (DGCA) has ordered a probe in which fuselage door warnings lit up on two separate Spicejet planes while taking off on Friday and Saturday, forcing the aircraft to abandon their journeys and return. There have been a total of four incidents -- including the aforementioned two -- on SpiceJet flights during the last week. According to DGCA officials, the regulator is probing all four incidents.

The fuselage is the central body of the aircraft where passengers and crew members sit. On June 19, an engine on SpiceJet's Delhi-bound aircraft carrying 185 passengers caught fire soon after taking off from the Patna airport and the plane made an emergency landing minutes later. The engine malfunctioned because of a bird

In another incident on

June 19, a SpiceJet flight for Jabalpur had to return to Delhi due to cabin pressurization Officials said on Friday

(June 24), the fuselage warning light on a SpiceJet Q400 plane illuminated when it was on 'rotation' -- when pilots pitched the nose of the aircraft up to climb in the air during take-off.

The pilots of the Q400 aircraft, which was heading from Guwahati to Kolkata, found that the warning was coming from the baggage door at the rear end of the plane, the officials said.

The O400 plane was leveled off at 5,000 feet and the pilots decided to return to Guwahati, the officials noted.

An incident similar to the Friday one took place on SpiceJet's Patna-Guwahati flight on Saturday (June 25). A SpiceJet Q400 aircraft stopped its take-off roll at the Patna airport on Saturday after the plane's fuselage door warning light lit up, officials noted.



In this case, too, it was found that the warning had come from the baggage door at the rear end of the aircraft, they said. The Q400 plane returned to the parking bay of the Patna airport after canceling its takeoff, officials noted.

Regarding the Friday incident, SpiceJet said that "Q400 aircraft was operating flight SG-4126, sector Guwahati-Kolkata". At rotation, the fuselage door warning light was illuminated and take-off was continued. Subsequently, aircraft was leveled off at 5,000

feet and pilot-in-command decided to return back to Guwahati," it mentioned.

Air turn back was initiated in coordination with ATC (air traffic controller) and the aircraft landed safely a Guwahati, it said. Regarding the Saturday incident, the airline said, "SpiceJet Q400 aircraft was operating flight SG-3724 sector Patna-Guwahati. During the takeoff roll, the fuselage door warning light illuminated. Subsequently, the take-off was rejected and aircraft returned to bay.

## ₹1K crore money-laundering case

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The Enforcement Directorate (ED) has arrested Sushil P Mantri, Director of Bangalore-based real estate entity, Mantri Developers Private Limited, in connection with a Rs 1,000 crore money-laundering probe.

The ED started the probe in March on the basis of an FIR registered in Subramanyapura police station, Bengaluru in 2020 against the company and its directors as well as other

employees.
"Many home buyers have filed complaints with the police as well as with the ED alleging that accused entities/persons are involved in money laundering and have induced the prospective buyers with rosily painted schemes, showing misleading brochures, falsification of delivery timelines and window dressing and collected more than Rs.1,000 crore as advance money from thousands of buyers," the ED said in

However, they have not been given possession of their flats even after the passage of seven to 10 years after the booking. During the investigation, it was also noticed that the company offered various Ponzi-like schemes which were styled as buy-back plans and advance money was collected for the flats/homes, it said.

In some cases, the company has not refunded the amount to the buyers even after a clear direction from the Real Estate Regulatory Authority (RERA).

The ED probe further revealed that the company diverted for personal use the amount it collected from the buyers leading to stalling of the project.

Currently, the group has total outstanding loans to the tune of Rs 5,000 crore from various financial institutions, out of which about Rs 1,000 crore



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is overdue and some of the loan has been termed as non-performing asset (NPA).

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loans on the same assets. Following his arrest, Sushil P Mantri was produced before the court which granted his custody to the ED for 10 days,

## Powers under preventive detention law 'exceptional', can't be exercised in routine manner: SC

PTI ■ NEW DELHI

he Supreme Court has said 1 that powers under the preventive detention law are "exceptional" and cannot be exercised in a routine manner as it strikes hard on the freedom and liberty of an individ-

The apex court observation came as it set aside the October last year order of detention of two persons in Telangana.

The detention order was passed by the Commissioner of Police, Rachakonda Commissionerate, on the grounds that these two persons were involved in gold chain snatching offences, wherein the victims were mostly

A vacation bench of Justices C T Ravikumar and Sudhanshu Dhulia noted that although according to the authority, the detenus were involved in more than 30 cases but only four cases of chain snatching were considered as ground for detention, as the other cases were reported to be behind the proximity period and out of the jurisdiction of the commissionerate.

The top court also noted that offences in these four cases were allegedly committed within a span of two months between May 6 and July 26 last year and both the detenus were granted bail by the magistrate

cised under the preventive detention law are exceptional powers which have been given to the government for its exercise in an exceptional situation as it strikes hard on the freedom and liberty of an individual, and thus cannot be exercised in a routine manner," the bench said.

The apex court passed the orders on June 22 on two separate petitions filed by the wives of the detenus.

The petitioners had challenged the Telangana High Court's order on March 25 this year dismissing their pleas against the preventive deten-

In its order, the top court

noted that one of reasons assigned by the authority justifying the invocation of the provisions of detention law was that the detenus were granted bail in all the four cases and were likely to indulge in similar crime. "The reason why bail was

granted in all four cases, however, has not been given. Bail was granted in all the four cases due to the inability of the prosecution, which did not complete its investigation in time. The bail had to be given as the charge sheet was not filed by the police in all the cases within the stipulated period of 60 days. The fault thus lies with

the prosecution," the bench

It observed that the facts and circumstances of the case, as alleged in the detention order, does reflect a law and order situation which can be dealt with under the ordinary law of land and there was absolutely no occasion for invoking the extraordinary powers under the law of preventive detention.

The apex court said invocation of the preventive detention law in this case against the two persons was "not justified".

It said the distinction between law and order situation and a public order situation has been dealt with by the apex court in a catena of deci-

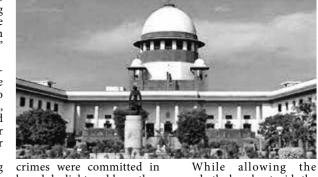
"In fact, in a recent decision

of this court, the court had to make an observation regarding the routine and unjustified use of the preventive detention law in the state of Telangana," the bench noted.

It said the state is not without a remedy, as in case the detenu is so much a menace to the society as is being alleged, then the prosecution should seek cancellation of bail or move an appeal to the higher

"But definitely seeking shelter under the preventive detention law is not the proper remedy under the facts and circumstances of the case," it

The bench noted that the detention order said that



broad daylight and have thus resulted in creation of fear and panic in the minds of public, especially women, and hence, the government had to interfere in order to "maintain

appeals, the bench set aside the order of detention as well as the order of the high court and said the detenus shall be released forthwith in case they are not required in any other

## Russia pushes to block 2nd city in eastern Ukraine

ussian forces are trying to block a city in eastern Ukraine, the region's governor said Saturday, after their relentless assault on a nearby city forced Ukrainian troops to begin withdrawal after weeks of intense fighting. Russia also launched missile attacks on areas far from the heart of the eastern battles.

Serhiy Haidai, governor of the Luhansk region, said on Facebook that Russian forces are attempting to blockade the city of Lysychansk from the south. That city lies next to Sievierodonetsk, which has endured relentless assault and house-to-house fighting for weeks.

After Haidai said Friday that Ukrainian forces had begun retreating from Sievierodonetsk, military analyst Oleg Zhdanov said some of the troops were heading for Lysychansk. But Russian moves to cut off Lysychansk will give those retreating troops little respite.

Russian bombardment has reduced most of Sievierodonetsk to rubble and cut its population from 100,0000 to 10,000. Some Ukrainian troops are holed up in the huge Azot chemical factory on the city's edge, along with about 500 civilians.

Sievierodonetsk Lysychansk have been the focal point of the Russian offensive

aimed at capturing all of eastern Ukraine's Donbas region and destroying the Ukrainian military defending it - the most capable and battle-hardened segment of the country's armed forces.

The two cities and surrounding areas are the last major pockets of Ukrainian resistance in the Luhansk region - 95% of which is under Russian and local separatist forces' control. The Russians and separatists also control about half of the Donetsk region, the second province in the Donbas.

Some 1,000 kilometers (600 miles) to the west, four Russian rockets hit a "military object" in Yaroviv, Lviv regional governor Maksym Kozytskyy said. He did not give further details of the target, but Yaroviv has a sizable military base used for training fighters, including foreigners who have volunteered to fight for Ukraine. That base was hit by Russian

rockets in March, killing 35 people.The Lviv region, although far from the front lines, has been hit by other rockets during the war, destroying fuel storage areas.

About 30 Russian rockets were fired on the Zhytomyr region in central Ukraine on Saturday morning, killing one Ukrainian soldier, regional governor Vitaliy Buchenko said.

In the north, about 20 rockets were fired from Belarus into the

until Thursday to get the vaccine. According to data

obtained by The Associated

Press, between 20% to 30%

of the Guard soldiers in six

states are not vaccinated, and

more than 10% in 43 other

Chernihiv region, the Ukrainian military said.

A senior U.S. defense official, peaking in Washington on condition of anonymity, on Friday called the Ukrainians' move out of Sievierodonetsk a "tactical retrograde" to consolidate forces into positions where they can better defend themselves.

This will add to Ukraine's effort to keep Russian forces pinned down longer in a small

area, the official said.
Following a botched attempt to capture Kyiv, Ukraine's capital, in the early stage of the invasion that started Feb. 24, Russian forces have shifted their focus to the Donbas, where the Ukrainian forces have fought Moscow-backed separatists since 2014.

After repeated Ukrainian requests to its Western allies for heavier weaponry to counter Russia's edge in firepower, four medium-range American rocket launchers have arrived, with four

The senior Ú.S. defense official said Friday that more Ukrainian forces are training outside Ukraine to use the High Mobility Artillery Rocket Systems, or HIMARS, and are expected back in their country with the weapons by mid-July.

45 miles (70 kilometers). Also to be sent are 18 U.S. coastal and river

The rockets can travel about



# Biden signs landmark gun bill, says 'lives will be saved' Newtown, Connecticut, and Parkl

President Joe Biden on Saturday signed the most sweeping gun violence bill in decades, a bipartisan compromise that seemed unimaginable until a recent series of mass shootings, including the massacre of 19 students and two teachers at a Texas elementary school. "Lives will be saved," he said at the White House. Citing the families of shooting victims, the president said, "Their message to us was to do something. Well today, we did."

The House gave final approval Friday, following Senate passage Thursday, and Biden acted just before leaving Washington for two summits in Europe. The legislation will toughen background checks for the youngest gun buyers, keep firearms from more domestic violence offenders and help states put in place red flag laws that make it easier for authorities to take weapons from people adjudged to be

dangerous.
Most of its \$13 billion cost will help bolster mental health programs and aid schools, which have been targeted in

Newtown, Connecticut, and Parkland, Florida, and elsewhere in mass shootings. Biden said the compromise hammered out by a bipartisan group of senators "doesn't do everything I want" but it does include actions I've long called" for that are going to save lives.

to do, and I'm never going to give up, but this is a monumental day," said the president, who was joined by his wife, l, a teacher, for the signing.

"I know there's much more work

He said they will host an event on July 11 for lawmakers and families affected by gun violence.

Biden signed the measure two days after the Supreme Court's ruling Thursday striking down a New York law that restricted peoples' ability to carry concealed weapons.

While the new law does not include tougher restrictions long championed by Democrats, such as a ban on assault-style weapons and background checks for all gun transactions, it is the most impactful firearms violence measure produced by Congress since enactment a long-expired assault weapons ban in 1993.

### Iraqi PM to head to Saudi Arabia, Iran for new dialogue

Iraq's caretaker prime minister is set to fly to Saudi Arabia, followed by Iran, carrying a new initiative aimed at renewing talks between the two regional arch foes, an official said

The official said Mustafa al-Kadhimi was scheduled to travel to Riyadh later in the day for meetings with Saudi officials. He will then travel to Tehran on Sunday.

Al-Kadhimi's visit seeks to open new avenues that would reactivate Baghdad-mediated dialogue between Saudi Arabia and Iran, according to the official, who is privy to the Iran-Saudi dialogue track. The official spoke on condition of anonymity because he was not authorized to divulge the information to the press.

The talks aimed at defusing yearslong tensions between the regional foes began quietly in Iraq's capital in 2021 as Saudi Arabia sought a way to end its disastrous war against Iran-backed Houthi rebels in Yemen. The conflict has spawned one of the world's worst humanitarian disasters and brought bombs from rebel drones and missiles raining down on Saudi airports and oil facilities.

held in Baghdad in April before they were suspended again amid soaring Middle East tensions.

Iraq borders both Iran and Saudi Arabia and is often caught in the mid-

Al-Kadhimi has stressed he wants Saudi Arabia was a key policy of his administration when he took office in

## **AP** ■ WASHINGTON

A fifth and last round of talks was

Iran, the largest Shiite Muslim country in the world, and Sunni powerhouse Saudi Arabia severed diplomatic ties in 2016 after Saudi Arabia executed prominent Shiite cleric Nimr al-Nimr. Angry Iranians protesting the execution stormed two Saudi diplomatic missions in Iran, fueling years of animosity between the

dle of the two nations' proxy wars.

balanced relations with the two neighbors. Improving relations with

## US Army Guard troops risk dismissal as vax deadline looms

Up to 40,000 Army National Guard soldiers

across the country - or about 13% of the force - have not gotten the mandated COVID-19 vaccine, and as the deadline for shots looms, at least 14,000 of them have flatly refused and could be forced out of the service. Guard soldiers have

Guard leaders say states are doing all they can to

encourage soldiers to get vaccinated by the time limit.

states still need shots.

work with the roughly 7,000 who have sought exemptions, which are almost all for religious reasons.

"We're going to give every soldier every opportunity to get vaccinated and continue their military career. Every soldier that is pending an exemption, we will continue to support them through their process," said Lt. Gen. Jon Jensen,

director of the Army National Guard, in an Associated Press interview. "We're not giving up on anybody until the separation

paperwork is signed and completed. There's still Austin last year ordered all service members - active-

Defense Secretary Lloyd duty, National Guard and Reserves - to get the vaccine, the country, many in remote

saying it is critical to maintaining the health and readiness of the force.

The military services had varying deadlines for their forces, and the Army National Guard was given the longest amount of time to get the shots, mainly because it's a large force of about 330,000 soldiers who are widely scattered around

The Army Guard's vaccine percentage is the lowest among the U.S. Military with all the active-duty Army, Navy, Air Force and Marine Corps at 97% or greater and the Air Guard at bout 94%.

The Army reported Friday that 90% of Army Reserve forces were partial-

## New plot to oust British PM Boris Johnson after by-election defeats

 $B^{\rm ritish\ Prime\ Minister\ Boris}_{\rm Johnson\ on\ Saturday\ is\ facing}$ another brewing rebellion against his leadership of the Conservative Party after the governing party faced two crushing by-election defeats.

In a triple blow, Johnson not only lost a Tory stronghold in the southern England constituency of

Tiverton & Honiton and an important seat in Wakefield in northern England but was also hit with the resignation of his ally and Tory chairman Oliver Dowden.

Now, according to UK media reports, two Tory MPs who have been critical of Boris Johnson say they may stand for election to the committee which runs the party's leadership elections to trigger another leadership challenge.

Johnson, 58, survived a vote of hat into the ring and stand for elecno confidence in his leadership earlier this month even though 148 of his MPs voted to oust him and under the rules of the powerful 1922 Committee of backbench Conservative MPs, Johnson should be safe from a further challenge for

But Andrew Bridgen, a Tory MP for North West Leicestershire, has said he is minded to throw his

tion to the committee's executive, telling the BBC he would "be in favour of rule change and effectively that would be another vote of confidence".

Steve Baker, MP for Wycombe in Buckinghamshire, also said he hoped colleagues would "consider allowing him to serve" although he would not comment on changing

From the Commonwealth Heads of Government Meeting (CHOGM) in Rwanda, Johnson said he expects people will "beat me up" after two by-election defeats, but insisted he was not worried about Conservative MPs plotting to replace him while he is abroad.

"Î'm not going to pretend these are brilliant results. We've got to listen; we've got to learn," he told reporters in Kigali.

## Norway terror alert raised after French lawmakers want abortion rights in Constitution deadly mass shooting

gunman opened fire in Aguillian opened .... early Saturday, killing two people and leaving more than 20 wounded in what Norwegian security service called an "Islamist terror act" during the capital's annual Pride festival.

Investigators said the suspect, identified as a 42-yearold Norwegian citizen originally from Iran, was arrested after opening fire at three locations in downtown Oslo. The PST security service

raised its terror alert level from "moderate" to "extraordinary" - the highest level after the attack, which sent panicked revelers fleeing into the streets or trying to hide from the gunman.

PST acting chief Roger Berg called the attack an "extreme Islamist terror act" and said the suspect had a "long history of violence and threats" as well as mental health issues.

Upon the advice of police, organizers canceled a Pride parade that was set for Saturday as the highlight of a weeklong festival. One of the shootings happened outside the London Pub, a bar popular with the city's LGBTQ community, just hours before the parade was set to begin.

Police attorney Christian Hatlo said the suspect was being held on suspicion of murder, attempted murder and terrorism, based on the number of people targeted at multiple locations.

"Our overall assessment is that there are grounds to believe that he wanted to cause grave fear in the population," Hatlo said.

Police said two of the shooting victims died and 10 people were being treated



for serious injuries, but none of them was believed to be in life-threatening condition. Eleven other people had minor injuries

Olav Roenneberg, a journalist from Norwegian public broadcaster NRK, said he witnessed the shooting.

"I saw a man arrive at the site with a bag. He picked up a weapon and started shooting," Roenneberg told NRK. "First I thought it was an air gun. Then the glass of the bar next door was shattered and I understood I had to run for

Another witness, Marcus Nybakken, 46, said he saw a lot of people running and screaming and thought it was a fist fight.

"But then I heard that it was a shooting and that there was someone shooting with a submachine gun," Nybakken told Norwegian broadcaster

Prime Minister Jonas Gahr Stoere said in a Facebook post that "the shooting outside London Pub in Oslo tonight was a cruel and deeply shocking attack on innocent people.'

He said that while the motive was unclear, the shooting had caused fear and grief in the LGBTQ community. "We all stand by you," Gahr Stoere wrote.

Christian Bredeli, who was at the bar, told Norwegian newspaper VG that he hid on the fourth floor with a group of about 10 people until he was told it was safe to come

"Many were fearing for their lives," he said. "On our way out we saw several injured people, so we understood that something serious had happened.'

TV2 showed footage of people running down Oslo streets in panic as shots rang out in the background.

Investigators said the suspect was known to police, as well as to PST, but not for any major violent crimes. His criminal record included a narcotics offense and a weapons offense for carrying a knife, Hatlo said.

Hatlo said police seized two weapons after the attack: a handgun and an automatic weapon, both of which he described as "not modern' without giving details. He said the suspect had

not made any statement to the police and was in contact with defense lawyer. Hatlo said it was too early

to say whether the gunman

specifically targeted members of the LGBTQ commu-"We have to look closer at

that, we don't know yet," he

Still, police advised organizers of the Pride festival to cancel the parade Saturday. "Oslo Pride therefore

urges everyone who planned to participate or watch the parade to not show up. All events in connection with Oslo Prides are canceled," organizers said on the official Facebook page of the event.

Inge Alexander Gjestvang, leader of FRI, the Norwegian organisation for sexual and gender diversity, said the shooting has shaken the Nordic country's LGBTQ community.

'We encourage everyone to stand together, take care of each other. We'll be back later, proud, visible but right now it's not the time for that," he told TV2 King Harald V offered

condolences to the relatives of victims and said the royal family was "horrified" by the "We must stand together to defend our values: freedom, diversity and respect for

each other. We must contin-

ue to stand up for all people to feel safe," the monarch said. Norway has a relatively low crime rate but has experienced violent attacks by right-wing extremists, including one of the worst mass shootings in Europe in 2011, when a gunman killed 69 people on the island of Utoya after setting off a bomb in Oslo that left eight dead.

In 2019, another rightwing extremist killed his stepsister and then opened fire in a mosque but was overpowered before anyone there was

The right to abortion in France is already inscribed in a group of lawmakers belong-Agroup of lawinakers believed a sing to French President 1975 law relating to the volun-Emmanuel Macron's party will tary termination of pregnancy propose a bill to inscribe aborwithin the legal framework that decriminalized abortion. A contion rights into the country's constitution, according to the stitutional law will cement aborstatement by two members of tion rights for future generations, said Marie-Pierre Rixain, a parliament on Saturday. The move comes after the U.S. member of Par and of Macron's Supreme Court overturned a 50-

The Republic on the Move party. "What happened elsewhere must not happen in France,"

a provision that would make it "impossible to deprive a person of the right to voluntarily terminate a pregnancy," according to the statement, released by two members of the National Assembly, France's most powerful house of parliament.

Aurore Berge, the leader of Macron's party group in the parliament, said the U.S. Supreme Court's decision to revoke abortion rights is "catastrophic for

"We must take steps in France today so we do not have any reversal of existing laws tomorrow," Berge said in an interview with the public radio station France Inter on Saturday.

Macron's party and his centrist alliance have the most seats in the National Assembly, although it lost its majority in Sunday's legislative election as voters opted for parties on the far right and the far left.

## Hasina opens B'desh's longest bridge, calls it symbol of country's pride

dream', lack self-confidence. I

hope this bridge will boost their

confidence," the prime minister

said. "This bridge is not just

bricks, cement, iron, and con-

crete... This bridge is our pride,

a symbol of our capacity, our

people of Bangladesh," she said.

"The bridge belongs to the people of Bangladesh. It encap-

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strength and our dignity.

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m he\ landmark\ Padma\ Bridge}$  is not a pile of brick and cement but a symbol of Bangladesh's pride, capacity and dignity, Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina said on Saturday as she inaugurated the country's longest bridge entirely built with domestic funding.

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women's constitutional protec-

Padma river connecting southwestern Bangladesh with the capital and other parts of the country. The multipurpose road-rail bridge, which is fully funded by

four-lane bridge is built over the

The 6.15-km-long road-rail

the Bangladesh government, has been constructed at a cost of USD 3.6 billion. The inauguration of the Padma bridge carries a lot of significance as the structure was built entirely with domestic financing, defying skepticism from some financial analysts if

opposed the Padma Bridge con-

struction plan and called it a 'pipe

sulates our passion, creativity, courage, endurance and perse-Bangladesh, which will only gradverance," she said. uate from the UN's Least Developed Countries (LDC) list She said the much-cherished in 2026, could mobilise the fund bridge stands on the turbulent depending on domestic Padma River overcoming many resources. obstacles and breaking the web of Hasina expressed deep gratconspiracy.

itude to the people involved with Today, I am happy, proud, and overwhelmed along with the construction of the Padma I have no complaints against said Hasina. anyone, but I reckon those who

millions of people of the country," The Padma Bridge project witnessed several engineering

wonders as well as technological

challenges. It emerged as the wonder structure for Bangladesh and saw the use of state-of-theart machinery and know-how. The project was initially expected to be funded by a con-

sortium led by the World Bank. In 2012, it cancelled the proposed credit saying it had "credible evidence" of high-level corruption among Bangladeshi

officials.

Bangladesh has all through denied these allegations and preferred not to approach the international global lender for funding.

Meanwhile, India has congratulated the Bangladesh government on the completion of the massive project. "Felicitations

Government and people of Bangladesh on completion of the landmark Padma Bridge project, from India!" the Indian High tweeted ahead of the inau-

#### Protesters gather as G-7 leaders set to arrive in Germany **AP** ■ MUNICH

About 3,500 protesters gathered in Munich on Saturday as the Group of Seven leading economic powers prepared to hold their annual gathering in the Bavarian Alps in Germany, which holds the G-7's rotating presidency this year.

Police said earlier they were expecting some 20,000 protesters in the Bavarian city, but initially fewer people showed up for the main protest which started at noon, the German news agency dpa reported. Fifteen groups critical of globalisation, from Attac to the environmental organisation WWF, will participate in the demonstrations. Their various demands include a phase-out of fossil fuels, the preservation of animal and plant diversity, social justice on the planet and a stepped-up fight

against hunger.
"My demands for the G-7 are, that they have a clear commitment to energy transition, that is the exit from fossil fuels, all forms of fossil fuels, by 2035 at the latest, so we can stop financing wars and conflicts," said Kilian Wolter from the environmental group Greenpeace who participated in the

## **GST compensation cess levy** Inflation sparks global wave extended till March 2026

New Delhi: The Government has extended the time for levy of GST compensation cess by nearly 4 years till March 31,

As per the Goods and Services Tax (Period of Levy and Collection of Cess) Rules, 2022, notified by the finance ministry, the compensation cess will continue to be levied from July 1, 2022 to March 31,

The levy of cess was to end on June 30 but the GST Council, chaired by Union Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman and comprising state FMs, decided to extend it till March 2026 to repay the loans taken in the last two fiscal years to make up for the shortfall in their revenue col-

Council meeting in Lucknow in September last year, Sitharaman had said the regime of paying compensation to states for revenue shortfall resulting from subsuming their taxes such as VAT in the uniform national tax GST, will end

However, the compensation cess, levied on luxury and demerit goods, will continue to



be collected till March 2026 to repay the borrowings that were done in 2020-21 and 2021-22 to compensate states for GST

In order to meet the resource gap of states due to short release of compensation, the Centre has borrowed and released Rs 1.1 lakh crore in 2020-21 and Rs 1.59 lakh crore in 2021-22 as back-to-back loan to meet a part of the shortfall in cess collection.

The Centre has repaid Rs 7,500 crore as interest cost for the borrowing in 2021-22 and Rs 14,000 crore is to be paid this fiscal year. From 2023-24, the repayment of principal

amount will start which will continue till March 2026.

Goods and Services Tax (GST) was introduced in the country with effect from July 1, 2017 and states were assured of compensation for the loss of any revenue arising on account of implementation of GST for a period of five years.

Though states' protected revenue has been growing at 14 per cent compounded growth rate, the cess collection did not increase in the same proportion and COVID-19 further increased the gap between protected revenue and the actual revenue receipt including reduction in cess collection.

of protests for higher pay, aid

**Washington:** Rising food costs. Soaring fuel bills. Wages that are not keeping pace. Inflation is plundering people's wallets, sparking a wave of protests and workers' strikes around the world.

This week alone saw protests by the political oppo-sition in Pakistan, nurses in Zimbabwe, unionised workers in Belgium, railway workers in Britain, Indigenous people in Ecuador, hundreds of U.S. Pilots and some European airline workers. Sri Lanka's prime minister declared an economic collapse Wednesday after weeks of political turmoil.

Economists say Russia's war in Ukraine amplified inflation by further pushing up the cost of energy and prices of fertilizer, grains and cooking oils as farmers struggle to grow and export crops in one of the world's key agricultural regions. As prices rise, inflation

threatens to exacerbate inequalities and widen the gap between billions of people struggling to cover their costs and those who are able to keep spending. "We are not all in this together," said Matt Grainger, head of inequality policy at antipoverty organisation



Oxfam. "How many of the richest even know what a loaf of bread costs? They don't really, they just absorb the

Oxfam is calling on the Group of 7 leading industrialized nations, which are holding their annual summit this weekend in Germany, to provide debt relief to developing economies and to tax corporations on excess profits.

This isn't just a standalone crisis. It's coming off the back of an appalling pandemic that fuelled increased inequality worldwide," Grainger said. "I think we will see more and more protests."

The demonstrations have caught the attention of governments, which have responded to soaring consumer prices with support measures like

expanded subsidies for utility bills and cuts to fuel taxes. Often, that offers little relief because energy markets are volatile. Central banks are trying to ease inflation by raising interest rates.

Meanwhile, striking workers have pressured employers to engage in talks on raising wages to keep up with rising prices.

Eddie Dempsey, a senior official with Britain's Rail, Maritime and Transport Union, which brought U.K. Train services to a near standstill with strikes this week, said there are going to be more demands for pay increases across other sectors.

"It's about time Britain had pay rise. Wages have been falling for 30 years and corporate profits have been going through roof," Dempsey said.

## Raw coking coal production likley to be 140 MT by 2030

New Delhi: The Government on Saturday said the country's domestic raw coking coal out-put may touch 140 million tonnes (MT) by 2030 from the present 51.7 MT. Coking coal is an essential raw material for the production of iron and

steel.
"With...Transformative measures taken by Ministry of Coal under 'Atmanirbhar Bharat' initiative of PM, domestic raw coking coal production is likely to reach 140 MT by 2030," the coal ministry said in a statement.

To further increase the output of raw coking coal, the Centre has auctioned 10 coking coal blocks to the private sector, with a peak rated capacity (PRC) of 22.5 MT during the last two years. Most of these blocks are expected to start production by 2025. The ministry has also iden-

tified four coking coal blocks and the Central Mine Planning and Design Institute (CMPDI) will also finalise geological reserves (GR) for 4 to 6 new coking coal blocks in the next two months, the statement said. These blocks may be offered in subsequent rounds of sale for the private sector to further step up domestic raw coking coal supply in the coun-

Coal India Ltd (CIL), which accounts for over 80 per cent of domestic coal output, has planned to increase raw coking coal production from existing mines up to 26 MT and identified nine new mines with peak rated capacity of about 20 MT by FY25.

Also, CIL has offered six discontinued coking coal mines, out of the total 20 such mines, on an innovative model of revenue sharing to the private sector with an expected PRC of about 2 MT, according to the statement. The country produced 51.7 MT of raw coking coal during 2021-22, which is 15 per cent more compared to 44.8 MT during FY21.

Domestic raw coking coal production continues to witness an increasing trend in current fiscal as well with production of 8.3 MT, as per figures up to last month, which is 20 per cent more compared to 6.9 MT during the same period of the previous year. *PTI* 

#### Future Enterprises defaults on ₹4.10 crore interest payment for NCDs

New Delhi: Debt-ridden Future Enterprises Ltd (FEL) has defaulted on interest payment of ₹4.10 crore for its nonconvertible debentures.

The due date for payment was June 24, 2022, FEL said in a regulatory filing. "The Company is unable to service its obligations in respect of the interest on Non-Convertible Debentures was due on June 24, 2022," it said. This is the fourth default in June by the Kishore Biyani-led Future group firm.

Earlier this week, FEL defaulted twice on interest payments of ₹85.71 lakh and ₹6.07 crore for its non-convertible debentures. FEL had made another default on the payment of interest of ₹1.41 crore, earlier this month. The latest default is on the interest of securities issued for a sum of

## future group

₹40 crore. FEL has defaulted on interest payment for the period between June 24, 2021, to June 23, 2022, it said. The debentures are secured and have a coupon rate of 10.25 per cent per annum.

In April, FEL had informed the exchanges about a default of ₹2,835.65 crore towards its consortium of banks. Its due date was March 31, 2022.

FEL was a part of the 19 group companies operating in retail, wholesale, logistics and warehousing segments, which were supposed to be transferred to Reliance Retail as part of a ₹24,713 crore deal announced in August 2020.

## Boxory Logistics, Cargonix Xpress: NTC Group's two new businesses

Chennai: Diversified business conglomerate NTC Group under its flagship company NTC Logistics has unveiled two new verticals — Boxory Logistics Pvt Ltd and Cargonix Xpress Pvt Ltd – as part of consolidating its operations in the country, an official said on Saturday.

Boxory Logistics would focus on freight services like air freight, multi-city transportation, warehousing, while Cargonix Xpress would be focused on same day delivery, milk run among

At an event here, the company unveiled a 70 metre truck trailer for the first time in the country which would be used for transporting windmill blades. NTC Group company MAHA Auto Components has manufactured the truck trailer to serve the renewable energy logistics space, a company statement said here.

Equipped with advanced features like load sensing valves, anti-lock braking systems among many others, the trailer ensures safety and reliability by providing more thrust to logistics of windmill blades, company chairman K Chandramohan said in a company statement. Tamil Nadu Industries Minister Thangam Thennarasu formally unveiled the truck at an



event held here in the presence of Chandramohan among senior officials. According to Chandramohan, the company has been taking up projects in the renewable energy sector under its entity— Everrenew Energy — which offers logistics to site construction activities for wind and

Besides serving the domestic market, the NTC Group has presence overseas including Hong

Kong, Singapore, Malaysia and has entered into partnerships with companies in Asia, Australia, the Middle East among others. The company has with the opening of a new office in Malaysia recently, the statement added.

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### Flipkart inks MoU with Telangana's SERP to enable market access for FPOs, SHGs

Hyderabad: Flipkart, India's homegrown e-commerce marketplace, on Saturday said it signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with the Society for Elimination of Rural Poverty (SERP), Telangana to enable market access for Farmer Producer Organisations (FPOs) and Self-Help Groups (SHGs) in

The MoU was exchanged between Sandeep Kumar Sultania, Secretary, Panchayat Raj & Rural Development, Telangana and Smrithi Ravichandran, Vice President and Head of Grocery, Flipkart, at an event held here, a press release from the e-commerce giant said.

Through this partnership, Flipkart aims to empower local farming communities and SHGs of Telangana by providing pan-India market access to more than 400 million customers on its platform. As part of this collaboration, Flipkart will directly



es, millets, staples, and spices from the local farmers, contributing to improve income and business growth. Flipkart will further engage with these communities through virtual and on-ground training and capacity-building initiatives to provide them with an understanding of quality, pricing, and licenses required to be a part of FPO ecosystem.

SERP will extend support with infrastructure and necessary approvals to take this partnership forward. Speaking on the occasion, Errabelli Dayakar Rao, Panchayat Raj, Rural

Development and Rural Water Supply Minister said, SHGs and women from Telangana will now be able to sell their products to a pan India consumer base for an improved livelihood and gaining more visibility.

"There are 4,36,000 SHGs consisting of 46 lakh members in the state. We wish to sup-port all of them, especially women, for whom we have a target to provide loans of Rs 500 crore this year. We believe that SHGs will work hard and use these initiatives to accelerate their development and to grow their businesses," Dayakar Rao said.

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from 25.06.2022 at 17:00 hrs. to 09.07.2022 at 17:00 hrs.

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It is for general information that I, Lokesh Kumari w/o Om Prakash Singh R/o SK 414 A Sector-122 Centre Point, Main Mathura Road, Metro Piller No. 845, Sector-11, Faridabad(DELHI NCR) 121006 This Party Has Submitted Application To The Election Commission Of India, New Delhi Under Act, 1951 Name Of The Office Bearers Of The Party Are As follows:

2. General Secretary: SAPNA TIWARI 3. Treasurer: SANTOSH TIWARI

If anyone has any objection to the registration of "Bharatiya Pravasi Janata Party" they may send their objection to the reason there of, to the secretary (Political Party). The Election Commission of India, Nirvachan Sadan, Ashoka Road, New Delhi- 110001 within 30 days of the

1. National President: DR. AJAY TIWARI

Add:- J-86, DLF, sec-10, Faridabad-121006

Cost of Work

**Project Manager** 

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Notice is hereby given on behalf of Mr. Rajesh S/o Mr. Maha Singh who is owner of Property bearing No.81 (Property ID No.05/81 as per Technical Report), area measuring 117 Sq. Yds., Ward No.05, Waka Siwana Maujha Andar Abadi Lal Dora Farukh Nagar, Tehsil Farukh Nagar, District Gurgaon (Harvana), vide Transfer Deed (Blood Relation) dated 22.11.2016 (vide Docume No.2275) and intend to mortgage against the financial assistance from Vastu Housing Finance Corporation Ltd. To comply the requirements of BANK/NBFC, we give this public notice that if any person(s) having any objection regarding ownership and/ or creating mortgage of the said property is/are nereby requested to intimate in writing to the undersigned within 7 days at below address.

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Corporate identity number / limited liability

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Insolvency commencement date of the

Date of invitation of expression of interest

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Registrar of Companies, NCT of Delhi

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The Resolution Plan shall be submitted in a seal

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## NBFCs should diversify risks across sectors: Ex SBI chief

Kolkata: Non-banking financial companies need to diversify risks across sectors and geographies, as well as maintain capital adequacy norms and introduce core banking solutions going ahead, former State Bank of India chairman Rajnish Kumar said.

Kumar also said the risktaking abilities of NBFCs are higher than banks, and that the regulatory stance will become tougher, with the regulation arbitrage between lenders and non-banking entities ceasing to exist.

"Regarding asset quality review (AQR) of lenders, as pointed out by former RBI governor Raghuram Rajan, the NPA problem started with the NBFCs. The whole issue boils down to risk management and governance.

"There is a need for NBFCs to take a diversified approach across sectors and geographies and also be mindful about risk matrix," he



said during an event organised by micro-finance institution VFS Capital here on Friday evening.

Kumar said the NBFCs

will have to maintain capital adequacy norms, introduce core banking solutions and make adequate disclosures by 2025. Nearly 23 per cent of lending in the financial sector happens through the NBFCs, he said.

Regarding NPA in banking sector, the former SBI chief said lenders cannot escape their share of blame, adding that "faulty" government policies in "power, coal, telecom and road sectors" are also responsible for bad

#### expand portfolio to ₹1500 crore, expand branch network Kolkata: VFS Capital (for-

VFS Capital plans to

merly Village Financial Services Limited) plans to increase its assets under management from Rs 803 crore to Rs 1,500 crore within a few years and also plans to expand the number of branches across the country, an official said.

MD & CEO of VFS Capital Kuldip Maity said at an event here on Friday night that the NBFC-MFI has 247 branches at present, and added that plans are there to add 35 more this fiscal and also to enter the state of Rajashthan.

Maity said during the last two years of the pandemic, the focus was not on increasing business, adding that VFS plans to provide loans for affordable housing and MSME loans. He also said the new RBI regulations on MFIs will help the sector to grow, particularly the deregulation of interest rates across the entities.

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Ambassador to Sri Lanka Julie

"This visit underscores

future, the report said.

## US delegation to visit economic crisis-hit Lanka

Colombo: A high-level US delegation will visit Sri Lanka to hold talks with the country's top leadership to help it resolve the current economic crisis as the island nation, which is on the brink of bankruptcy, is struggling to pay for the import of essentials, including food and fuel.

Sri Lanka is facing a severe forex crisis which forced the island nation to declare a default of its international debt in April, becoming the first Asia-Pacific country in decades to default on foreign

senting the US Department of

the Treasury and the Department of State is due to engage in a visit to Sri Lanka from June 26 to 29, the News First newspaper reported. The delegation will

include Robert Kaproth Deputy Assistant Secretary of Treasury for Asia, and Ambassador Kelly Keiderling, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for South and Central Asia, it said. The visitors will meet

to support Sri Lankans in

Chung said. with a wide range of political representatives, economists and international organisations, and will explore the most effective ways for the US

"Ăs Sri Lankans endure some of the greatest economic challenges in their history, our efforts to support economic growth and strengthen democratic institutions have never been more critical," the

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The Project Manager Construction Unit Uttarakhand Peyjal Nigam Ranikhet (Almora) 263645 Letter No. 04 / Camp Haldwani / NATIONAL COMPETITIVE BIDDING

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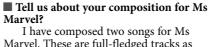
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# talktime

#### ATIF AFZAL AKA A-ZAL

The singer, who is also a New York-based songwriter and composer is known for his compositions for American TV series Loki, NCIS: Los Angeles and The Twilight Zone and for the films Resort to Love, Prague, Pune 52, among others. He speaks with SUPRIYA RAMESH about his association with Marvel, his journey and more

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Marvel. These are full-fledged tracks as opposed to the more dreamy track I did for Loki last year. Both of them are romantic and appear in the montage where the chem-

istry is building between Kamala Khan and Kamran. These tracks are very unique. I was in talks with Marvel for

a Bollywood style song since last year just after we finished Loki. So, when they approached me for it in April 2022, I initially thought it was for the same project.

However, this turned out to be a new one. What's

interesting is that we wrapped up the entire process from the brief till the actual release was just

two months.

How did your association with Marvel first begin?

It first started when they reached out to me last year for Loki. However, what's interesting is that I was never told that it was for Loki since the project is kept confidential. But, I was amazed to know that I am going to be a part of the Marvel universe. It is Hollywood at its best.

■ Tell us about your journey into music. How did you make it

from composing music for Marathi films to Bollywood and Hollywood?

The first film that I signed was Prague. It so happened that the Marathi film Pune 52 released before Prague. Interestingly, I was approached by the producers of Pune 52 after they saw the trailer of my film Prague. I knew the journey would be tough. I knew I was a crazy guy with a crazy dream and I knew I had to take one step at a time. I had no one in the industry at all. Not a single soul who would help me navigate

this journey.
When I started in Bollywood in 2013, I did films like Prague and Monsoon Shootout which had western music and an international style score. Further, it had official selections at multiple global film festivals which gave traction to my career and recognition at gave traction to my career and recognition the global level. Monsoon Shootout was at Cannes, which was a big deal.

Soon, I was approached for a German film called Gift for ARD Degeto Network in

Germany. Then I did a thesis film at the New York University called The Alternative. That was my first independent American film. I worked on several advertising commercials in the USA. And finally, the big breakthrough came when I did NCIS:Los Angeles and The Twilight Zone. This really propelled me to the giant projects which I did for Marvel.

So, it was one step at a time! ■ How did the pandemic take a toll on you professionally?

Î'm going to give you an answer that you probably wouldn't expect. I got my biggest breakthrough in Hollywood during the pandemic. The pandemic struck New York, and after a couple of months, CBS reached out to me for NCIS:Los Angeles. And, soon after I finished it, they roped me in for The Twilight Zone

■ What's your take on India's music scene when you compare it globally?

When I compare it globally, I know one thing. Indian music is one of the oldest music forms existing in the world today, and we need to retain that and stop copying the West. I feel we need to stop following what is trending and adopting a formula-based approach, but create what is unique and different. The Bollywood industry has an incredible amount of talent for sure!

■ What's your personal style as a music

artist? Who do you take inspiration from?
When it comes to film scoring, my personal style is very experimental. I take inspiration from composers such as Clint Mansell who has composed iconic scores and gave the world a new sound. As a pop singer, I take inspiration from Ed Sheeran. I love British singers. My singing style and song-writing style is very similar to that of Ed Sheeran.

■ What's next?

I am in talks for another song for Marvel. There is also an interesting project going on with Netflix. What I'm most excited about is my American pop album called 17 & 11 Nights; Phonebook, Ride, Autopilot are a few songs from the album. The singles will be released later this year and that will, for the first time, bring the artist side of me to the world. I am currently shooting the music videos for my album.

### Plan Your Day

#### **CELEBRATE LOVE**



ingle with, peruse and shop from queer shop trom queen entrepreneurs and small business owners at a dedicated space for all things queer made. And if that wasn't enough, there will be music, food and drinks. All brought to you with pride and love by queer

performers and caterers Sip on Bira's new summer collection or some amazing

cocktails from Roku, Toki, Oaksmith and many more.

Fashion, art, merch, home decor, zines — if you can think of it, you can probably find it at Queer Made Weekend! What: Fun fair

Where: DLF Promenade, Vasant Kunj, New Delhi When: June 26, 2022 Time: 5 pm to 10 pm

#### THEY ALSO WENT LOCAL



/illage Square in partnership with The National Cooperative Union of India (NCUI) celebrated World Localisation Day at NCUI Auditorium, New Delhi with prominent rural changemakers, urban youth, development professionals and artisans from across India.

The event was designed to raise awareness of local goods and artisan products and to promote eco-friendly living. It is a platform to learn about local influencers, opportunities, and products.

The storytelling session was the highlight, where five young rural changemakers gave an insight into their endeavors and challenges.

### Masterstroke

Flat weaves, with their distinctively bold patterns and eyecatching colours, look equally at home in an airy beach house as they do in a sophisticated city apartment, and are a stylish way to keep those laid-back summer vibes going long after the season has passed

These rugs



basically come in rich colours and intricate patterns and are known for their flexibility. Lacking the pile or a backing, they are quite light in nature. The other quality of these rugs is that they are reversible and are easily used from both sides. Flat weave rugs are available in different variations despite following the basic technique, adopting different patterns and styles in different regions around the world. A few such styles include Kilims, Dhurries and Navajo rugs

The flat-woven kilim has been a staple of the rug world for centuries, and has regained some of its former glory in recent years. Saraswati's Zara collection is a nod to the current trend in the home decor market, but with fun colors and updated patterns make its collection unique. Also, the Zara collection is thicker than a typical kilim, making it more stable and durable

over time, and thus, a better overall rug. Lovable from the outset, the Zara collection will win hearts without breaking the bank. These wool Rugs are Naturals/Reversible/Durable and come in different colours like Green, Mushroom, Gold, Dusty Orange, Blue, Charcoal, Grey & Jade

## MORE THAN A BODY

Body positivity is about knowing and accepting your body type as it is. Unlearn and challenge the unreal beauty standards that the popular culture and society have been claiming to be ideal

all have doubted the shape of our bodies at some point in our lives; how our curves are reflected in the mirror has led to a drop in confidence and paved the path for disbeliefs and doubts in our minds. The unsolicited comments that we encounter throughout our lives plant the seed of uncertainties and doubts that may lead to eating disorders, feeling belittled and social anxiety.

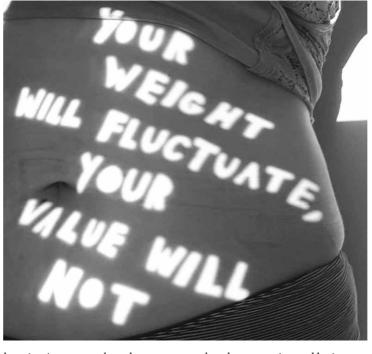
We can't stop people from expressing their minds in words but we can work on ourselves. When we make an effort to understand that we don't have to pay attention to their words; opinions don't shape us and shouldn't become the ideologies we have to live our lives by. We need to understand the importance of living an abundant life and working towards bringing body positivity and self-confidence into our lives. Body positivity is about knowing

and accepting your body type as it is irrespective of sizes, shapes, physical abilities and colours. Loving yourself in all of its forms and living with confidence and fortitude. It is about al beauty standards that the popular culture and society have been claiming to be ideal.

We have often heard the term body positivity and let's take three steps in inculcating it in our lives and embodying it.

Know your body

It's not easy to defeat darkness without even knowing what it is and how it's affecting your life. Take time to reflect on your daily routine and you'll find tiny changes that you can add to your lifestyle to be more mindful of your body confidence. Sit back and think about what are the things that encourage you to be authentically you without adulteration from the world. Put effort into knowing what makes you feel good about your body. Is it the new dress



hanging in your cupboard or a new rather than accepting and loving our exercise routine or even a new way bodies as we are. Accepting can there are no bad or good body types. Try to learn about your body type and take time out from your usual schedule to get to know your body and what makes it tick.

Accept yourself I was told throughout my childhood that I was too fat to the point in my later years that I developed an eating disorder. Things became even more difficult for me because I'm an emotional eater. I like to eat when I'm overwhelmed or happy or sad and it is always followed by guilt. It took me years and a lot of professional help to

accept myself and my body as it is. Before we can move onto the path of pride, we will have to accept ourselves and accept our bodies. For years, we've spent our time wishing about how we should've looked have to tune out all the negativities and mean comments and thoughts you've been unconsciously enter-

My advice would be to remind ourself of your divinity and sexy, brilliant self. Once you start saying it to yourself every day, it won't be long before you start believing in it. When you accept that you are sexy and brilliant as you are, you will feel a surge of confidence and pride in yourself and your body. Unlearn for authentic living

We all have heard what a beautiful person should look and dress like, what are the foolproof methods to get 'that' body and what you should and shouldn't eat to get the definitive body type that people admire. Say no to them. It's your turn



Devina Kaur Founder, Sexy Brilliant Non-Profit Foundation

IT'S NOT EASY TO DEFEAT DARKNESS WITHOUT EVEN KNOWING WHAT IT IS AND HOW IT'S AFFECTING YOUR

LIFE. TAKE TIME TO REFLECT ON YOUR DAILY ROUTINE AND YOU'LL FIND TINY CHANGES THAT YOU CAN ADD TO YOUR LIFESTYLE TO BE MORE MINDFUL OF YOUR BODY

**CONFIDENCE** 

to unlearn those definitions, remarks, and beliefs and make rules for yourself as you like them. The notions that have been idealised for years now are deemed to be toxic and should be unlearned and unheard of now. that make you shine and feel comfortable on your skin and your body and from there it will be easier to live authentically.

Do what makes you happy and feel healthy, go out on walks, exercise regularly, surround yourself with positive people and add meditative sessions so you spend enough time with yourself to know what your body actually wants. Remind yourself that you are your top priority and self-care is the most important kind of love that you can show yourself. Listen to your inner calling, challenge the negative thoughts and follow that path. It will be a challenging path but it'll be worth your efforts and time. Practice radical self-acceptance. embrace your inner self and let it shine in front of the world.

#### "Determination. hard work and passion have helped me reach this place" says Rahul Gangwani

Everyone dreams to attain big status at some point in time but very few work hard and reach their destination. Similarly, entrepreneurship is a journey that requires diligence and unmatched motivation to achieve success. The whole strata



of success is based on how much you are investing in your journey of entrepreneurship. When we see people with exponential growth have reached an acumen, they have the unmatched potential

Entrepreneurship also requires a fair amount of investment, by investing one has better leverage over the startup or the business. As we all know in the Middle East, luxury cars are in demand and luxury car rentals are the future of Dubai. In this, Rahul Gangwani is investing large amounts of money to buy the latest fleet of luxury cars. His determination, passion and hard work have helped the company to reach greater heights in the recent past. We have seen in recent times that the luxury car rental segment is increasing at a rapid pace and will attain a huge market share by the end of 2025 in the Middle East. After understanding the opportunities and the progress of the luxury car rental world, Gangwani decided to invest in the RG Rental Business. Also, categorising luxury cars from normal cars will help them to create a separate sector. It is a promising name in India and is now expanding its footprint in Dubai. Also, renting a prestige car is far more economical as most people think that it would be very expensive. In this wake, RG Rent A Car is making a big leap.

#### Iman Zaidi bags the Bhartiya Kala Ratna Award

man Zaidi's phenomenal art of beautifying brides has captured the attention of young women throughout India. Wedding wish lists are incomplete without 'bridal makeup by Iman Zaidi'. She is not only admired by brides but also by many makeup enthusiasts. She is regarded as a great influence and inspiration for budding makeup artists.

Zaidi's work and talent was recognised by Global Scholars Foundation and she qualified as a nominee for Bhartiya Ratna Awards (Jewel of India). Dr VijayKumar Swarupchand Shah, Padmashri title holder was the chief guest and presenter of the Noble

She was the only nominee from the Indian bridal and beauty industry. Her effort in bringing forth recognition for the Indian makeup styles was highly appreciated by Dr Shah and the organisers.

"While many makeup artists are appreciated in the glamour industry, very few artists are working towards recognising the art of traditional bridal makeup styles of India. Makeup artists, especially those who work closely with Indian cultures must be recognised for their efforts as they use their talent in justifying a makeover for modern day women into a traditional one." says Zaidi.

She has worked with more than thousand brides throughout India and takes personal interest in different cultures and heritage of Indian aesthetic art.

Through her art she wishes to preserve the different traditional and cultural aspects of bridal makeup in the modern age. Her aim is to bring honourable recognition to Indian bridal makeup artists.

#### This plan is here to save your child's future financial needs

ife is filled with uncertainty and worries about the future. While Lemany things are not under our control, as a parent; the emotional, physical, mental and financial security of your child is of utmost importance. In this ever-changing world, when you don't know what's going to happen next and how it will affect your child's future, it's essential that as parents, it is your responsibility to protect their financial future and ensure that their needs are not compromised and timely fulfilled.

The simplest and smartest way to do so to help your child be independent and financially secure is to have an insurance plan that specifically focuses on building a robust future for your child



While there are various types of child insurance plan available, SBI Life- Smart Champ Insurance Plan is one such individual non-linked, participating, life insurance savings product, which takes care of the child's future educational needs as soon as they turn 18 years of age. It is carefully crafted to meet the objectives and concerns

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\*Ensures the child's higher education needs

Therefore, it is crucial to secure the child's future

## HARMANPREET LEADS INDIA TO SEAL SERIES AGAINST SRI LANKA

#### India win by 5 wickets in 2nd T20

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Skipper Harmanpreet Kaur contributed with both bat and ball to steer the Indian women's cricket team to a series sealing five wicket win over Sri Lanka in the second T20 here on

Vice captain Smriti Mandhana's (39 off 34 balls) experience complemented by the exuberance of both Shefali Verma (17 off 10 balls) and Sabbhineni Meghana (17 off 10 balls) helped India chase down the 126-run target in

India stuttered in what should have been a comfortable run chase before Harmanpreet took India home with an unbeaten 31 of 32 balls.

Sri Lanka squandered a fine start to post a below par 125 for seven

The third and final T20 will be played here on



It was a day to remember for Mandhana who became the second fastest Indian woman to reach 2,000 runs T20 runs.

Mandhana reached the feat in her 84th innings, becoming the third Indian woman after the legendary Mithali Raj (70 innings) and current skipper Harmanpreet Kaur (88 innings) to cross the

Opting to bat first and with the series on line, it was the duo of captain Chamari Athapaththu (43 off 41 balls) and Vishmi Gunaratne (45 off 50 balls) provided an ideal start for the Lankans by taking the Indian bowlers to the cleaners.

The duo also put up Sri Lanka's best opening stand (87) in T20s to leave the Ìndians frantically rummaging for breakthroughs.

However, as both Athapaththu and Gunaratne departed, it was a sorry state of affairs for Sri Lanka as they lost a slew of wickets, only managing an underwhelming total.



## Archery World Cup: Abhishek-Jyothi pair grabs maiden compound mixed team gold

India won its maiden World Cup gold in compound mixed team archery event after the duo of Abhishek Verma and Jyothi Surekha Vennam outclassed their experienced French opponents at the Stage 3 edition here on Saturday.

Riding on a spectacular start, the Indians withered late resistance from the French pair of Jean Boulch and 48year-old Olympic medallist Sophie Dodemont to seal the contest 152-149, a first-ever World Cup gold for India in the

compound mixed team event.
The gold also opened the

account of Indian archers, who have assured a second medal in the women's recurve team event where the trio of Deepika Kumari, Ankita Bhakat and Simranjeet Kaur will fight for the yellow metal on Sunday. Making a comeback after

more than seven months, world no. 3 Jyothi, who was sidelined in the Asian Games trial, is also in the hunt for another medal as she takes on French veteran Sophie in the individual semifinal later in the day.

A Beijing Olympics bronze medalist, Sophie switched to compound discipline after failing to make the 2012 London Olympics squad.

The third-seeded Indians got off to a flier, drilling in four Os that included two Xs to race to a three-point lead and put early pressure on the French pair. The Indians managed just one 10 in the second end as the French duo reduced the deficit to one-point. The third was a tie, while in the deciding fourth end, Abhishek and Jyothi held their nerves to edge out their opponents by two points to annexe the title. The most successful Indian compound pair of Abhishek and Jyothi have a handful of World Cup bronze medals and their best has been a World Cup Final silver at Yankton last year.

## Chennai Open chess: Nitin remains on top

PTI CHENNAI

Indian International Master Nitin Senthilvel settled for a draw with compatriot and fellow IM Ravichandran Siddharth in the ninth round lead to stay on top of the standings with 8 points in the 13th Chennai Open Înternational Grandmaster Cĥess Tournament 2022 here on

The draw in the top board saw Nitin's lead being cut to half a point as GM Boris Savchenko (Russia), Alexei Federov (Belarus), Aronyak Ghosh, Him all Gusain (both India) moved to



7.5 points.
On Friday, tournament leader Nitin missed a win against top seed Grandmaster Savchenko and today he held the upper hand against Siddharth who just hung on to snatch a draw. The round is scheduled for

Results: Round 9 (Indians unless specified): Nitin S (8) drew with Ravichandran Siddharth (7), S Prasannaa (6.5) lost to Boris Savchenko (Russia) 7.5, P Konguvel (6.5) lost to Alexei Fedorov (7). Aronyak Ghosh (7.5) beat Baghdasaryan

## Patidar hits ton as MP lay one hand on coveted Ranji Trophy

R ajat Patidar stamped his class with an authoritative century to put Madhya Pradesh on the cusp of their historic Ranji Trophy triumph against 41-time champions Mumbai on a rain-hit fourth day of the summit clash here on Saturday.

Havens opened up minutes before the tea break, and Madhya Pradesh finished their first innings at 536 soon after resumption with a game-changing lead of 162 runs, courtesy Patidar's superb 122, that had as many as 20 boundaries.

by batters from either side but none oozed more class and competence than

came to regal drives on both sides of the wicket.

At stumps, Mumbai erased some of the deficit, reaching 113 for 2 with Prithvi Shaw (44 off 51 balls) and Hardik Tamore (25 off 32 balls), promoted up the order, showing some positive intent but throwing away their wickets in desperation for quick runs.

Shaw was dismissed with a classic plan of bowling wide outside the off-stump and he finally chased one from Gourav Yadav straight into cover's hands.

With 95 overs left on the final day, there is very little chance of Mumbai Four hundreds have been scored winning this match unless they score around 320-plus runs in 50 overs (including Saturday's overs) and set a target of 150-odd for MP with at least Patidar's, who 45 to 50 overs to get the 10 wickets.

The wicket isn't showing any signs of crumbling and hence a chance of an MP collapse in the fourth innings doesn't look imminent at the moment. Especially, knowing that they have a first innings lead, MP will like to down the shutters from hereon as ends will prove the means.

#### DAY BELONGED TO PATIDAR

When the fourth day started, MP needed seven more runs to get the first innings lead but what was more important was for Patidar to play at least one session and he did that with minimum fuss which could now prove to be decisive in the context of the game.

Patidar smashed seven more boundaries following his 13 on the third day and by the time he was out for 122 off 219 balls, Madhya

Pradesh's lead had gone over 100 runs and the sullen faces of the Mumbai players said it all. A poker-faced Chandrakant

Pandit, who had throughout the four days, sat in one corner of the dressing room, can now afford a wide grin as even a miracle can't turn things around for his "home

Madhya Pradesh's innings lasted for exactly 14 hours and two minutes and by the end of it all, they had out-batted Mumbai, a similar kind of torture that the domestic powerhouse is used to inflicting on their opponents over the years.

Patidar first hit an on-drive off

Mohit Avasthi for a boundary and then punched him through the cover-point for a couple to give MP the all-important lead.

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#### PUNJAB & SIND BANK LINES, AMRITSAR

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(B) Rs. 12,97,966/59

as on 31-07-2021 +

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less recovery if any, till date

(A) Rs. 4,36,919/64 as

on 30-11-2021 + interest,

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(B) Rs. 27,67,191/55

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other charges and less recovery if any, till date

Rs. 5,17,500/17 as on

28-02-2022 + interest, other

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(A) Rs. 9,68,800/92

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Whereas, the Undersigned being the "Authorised Officer" of Punjab & Sind Bank, under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of the Security Interest Act 2002 in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(2) read with security interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued a demand notice on the date mentioned against account calling upon the respective borrowers / guarantors to repay the amount as mentioned against account within 60 days from the date of notice / date of receipt of the said notice. The borrowers / guarantors having failed to repay the amount, notice hereby given to the borrowers / guarantors and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the Properties described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him / her under section 13(4) of said

Act read with Rule 9 of the said rule on the date mentioned against each account.

The borrowers / guarantors in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the Properties and any dealing with the Properties will be subject to the charge of the Punjab and Sind Bank, for the amounts, other charges, costs and interest thereon. The borrowers attention is invited to provisions of Sub Section (8) of the Section 13 of Act, in respect of time available to them, to redeem the secured assets.

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(1) (A) (i) M/s Dara Singh and Sons				
through its Prop Sh. Palwinder Singh S/o				
Sh. Dara Singh (ii) Sh. Palwinder Singh				
S/o Sh. Dara Singh and Guarantor (i) S.				
Baljinder Singh S/o Sh. Palwinder Singh				
(ii) Sh. Hardev Singh S/o Sh. Dara Singh				
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Singh and Sh. Baljinder Singh S/o Sh.				
Palwinder Singh and Guarantor Kulwinder				

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S/o Sh. Sadhu Ram (ii) Sh. Sewa Singh

S/o Sh. Bawa Singh (4) (A) Sh. Paramjit Singh S/o Sh. Tarlok Singh (ii) Smt Jatinder Kaur W/o Paramiit Singh and Guarantor: (i) Sh Surinder Kumar Sahni S/o Om Parkash Sahni

(B) Sh. Paramjit Singh S/o Tarlok Singh and Smt. Jatinder Kaur W/o Sh. Paramji Singh and Guarantor Smt Sonika (5) Sh. Sahil Pangasa S/o Sh. Yashpal Pangasa (ii) Smt Sunidhi Pangasa W/o Sahil Pangasa and Guarantor: (i) Ajay

Kumar Singhania S/o Vijay Kumar (ii) Smt.

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(9) M/s Paramjit Arora Govt Contractor through its Prop Sh. Paramjit Arora S/o Sh. Diwan Chand Arora (Deceased) through its Legal heirs: (i) Karuna Arora W/o Sh. Paramjit Arora (ii) Gaurav Arora S/o Sh. Paramjit Arora (iii) Rahul Arora S/o Sh. Paramjit Arora and Guarantor: (i) Sh Sunil Kumar S/o Sh Surinder Kuma (ii) Sh Rahul Arora S/o Sh. Paramjit Arora

Kumar Sharma (ii) Sh Amandeep Sharma S/o Sh. Ravinder Kumar Sharma and Guarantor Shammi S/o Sh Surinder Sing (11) M/s Radha Raman Fabrics through

one House building, total area 48.66 Sq yards bearing Khasra no. (10) Smt. Santosh Kumari W/o Ravinder 167 min, Khewat no. 276/619 as per Jamabandi 2011-12 situated

its Partners: Sh Gagan Gulati S/o Inder Mohan Gulati (ii) Smt Indu Gulati W/o Sh Inder Mohan Gulati (iii) Sh. Inder Mohan Gulati S/o Sh Ralya Ram and Guaranton Raghunath Gulati S/o Ralya Ram

SYMBOLIC POSSESSION NOTICE

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p Sh. Palwinder Singh S/o	Khata Khatoni no. 836/1080 measuring 80 Sq. yards situated in the	70.01.2021					
h (ii) Sh. Palwinder Singh	area of Sultanwind Sub Urban, Abadi New Partap Nagar, Tehsil & Distt Amritsar belonging to Sh.						
Singh and Guarantor (i) S.	Palwinder Singh S/o Dara Singh.						
S/o Sh. Palwinder Singh	(ii) One building bearing Plot no. 180, Khasra no. 2293 Min measuring 204.00 Sq. Yards situated in						
Singh S/o Sh. Dara Singh	the area of Sultanwind Sub urban, Abadi New Partap Nagar, Tehsil & Distt Amritsar belonging to Sh.  Baljinder Singh S/o Palwinder Singh.						
winder Singh S/o Sh. Dara							
. Baljinder Singh S/o Sh.		03-08-2021	22-06-2022				

**Description of the Immovable Properties** 

(i) One Plot no. 122, Extent no. 8, bearing Khasra no. 2293 Min,

(i) Property measuring 50.00 Sq. vards falling under Khasra no. 1817/1,1817/2,1817/3 min , Situated at Vakia Rakba Tungpai, Sub Urban, Abadi Dashmesh Nagar Tehsil & Distt, Amritsar belonging to

Sh. Harbir Singh S/o Manmohan Singh.

(ii) Property bearing Khasra no. 1817/1,1817/2,1817/3 min, situated at Vakia Rakba Tungpai S u b Urban, Abadi Dashmesh Nagar, Tehsil and Distt. Amritsar measuring 109.00 Sq. yards belonging to Sh. Harbir Singh S/o Sh. Manmohan Singh and Smt. Gurmeet Kaur W/o Sh. Manmohan Singh.

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Plot of Land along with construction made there upon in the shape 04-03-2022 22-06-2022 of House Building measuring 90 sq. vards bearing Khasra no. 643.

645 min Old and New Khasra no. 643 min, Khatauni no. 2248 as per Jamabandi for year 2006-2007 situated at Vakia Rakba Amritsar, Sub Urban Circle no. 110, Abadi Amarkot, Gali no. 2, Amarkot, Gurdwara Hansli Wala, Sunder Nagar, Amritsar belonging to Sh. Naresh Kumar S/o Sh. Puran Char and Smt. Madhu W/o Sh. Naresh Kumar. One House Private no. 29 (4/917) Street no. 1, Khasra no. 640 min, as per Jamabandi 2006-2007, Khasra no. 3670/640/35, 3673/640/38

min Khata Khatoni no. 1412/1751 situated at Abadi Amarkot, Rakba Amritsar Suburban, Tehsil & Distt. Amritsar measuring 111 Sq. yards belonging to Paramjit Singh S/o Tarlok Singh and Smt. Jatinder Kaur W/o Paramjit Singh.

One House old no. 207/13, New no. 2640/XIV, total area 91.00 sq. 13-04-2021 22-06-2022 Yards bearing Khasra no. 7 as per Jamabandi year 2010-11, situated at Amritsar Urban, Circle no.110, Abadi Tehsilpura, Amritsar owned and possessed by Sh. Sahil Pangasa S/o Sh. Yaspal Pangasa and Smt. Sunidhi Pangasa W/o Sh. Sahil Pangasa and Smt. Usha Pangasa W/o Sh. Yaspal Pangasa.

One House Private no. 29 (4/917) Street no. 1, Khasra no. 640 min,

as per Jamabandi for the year 2006-2007, Khasra no. 3670/640/35, 3673/640/38 min, Khata Khatoni no. 1412/1751, situated at Abadi Amarkot Rakba Amritsar Sub urban, Tehsil & Distt. Amritsar, area measuring 111 sq. yards, belonging to Sh. Paramjit Singh S/o Sh. Tarlok Singh and Smt. Jatinder Kaur W/o Sh. Paramjit Singh. House property bearing Private no. 10 min, having 59 ft length and

Rs. 2,97,964/14 as on 16 1/2 ft width area measuring 108.16 sq yards bearing Khasra no. 31-08-2021 + interest, othe 3308/790-791 min, Khata Khatoni 647/1161 as per Jamabandi for the year 2007/2008 situated in the Revene Estate of Tung Pai Sub Urban, Abadi Pawan Nagar, Batala Road Amritsar, belonging to Sh Kulbhushan Duggal S/o Sh. Panna Lal. Rs. 17,51,613/45 as on

One house bearing Plot no. 13 Min, Khasra no. 1486 min Khata 13-04-2021 22-06-2022 Khatouni no. 1190/1928 (as per Jamabandi) measuring 65 sq. yards situated at Tung Pai, Sub Urban, New Preet Nagar, Amritsar, belonging to Sh. Mahesh Kumar S/o Sh. Mahangu Chaudhary Plot of land bearing no. 124 Min, along with construction made there upon in the shape of House building measuring 120 sq. Yards

falling under Khasra no. 819 min, Khata / Khatoni no. 686/1204 as per Jamabandi year 2012-2013, situated at Vakia Rakba, Tungpai Sub Urban, Abadi New Pawan Nagar, Gali no. 18, Amritsar belongs to Sh. Paramjit Arora S/o Sh. Diwan Chand Arora (Deceased).

Place: Amritsar

at Tungbala sub urban, Abadi Prem Nagar, Tehsil & Distt Amritsar owned & possessed by Smt

Santosh Kumari W/o Sh. Ravinder Kumar Sharma

Date: 26-06-2022

House property bearing House no. 363/X-II-1 MCA Khasra no. 55

Khewat Khatoni no. 120/139 as per Jamabandi measuring 80 Sq.

Yards situated in the area Rakba Amritsar outside Hathi Gate, Opp

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Corrigendum-1

NIT No. 720/22/TS Name of Office: The Executive Engineer, BC & Township Division Nangal, Distt. Ropar. Name of Work: Construction of Community centre in place of janj gh

near Kangra welfare centre at Nangal Township. Document download start date & time 21.05.2022 at 09.00 hrs. Document download end date & time 07.07.2022 at 17.00 hrs. Date & time of online bid opening 08.07.2022 at 15.00 hrs. onwards The detailed NIT/terms & conditions etc. please visit/downloaded from BBMB Website www.eproc.punjab.gov.in, www.bbmb.gov.in

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Panjab & Sind Bank, Zonal Office, Amritsar celebrated 115th foundation day of Bank on 24.06.2022



Hampta Pass Trekking Campaign by Indian Army in Himachal Pradesh.

Hampta Pass Trek Campaign was started by Indain Army in Himachal Pradesh on 01 June 2022 by showing the flag to Major General Vivek Tyagi ,General Office Command,29 pedal sections in Pathankot and seventeen member pulses of six Dogra Regiment. On 24 June 2022, Campaign's Trekking Team mountaineers were given best wishes for completing campaign skilfully.

### Kerley, Jefferson win at the US outdoor championships

alympic silver medalist Fred Kerley flashed a peace sign at track and field championships Friday night.

Kerley crossed the line in 9.77 seconds, followed by Marvin Bracy-Williams and Trayvon Bromell. All three earned spots on the U.S. Team for the world outdoor championships in Eugene

ing, and doing what I've got to do," Kerley said after taking selfies with fans. Melissa Jefferson of Coastal Carolina, who finished eighth in the 100 at this

year's NCAA outdoor

"It's all about

patience and train-

championships, edged Aleia Hobbs for the national title in the women's event. Ryan Crouser, the world-record holder and two-time Olympic gold medalist, won the shot put at 75 feet, 10 1/4 inches (23.12 meters). Joe Kovaks, already guaranteed a spot at

second. Allyson Felix, the most decorated woman in track history, surged the final 40 meters of her semifinal in the 400,

worlds as the defend-

ing champion, was

but did not finish among the top three and had to wait to see how her time held up. In the end, she made it to the final Sunday. "I just appreciate all the support and all the love," she said.

Athletes were greeted by temperatures in the low 80s and breezy conditions at Hayward Field on the University of Oregón campus. The top three finishers in each event will be part of the U.S.

Team at worlds, track and field's most prestigious international event outside of the Olympics. Earlier in the evening, Kerley ran the 100 semifinals in a

world-leading and personal-best 9.76 seconds. It also was a meet record. Bromell had the second-best time in the semis, at 9.81. Bromell won the 100 at the U.S. Olympic trials at Hayward last summer. He was widely expected to do well in Tokyo but failed to advance to the Olympic final.

Christian Coleman was a late scratch in the race but he already has a spot at worlds as the defending champion at Doha in 2019. Hobbs, who won the 2018 NCAA outdoor 100 title as well as that year's national championship, had the fastest time in the semifinals earlier in the day with a personal-best 10.81.

But Jefferson, who just wrapped up her junior year at Coastal Carolina, pushed at the finish to win the final in 10.69 (2.9 wind), in front of Hobbs in 10.72. Twanisha Terry finished third to round out the world team.

Chandigarh, June 26, 2022

## A SEARCH FOR SELF-FULBILLMENT

*Review by* NAVIN UPADHYAY

ashmir has been a favourite destination for moviemakers, writers, and poets. Before the militancy set in and Kashmir became a graveyard of artistic aspirations and dreams, the pristine valley with its sentinels of age-old chinars and fragrant saffron-inspired celluloid fantasy and small screens blockbusters. Its landscaped charms also wooed poets and writers from far and wide.

After the place turned into a theatre of prey and predators, where guns and grenades. death and decay, grief and torture dominated every aspect of living, the valley provided different types of ingredients to fuel artistic aspirations. The stories that came out of Kashmir were now laced with grief, sadness, nostalgia, and longings. Tarannum Riyaz's BIRDS OF THE SNOW

Originally published in Urdu as Barf Aashna Parindey, the book explores the transformative aspect of Kashmir, the rapid urbanization of the valley, and its impact on the people who have grown up hearing: ar Firdaus bar-rue zamin ast, hami asto, hamin asto, hamin astnot (If there is a heaven on earth, it's here, it's here.)

The book deals with the struggle of a sensitive college student Sheba to strike a compromise between her inner yearnings for freedom and the values and norms her family and society expected her to embrace. It's the story of a girl's poignant struggle to overcome the burden of conditioning and traditionality. The story explores our deepest emotions--love, fear, insecurity, and longing in a way that is both evocative and original.

Sheba wishes to be free, just like the birds that she likes observing, but understands the need to live within social conventions and accept life's responsibilities.

When Sheba returns to the valley after years spent studying outside, she is struck by a pang of sadness. Tarannum has captured Sheba's feeling in a poignant passage:

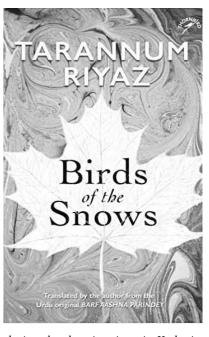


The journey to the village has been her favourite journey but today, waves of sadness washed over her mind time and again. She occasionally looked at the reflection of Amki, Baaji, and Farkhanda in the rearview mirror. Baaji's husband was driving and no one to talk to anyone?

Passages like this dominate the book, in which the author makes a genuine effort Kashmir valley in her own inimitable style. After reading the book, it'll be easy to understand that Tarannum wrote this story not just to fulfill some personal dreams,

Shebas who are struggling to discover the meaning of their lives in a fast-changing

In the word of the publisher the Niyogi Books, This deftly translated novel



depicts the changing times in Kashmir, from a rural to more urban life, the impact of modern thinking, and through its portraval of female characters explore their compassion and resolves, as well as their search for self-fulfillment."

The editing part of the book is fine as far as grammar is concerned. But errors on the craft side disrupt the smooth flow of the story. The writing is full of unwanted adverbs, ( She walked quickly.... Abbu smiled pleasantly), avoidable exclamations marks, and stilted dialogues. Paragraphs after paragraphs are littered with "hads" and "ing", the two nemeses of literary writ-

ings.

These flaws apart, which are the bane of most English books published in India, BIRDS OF THE SNOW is a poignant story that delves into the human relationship and social and moral values of a strife-torn

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## The Trail of Buddha is like a fascinating train journey

*Review by* RAJ KANWAR

senior officer in the Indian Revenue Service, Deepankar Aron was posted in Hong Kong as a Consul way back in 2012. It was just a happenstance that he Buddha statue standing right next to the Hong Kong Airport that put him "On the Trail of Buddha: A Journey to the East". However, his initial inspiration had come three years before when he was on a Kailash Mansarovar Yatra in Tibet in 2009.

Deepankar writes about two octogenarian Japanese pilgrims who had stood with folded hands before an old and dilapidated structure that seemed to be 'sanctum sanctorum of a temple'. It was somewhat surprising that they should have travelled thousands of miles as pilgrims to a non-descript corner of China called Karakhoja. Even more surprising was the fact that one was a Buddhist priest and the other a worshipper of Lord Krishna - the Hindu Lord whose sacred message forms the essence of Bhagavad Gita.

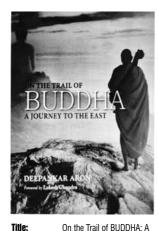
"It is the story of these two unlikely Japanese pilgrims that epitomizes the theme of this Book exploring the richness, depth and breadth of the spiritual, philosophical and cultural linkages that bind India to the East Asian civilizations of China, Japan, Korea and Mongolia," writes Deepankar.

The Book straddles between the various regions of East Asia, from Kashgar in Xinjiang in the West to Koyasan in Japan in the East; from Ulaanbaatar in Mongolia in the North and to Kaohsiung in Taiwan in the South. It is as much about the discovery of a tremendous unity in diversity, as it is about hopping between different time zones separated by 2000 years of history.

SIX CHAPTERS IN THE BOOK THE BOOK is divided into six

chapters for ease of navigation, The first covers the ancient cities along the Silk Road in China that were significantly responsible for the spread of Buddhism from India not only into China but also in much of the East Asia. The second covers the North-South trade axis that connects China with Mongolia. The third one moves from Sichuan in South-Western China to the primordial Kailash Parvat or Kang Rinpoche and the lake, Mansarovar or Mapham *Yumtso* in Tibet. The fourth moves to the South-Eastern coastal China and Taiwan from Hong Kong to





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Shanghai touching Hangzhou, Suzhou and Nanjing. It then moves from Taipei to Kaohsiung passing through the city of Tainan, dotted with temples. It is possibly one of the most prosperous regions of China with many modern cities. It is thus not a surprise that most of the grandest and tallest statues of Buddha have come up there in the recent past. The fifth one meanders inside the calmness of Korea, and

last but not the least comes the land

of the Rising Sun - a place where history, tradition, religion and culture are seen most beautifully preserved. The author also highlights five to 10 representative cities in each of these regions.

Writing a book of such magnitude was not an easy task. Initially the author did not undertake all those journeys with the object of writing a book. However, "a propitious chain of circumstances, made the way from one place to another starting with the longest pilgrimage in the world - KAILASH." He faced numerous challenges such as language, distances, permissions, paucity of time, and resources of course, but luckily all those were sorted out. Interestingly, these journeys were undertaken in all modes of transportation - both animal and mechanized - riding camels, mules and horses; walking and trekking, especially in Tibet. The most exciting of the travelling modes for Deepankar was the high speed trains in Japan, China and Taiwan.

JOURNEY ON SLOW MOVING TRAIN RATHER A BULLET

EMINENT Indian Vedic scholar Prof. Lokesh Chandra is all ecstatic about Deepankar Aron's book 'On the Trail of BUDDHA: A Journey to the East". "The Book is fascinating in its flowing diction and minimum of technical details. It celebrates the last two millennia when

the Asian Nations together made the journey of the Mind, serene depths of thought, art, piety confluence in the rapture of the roots," Chandra writes in his Foreword. "The living monasteries in East Asia and the desolation of the ruins in Central Asia due to theistic violence become the fascination of eyes in the evocative narrative of Deepankar. He opens up the immensity of our lost heritage, like the grandeur of Colossi in the Yun-Kang caves that are visive symbols of the majesty of the Avatamsaka tradition, reminiscent of the Bamiyan Buddhas," Prof. Chandra adds.

On the Trail of BUDDHA: A Journey to the East takes the reader on a slow-moving train journey rather a Bullet train. The author has chronicled the spread of Buddhism, as preserved in the traditions of these countries, binding them with India. Though somewhat smaller in size than the standard Coffee Table Book, On the Trail of BUDDHA with its 308 pages illustrated with bountiful photographs indicative of Deepankar's expertise with camera and printed on art paper provides an easy read.

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## The art of job-hunting

"JOB SEARCH SECRETS – Master the art of getting the job" co-authored by SUBIR VERMA and SAGARIKA SAHU VERMA has come at the right time as the issue of unemployment has begun to make headlines in the country. Subir works as Chief Human Resource at Tata Power DDL, and Sagarika Sahu Verma is a CEO of an edutech company.

Review by DEEPAK KUMAR JHA

This book is an effort to bring all aspects of job search to one place with various supporting tools to provide complete theory and practice to master the art of searching for a job. Free tools shared in the book can give results in the shortest possible time.

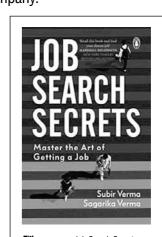
Starting from how to choose the right career, the book covers how to find a hidden job, how to find people who can help in finding job and build long-time relationships with them, what to do to crack campus, virtual and other interviews, salary negotiation, and using social media for the job

Each chapter has practical tips with examples of real students and job aspirants for each one to relate to and use. For each of the areas, free tools exercise has been recommended which anyone can use without any cost seating at home. There is a general perception that you need to relocate to bigger cities to get a job. What about those who cannot relocate themselves? The book has the answer to many such issues faced by candidates and offers solutions. Use of social media and job

portal to find a job and also use them in such way that one can eas-

ily get a job of his/her choice has been lucidly explained in the book," says Dr Sagarika. "Not only what one needs to do, but how to do it, sample script,

how to practice and implement are



Master the art of getting the job Subir Verma and Sagarika Sahu Verma PENGUIN INDIA

what has been shared in details in very simple and easy to understand language", adds Dr Sagarika.

Job seekers have qualifications, skill but they are not to effectively use them during their job search and interview, she

The book talks about the problem of largescale unemployment. India has over five crores of educated unemployed youth. Every year more than 50 lacs of educated youth gets added into the list. Educated youth is frustrated, dejected, and is losing hope. Even professionally qualified youth who have engineering, management, and graduate

degrees are not getting job. The situation is so grim that highly educated people are taking up odd

On the other hand, companies always complain that they are not getting the "right talent". They have vacancies but are not able to hire. When there are crores of educated youth are available, why companies are not able to hire them? Where is the gap? Companies have the resources to hire talent. But crores of youth need help to find employment. The biggest gap is that job seekers search jobs based on what they need rather than

what companies want. "I feel sad when I read in the newspaper that for one vacancy for the post of peon, thousands of people, including highly educated with MBA and Ph.D. degrees as well as engineers, apply. We thought to find a way to help such youth to make them know how they can find a job. This book is an effort to help these educated unemployed youth", Subir told the

Pioneer.. Not all jobs are advertised. In fact, more than 50% of jobs are not advertised by companies and they recruit through other channels. Now, students or job seekers are missing half of the available job if they do not know how to reach them.

The book has received excellent responses from not only students, job seekers, and working professionals but also industry senior professionals.

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Failure is a great teacher and, if you are open to it, every mistake has a lesson to offer





Thousand Pillar Temple, Warangal

# RELIGIOUS INTERACTIONS — A REAPPRAISAL

As Indians, we must take pride in being a Secular nation and as citizens promote an environment devoid of religious antagonism for the greater good of humanity, writes SUSAN MISHRA

s we stand in the 21st century and witness bitter inter-religion intolerance, a peed into the past is imperative to understand the present. There are numerous instances from the medieval to the modern era in the south, north, and eastern India where Hindu and Muslim communities lived side by side without a feeling of animosity and antagonism.

In Malabar, Islam probably arrived in the 7th century CE along with the Arab traders, and by the 12th century CE, a strong Muslim community existed here. The Zamorins were Hindu rulers of the Kingdom of Calicut (now Kozhikode). They maintained elaborate trade relations with the Muslim Middle-Eastern sailors in the Indian Ocean as Calicut was then an important trading entrepôt on the western seaboard of India. Under the Zamorins, the Muslims enjoyed many commercial, political and religious privileges. The very fact that Zamorin rejected Vasco da Gama's request to banish all Muslims from his kingdom clearly speaks of the significance accorded to Muslims in a Hindu kingdom.

In fact, it is the Portuguese who became the common enemy of the Muslims and the Zamorin. The latter received full support from their Muslim populace in terms of mobilization of manpower, resources, and funding of wars against the Portuguese. The Muchundi and Mishkal mosques in Kozhikode are living examples of assistance provided by the Hindu Zamorin rulers to their Muslim community. The 13th century CE inscription in Muchundi mosque in Kuttichira, Kozhikode records the establishment of the mosque by certain Shahab al-din Raihan, and the Zamorin ruler granted some land to it for certain daily expenses incurred at the mosque. The Mishkal mosque is also located in Kuttichira, Kozhikode, and was built by a merchant ship owner in the 14th century CE. This mosque was attacked, destroyed and burnt in 1510 by the Portuguese.

The Zamorin was furious at seeing the devastation of the city and the destruction of the mosque. The combined efforts and firm determination by the Nairs and Muslims shattered the dreams of the early colonizers in Malabar. Post the victory of the Zamorin in the battle of Chaliyam, the ruler supported the restoration and reconstruction of the Mishkal mosque. It is believed that the stones and the wood from the Chaliyam fort were carried and placed in the yard at Mishkal to be used in the reconstruction of the mosque. The Khasi Foundation of Kuttichira commemorated 500 years of the grand gesture of the religious harmony of the times by honoring the Zamorin. In remembrance of the great harmony between the two communities and for thanking the 'Zamorin King' for his solidarity with the Muslims, the representatives of the Khasi Foundation visited the residence of the current descendants of the erstwhile Zamorin kings and presented him a painting of the Mishkal Mosque.

Turning the focus on 21st century Kerala, at Ponnani a 16th century CE mosque, known as

Misri Palli preserves its original structure due to the efforts of a non-Muslim speaker and legislator. When the work of its demolition began for the purposes of constructing a new mosque, some people contacted P. Sreeramakrishnan, who rushed to the site and stopped the work. He called a meeting of the mosque committee and convinced its members not to dismantle it so that it is preserved under the Muziris- Ponnani heritage conservation project.

Erumely/ Erumeli in the Kottayam district of Kerala is a living example of how myths and legends can bind two religious communities and assimilate a mosque within an important Hindu religious pilgrimage. The Mosque here is dedicated to Vavar who is considered a companion of Lord Ayyappa. Every year multitudes of Hindu pilgrims worship at this mosque before they embark on the arduous trek to the holy shrine of Sabarimala Ayappa Swami. There are many legends about Vavar and according to one, Vavar was an Arab commander who was defeated by Lord Ayyappa. Impressed by Vavar's valor, he became Ayappa's close associate and aided him in the wars in the mountainous region. According to belief, Vavar protects devotees who make the difficult trek through the forests to the main temple at the top of the hill that houses the

Sabarimala Temple. The Hindu Vijayanagara Empire's 14th century CE capital of Hampi and its monuments is a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Legends and inscriptions speak of Hindu support to the Muslim populace of the kingdom. At Sindhaghatta in Mandya district of Karnataka, the Muslim community did not have a mosque and Babu setti, a local merchant, built a mosque to which the local officer Rangayya Nayaka gifted a village. What is of interest is that the mosque was not built at a site away from a Hindu settlement, but was located amidst villages granted as gifts to learned Brahmins.

Legend has it that Babbaya, a Muslim Fakir, established himself at Penukonda and had a strong following. After the death of the fakir, a dargah was erected, and the grant of Venkata II records the restoration of certain villages originally granted by Vira Narasingha Raya, Sadashiva, and Venkata I, to the dargah of Babayya in Penukonda. Mangammal, a Hindu Nayaka queen made a gift of some villages in 1701-02 CE in Tiruchirapalli to the dargah of Babanatta

The other contemporaneous dynasty ruling at Deccan was the Muslim Adil Shahis of Bijapur (1489 to 1686). A Farman of Muhammad Adil Shah dated to 1653 CE records a grant made by the ruler to Namdev Vithal, a Brahmin from Mubarakabad. Namdev was the head of Joshis and had approached the ruler for royal favours and the Sultan obliged by granting land at various localities. He also received a tanka (gold coin) from highway and food grains and was also exempt from payment of taxes.

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Hanumangarhi Temple, Ayodhya

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In the modern epoch of South India, the seventh Nizam of Hyderabad- Mir Osman Ali Khan (ruled from 1911-1948) deserves special mention. He had a liberal outlook toward religion and provided financial assistance and donations to temples and Brahmins in his kingdom. Mir Osman Ali Khan tended to the repair, and maintenance of the conservation of the Thousand Pillar Temple at Warangal. The Nizam also donated liberally donated to various temples

in his dominions. Turning towards the region of eastern India, in Orissa Salabega occupies a permanent position among the devotional poets of Odisha. He lived in the first half of the 17th century and was the son of the Mughal Subedar. According to folklore, he was held up on his way while returning from Vrindavan to Jagannatha and he prayed earnestly to the Lord to wait for him on the Nandighosha chariot so that he could see his Lord. The Lord waited there and gave darshan to Salabega, his dear devotee on the Bada Danda, near Balagandi. An ardent devotee of Shri Krishna and Jagannath, Salabega devoted his life to composing bhajans, hymns, and devotional songs in praise of the Shri Jagannath and Radha

In Ahom kingdom, the Muslim populace was well assimilated into the Assamese society and the army included many Muslim soldiers and officers who fought against the Mughals. Ismail Siddique, popularly known as Bagh

Hazarika played a significant role in the Battle of Saraighat in 1671. An inscription of Ahom king Lakshmi Singha issued around 1780 CE records a grant in favour of Hazi Anwar Fakir. Ahom king Kamaleswar Singha reconfirmed all earlier grants made by the Mughal and Ahom rulers in favour of Khadim of Hajo Dargah,

In the context of north India, in the erstwhile region of Awadh, in 1855 at the Hanumangarhi temple at Ayodhya conflict arose between the Hindus and the Muslims. Wajid Ali Shah is said to have appointed a Committee to investigate the matter, and the decision went in favour of the Hindus. On learning about an imminent attack on the temple, Wajid Ali Shah ordered a regiment to guard the temple. Other instances include the 250-year-old Hanuman temple of Lucknow which is believed to have been constructed by Nawab Asaf-ud-Daula's mother Alia Begum. The mosque, popularly called as Padain Masjid in Aminabad was built by Rani Jai Kunwar Pandey, a Brahmin as a gift to her close friend - the Begum of Nawab Saadat Ali Khan.

When we try to look at the past from a 21stcentury lens, we will inevitably see Hindus and Muslims as polar opposites. While there are challenges in Hindu-Muslim relations, it would be naive to dismiss the relative social harmony in which the two communities have coexisted in India. As Indians, we must take pride in being a Secular nation and as citizens promote an environment devoid of religious antagonism for the greater good of humanity.

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## **Indo-Pacific Eco Framework: Concept to strategy**

The genesis of the Indo-Pacific Economic Economic Framework can be traced to October 2021, during the East Asia Summit held virtually. At the East Asia Summit, the US President enunciated his plans to unveil a US-led Indo-Pacific Economic Framework (IPEF).

Following the initial announcement, the Biden administration released an Indo-Pacific Strategy in February 2022, which saw a formal iteration of the IPEF. As such, it bears no surprise to see US President Joe Biden officially launched the IPEF on May 23, 2022, in Tokyo before the QUAD leaders' Summit.

In addition to the four Quad members, leaders from 9 other nations namely Brunei, Indonesia, South Korea, Malaysia, New Zealand, the Philippines, Singapore, Thailand, and Vietnam participated virtually. These countries became the founding members of the IPEF initiative making a "baker's dozen". Out of the thirteen participating countries in the IPEF, seven are also part of the Association of South-East Asian Nations (ASEAN). However, three countries ASEAN Cambodia, Laos, and Myanmar — have refrained from participating in the IPEF.

The partial overlap of the IPEF with ASEAN reflects that the economic strategy has factored in China. The seven countries in IPEF which have overlapping membership with the ASEAN will help the US and its Quad partners to further consolidate the "ASEAN centrality" principle of the Indo-Pacific strategy.

Both Laos and Cambodia have perhaps been left out due to their proximity to Beijing, while Myanmar has paid the price for a non-democratic political functioning that continues in the country since the military junta grabbed power. That creating competitive structures against China lies at the heart of the IPEF has become clearer with the engagement of Taiwan in a similar bilateral engagement, albeit outside the IPEF.

In many ways, the IPEF is an offshoot of the re-invigorated America's "Pivot to Asia"

**ASIF RAMEEZ DAUDI** 



strategy launched in 2011 during the Obama administration. The strategy aimed to relocate the strategic focus of the US from West Asia to the Pacific theatre, primarily because of the competition and threats it faces from China. Besides, it also sought to advance the US' economic and geopolitical interests through wider engagements with the

Asia-Pacific region. The two important constituents of this strategy were the Trans-Pacific Partnership (TPP) and the Indo-Pacific Economic Corridor, However, TPP during the presidency of Donald Trump in 2017 deteriorated the progress made in terms of coalition-building and intensification of geopolitical and geo-economic ties with allies in the Indo-Pacific region.

The "Free and Open Indo-Pacific" strategy released in 2019 during the Trump administration gathered inimical reactions from the allies and partners in the region. It was perceived as a confrontational narrative rather than a regional strategy.

Therefore, the return of a new collective strategy by the the US' withdrawal from the US to collectively compete

with China, at a time when the US dominance on the trade and investment is facing intense competition from Beijing in the region, may be a timely and well-calibrated step to instil fair and principled regional competition which is consistent with climate goals and predictable supply chains. China is the leading trade partner of almost all the IPEF member countries. As such, the IPEF initiative outlines the underlying thrust in building partner coalitions, developing a collective response and preventing the growing Chinese influence in the region.

Broadly, the evolving predicament within the IPEF countries is China using its economic heavyweight for achieving its security and diplomatic goals. The IPEF could present an opportunity for like-minded countries of the Quad to find new and reliable alternatives to their current dependencies on China, especially in trade related infrastructure and supply chains. In particular, for India, which is not part of the China-led Regional Comprehensive Partnership (RČEP) trade agreement, the IPEF might

credible alternative in creating new mechanisms in the Indo-Pacific. India's own FTA being negotiated with ASEAN could be consistent with some of the objectives of the IPEF.

Much of how the IPEF will unravel remains to be seen. The IPEF countries that are already part of some sort of Free Trade Agreements such as CPTPP and RCEP would require "substantial incentives" from the US to diversify their ties from any such already existing arrangements in the region.

Also, the four focus areas of the IPEF: trade, supply emerge as a more reliable and chains, clean energy, decar-

bonisation and infrastructure; tax and anti-corruption need to be implemented and assessed. While executing these focus areas, climate, labour and data localisation standards in the IPEF countries (which are not as per the US standards) might turn out to be prominent

(Vivek Mishra is fellow, Strategic Studies Program, ORF, New Delhi. Mrityunjaya Dubey is a researcher and Senior Assistant member with The Consortium of Indo-Pacific Researchers affiliated with the Journal of Indo-Pacific Affairs) For India, which is not part of the China-led Regional Comprehensive **Partnership** (RCEP) trade agreement, the **IPEF** might emerge as a more reliable and credible alternative in creating new mechanisms in the Indo-Pacific



**VIVEK MISHRA** 



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### **PERSPECTIVE** -

## Hate speeches malign the idea of India

#### It is high time the Government cracked down on all fringe elements and renewed its focus on 'Sabka Saath, Sabka Vikas, Sabka Vishwas'

The contemptuous and abom-**⊥** inable remarks of the BJP leaders on Prophet Muhammad unleashed strong reactions not only in India but also in the Islamic countries, including Saudi Arabia, Qatar, Kuwait and Iran, etc, resulting in calls to ban Indian products.

Though the BJP has strongly denounced the remarks and said that insult to any religious personalities is not permissible, and immediately suspended its leaders from the party's membership for not toeing the official line on sensitive matters, it has become an international issue in no time. However, for consolation, the action taken by the BJP has been welcomed by many Muslim

Provocative speeches are not a new phenomenon in India, irrespective of whether it is Congress regimes or the BJP's. However, the intensity of such communal sledging from both sides has increased during the BJP's regime.

#### Why did it happen?

The role of the mainstream and social media has been questionable over the last few years as they have often been found adding fuel to the fire. India's splendid past is full of glory and wonders. History develops the ability to avoid mistakes and create better paths for societies. Nevertheless, some of the media houses delve into the history and spoil all its might to prove that rottenness is actually producing high quality of fragrance. The uproar on TV channels on religious lines has mostly been provocative and derogatory. Allowing fringe elements to dis-

versial statements on TV shows with impunity put the anchor's role in question.

The 200 million Indian Muslims who have been living here have opted to live in India in the hope that this country will give them more respect and freedom than the neighbouring Muslim countries. Then the moot point is what purpose the provocative speeches serve.

Although there are some differences between the Muslim aspira-

respect religions and make contro- tions and the BJP's ideology, but these are ideological which is permissible in a healthy democracy. The nation is already facing numerous problems, people themselves are fighting against poverty, environmental degradation, joblessness and various health problems, but some media houses for their vested interest, instead of raising the genuine issues, have deliberately been dividing and creating gulf in society in the name of religion, and this is the greatest obstacle in the way of development.

Possible trade threats

India's overall economy during Mughals was several times more than many European countries which attracted many Europeans to India. It is believed that the only reason of this richness and prosperity was peace and tranquility. However, economic destruction began during the British rule. They divided people along religious lines in order to loot India's resources. People were dying in starvation but the British were busy draining the wealth of India.

The recent reactions from Muslim countries will further damage the Indian economy if no quick remedial action is taken. As per media reports, the Gulf countries account for almost one fifth of India's total trade. For instance, in the year 2020-21 the total value of the goods imported from the GCC

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countries was worth \$110.73 billion. India imports 40 per cent of crude oil, 18 per cent of petroleum gas and 8 per cent of diamond from the Gulf countries, while it exports 14 per cent of refined petroleum, 8 per cent of jewellery and 7 per cent of rice. In other words, India imports 72 per cent worth \$111 billion and exports 28 per cent worth \$44 billion. It is noteworthy that the UAE and Saudi Arabia are the third and fourth biggest trade partners of India. The UAE alone is accounted

for 6.6 per cent of India's total export, and 7.3 per cent of imports last year touched about \$73 billion. Saudi Arabia on the other hand is accounted for almost 80 per cent of import worth \$34.1 billion and 20 per cent of export worth \$8.75 billion. Other GCC countries trade volumes are: Iraq 34.3 per cent, Qatar 15 per cent, Kuwait 12.2 per cent, Oman 10 per cent and Bahrain 1.7 Gulf countries are well known to

History is evident that peace, broth- be the second home of almost 10 million Indians making it the largest Indian diaspora across the globe and contributing immensely in the foreign reserves of India.

As a matter of fact, India is the largest recipient of the foreign remittances. As per last year's World Bank report, India received \$87 billion foreign remittances in 2021, half of these foreign remittances was sent from just five Gulf countries i.e., UAE 26.9 per cent, Saudi 11.6 per cent, Qatar 6.5 per cent, Kuwait 5.5 per cent and Oman 3 per cent. In view of the emerging trade and cultural ties between India and the Arab world, it shall be disastrous if the differences aggravate further and no remedial and timely actions taken.

It's a well-known fact that India and Arab world have very strong trade and cultural relations for centuries. They believe in coexistence and mutual cooperation. It is the responsibility of the Government of the day to be accountable for both the successes and failures. Hence it is high time for India to work on the immediate corrective measures both internally and externally to fight the true evil of the society i.e hatred, poverty, unemployment, etc, and have proper control on the fringe elements and the media houses that are trying to divide and damage the true spirit of India.

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An artisan prepares eco-friendly idols of god Ganesha for Ganesh Chaturthi festival in Hyderabad on Saturday

























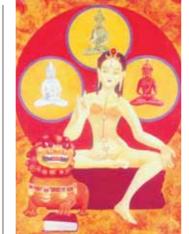




#### ARIES March 21-April 19

Health-wise, this week will be fabulous. If you are waiting on test results of some kind they are likely to be good results. You'll be calm. relieved and inspired. You are in touch with your spirituality now that this is a great time for you to reach out to others, and to share your wisdom and your joy. Something may be troubling you concerning your professional life. Worrying about your job is not going to help matters. Focus on what you can control, and try to leave your anxiety behind. Be open and straightforward in your approach to work. There are many hassles on personal fronts. Your spouse may have some other priorities in life than your love. This is not a time to act out in rage, instead, look at the situation from a place of love and compassion.

Lucky number 22 Lucky colour Red Lucky day Wednesday



#### **LEO** July 23-Aug 22

Health needs your attention. If there is stress or anxiety and you feel over-burdened due to work, find means to relax. Work with humour, laughter is the best remedy. The stress of work could be neutralized by enjoying yourself and creating a lighter environment. Bring balance in everything that is associated with exercise, way of living, relaxation and your emotional and mental wellbeing. On the career front, you are more successful in performing tasks that involve cooperation and team harmony. You are going to get a great deal accomplished with high spirit in a short period. If you are committed your relations will be more mature and have understanding. Good time to take important decisions related to the relationship. This is the time when you can fuse life in dead relations to make them alive.

Lucky number 13 Lucky colour Blue Lucky day Thursday



#### **SAGITTARIUS** Nov 22-Dec 21

Health-wise, you find things are going alright up to the satisfaction level. Prosperity, progress and happiness could be enjoyed this week. You are likely to have several clear flashes of important spiritual insights during this time. Share and discuss them with others, you are all on a spiritual journey, and your insights are likely to be valuable to others. Some doubts on the career front become clearer but all is not yet revealed at this point. This week you are focused on your approach. A pleasant surprise may be coming your way soon concerning work. You may come up with some new processes that make your work-life simpler and less stressful. This is the time to stay away from building new relationships. The time is not right for deep bonding and

Lucky number 19 Lucky colour Sky Blue Lucky day Friday



#### **TAURUS** April 20-May 20

This week you will not compromise on health issues. This is a good thing. You can create order out of chaos by carefully categorizing your thoughts and mapping out what needs to be done to solve the problem. Try to be a little flexible, sensitive and soft in your approach. Career-wise, you have a sharp mind and are ready to take risks. Your professional approach at this time will benefit you. Avoid silly debates otherwise, you will put yourself in a heated argument. You'll find a solution to a recent quarrel but don't let your pride stop you from getting immediate clarification. This is an excellent time for a new relationship. If you're already committed, your relationship may move to new, higher, more fulfilling levels. Your confidence level will

Lucky number 19 Lucky colour Green Lucky day Friday



#### VIRGO Aug 23-Sep 22

This week you need attention and care of your loved ones Any health problems manifesting now may be a result of neglected emotional issues. Create your energy and enthusiasm. Find the most upbeat and spiritually aware person that you know, and talk to him/her about what makes them tick. You will learn helpful things. You may have recently come through a very difficult time on the career front. Just be sure that you don't make the same mistakes which will contribute to the problem. Worrying about your job is not going to help matters. You are not in a mood to tolerate boss order or a higher tone. Patience is the key. You are fully charged with emotions and sentiments. You try to fulfil the demands of loved ones. This is a good time to express feelings if you love someone.

Lucky number 6 Lucky colour Pink Lucky day Friday



#### CAPRICORN Dec 22-Jan 19

This week your medical issues need immediate attention. Remember prevention is better than cure. You may need to change in routine, environment or experiment with different spiritual traditions. Listen to the voice of your body. A grooming personality, smart looks, and good communication skills work wonders for a good career path. To gain confidence, you need to focus on your working style, attitude and your dealings with the people around you. Bring desirable changes if you want that things are not moving as per your requirements. Be a good listener. Co-operation and harmony at the workplace will get you the best results. This week does not predict a sound relationship. You may feel emotionally hurt and broken. Love relationships could be disheartening. Try to sort out the differences and find a solution

Lucky number 21 Lucky colour Magenta Lucky day Wednesday



#### **GEMINI** May 21-June 20

Working on keeping a balanced perspective about life will help you to stay healthy this week. Moderation is an important part of living a sensible and healthy life. Conservatism and following strict superstitions would not be good. If you suffering from any health issues, consulting a doctor and examining yourself is a must. On the professional front, you are the leader and people will look for your guidance. Focus your attention completely on your goal and be very careful not to reveal any weaknesses or personal doubts. Through willpower and self-control, you will come out with the solutions for tough times. You enjoy the company of friends and relatives. Things should be going well, especially on the love front. You can look forward to at least one pleasant reunion with someone that you have been apart from for some time.

Lucky number 12 Lucky colour Golden Lucky day Sunday



#### LIBRA Sep 23-Oct 22

This week you are very conscious on the health front and devote time to looking after your well-being. From starting good nutrition to exercise, and relaxing to keep yourself away from tension and worries, you know how to restore your health. Every action makes a difference. Think positive, remember healthy mind stays in a healthy body and success is guaranteed. On the career front, you need to be alert, agile and patient as you attempt to juggle your family, your friends, work, finances, health and new challenges this week. Priorities your needs and activities and carefully manage your time. Financial constraints may be felt and you find it difficult to start a new venture due to a lack of funds. You feel lucky in matters of the heart. Things are smooth and you enjoy the company of your loved ones.

Lucky number 11 Lucky colour White Lucky day Monday



#### **AQUARIUS** Jan 20-Feb 18

This week brings balance between work & family, body & mind. You are very imaginative and spend a lot of time thinking, dreaming and weaving stories. The desires and passions could increase this week, making you a weak person. Your efficiency may go down. Physical exercise will help you stay grounded. On the career front, things will keep on moving as per your desires giving you much scope and hopes for the future. Be prepared for a surprise. An important project may be assigned to you. You may work for the cause and attain immense satisfaction. You are caring and generous to the needs of your loved ones and devote quite a good time to looking after them. You may feel alone in the later part of the week and may plan something exciting with your loved ones.

Lucky number 10 Lucky colour Brown **Lucky day** Tuesday



#### **CANCER** June 21-July 22

This week some external forces are likely to make you tensed in all aspects. You remain mentally upset. You might get worried about health issues too. Trust your instincts and don't fill yourself with negative feelings, don't get upset and restless. Meditation, yoga and Pranayam activities would be good for you at this time. Gather your strength and selfconfidence. Professionally, your work will pick up momentum, though, in the beginning, you would be slightly apprehensive and negative. In the later part, you may be all fired up about the issues that you are particularly passionate about. This week if you have set your mind to accomplish your goals you can achieve anything you desire. You will fall short of words to express yourself when it comes to love. True love allows for space between the lovers.

Lucky number 9 Lucky colour Orange Lucky day Saturday



#### SCORPIO Oct 23-Nov 21

Some negative forces are at play against you this week. Be cautious of your health. This is a time that you need to watch out for being overworked, overtired, and overstressed Addictions and obsessions could be dominant upon you. Pay attention to diet, exercise, and making time to rest and eat healthy food. Career-wise, a new job opportunity is on the card. If you are trying to switch over or looking for your career to start, this is the time when you are called for. The business person will earn good money this week. This is still a time that calls for financial restraint. Save for the hard days. Be open to new possibilities and stimulate your imagination to allow your talent to unfold. You may end or close up a stale relationship with the one you loved.

Lucky number 20 Lucky colour Indigo Lucky day Friday



#### PISCES Feb 19-March 20

This week is a good time in terms of your health, charm and personality. You are in an entertaining mood and spend time socializing. This will prove to be refreshing, rejuvenating and gives you hopes and dreams. Joy and celebrations are on negative energies. You have both mental and physical agility. Anticipation makes you an avid learner and an excellent student. Your sharpened skills would motivate you to perform exceptionally well. You will experience sudden personal growth if you use your energies for something meaningful. This is a good time for you in terms of a relationship. If you're already committed, be sure that your communication is as clear as it can be. Ensure to take some

Lucky number 3 Lucky colour Peach Lucky day Wednesday

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strology, like any other discipline has general rules for analysing a horoscope. The paradox, however, is that every individual is born unique, each carrying varying desire and mind trends as well as future potentialities. Even twins born within few minutes are found exhibiting diametrically opposite characters. That makes it difficult to blindly apply the law of average while reading a chart. So, more often than not reading an astrological chart becomes a puzzle.

Late Shri K S Krishnamurti, following a detailed research during mid twentieth century, came out with startling revelation, which made things easy for the astrologers. He found that instead of looking at the sign placement of planets as applied by the traditional astrology, its three coordinates when seen in togetherness - the sign, nakshatra and its further subdivisions into 9 unequal segments, as applied in working out dasha system - will offer the right lead. He also discovered that the sub-lord of the house-cusp signifying a particular matter under consideration would help figure out its potential with clarity. Here again, instead of paying attention to just the house under consideration, other related houses should also be looked into. For instance, in case of marriage, apart from the 7th house, 2nd and 11th houses too need to be taken into account. For, 2nd house signifies addition to family and 11th house is marked with fulfilment of desires. In case of career, the 2nd (income), 6th (success over competitors), 10th (job prospects) and 11th houses should be looked into. Based on his findings he developed a system of significators of different houses, to figure out the timing of events. Having applied this system for more than three decades, I found that this system offers indications with a fair amount of precision. Even working on this system, reading some charts prove baffling, especially in terms of timing of events.

Here is the case of a girl whose marriage got unduly delayed. With Mars conjunct Saturn in the lagna, it was clear that marriage would not happen before attaining 30 years, and it will not come about easy. When she entered her 35th hear, the parents were

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worried. So was I. For, I was not able to give them a clear answer. That made me work out afresh. The 7th cusp was ruled by Venus as the sign lord, Sun as the nakshatra lord, and Mercury as the sub-lord. Mercury the

11th lord signifying fulfilment of desire was conjunct the Sun and Venus, and so her marriage was promised. The significators of 2nd, 7th and 11th houses worked out were Mars, Jupiter, Venus, Rahu, Moon,

KP system suggests having a look at the rulings planets from the chart drawn at the moment of consultation to figure out the probable dasha combination most suited to the event. Usually, the lagna sign and nakshatra lords; Moon sign and nakshatra lords; and day lord are taken as ruling planets. The ruling planets help eliminate unworkable planets from the list of significators.

I drew a ruling planets chart on September 6, 2020 at 13:48:50 hours at Delhi. The ruling planets emerged as Sun as day lord, Jupiter as lagna sign lord, Ketu as nakshatra lord of lagna as well as Moon sign, and Mars as the Moon sign lord. Ketu by its placement represented Jupiter. The girl was running Saturn antardasha during Moon dasha. Saturn neither appears as a significator or a ruling planet. So, marriage during that period was ruled out. That will be successively followed by Mercury and Ketu antardasha. Apparently, it indicated marriage during Ketu antardasha. What struck me at that moment that Fortuna when

progressed one degree for a year

became exactly trine to Mars, the lagna lord, implying that her fortune was looking up. So, the marriage should happen within a year. But Mercury did not apparently appear as a ruling planet. That drew my attention Rahu, Moon's sub-lord, which represented Mercury by its sign placement. Also 7th sub-lord of the ruling planet chart was Mercury. Now Mars was conjunct Moon, and also aspected Venus, so the they were also taken as ruling planets. Accordingly, I fixed up Moon dasha, Mercury antardasha, Jupiter pratyantara, and Venus shookshma running between 20th and 31st January 2022 as the probable time of marriage. She got married on 24th January 2022. To sum up, astrologer should

analyse every chart with an open mind, without any preconditioning whatsoever, and then his experience and intuitive sense will provide him with the right lead.

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